

BECK AND HANNA
AT LOGGERSHEADS
OVER LEADERSHIP

Ottawa Thinks London Member
Will Succeed Premier
Whitney.

HANNA IS CONTENDER

Fierce Antagonism Said to Exist
Between Mr. Beck and
Provincial Secretary.

Special to The Advertiser.
Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Should Sir James
Whitney recover sufficiently to be
taken home it is believed here that
he will within a few weeks tender
his resignation to Lieutenant-Governor
Sir John Gibson and advise him
to call upon the Hon. Adam Beck to
form a Ministry. That is the belief
in Ottawa.

Should Sir James fail to rally from
the illness which has stricken him
down, the situation will be quite different.

Following constitutional practice
Sir John Gibson will send for the
senior Cabinet Minister, who is Hon.
J. J. Foy, now acting Prime Minister.

The Proper Practice.

According to practice, the Lieutenant-Governor will invite Hon. Mr. Foy to form a Government, as Lord Aberdeen on the death of Sir John Thompson sent for the senior Cabinet Minister, Sir Frank Smith, and invited him to form a Government. Sir Frank Smith declined, and indicated Sir MacKenzie-Bowell as the proper man to call upon.

It is expected here that Hon. Mr. Foy will not undertake to form a government, but will advise Sir John to call upon either Hon. Adam Beck or Hon. J. D. Hanna.

Friends Are at Work.
It is learned here that both Mr. Beck and Mr. Hanna are keenly desirous of succeeding to the post of honor about to become vacant.

In this part of the Province the friends of Hon. Adam Beck are already active, though Mr. Beck is absent from the country, and are making use of the Proudfoot charges against Hon. Mr. Hanna, who seems to be strongly supported by the interests which placed Hon. Tom White and Col. Sam Hughes in the Borden Government. The fight between the Beck and Hanna factions has already developed bitterness here.

Did He Try to Fool Him?

Mr. Beck's friends say that Hon. Mr. Hanna endeavored to mislead Mr. Beck as to the meaning of an important clause in a bill before the Legislature and that Mr. Beck doubted the sincerity of the advice and consulted an eminent outside lawyer who exposed Mr. Hanna's purpose and enabled Mr. Beck to rescue himself from an awkward situation. There are indications that the row between Mr. Beck and Mr. Hanna may become so serious that neither will be able to form a government, and Hon. W. H. Hearst or Sir William Meredith may be chosen as the Conservative leader.

May Be Sir William.
Sir William has allowed an intimation to be circulated here that he would descend from the bench to the head of the Legislature.

Whatever happens it is stated here on the best authority that Hon. Dr. Reaume and Hon. Mr. Foy are going out, and the belief is that they will be succeeded by Thomas McGarey and possibly Napoleon Champagne, of Ottawa.

Mayor Ellis, M.L.A., has been playing to succeed Hon. Adam Beck as minister of power, but his defeat in the Ottawa mayoralty election yesterday has seriously affected his chance.

MEANS TO TAKE UP
INSPECTION OF MEATS

Controller Moore Says Advertiser's Agitation Will Not Be In Vain.

The council of 1913 failed to take any action on the recommendation of the board of health to provide meat inspection in London, and in so doing brought down upon the head of its members a great deal of criticism.

But things will be different in 1914, according to Controller J. Percy Moore. Controller Moore assured The Advertiser this morning that this matter would be carefully gone into and the recommendation of the health board seriously considered.

"ONE OF CANADA'S BEST PAPERS."

[Kingston Whig.]
The Morning Advertiser has made its appearance. It has a splendid field, all Western Ontario, and will fill a place peculiarly its own. The Advertiser is one of Canada's best papers. It is newsy, spirited, rational in its treatment of current events, and wholesome in its influence among men. It is a welcome addition to the morning press of the province.

"A LUSTY INFANT."

[Windsor Record.]
The morning edition of The London Advertiser has appeared on the exchange table and looks to be a lusty infant.

Bogus Half Dollar

Enlargement of one of the phoney coins passed by counterfeiters this morning.

QUICKSAND OR
HIDDEN STREAM
CAUSED CAVE-IN

Dr. Woolverton Does Not Think
Thornbury Phenomena Due
to Quake.

UNDERGROUND RIVER

Thinks Land Will Keep on Washing
Away Until a Ravine
or Chasm Appears.

Dr. S. Woolverton, lecturer in geology at the Western University, expresses the opinion that the falling in of a large stretch of road in Turnberry township must be due either to quicksand or the movement of water underneath, or probably both. Similar phenomena as is now puzzling the residents of Turnberry township are usually associated with earthquakes, but this part of the continent is not usually affected by earthquakes or was any seismic vibration noted in Canadian observatories when the road fell in or before or after. Dr. Woolverton further believes that the underground stream which is the most likely explanation of the cause of the phenomena, will keep on washing away the land above it until the water appears in a chasm or ravine.

It is well known that the supply of water which flows into Lake Ontario cannot all be accounted for as flowing over Niagara Falls, and it has long been believed that Lake Ontario is also fed by an underground stream from some other source. It may have been that a strata of clay upheld the road which has now fallen in until the clay too was washed away and the boggy land above unsupported fell in from its own weight. According to Dr. Woolverton the land around Turnberry township is largely of the same geological formation as Middlesex county. All parts of Western Ontario are very largely of the same formation.

PREMIER WHITNEY
HEARS NOTHING OF
POLITICAL EVENTS

Is Still in Precarious Condition,
But No Danger of Im-
mediate Demise.

SIR JAMES KNOWS DANGER

Lady Whitney Refuses to Leave
Hotel and is Bearing Up
Splendidly.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Jan. 6.—Holding his own in his stern fight against the heart trouble which caused his collapse here, Sir James Whitney, prime minister of Ontario, was reported at noon today to have passed a comfortable night. While Sir James' condition made no progress, either one way or the other during the night, and while he was this morning still in a most precarious condition, indications were to be found in the actions of those attending him that there was no immediate danger of a sudden and fatal termination of his illness.

Asked whether, in view of the great interest being taken all over Canada in the fight the premier is putting up, it would not be better to issue bulletins at short intervals, members of the prime minister's staff suffering a serious relapse this would be done. A rigid ban was placed upon anything reaching Sir James that would be likely to affect him, and he did not ask to be informed on progress of political events in the province. Lady Whitney has been unremitting in her watch at the bedside of her husband, all attempts that have been made to leave the hotel for a beneficial walk having failed. Lady Whitney, however, was bearing up splendidly today.

FIGHT FOR LIBERTY
OF DR. MAGGREGOR
TO BE CARRIED ON

Lawyers Write to Detroit to
Find Cost of Going to
U.S. Supreme Court.

A BLOT ON THE STATE

Men Who Have Read Evidence
Say He Was Victim of
Insinuation.

The announcement of the failure of Dr. Robert Macgregor, son of Mr. A. S. Macgregor, of this city, to secure a new trial before the Michigan supreme court, has caused a feeling in this city that the young physician has been a victim of gross injustice.

His conviction for the alleged murder of one of the Spaulding boys of Ubly, Mich., is regarded by London lawyers who have read the evidence in the case, as a blot upon the fair name of Michigan.

Insinuation Not Evidence.
The brief shows that Macgregor has been the victim of insinuation and "evidence" that would never be admitted in a Canadian court of law. "That lawyers of standing all over the United States have condemned the judgment and said that it would not stand before the supreme court of the United States. One man, a former supreme court judge in Michigan, stated to one of the relatives of Dr. Macgregor that the judgment was unfair, and that it would not stand in a court that was just."

May Go to Higher Court.

A London lawyer this morning wrote to a reputable Detroit attorney asking the cost of carrying the case to the United States supreme court, and asking for the name of a lawyer who would be competent to handle the case, and the cost.

Thousands of dollars have gone to fight for the liberty of Robert Macgregor. Most of the money has gone to lawyers and for appeals.

Dr. Macgregor has recently been in the warden's office at Jackson, and has been in the good graces of everyone in the prison.

SENTENCE AFFIRMED
ON 24 IRONWORKERS

Only Six Out of Thirty Defendants Are To Be
Re-tried.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The judgment of the federal district court at Indianapolis sentencing to prison thirty members of the International Association of Structural Ironworkers, was affirmed today by the U.S. circuit court of appeals here in twenty-four cases. Six cases were reversed. The cases reversed were remanded to the lower court for re-trial.

SEVEN YEARS FOR RYAN.
The sentence of seven years penal servitude against Frank M. Ryan, of Chicago, president of the association, was affirmed.

SINGLE TAXERS TO
MEET IN WASHINGTON

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, Jan. 7.—The Joseph Fels fund of America Commission, organized several years ago for effective propaganda for single tax reform, will meet in Washington, Jan. 15, 16 and 17 with a large attendance. The fund was created by Joseph Fels, of Philadelphia and London on the basis of the founder duplicating every dollar subscribed for the purpose in America. A similar fund is in operation in England, Australia, Canada and Denmark.

At a banquet Saturday night, Jan. 17, William M. Reedy, of St. Louis, will be toastmaster, and among others, William A. Douglas, of Toronto, will respond.

BLOODSHED IN STRIKE FIGHT.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 6.—In a free-for-all fight between fifty deputy sheriffs and strikers, blood was shed yesterday. The trouble occurred when a party of smaller workmen was being escorted to the plant.

AGAINST ALL-NIGHT CAFES.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—Hochelec County Branch of the W.C.T.U. passed a resolution condemning all-night cafes and cabaret shows.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London for the twelve hours preceding 8 a.m. today, were: Highest, 24; lowest, 12.

The official temperatures for the twelve hours previous to 8 p.m. last night were: Highest, 28; lowest, 11.

Forecast.

Wednesday, fair and mild.

Thursday, fair and mild.

Friday, fair and mild.

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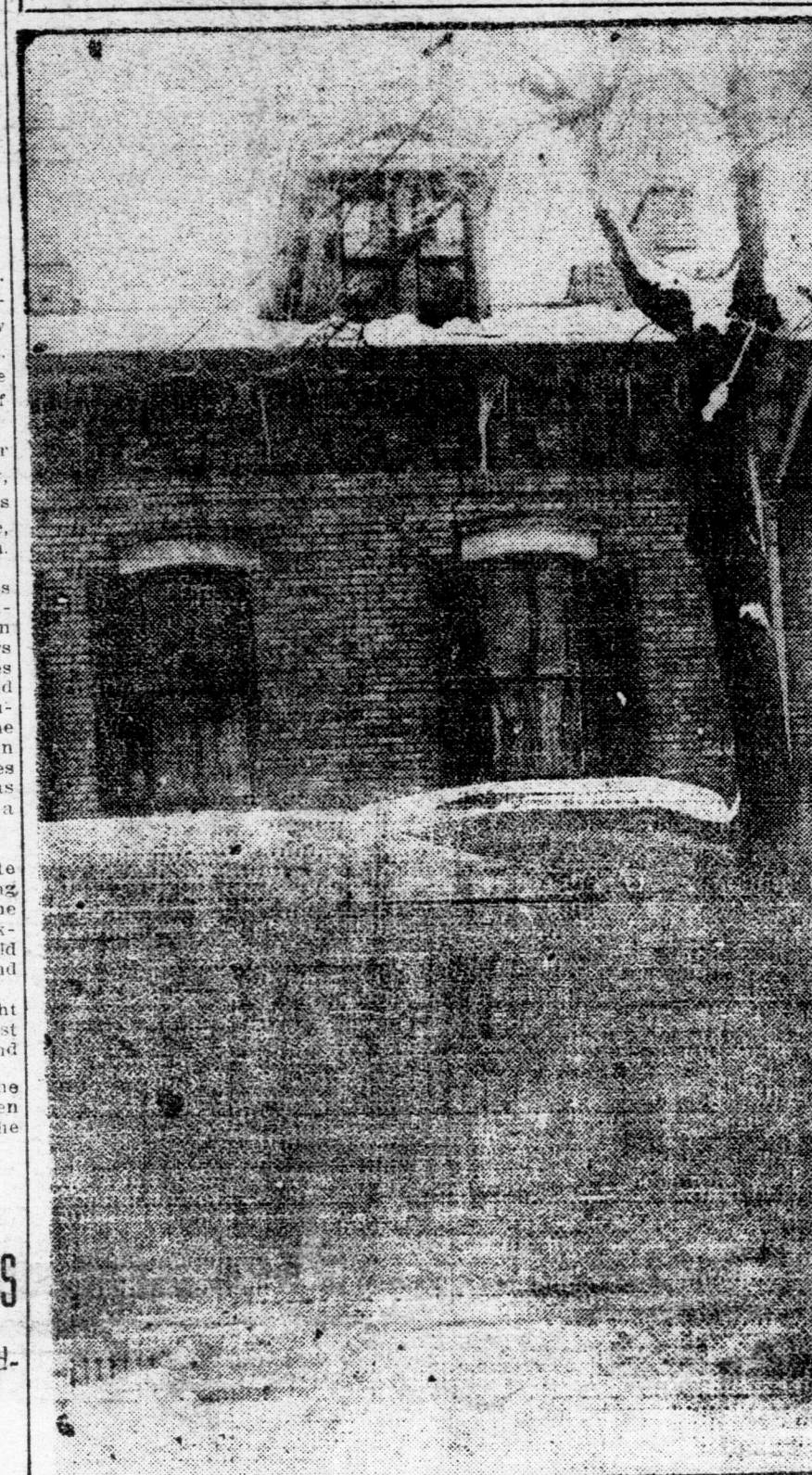
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DETECTIVES ARREST COUNTERFEIT GANG
THAT FLOODED CITY WITH BOGUS COINS
TWO HOURS AFTER ALARM WAS GIVEN

Where the Counterfeiters Worked



Talbot street rooming house, used by bogus coin manufacturers as local headquarters and where phoney half dollars were made without knowledge of Mrs. I. Maloney, the proprietor.

WHERE COUNTERFEIT GANG
MADE "PHONEY" MONEY

Scraps of Metal, Soldering Tools and Acid
Found By Advertiser Reporter—Men
Did Work While In This City.

That the counterfeiting gang, arrested by the London detectives this morning, manufactured the spurious coins in back rooms of a Talbot street rooming house, was discovered by Advertiser reporters this afternoon.

Investigation of the home of Mrs. I. Maloney, 485 Talbot street, where the three members of the gang roomed, revealed conclusive evidences of the manufacture of the counterfeit half dollars.

Scraps of Metal.

Scraps of tin and lead, found in a dresser drawer of one of the rooms occupied, a strong acid smell that pervaded both rooms, and traces on the gas plate indicate where the half dollars were "minted."

When an Advertiser Reporter Went

to the Maloney house at noon a strong acid smell, combined with a burnt odor, was noticeable in the room occupied by Sutherland and the girl member of the gang. Cigar and cigarette stubs littered the floor in profusion.

Finds Soldering Set.

On the dresser which stood against the north wall was a soldering set, including a box of resin. The tools had the appearance of being almost new, but showed signs of use over a fire.

A half-empty bottle of "Lithia," bearing the label "Pilgrim Brothers, Hamilton," was also among the litter. Besides these, there were several packages containing cough drops and a glass of water, with a slight reddish tint.

A Hamilton Address.

Hidden in the drawer was a small chocolate box bearing the address, "26 Macaulay street, Hamilton." Behind the dresser and against the wall were 3 dry cell batteries, connected.

In the room to the rear of this one, which Phillips occupied, the real evidence of the party's work in the city was found. In the corner of a small clothes press was a small one plate gas burner hidden in newspapers.

The landlady states was connected on Sunday to the jet on the wall by a tube.

One Had the Asthma.

On the floor was a miscellaneous conglomeration of waste paper, including a crumpled and torn copy of

Following Trail of Spurious Half-Dollars, Officers Round Up Armed Counterfeiters as They Attempt to Make Getaway.

CAPTURE MOLDS AND COMPLETE OUTFIT

Star Work of London Plainclothesmen Lands
"Fly By Nights" in the Police
Headquarters.

ONE CAUGHT RED-HANDED PASSING COIN

Police Believe Counterfeit Money Was Manufactured in London From Evidence of Molding Outfit.

Within two hours after the alarm had been given, three counterfeiters were caught red-handed by London's star detective force at 11:30 o'clock this morning. They are now behind the bars of the London police station, while the evidence of their guilt lies in the detectives' room in the form of a suitcase containing counterfeiters' molds, blowpipes and counterfeiters' furnace, and more than 100 bogus coins.

NO HOMES GIVEN.

The names given to the police by the men and women caught were Valentine Phillips, aged 24, electrician, no home; Fred Sutherland, aged 20, carpenter, no home, and Esther Sutherland, wife of Fred, aged 20, no home. The men are well dressed, and the woman was apparently respectable, pretty, and fashionably attired.

MAKING GETAWAY.

After flooding downtown stores with spurious coins, the gang was making its "getaway" when gathered in by the detectives.

Sutherland and his pretty wife were arrested at the C. P. R. station, while Phillips was captured red-handed in the store of Mrs. Julia Sheldon, 719 Richmond street, where he was passing one of the bogus coins.

CARRYING LOADED REVOLVER.

No resistance was offered when Detectives Nickle and Down captured the two Sutherlands at the station, nor when Phillips was arrested by Detective Egelton, but Sutherland had a loaded revolver in his hip pocket. As a detective placed a hand on his shoulder the alleged counterfeiter made a move for his pocket, a move that stopped short as the officer's hand closed over his wrist.

Made Fifty Cent Pieces.

Fifty cent pieces of the Canadian issue of 1912 were the coins which the two men passed on probably a score of London's business houses. The coin had a good ring and as the amount was small, no one questioned the genuineness of the coin at first. In each place they entered there were other customers and the clerks were busy.

Where They Went.

Stores where it is known the spurious half dollars were passed are: E. L. Guillemont, druggist; William Clark's two drug stores; Bruce Wallace, druggist; C. C. Woodworth's, Hambley's book store, Palm Garden Drug Store, Central Avenue and Richmond; Mrs. Sheldon's candy store, Richmond north; Grand Opera House Pharmacy and A. E. Laddell's cigar store.

Becomes Suspicious.

Lester James of Guillemont's drug store was the first to become suspicious of the coin. He had taken the coin from a short stocky man, apparently Phillips, and later on examined the fifty cent piece. Someone had told Mr. James to look out for counterfeit money and he went to Clark's Richmond street store, where he found the counterfeit money.

Heard produced a coin of the same kind and determining that the piece was spurious, called up the police department.

Worked Systematically.

When the three detectives, Nickle, Down and Egelton arrived, their investigations made it apparent that the counterfeiters had gone right down the line. They had called at Bruce Wallace's drug store, Ladell's cigar store, Clark's Dundas street store, Woodworth's five and ten cent store, the Palm Garden drug store, where they had been passing the counterfeit money.

Finally, when the gang was on its way to the C.P.R. station to catch either one of the trains, then nearly due, going both east and west, the detective force came up with its quarry.

Pointed Out to Officers.

The officers had the men pointed out to them by Roy Hambley and Sam Crawford, who had been in Clark's store when the men had passed one of the coins, and who had followed on their trail.

Detective Egelton, then two blocks away, saw a man turn into Mrs. Sheldon's store. This proved to be Phillips. He was just handing a bogus coin to Mrs. Sheldon for cigarettes when the officer laid his hand on his shoulder.

"Fly Cop!"

"Fly cop!" said Phillips in a moment. "That's me," said Detective Egelton. "It's all up," said Phillips.

Ready For Battle.

Detectives Nickle and Down in the meantime had gone to the C.P.R. station and seeing Sutherland and the girl on the platform, arrested them. The detectives were armed and ready for a battle and it is possible that if they had not come upon Sutherland suddenly, they would have been given one. He had a thirty-two calibre loaded Smith & Wesson revolver in his pocket.

Came Quietly to Patrol.

Sutherland and the woman came quietly to the station on a street car along with Phillips. There they were searched and placed in the cells, and

FLAMES AGAIN BROKE OUT AT STRATHROY PLANT

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Strathroy, Jan. 6.—Fire again broke out early this morning among some of the unconsumed lumber which survived the fierce fire of a couple of days ago at the Handle Company's plant. The lumber made a big blaze which, seen for miles. After about an hour flames were subdued.

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LOCAL OPTION CARRIED IN FIFTEEN DISTRICTS

Wiping Out Seventeen Licenses—Three-fifths Majority Failed In Nineteen.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Jan. 5.—Returns received at the Dominion Alliance headquarters here tonight show that the temperance forces have won fifteen new districts, wiping out seventeen licenses. In nineteen places the required three-fifths majority was not secured; in five there were straight majorities against local option. In all fourteen repeal contests, local option was sustained.

LOCAL OPTION CARRIED.
Local option was carried in the following places: Brampton, Meaford, Grand Valley, Kemptville, Lanark, Albemarle Township, Baskard and Burgess Townships, Lancaster Township, Marmora and Lake Township, Puslinch Township, Ross Township, Tay Township, Walsingham South Township, Matilda Township.

DEFEATED BY THREE-FIFTHS.
It was defeated by the three-fifths in the following: Arnprior, Aylmer, Barrie, Brockville, Napanee, Tillsonburg, Warrington, Paris, Marmora, Burlington, Delhi, Woodbridge, Floss Township, Mara Township, Scarborough Township, Sault Ste. Marie, Cobourg, Richmond, Alnwick Township.

DEFEATED BY MAJORITY.
It was defeated by straight majority in the following: Morrisburg, Springfield, Bexley Township, Georgina Township, Kitley Township.

REPEAL CONTESTS.
The repeal contests were in: Alexandria, Bracebridge, Bobcaygeon, Tweed, Lancaster, Maxville, Newburg, Oxford, Hawkesbury West, Roxborough, Tilbury West, Charlottenburg, Kenyon Township, Lochiel Township. Not heard from—Bayham Township and Flamboro West.

DIVIDE \$10,000,000 AMONG EMPLOYEES

Every Workman Is About To Receive The Sum of \$5.00 A Day.

TO KEEP YOUNGER MEN
All Of Good Character Benefit
Materially—Wonderful Business Estimate For 1914

[Special To The Advertiser.]
Detroit, Jan. 5.—The Ford Motor Company, on Jan. 12, will inaugurate the greatest revolution in the matter of rewards for its workers ever known to the industrial world.

At one stroke it will reduce the hours of labor from nine to eight and add to every man's pay a share of the profits of the house.
The smallest amount to be received by any man twenty-two years old and up will be \$5 per day. The minimum wage is now \$2.34 per day of nine hours.

All but ten per cent of the employees will at once share in the profits. Only ten per cent of the men now employed are under twenty-two, and even every one of those under twenty-two will have a chance of showing himself entitled to \$5 per day.

Will Not Wait.
Instead of waiting until the end of the year to make a distribution of profits among their employees in one lump bonus sum, Mr. Ford and Mr. Couzens have estimated the year's prospective business and have decided upon what they feel will be a safe amount to award the workers.

This will be spread over the whole year and paid on the regular semi-monthly pay days. The factory is now working two shifts of nine hours each. This will be changed to three shifts of eight hours each.

The number employed is now about 15,000, and this will be increased by 4,000 or 5,000. The men who now earn \$2.34 per day of nine hours will get at least \$5 per day of eight hours. This will apply to every man of twenty-two years of age or upwards, without regard to the nature of his employment.

To Help Young Men.
In order that the young man from eighteen to twenty-two years of age may be entitled to a share in the profits, he must show himself sober, saving, steady, industrious, and must satisfy the superintendent and staff that his money will not be wasted in riotous living.

Young men who are supporting families, widowed mothers, younger brothers and sisters will be treated like those over twenty-two.

It is estimated that over \$10,000,000 will be thus distributed over and above the regular wages of the men.
According to the new plan, the humblest floor sweeper will be paid at the rate of \$5 per day.

A desire to lessen the present widespread difference between capital and labor is the motive animating Mr. Henry Ford, who is author of the plan.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.
Jan. 5. Reported at From
Sardinian.....Philadelphia
Bremen.....Plymouth.....New York
P. di Pionto.....Genoa.....New York

NEW TRIAL REFUSED TO DR. MACGREGOR BY SUPREME COURT

Former Londoner Is Likely To Serve His Life Sentence in Jackson Penitentiary.

DENIES POISON CHARGE
Counsel for Defense Will Continue Fight for Second Hearing.

[Special To The Advertiser.]
Lansing, Mich., Jan. 5.—Dr. Robert MacGregor, the former London physician, found guilty a year ago last June of causing the death of Scryel Sparling, of Uby, Mich., will serve the life sentence in Jackson penitentiary imposed on June 12, 1912. The supreme court today upheld the decision of the circuit court in refusing the petition of Dr. MacGregor's attorneys for a new trial.

The MacGregor case has been one of the most sensational in the history of Michigan judiciary. The long protracted fight of the former London doctor's attorneys to secure for him a new trial has been almost unprecedented in the determination of the lawyers for a new hearing. Application hearings by the score have been held before both circuit and supreme courts and today's decision to refuse a new trial came as a surprise to the doctor and his attorneys, who confidently expected that the prayers and petitions of months would be rewarded by a new trial.

Will Go to Higher Court.
It is claimed by those in close touch with his attorneys that the end of the MacGregor fight is not yet, and that a still further appeal will be taken to the United States supreme court in an effort to overrule the decision of the two Michigan courts and secure a new trial for the accused physician.

The mysterious deaths of the three Sparling brothers, one of whom died at St. Joseph's Hospital, London, Ont., was the first chapter in the case that has embroiled Michigan judiciary in one of the most unprecedented cases in its history. The arrest of the boys' mother and Dr. MacGregor, the attending physician, came after weeks and months of investigation. Since that time interest has centered in the case till it has become one of the most famous of the state.

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A KISS

from a man who has been smoking a strong pipe or a "dark" cigar, or has "smoker's throat" is not very pleasant. Smokers should remember this, and before kissing wife, or sweetheart, or children, take a Pep.

Peps quickly cures that dry, "throaty" feel after a heavy smoke, removes the soreness of throat and palate, and sweetens the breath.

Peps are carried easily in the vest pocket, each being wrapped in a silver envelope. Upon being put into the mouth pleasant pine fumes and healing medicinal vapours are liberated which form the latest and most effective treatment for all throat and lung troubles, bronchitis, etc., etc.

For that tickling cough they are splendid. Contain no opium or poison. Druggists and stores, 50c box, or post free from Peps Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price.

FREE TRIAL

If Peps are unknown to you, cut out this article, write upon it name and date of this paper, and mail it with 1c stamp for return postage to Peps Co., Dupont Street, Toronto. We will send you free sample. Your druggist or dealer sells Peps at 50c. box; 3 for \$1.25. Remember the name "Peps" and take no substitute.

Peps

tered by the physician, have added interest to the trial.

It was claimed by the counsel for the defence that the sickness of the fourth brother, who was never treated by the accused doctor, was proof positive that the supposed poisoning was really nothing more nor less than a medical phenomena. Apparently, however, the supreme court has taken no cognizance of this new feature, which was regarded as the trump card in the defence.

OTTAWA VOTES AGAINST BOTH WHISKEY AND WATER

[Special To The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Ottawa voted against both whiskey and water today. By a heavy majority the people voted to abolish 29 bars and ten liquor shop licenses, leaving the capital to be served by only 36 bars and 10 shops.

Mayor Ellis was defeated in the mayoralty by Taylor McVetty, whom he dismissed last year from the office of city solicitor.

Ellis stood for a pure water scheme, estimated to cost eight millions, to tap a lake 31 miles away. McVetty stood for a plebiscite on three proposed plans of better water supply.

The heaviest vote on record was polled, and McVetty won by about 200 majority.

SAY PRIESTS INTERFERE

Ottawa Ministers Discuss the Marriage Question.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—At a meeting of the Ottawa General Ministerial Association today a resolution was adopted protesting against the interference of Roman Catholic priests with couples married by Protestant ministers, and serving notice on the priesthood that it had no special favors.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE ON CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Train No. 27, now leaving Toronto 8:45 p.m. daily, arriving Sudbury 5:55 a.m. daily, will be discontinued between Toronto and Sudbury after Saturday, Jan. 3.

Train No. 28, now leaving Sudbury 10:45 p.m., arriving Toronto 8:30 a.m., will be discontinued between Sudbury and Toronto after Sunday, Jan. 4.

Through sleeping car, Toronto to Sault Ste. Marie, will be handled Toronto to Sudbury on train No. 3, leaving Toronto 10:20 p.m. and Sudbury to Sault Ste. Marie on train No. 3, arriving Sault Ste. Marie 1:12 p.m.

Through sleeping car Sault Ste. Marie to Toronto will be handled Sault Ste. Marie to Sudbury on train No. 28, leaving Sault Ste. Marie 3:50 p.m. and from Sudbury to Toronto on train No. 8, arriving Toronto 9 a.m.

Train No. 5, leaving Montreal (Windsor Station) 9:45 a.m., (Tava (Broad street) 1:30 p.m. daily for Port Arthur, Port William and Winnipeg, will be withdrawn after trip leaving Montreal Dec. 31, 1913, until March 2, 1914, when through service will be resumed.

Train No. 6, leaving Winnipeg 6:15 p.m., Port William 8:45 a.m., Port Arthur 9:03 a.m., daily, arriving Ottawa (Broad street) 3:20 p.m. and Montreal (Windsor Station) 7 p.m., will be discontinued after trip of Jan. 3, from Winnipeg, and Jan. 4 from Port William and Port Arthur. This train will resume service March 5, 1914, from Winnipeg, and March 6 from Port Arthur and Port William.

Commencing from Ottawa Monday, Jan. 5, and from North Bay Tuesday, Jan. 6, a local train will run between Ottawa (Broad street) station and North Bay, daily except Sunday, leaving Ottawa 1:30 p.m., arriving North Bay 10:10 p.m., leaving North Bay 7:45 a.m., arriving Ottawa (Broad street) station 3:45 p.m. Full particulars from any C. P. R. agent. 19c

ARE YOU DIZZY?

When in a crowd, or while at your work sudden spells of weakness overcome you? Are you tired, listless? Does your heart beat irregularly? Have you puny swelling under your eyes? Is your urine dark or cloudy? If so, you need a course of Sano! and it will cure you promptly. Sano! also cures gall stones, kidney stones, gravel, etc. Sold by all druggists. Manufactured by the Sano! Manufacturing Company, Limited, Winnipeg, Canada. Special selling agents: W. T. Strong, Anderson & Nelles, Taylor Drug Company.

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Replenished Stocks and Bountiful Savings This Week

Tomorrow marks the fifth day of our January White Sale. It also marks the replenishing of many sale tables which were quickly cleared by eager buyers during the opening days of the sale, and those who make their first visit this week will find stocks as complete and savings as bountiful as on the first day. The newest whitewear styles in all undergarments represent the major portion of the stock.

With stocks of embroideries, pouncing and all overs, which number up in the thousands of yards. As it is buying from the embroidery mills in large lots that enables us to put on this January embroidery sale at savings you will find to be from 25 to 50 per cent.

These facts, and the fact that all whitewear garments are the same stock and in every particular, that we mention at all times, constitutes the basis for the remarkable speedy disposal now going on.

SALE OF WALL PAPER (Third Floor),
and
WINTER BEDDING SALE (Fourth Floor),
Continues This Week.
WALL PAPERS HALF PRICE AND LESS

Nainsooks, Crepes and Muslins

In White Sale This Week

Now that the sewing time is near, this White Sale will interest many who desire to get their underwear or household sewing out of the way before the spring opens up—during the stormy or unpleasant winter days when you don't care to go out.

Nainsooks In White Sale

For ladies' or children's underwear, fine soft finish for embroidery work, etc., 42-inch, at per yard.....
.....15c, 20c and 35c
HORROCKSES' extra fine Nainsook, 40-inch width, 25c, 35c and 50c yard, or \$2.75, \$4.00 and \$5.50 for 12-yard piece.

White Crepe In White Sale

For ladies' waists, underwear, etc., easy to launder; no ironing, 27 and 40 inch, at yard.....15c and 25c
SILK AND COTTON CREPE for evening wear, so soft and pretty for the new draped styles, evening dresses or waists, 40-inch, yard 85c
Silk and Cotton Crepe Brocade, for evening dresses; very silky and durable. A good washing fabric, 40-inch, yard.....\$1.25
Also White Voile, 40-inch, yard 45c

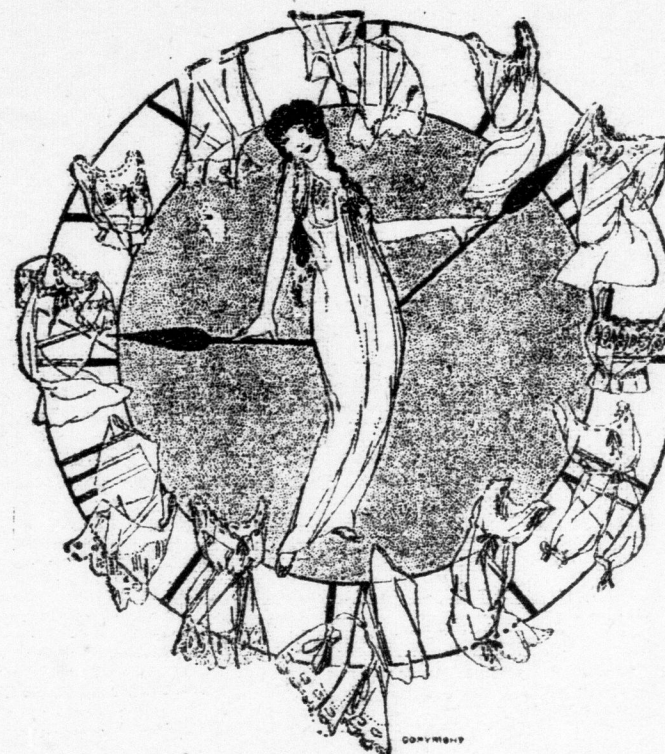
Barred Muslins

For blouses, fancy aprons, etc., neat designs, 27-inch. Yd. 15c, 20c
WHITE VESTING—New stock in White Sale for ladies' and children's waists and dresses, men's and boys' shirts and blouses, 27-inch, yd. 20c
Tobralco quality, 27-inch, yd. 25c

Sale of Winter Cloakings This Week

69c, \$1.39 and \$1.89
Reversible and Tweed Cloths, worth up to \$3.50 yard. See these in Dress Goods Section, Main Floor.

BOYS' OVERCOATS,
CLEARING AT \$2.59,
\$3.95 and \$5.95.



Price Savings Every Minute of Every Hour In This White Sale

Time your visit to suit yourself. Come any minute and hour of the day. You will find everything in whitewear, and whatever you buy will be bought at a saving to you of from 15 to 25 per cent.

Special This Week Dainty High-Grade Goods, \$5.75 Nainsook Gown

Exquisite empire style with yoke of shadow lace, finished with wide band of Swiss embroidery beading and ribbon bows; dainty sleeve to match yoke. White Sale.....\$5.75
Other dainty styles.....\$1.50 to \$4.75

Hand Made French Embroidery Gown \$7.75

Pretty Gown trimmed with real Irish crochet lace insertion, hand-embroidered beading and bows, dainty set-in sleeves with real Irish lace insertion. White Sale.....\$7.75

Silk Grepe Gowns and Combinations

Other styles.....\$2.00 to \$12.50
Pretty style in pink with dainty yoke of shadow lace, trimmed with dainty chiffon rosebuds.....\$2.50
Pink Crepe Combination Corset Cover and knickers, prettily trimmed, fancy bows.....\$5.00

Straight Cut Slashed Skirts

Pretty style, trimmed with Swiss embroidery and fine shadow lace, straight cut.....\$4.00
Also new style Petticoat, seams finished with fine lace insertion, lace frill and slashed sides. White Sale.....\$5.50
Other pretty styles, slashed and trimmed, snug-fitting, dainty new ideas, \$1.50 to \$12.50, including French hand-made garments. Second Floor.

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COTTON SHEETINGS In White Sale This Week

Special prices during January White Sale for piece lots on all sale lines. Fresh stocks from Findlay's and Horrockses' mills bought specially for January White Sale. Now is the time to replenish your bedding, sheetings, cottons, etc.

Our Great Leader 25c to 40c Yard

This plain English Sheetting is a number specially woven for our trade, and judging by the quantities we sell is of more than ordinary merit. Free from dressing and a good round thread, which washes and launders so easily, which is the special feature of this cotton; 64, 72, 80 and 90 inch widths, at yd. 25c, 28c, 33c, 40c
Piece prices for 40-yard bolts.....\$9.50, \$10.60, \$12.40, \$15.20

Horrockse's Sheetings

Special shipment for January White Sale. Exceptional value in high-grade sheeting, absolutely pure yarns, easily woven, snow white finish; excellent quality; 72, 80 and 90 inch. Prices, yard. 45c, 55c, 70c

Finlay's Sheetings

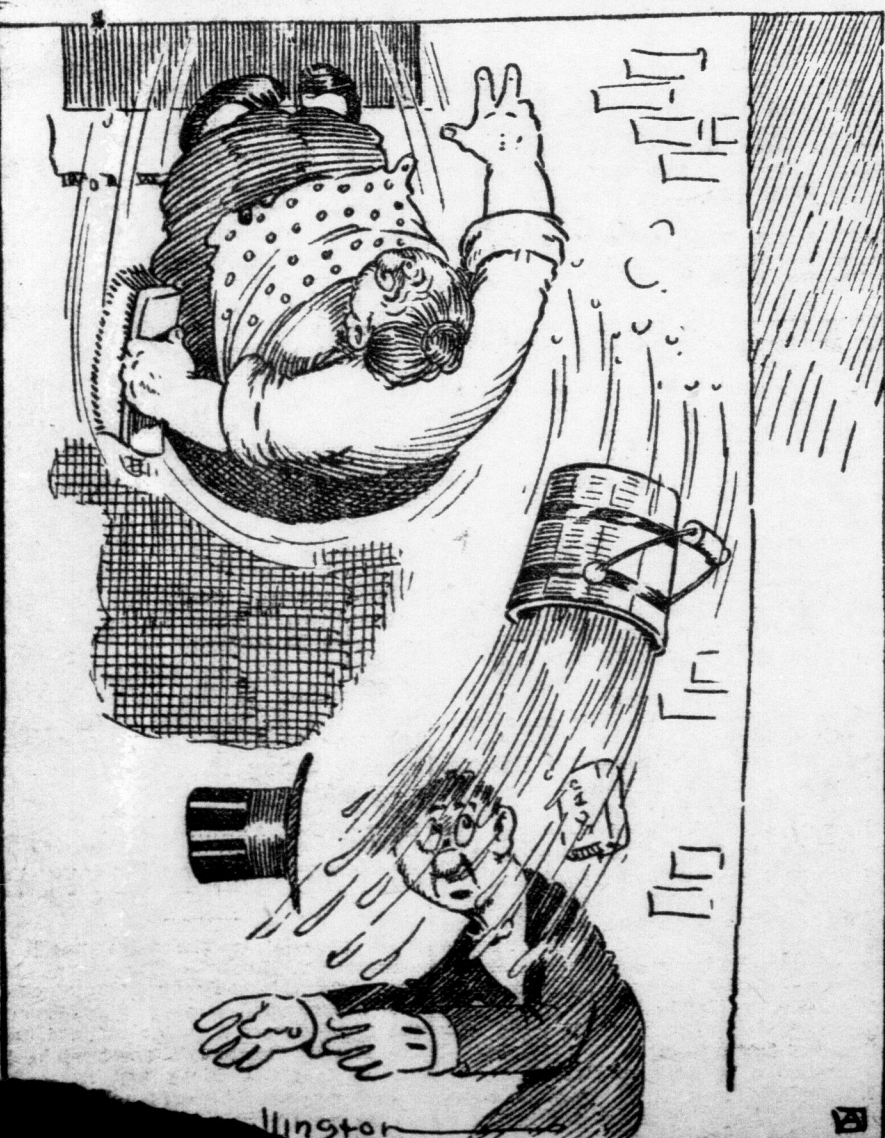
We strongly recommend Finlay's Sheetings. The lasting quality and beautiful appearance of these are commented on by those who have used them. Closely woven; the best of fine yarns, finished to resemble pure linen, full 72-inch.....58c
Special 90-inch for making spreads. Yard.....70c

LADIES' TAILORING

We are still prepared to take a few more orders at special January prices. \$6.50 to \$7.50 less for making and trimming. Order this week. New spring plates are in.

Clearing of Ladies' and Misses' Gloves, Cashmere and Ringwood, 35c qualities, clearing at 19c pair.

---and the Worst Is Yet to Come



IS AFTER DENVER CLUB

Chicago Sporting Editor Likely to Purchase.

[Canadian Press.]
Chicago, Jan. 5.—Edward W. Smith, sporting editor of a Chicago newspaper, well known as a prize fight referee, tonight confirmed reports that he is negotiating for the purchase of the Denver Western league baseball club. Smith said he hoped to close the deal Wednesday when James C. McGill, owner, and

Jack Hendricks, manager of the Denver club, will arrive here from Cincinnati, where they are attending a meeting of the national commission. A few weeks ago McGill purchased the Indianapolis American Association club and announced Hendricks would manage it.

FREIGHT CARS DERAILED.
Canadian Pacific Railway express derailed in London at 11:28 p.m., was delayed for over two hours on Monday by the derailling of a number of freight cars at Kent Bridge. The London auxiliary was called to the scene of the mishap and removed the wreckage.

STOLE A MONEY ORDER JAILED FOR THREE YEARS

Hugh Bell, Toronto, Signed for Document Intended for Another.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Jan. 5.—The heavy sentence of three years in the penitentiary was imposed upon Hugh Bell, a young Scot, by Magistrate Denison

today on a charge of stealing a post-office money order, worth \$49, from a man of the same name. Bell was notified that there was a money order for him. He signed for it, and spent the money.

PILES
Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and is certainly cure you. See a post all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 1c stamp to pay postage.

MARA'S

Specials

for
Wednesday
and
Thursday

DRESS GINGHAMS—36 inches wide; beautiful range of patterns. Regular 15c. On sale, yard

10c

Remnants of Embroidery and Insertion—Goods up to 12½c and 10c yard. On sale, yard

5c

EXTRA SPECIAL—90c Flannelette Night Gowns, pink, white and blue, all sizes. On sale,

59c

SILK BOOT HOSE—Colors of paddy green, cardinal, pale blue, yellow. On sale, pair,

48c

10 DOZEN WAISTS, including Vestings, Gingham, Percales; some slightly mussed. Regular \$1.00 and 75c. On sale,

50c

\$6.00 DRESSES—(One-Piece Dresses), made up in A1 style; colors of brown, navy blue, black and white. All sizes. On sale,

\$3.75

50c CASHMERE HOSE (Penman's make), full-fashioned and seamless, sizes 8½ to 10. On sale,

3 Pairs \$1

50c UNDERWEAR CLEARING AT 29c 10 dozen Men's Stripe Underwear, heavy quality, nearly all wool. On sale,

29c

25c PILLOW SLIPS—Hemstitched. Sizes 40, 42 and 44. On sale,

15c

COMFORTABLES—Large size; A1 covering and clean filling. On sale,

\$1.00

BEE HIVE YARN—3 and 4 ply, all colors. On sale,

9c ounce

\$1.25 KIMONOS—Made of good quality fleece material; splendid range of patterns. On sale,

75c

EXTRA SPECIAL—\$2 Long Kid Gloves, black, sizes 6 to 7. On sale,

\$1.25

20 dozen Hemstitched Sheets, sizes 2 by 2½. Absolutely pure fine round even thread. On sale, each,

98c

NEW COTTON CREPES—Require no ironing. All shades,

12½c

COTTON CREPES—Rosebud pattern. On sale, yard,

15c

MARA'S
OPPOSITE MARKET
LANE.

SEVEN KEYS TO BALDNESS

The New Sensational Comedy
With a Laugh in Every Line
By
Earl Derr Biggers

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"Say, a Broadway chorus would be pleased to meet you, Magee," he commented.

"Don't tell any of your chorus friends about me," replied Magee. "I might not always prove so complacent. Every man has his moments of falling for romance. Even you probably fell once—and what a fall was there."

"Can the romance stuff," pleaded Max. "This chummy railway station wasn't meant for such giddy language."

Wasn't it? Mr. Magee looked around at the dingy walls, at the soiled time cards, at the disreputable stove. No place for romance? It was here he had seen her first, in the dusk, weeping bitterly over the seemingly hopeless task in which he was destined to serve her. No place for romance—and here had begun his life's romance. The blue blithe sailor still stood at attention to the mayor's "World" poster. Magee winked at him. He knew about it all, he knew, he knew—he knew how alluring she was in the blue corduroy suit, the bit of cambric pressed agonizingly to her face. Verily, even the sailor of the posters saw the world and all its glories.

"The agent leaned his face against the bars."

"Your train," he called, "is crossing the Main street 'restle'."

"They fled out upon the platform, Mr. Magee carrying Mrs. Norton's luggage amid her effusive thanks. On the platform waited a stranger equipped for travel. It was Mr. Max who made the great discovery."

"By the Lord Harry," he cried, "it's the Hermit of Baldpate Mountain."

And so it was, his beard gone. No hair clumps hacked, his body garbed in the height of an old and ludicrous fashion, his face set bravely toward the city once more.

"Yes," he said, "I walked the floor, thinking it all over. I knew it would happen, and I had. The winters are hard, and the sight of you—it was too much. The excitement, the talk—it did for me, did for my path. So I'm going back to her—back to Brooklyn for Christmas."

"merry one to you," growled Cargan.

"Maybe," replied Mr. Peters. "Very likely, if she's feeling that way. I hope so, I'm giving up the hermit job altogether—I'll come back in the summer, to my postcard business. There's money in it, if it's handled right. But I've spent my last winter on that lonesome hill."

"As author to author," said Magee, "how about your book?"

"There won't be any mention of that," the hermit predicted. "In Brooklyn, I've packed it away. Maybe I can work on it summer, if she doesn't come up here with me and insist on running my hermit business for me. I hope she won't, if she wants to I won't refuse. And maybe that book'll never get done. Sometimes as I've sat in my shack at night and read, it's come to me that all the greatest works since the world began have been those that never get finished."

The Reuton train roared up to them through the gray morning, and paused impatiently at Upper Asquewan Falls. Ahead it clattered the hermits, amateur and professional. Mr. Magee, from the platform, waved goodbye to the agent standing forlorn in the station door. He watched the building until it was only a blur in the dawn. After all, it had been in the waiting-room—

had resurrected for his return to the world of men.

"Pretty, ain't it?" remarked the hermit, seeing whether Mr. Magee's gaze drifted. "She picked it. I didn't exactly like it when she first gave it to me, but I see my mistake now. I'm wearing it home as a sort of a white flag of truce. Or almost white. Do you know, Mr. Magee, I'm somewhat nervous about what I'll say when I come into her presence again—about my inaugural address, you might put it. What would be your conversation on such an occasion? If you'd been away from a wife for five years, would you say when you drifted back?"

"That would depend," replied Magee, "on the amount of time she allowed me for my speech."

"You've hit the nail on the head," replied Mr. Peters, admiringly. "She's quick. She's like lightning. She won't give me any time if she can help it. That's why I'd like to have a wonderful speech all ready—something that would hold her spellbound and tongue-tied until I finished. It would take a literary classic to do that."

"What you want," laughed Magee, "is a speech with the punch."

"Exactly," agreed Mr. Peters. "I guess I won't go over to Brooklyn the minute I hit New York. I guess I'll study the lights along the big street, and brush elbows with the world a bit, before I reveal myself to her. Maybe if I took in a few shows—but don't think I won't go to her. My mind is made up. And I guess she'll be glad to see me, too. In her way, I got to fix it with her, though, to come back to my postcard trade in the mean time. I wonder what she'll say to that? Maybe she could stay at the inn under an assumed name while I was hermiting up at the shack."

He laughed softly.

"It'd be funny, wouldn't it," he said. "Her sitting on the veranda watching me sell postcards to the ladies, and listening to the various stories of how a lost love has lightened my life, and so forth. Yes, it'd be real funny—only Ellen never had any sense of humor. That was always her great trouble. If you ever marry, Mr. Magee, and I suppose you will, take my advice. Marry a sense of humor first and a woman incidentally."

Mr. Magee promised to bear this counsel in mind, and went forward into the smoking car. Long rows of red plush seats, unoccupied save for the mayor and Max, greeted his eye. He stroked where they sat, about half-way down the car, and lighted an after-breakfast cigar.

Max slouched in the unresponsive company of a cigarette on one side of the car; across the aisle the mayor of Reuton leaned heavily over a card table placed between two seats. He was playing solitaire, and was looking very thoughtful.

Max merely a display of bravado against the hermit's reformers, or whether Mr. Cargan found in it real diversion. Curious, he slid into the place across the table from the mayor.

"Napoleon," he remarked lightly, "whiled away many a dull hour with cards, I believe."

Clumsily the mayor shuffled the cards. He flung them down one by one on the polished surface of the table rapidly, as though they were reform votes he was counting. His thick lips were tightly closed, his big hands hovered with unaccustomed uncertainty over the pastebored cards.

"Quit your kidding," he replied. "I don't believe cards were invented in Napoleon's day. That's a 't's a fellow can't have a little admiration for a great leader like Napoleon without all your funny boys jollying him about it. That boy sure knew how to handle the voters. I've read a lot about him, and I like his style."

"You let history alone," snarled Mr. Max, across the aisle, "or I'll repeat itself and another guy I know'll go to the island."

"If you mean me," returned Cargan, "forget it. There ain't no St. Helena in my nature. I'm staying here. Magee, I've had a little nervous this morning."

"Had a bad night?"

He busied himself with the cards. Mr.

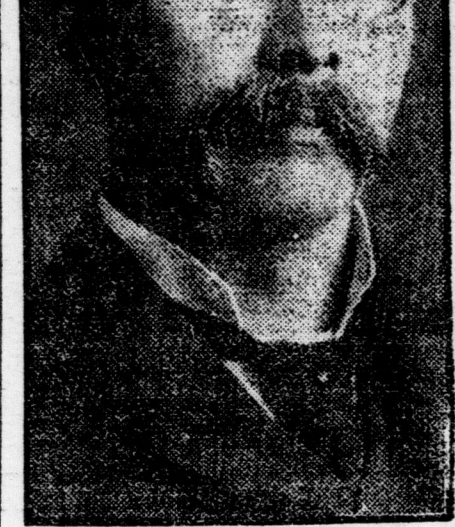
Magee looked on, only half interested. Then suddenly his interest grew. He watched the mayor build, in two piles; he saw that the deck from which he built was thick. A well-suspicion shot across his mind.

"Tell me," he asked, "is this the admirer's game of solitaire?"

"Exactly what I was going to ask," said a voice. Magee looked up. Kendrick had come in, and stood now above the table. His tired eyes were upon it, fascinated; his lips twitched strangely.

(To Be Continued.)

H. J. Pettypiece
Again Returned
Mayor of Forest



HOTELS TO CLOSE
EARLY SATURDAYS

Bill To Be Brought In At Forthcoming Session

Toronto, Jan. 5.—Provincial Secretary Hanna will bring in a bill at the forthcoming session of the Legislature to close the hotels of the province at 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

The hotelmen's association has been told this, and it is causing a flutter among the bonifaces of the province. Conferences have been called in the different cities, and the hotelmen in London are said to have discussed the matter recently.

It is some time since Mr. Hanna has done anything toward license reform. Northern Ontario still runs wide open, and there has been an insistent demand among the temperance radicals of the Conservative party to have something done.

The hotels will have a five-hour day on Saturday, and in some cases the receipts will be cut 50 per cent, it is estimated. All the bars do an enormous business between the hours of 1 and 7 o'clock Saturday. With the increase in the per capita consumption of liquor staring him in the face, Mr. Hanna has felt that a radical move was necessary.

Mr. Hanna sent out a feeler some time ago, but did not make any definite announcement. The hotelmen of the province are certain that he intends to put the new law in force within a few months.

STREET SPRINKLING IN WEST.
Moose Jaw, Jan. 5.—A new record was made this morning, which provided a rather unique sight for January, when the street sprinklers and sweepers were to be seen at work on the principal streets.

It was a warm southwestern wind, which has stirred the dust up, making a general clean-up necessary.

SCHOOL BYLAW CARRIED.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Durham, Jan. 5.—The bylaw to erect a new high school at a cost of \$15,000 was carried by a majority of 52.

AUTONOMY PROMISED.
Brussels, Jan. 2.—Proposed radical changes in the government of the Congo territory were announced by King Albert when they made their New Year's call on him.

King Albert said he was convinced the colony had reached a stage of development when it was indispensable that it should be placed on an autonomous basis under the suzerainty of the home Government, following the example set by other great colonizing governments.

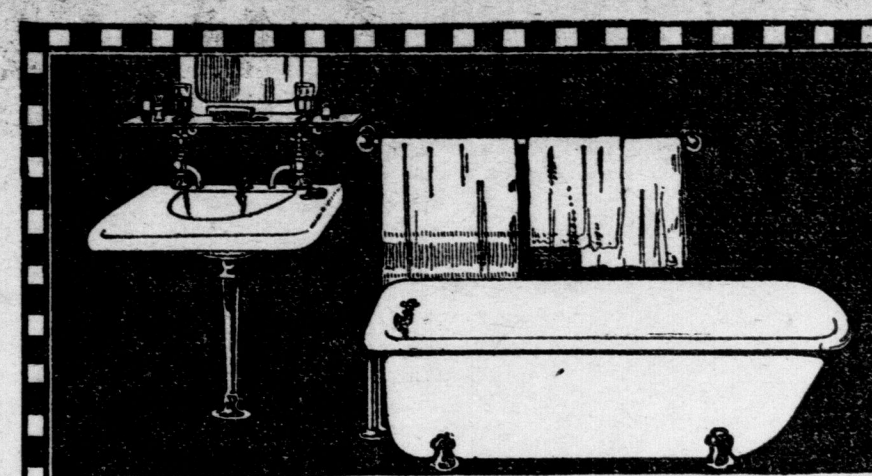
A GOLDEN WEDDING.
In Newbury recently, William H. Jeffery, was the scene of a happy event, it being the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

The parties were artistically decorated with carnations and lilies, the color scheme being gold and white. The color scheme being gold and white. The color scheme being gold and white.

Another very pleasant feature was the baptism of four of the grandchildren and one nephew of the couple, Rev. B. Snell, of Waterville, officiating.

The family of eight children, four sons and four daughters, all of whom are living, were present, also twenty-three grandchildren.

Those present from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Johnston and family, of Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Collier, and family; Mr. and Mrs. William Jeffery and family; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Herrington, of Railway Centre; Mr. and Mrs. William S. Marshall; Mrs. Jas. Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dale and son Ralph, of Detroit; Mrs. T. E. Holston and daughters Margaret and Helen, of Walkersburg; Miss Fannie Sutton, Mr. Robert Jeffery, Miss May Jeffery and Mr. David Sutton and daughter,



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Grace, of Longwood; Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Jenkins and son Arthur, of Belmont; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jeffery and son, Herbert, of Aylmer; Mrs. John Condon and Mrs. Duncan Campbell, of Appin; and Mr. Vincent Waterworth, of Beamsville.

SCHOOL ROOMS CROWDED
London Obligated to Provide Six More Rooms.

With the opening of the London schools Monday morning, additional accommodation was provided in a number of instances.

The new rooms were put in operation at Empress avenue school, with Miss Liddicott and Miss Tilson in charge. At Chesley avenue, Miss Hayman and Miss Graham, of the substitute staff, were officiating.

Two new rooms in the Aberdeen school will be opened for use as soon as the new seats arrive.

A VISITOR FROM CHICAGO.
[From the Boston Record.]
Heard in a restaurant of one of our leading hotels:

"Walter, bring me a small demi-tasse of coffee."

Child Had
Bronchitis

Once people get acquainted with the wonderful control which Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine exerts over bronchitis, whooping cough, croup and colds it is not easy to persuade them that anything else is "just as good." This is why the imitators never get very far.

In 1902 Mrs. Eugene Her, King street, Truro, N. S., wrote as follows: "From an infant one of my children was troubled with bronchitis, and the least cold would aggravate the trouble. We could not get anything to help him, and were often greatly alarmed. Hearing of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine as a treatment for bronchitis, we used it, and are glad to state that it effected a complete cure. If any of the children take a cold or cough I give this medicine, and have never known it to fail to bring relief."

Mrs. Her now writes that she has since proven this medicine to be a cure for whooping cough, and would not be without it in the house.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the East—7:52 a.m., 10:56 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 7:56 p.m., 10:46 p.m.
Arrive from the West—11:14 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the East—12:19 a.m., 8:48 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:08 p.m., 2:08 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the West—7:52 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 3:50 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—11:30 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.
Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:43 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:05 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:30 p.m.
Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.
LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive from the East—11:42 a.m., 6:55 a.m., 7:50 p.m., 11:15 p.m.
Arrive from the West—7:40 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:31 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 8:55 p.m.
Depart for the East—7:43 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 12:40 p.m., 6:45 p.m.
Depart for the West—8:15 a.m., 10:50 a.m., 7:05 p.m., 8:00 p.m., 11:23 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Trains Arrive—7:05 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 4:50 p.m., 8:40 p.m.
Trains Leave—7:22 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:27 p.m., 10:15 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Trains Depart—5:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 2:10 p.m., 4:20 p.m., 7:30 p.m.
Trains Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:50 p.m., 1:40 p.m., 5:10 p.m., 10:10 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those through trains, to and from Walkerville. Train marked with † is mixed, to St. Thomas only.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM
TIME TABLE CHANGES

A general change of time will be made Jan. 6, 1914. Time tables containing full particulars may be had on application to Grand Trunk agents.

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Winter Time

Commencing Oct. 1, cars leave London 6:50, 7:50, 9:30 a.m., and hourly to 11:30 p.m.

Through cars to Port, 7:50, 9:30, 11:30 a.m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 10:30 p.m.
Sunday cars to Port 8:00 a.m., and every two hours to 7:00 p.m., to St. Thomas, 8:00 p.m. Time table No. 4 at all stations.

CUNARD LINE

From Canadian Service. From Southampton. From Portland, Me. Jan. 22, 1914. ASCANIA Feb. 7, 1914. ASCANIA Feb. 7, 1914. ALAUNTI March 11, 1914. Steamers call Plymouth eastbound.

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THE ILLNESS OF SIR JAMES.

Sir James Whitney has never been a man to seek the gushing admiration of his countrymen. He has never set himself up as a brilliant man, nor has he sought much the public eye outside the call of his office. But he has gained the respect of the province and the nation. He has been a high church man of politics, surrounded by a queer combination of legislators, some more, some less, radical than himself. He has ruled his house after the manner of an old-fashioned father. He has kept some quarrelsome little boys safely sleeping together. He has been suspicious of anything new-fangled, and far removed from the modern, socialistic type of statesman, probably because he did not fancy the easiest way to public favor.

Sir James came to the Legislature a village lawyer, a good, solid type of the last-generation Canadian. He was a Tory of the Tories, but he showed us the best side of his earlier school. He developed more rapidly as a parliamentarian than most people expected, and he has built a strong structure, of strange material, it is true, and liable to collapse when the builder is gone, but powerful while he is in charge.

Our Conservative friends already feel the sense of loss in the absence of Sir James. They know the seriousness of his illness and realize it is not likely that he will again fill his accustomed place at Queen's Park. Without affection, the Liberals of the province will extend their hands with warm thoughts for a fine citizen and a brave leader, and sincere hopes for his recovery.

HELP FOR THE CONSUMPTIVE.

Tuberculosis is the most deadly enemy with which mankind in civilized countries has to contend. No other disease kills so many people. The great plagues of the Middle Ages have disappeared. Smallpox, once a dreadful scourge, has become so modified by time that it is seldom fatal. Its name still sounds frightful in our ears; and the most stringent measures are taken to ward off its attacks, and to preserve the public from infection, though the facts make it apparent that it is now more of its virulence. But the white plague of consumption still stalks in our midst, and sweeps away its thousands—choosing them mainly from among those of self-supporting age, from 16 to 60.

What are our governments doing to fight this enemy of the race? In European countries, which we are apt to consider slow and conservative, public money is being freely spent to help the consumptive; but in Canada the work is largely left to private philanthropy. No specific remedy has yet been found for the disease, though scientists have been studying and experimenting for years. The best that we seem able to do is to treat the sick in properly-constructed and properly-managed sanatoria. The consensus of medical opinion points to this as giving the best results. What are we doing to provide and maintain these special hospitals?

The Liberal Government of Ontario, some years before it went out of power, legislated to some extent—doubtless as far as public sentiment would authorize. It provided a good appropriation towards helping municipalities in the building of sanatoria, and undertook to give a reasonable allowance for maintenance, proportionate to the number of patients. But the bulk of the work is still left to private charity. In our own neighborhood, for example, while the Government aid was of value in commencing the sanatorium, and has been of service in its maintenance, yet the building could never have been erected if the citizens of London had not given freely for the purpose. And we know that had it not been for the work of a noble band of ladies—the Sanatorium Aid Society—who have been restless in their energy and unceasing in their efforts, the enterprise would have been bankrupt long since.

The Dominion Government has done less. Beyond paying the expenses of some delegates to tuberculosis congresses, and printing some Government reports, it has left the matter entirely to the provinces and to private charity.

Is it not time for a more liberal expenditure from the public funds? Tuberculosis is a public enemy; it should be met by the money and the energy of the public. The greatest sufferer in a sense is the state. It is not only the individual attacked who suffers. The family loses the bread-winner too often, and becomes a burden on the public. The diseased person spreads the infection, and the community has

to bear the expense that follows sickness and death. The depletion of the ranks of the able-bodied each year means a financial loss to society. The results of consumption's work impose a heavy burden on the public which might have been saved had a less amount of money been expended earlier in preventative measures. It is a short-sighted policy that leaves the sick to private charity, and then spends money to meet the suffering and distress that comes after sickness and death.

It is not as though public money was scarce. Governments can find it and spend it freely for purposes of far less importance to the community. The Dominion can spend \$2 per capita each year for its military preparations, and yet it does not spend two cents in fighting the foe in our own household. Our soldiers find nobody to fight. We hope they never will. But there is an enemy within our own borders as deadly as war, and there is no minister of health to marshal the forces against it, nor draw on the public treasury for his campaign. There is a national enemy to meet, and it is time the nation loosened its purse strings for the contest.

PROBING THE PRISONS.

Do we get all our reforms from the United States? If an insurance investigation starts south of the border we must have one: if their railways are wrong so must ours be; our magazines and newspapers never overlook a good idea from the other side, and now we are having our little fever of prison reform a year or so after Uncle Sam has stuck his muck-rake into the home of its very victims.

Is the man behind bars, whether illiterate "roughneck" or polished ascender, getting a square deal? Should he be given the limit of the law and not much else, or should he have every surrounding and encouragement to make a better man of him? Is he a brute beyond reformation or a human being who has had a human lapse? Will kindness or cruelty do most for him?

Beyond a doubt there have been horrors born of the prison system in every state and province. Compared to the prolonged misery of much convict life the quillotine should be merciful. Insanity has been the certain college into which a large percentage of convicts have been graduated. But that there are few men unresponsive to decent treatment is proven in the story that comes from Great Meadows, N. Y., where a man who knows his convicts has turned life-term men and the unregenerates as a whole into a quiet, normal community, with its code of honor and its record unblemished even by a police court.

It has been safely established in the early experiments that he's a poor convict who will "throw down" a square warden. At Great Meadows the men circulate freely outside the prison. There is not a revolver or club in the place. And men are being brought back to health, which is the keynote of the reform.

If the right men do the work Canada should have its prison standards raised through the investigation recently begun at Kingston. We think that the whole system, Dominion, provincial and county, would stand reorganizing.

RATES OF INTEREST.

Thirty and forty years ago, the rates obtainable on mortgage securities in this province, varied from eight to twelve per cent., and the security was ample. Many loan companies were organized, and the result was that by bringing large amounts of British capital to this province, the rate of interest obtainable was very considerably reduced, until five per cent. per annum was becoming the ruling rate. Then the marvellous development of the Northwest came and with it an unlimited demand for money at the old rates once obtainable here. For a few years, the distinction was rigidly maintained, but it looks now as if there would be some levelling up, there some levelling down, too, with reference to the rate.

Out in the Northwest at the present time, on what looks like good security, nine and ten per cent. and even more is readily obtainable, but the basis of five per cent. in this province has disappeared, and six and a half, seven and seven and a half per cent. are quite common. How long this will last, depends largely upon circumstances, which appear to be beyond the control of either individual men or governments. Who can tell when good or bad times are coming and how long they will last? Who can measure the extent of the demand, or the amount of the supply available?

It has been argued that times are best when interest is high. It depends upon the cause. If business is brisk and the money can be used to good advantage, then it would be all right to pay the high rate, but if business is dull, and the money market tight, then high interest is ruinous.

There is a considerable part of the interest earned, that comes directly out of the soil, like wheat; in fact, it is exchanged for wheat. Take the loans being made today in the northwest on farm lands. Then redemption depends on the crops. If the crop fails, the farmer fails. When it is considered that many millions of money are invested in this way, and that the amount is constantly increasing, it is fair to conclude that for years to come the Northwest

will absorb all the money it can get, and will pay and be able to pay, higher rates of interest than in the older provinces, but the demands of the west will level up the rates here causing higher rates to be paid, and this is likely to be maintained, in a varying degree, for some years to come. On the whole, it may tend to increased prosperity to the whole country, because the dependence of the East on the West and of the West on the East is becoming stronger year by year. There appears to be little likelihood of decreased rates for some years to come.

Morgan is dead. Is his empire scattering?

Montreal may now enjoy its morning tub again.

If the hen won't lay, why not have a deputation see the duck?

Did you notice a column of failures in the papers on settling day? Neither did we.

Why won't someone leave machinery alone for a while and invent a hen-less egg.

All Sam Hughes' soldiers and all Sam Hughes' men cannot put Humpty Dumpty back again.

So far as can be ascertained no one has ever made the mistake of calling any Mexican a hero.

That dilapidated ring-like affair you found in the ash can is probably little Willie's ante-Christmas halo.

Auditing your books and swapping airy persiflage with the pretty strong-rapper will not mix any more than oil and water.

If the businessmen of London wanted that industrial blyat to go through why didn't more of them get out and WORK for it?

There was many a man who on Sunday morning found it easier to get up and go to church than to remain at home and clean the walk.

A "mother and daughter movement" is the latest. Well, what is the matter with mother moving into the parlor and daughter moving into the kitchen for a change?

The court-martial following the Alsatian riots goes to prove that the German officer is quite ready to carry his military madness to the point of sabering defenceless citizens.

Fine for the health this sunny, snappy weather, but cheer up, Mr. Undertaker, there are half a million Canadian boys seeking the thin spot in the ice.

GEMS OF THOUGHT.

Let every man be occupied, and occupied in the highest employment of which his nature is capable, and die with the consciousness that he has done his best.—Sydney Smith.

The disappointment succeeds to the delusion of youth. Let us hope that the heritage of old age is not despair.—Disraeli.

The uttered part of a man's life, let us always repeat, bears to the unuttered, unconscious part, a name in fact, a fool.

How much time he gains who doesn't look to see what his neighbor says or does or thinks, but only at what he does himself, to make it just and holy.—Marcus Aurelius.

Never do a thing concerning the rectitude of which you are in doubt.—Philly the Younger.

Two rules we should always have ready—that there is nothing good or evil save in the will and that we are not to lead events, but to follow them.—Epictetus.

THE NEW FARMER.

[Montreal Herald.]
One hundred farmers attended a banquet at St. Catharines, Ont., last night. Every one of them appeared in full evening dress. The farmer, in his stocking feet and with timothy seed in his whiskers, is getting scarcer and scarcer every day.

TOO TECHNICAL.

[Toronto News.]
"So—my wife naks you" said the judge.
"Yes," replied the bear-eyed one. "It's something fierce."
"Does she naks you because you drink or do you ynk because she naks you?"
At this point technicalities began to enter the controversy.

WRITE US PERSONALLY.

[Waycross Herald.]
The sage of the Macon Telegraph declares that in this fast age there is no longer any need of the mistletoe. Wonder how he knows?

OUTDONE.

[Buffalo Express.]
It looks as if the law's delays had fairly outdone themselves when the United States Supreme Court is only now hearing claims for compensation on account of the Mountain Meadow massacre in Utah in 1857.

NOT UP TO DATE.

[Montreal Telegraph.]
"So you have decided to get another doctor?"
"Indeed, I have! The idea of his prescribing flaxseed tea and mustard plasters for people as rich as we are!"

JOB TO BE STAGED.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]
The "Book of Job" will be staged by the University of Wisconsin dramatic society this season. This will be probably the first time "Job" ever has been given on the modern stage. That it was presented by the ancient Hebrews is the contention of H. M. Kallen, instructor in philosophy at the university. This differs from the views of most of the big men in literature today. To them "Job" is an epopee, yet they assert that in their whole literature the Jews have not a single drama.

No, this Mr. Kallen takes exception. He admits "the book of Job" may be the only drama in the language, but says

years of study have convinced him that it is one. In its original, he says, "the book of Job" resembles the old Greek dramas. It also has all the characteristics of a drama written by a Hebrew writer in the Greek language.

RESTRICTED PROPOSAL.

[Baltimore American.]
"How did you propose to support my daughter, sir?" "I didn't propose to her to support her at all. I only proposed to her to marry me."

ROCKABY BABY.

[New York Sun.]
Rockaby, baby,
See it is late,
Put by your Euclid
Homer can wait.
Fashion your verses
No more tonight,
Finish your treatise
When 'tis light.
See how your biceps
Bulge with the strain,
Wrestling with father,
Boxing with Jane,
Be your dear slumbers
Ever so deep
Sweet dreams of Darwin,
Lighten your sleep.

ONE ON "GOLDIE."

[Toronto News.]
You do not have to believe everything you see in the newspapers. For example, we are told that the name of a Quebec hockey player is "Prodder." The thing seems impossible.

GET CONFIDENCE.

[Calgary Albertan.]
The best way to get a good big depression here is to think about it. The best way to overcome what dullness there is, is to break away and get going. A great amount of any depression is the lack of confidence.

SOME TEST.

[Milwaukee Journal.]
Why didn't Mr. Kipling add to his famous "Ifs"—this If you can keep your New Year's resolution, while all around are losing theirs? That would be some test.

A CHIP OFF THE BLOCK.

[St. Louis Republic.]
Elsie, 20, pretty and marriageable, walks into busy father's office and curls up in a chair near his desk.
"Say, dad?"
"Well? Out with it."
"Can I borrow for a few days that 'De-Now' sign of yours hanging over there on the wall?"
"Sure. Take it and run along; I'm awfully busy."
"And, dad?"
"Yes?"
"Lend me a quarter. On my way home I want to stop in somewhere and buy a piece of mistletoe."

ON THEIR OWN SEAS.

[Toledo Blade.]
Great slices have been cut out of the New Jersey coast by a recent storm. Wharves have been shattered and carried away. Vessels have been piled up on the Carolina sands. The bark has foundered in the gulf and another bark has been abandoned. A British schooner has gone down with all hands, and fears are expressed for American



On the Spur of the Moment

by Roy K. Moulton

WEDNESDAY

What They Say.
If a feller talks a lot everybody says he's gabby.
That he's rattle-brained and should be placed upon the dunce's stool.

If he doesn't say a word, everybody says he's grouchy.
Or that he is very ignorant or is, in fact, a fool.

If he spends his hard-earned dough, everybody says he's dippy.
That he really should be saving for some distant rainy day.

If a feller tries to save, everybody says he's stingy.
And they greet him with a scornful scowl and pass upon their way.

If a feller stays at home, everybody says he's henpecked.
That he's a mollycoddle with no soul to call his own.

If a feller stays out nights, everybody says he's sporty.
That his wife had ought to quit him and let him go on alone.

If a feller goes his way, the good slips jump upon him.
And they criticize him, too, if he tries to walk the chalk.

'Bout the only thing t. do, is to do just what you want to.
Just be natural and then let the dog-gone critters talk.

According to Uncle Abner.
The people who need religion are: The man who left his horse out in the cold all day without a blanket on; the man who grows like a wild beast when his wife asks him for money; the woman who is not what she ought to be; the minister who is looking for another place and a higher salary; the man who walks the streets with his hands in his pockets while his wife carries the baby; the man who keeps a dog and can't afford to take the home papers.

When a man complains about the high cost of living go to him as follows: "Your dad used to drive a yoke of steers and linkin wagon; you drive a pair of roadsters hitched to a top buggy; your son drives a six-cylinder, 40-horsepower automobile. The steers ate buffalo grass and made three

THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

The Case of Thomas Riley.
To the Editor of The Advertiser.

I have long been a subscriber and admirer of the London Advertiser, considering it the paper for the farmer's home, and I never thought to change my opinion, but my confidence is getting a most severe jolt of late. Since I can scarcely pick up a paper without finding some piece of mawkish sentimental sympathy about that cold-blooded murderer, Thomas Riley, I read the papers as closely as most people, yet I have failed to find one word of sympathy for the family of George Blackburn, or for the unfortunate man himself whom Riley hurried into eternity without any chance to be pay-

COATS A Rackful of Women's Winter Coats on Sale

Wednesday and Following Days at \$5.50; also

Misses' and Children's Coats at \$2.75.

READ THE PARTICULARS.

WOMEN'S WINTER COATS, \$5.50

Popular styles of Winter Coats, made of heavy reversible tweeds, in tan, brown, gray and other shades; also a few blue chinchillas in belted styles. Every size from 34 to 40, but of course, not a range of sizes in every color. Good choosing, though, for early buyers. Regular selling prices until now were \$7.00 to \$10.00. A bargain at \$5.50.

GIRLS' AND MISSES' WINTER COATS, \$2.75

Ages 6 to 12 years. These are all very desirable coats, made of winter weight tweeds. Many are double-faced and the reverse side is used as trimming. Regular prices until now were \$3.50 to \$4.75. A big clearance at \$2.75.

Heavy Wool Stockings

Mid-winter cold weather
Hose of comfort and tough-
wearing quality.

Boys' and Girls' Worsted Wool Stockings, of fine but heavy quality pure worsted wool, extra good wearing quality. Women wear these as well as boys and girls. Sizes 8 to 10. Price, per pair . . . 50¢

Boys' Heavy Worsted Wool Stockings, absolutely pure wool, extra heavy, double knee, also double heel and toe. Sizes 6 to 10. Prices according to size, pair . . . 35¢ to 50¢

Women's Lined Gloves, 83c

Tan or brown kid, also tan, gray and black mocha. These are warm winter gloves, wool lined, \$1.00, reduced to 83¢

White Flannelette, 12 Yards, \$1

January sale offers 12 yards of White Flannelette for \$1.00. Nice soft finish, suitable for general purposes, 27 inches wide.

January Linen Sale

This is the month to lay in a supply of Household Linens. Unusual values are offered in Table Linens, Napkins, Towels and Towelling; also Bedding and Cottons are included in the January Sale.

After Wednesday (tomorrow) we will discontinue our special offer of 6c an oz. for Berlin Wools. This offer has just been in effect ten days, as a special inducement for after-Christmas buying. Get a supply before closing time tomorrow night. All colors and black.

The Bee-Tee Pleating Support

An absolute essential for Medicis Collars and similar styles, easily used and washable, white or black. In one-yard lengths, 15c a length.

New Pleatings are shown in chiffon, shadow lace and net.

CHAPMAN'S

239, 241, 243 DUNDAS STREET.

New Public Health

To the Editor of the Advertiser:—
Permit me, through the medium of your valuable paper to thank Dr. Hill (director of Institute of Public Health) for continuing "New Public Health" in Saturday's issue. I believe there are many who are interested in the New Public Health columns and would not like to see them discontinued. All cannot attend his lectures, but all should find time to read the answers to the questions of the day regarding sanitation, as taught and explained by this worthy teacher of the "Gospel of Health." It seems to me that the average individual does not always appreciate the best. My advice is take the best while it is at hand—for your own sake as well as the community in general.—The day may not be far off, when this "Giant among Pygmies" may be called to a wider field, to bestow upon more worthy specimens of humanity the best that is his regarding this big subject.
GRATEFUL.

BRALEY'S POEM TODAY

THE REPORTER

Here's your True Adventurer, here's your errant Knight,
Here's your loyal soldier, unafraid,
"Tackling any worriment, chancing any fight;
Trouble's but the business of his trade;
Cool and unabashed, humorous of eye,
Cynical and flippant in his views,
Watching all life's comedy as it passes by,
Giving you its stories—in the news!

Here's your True Adventurer, ever on the job,
When there's something doing, he is there!
Battle, murder, sudden death—fire or angry mob,
These are varied perils he must dare;
Send him to the tropic swamps, send him to the pole,
Send him forth on any quest you choose;
He will serve you faithfully, heart and brain and soul,
Braving any dangers for the news!

Here's your True Adventurer, servant of the Press—
Just a plain reporter on the street,
Chronicler of human life, failure and success,
Cryer of romances, sad or sweet!
Playing FOR the gallery, never TO the gallery,
Nothing ever moves him to dismay;
So he serves the world of men for a modest salary!
Here's your True Adventurer, Today!
—BERTON BRALEY.

SOUP TO NUTS! EAT WITHOUT FEAR OF DYSPEPSIA---PAPE'S DIAEPSIN

Digests Food When Stomach Can't—No Sourness, Gas, Indigestion.

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach, if you will take Pape's Diaepsin occasionally. Anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid, poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion

(Like a lump of lead in stomach), Bloating, Heartburn, Water Brash, Pain in stomach and intestines. Headaches from stomach are absolutely unknown where Pape's Diaepsin is used. It really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. It leaves nothing to ferment, sour and upset the stomach.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diaepsin from your druggist, then eat anything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, besides, every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines will vanish.

Should you be suffering now from Indigestion or any stomach disorder, you can get relief in five minutes.

Every Reader Will Find
Cynthia Grey's Column
An Interesting Miscellany

FOR THE WOMAN OF TODAY

Follow the Horoscope.
Daily Pattern Service.
Women at Work and Play

"To Marry—Or Not to Marry"

Cynthia Grey's readers give diverse advice. Some think love not necessary; others say marriage for a good home only can never be happy.

A number of letters have been received in answer to "Pond Lily's" request whether it is better for a girl to marry for a home if she likes the man at all, or if love is necessary to ensure a happy marriage.

The replies received vary in tone. All are from married women, some of whom declare that it is better for a girl to live a life of a single blessedness than to wed a man she does not love. Others are equally emphatic in the statement that it is better to marry "first chance" if the suitor is respectable, kind, and what Samantha Allen would call "a good provider." Four of these communications appear to-day, and it is possible that we may devote more space to letters received on the subject within a day or so.

Married a Sport.

My advice to "Pond Lily" would be to marry for a home if she likes him at all, and if he is a respectable man with means enough to support her and kind in principle. I am one who married for love and twenty-five per cent sport. But my love soon changed to hate, and we parted. My sister, younger, and a prettier girl than I, married for a home, and she has a lovely and happy home. I know, for I stay with her. And my advice to girls is to be very careful that all that shines is not gold. I would marry for a home if I had my life over, if he was respectable and kind, and could provide a home that I would never want. You couldn't help but be happy if you liked him at all, and are a sensible girl and know your place as a married woman should do.

READER.

"Be An Old Maid First."

Dear Miss Grey—Reading your interesting column of Jan. 2, I am writing to offer my advice to Pond Lily.

I am a young married woman, being married one year, and say for Pond Lily

never to think of marrying a man unless you love him. I can't imagine how married people can live without love. My husband and I do love each other that we can't hardly bear to be parted from each other for a few minutes; and wonder how married couples can go about without married love. This is my advice to Pond Lily and others contemplating matrimony: Be an old maid first before marrying without love. Yours, MRS. NEWLWED.

Marry the First Chance.

Dear Miss Grey: For the benefit of "Pond Lily" and other marriageable young ladies I will say, with experience, that there is no such thing as love, as I have been married three times, and in no case was I in love with the man. My first experience was when I was a young working girl and married for a home; the second being a widow for a few years I married for company; and my third, last and best, was for money, he being years older than myself. I say with confidence that I have never experienced anything like what they call love. I hope Pond Lily will take my advice and get married the first chance, providing he be a good living man, young or old, with money or a good position. Yours, MRS. G. LUCK.

Wealth Is Not Happiness.

I am a young married woman of twenty years old, and am giving my opinion of the question asked by Pond Lily: Whether to marry a man without love. I think it would be alright providing she loved no other, but if she loves another, "beware." I think if I were her I should sooner remain single than to marry without love. Wealth is not happiness. Take my advice, never marry without love, for you will rue the day you were born, and if you love the man you will rue the day that binds you to the one you never loved. EDNA.

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[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. No letters can be answered privately.]

Maple Cream Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey—Would you kindly reprint the recipe for maple cream that you published not many weeks ago? I have lost my clipping of it. Thanking you for your interesting column, I remain, A FRIEND.

A.—This is the one I think you refer to: Two cups of brown sugar, half a cup of maple syrup, half a cup of rich milk, lumpy butter. Boil all together, stirring often, until a little dropped into cold water will form a soft ball. Remove from fire and add to a cream. Pour into buttered tins to cool.

Inscription For Ring.

Dear Miss Grey—I should be greatly obliged if you will answer the following for me:

1. I have some dark red crepe cloth, suitable for a kimono, and ask your advice as to trimming, and also could you suggest any new style of cutting it?
2. Is it had form to change a Christmas present when one has had the article given them duplicated?
3. Could you give me a suitable inscription (?) for an engagement ring, and also a wedding ring? Kindly suggest something in Latin and also the transcription of same if possible.
4. What shall I give my fiancée for his birthday, which is coming soon? Thanking you in advance, I am, YOUR TRUE ADMIRER.

A.—1. Bands of red satin, either broad or plain, would be pretty. I have the illustration for a simple style and can tell you where to get the pattern. If you send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

2. No.

3. A suggestion for the engagement ring is "semper fidelis," a faithful wife for the faithful husband, "omnia vincit amor," love conquers all things.

4. A smoking jacket, umbrella, club bag, books, a copy of a favorite picture, or a tobacco jar.

Knife and Fork.

Dear Miss Grey—Where should the knife and fork be placed when one passes the plate for more food at a dinner? When one is through with the knife and fork should they be crossed on the plate or left at one side of the dish? Is it proper to stack the dishes after emptying them? O. K. J.

A.—When being served to a second helping, place the knife and fork close by the plate, straight and at one side of the plate. They should also have this position when the person is through eating. By "stacking" I presume you mean piling one dish upon another. Let the waiter or whoever serves the dishes do this work.

First Calls.

Dear Miss Grey—Is it the correct thing to make a first call on a bride by sending your cards instead of calling in person?

A.—Never make a first call by card unless the person is not at home when you take the trouble. In such cases leave your cards.

A Sunday Horoscope.

Dear Miss Grey—Will you please give the horoscope for last Sunday, Dec. 28, or the persons whose birthdate it is? That part will satisfy, and oblige, C. W. C.

A.—Here is the part that will probably prove most interesting to you: Persons whose birthdate it is have the prognostication of a year of exceeding anxiety. Men are counseled to beware of disputes and to keep out of litigation. Young women should watch their friendships with men.

Children born on this day are likely to have brilliant minds and violent tempers. Self-will may cause them much trouble. Both boys and girls should be carefully trained in systematic habits.

Demonstrations of affection toward

old friends or sudden fondness for new acquaintances should not be indulged, for they are likely to be followed by strong revulsions of feeling.

The sway is supposed to incite anger, cause strife and produce serious misunderstandings, since it increases egotism and a domineering tendency.

Under this government accidents are believed to be more common than at other times. The day is not an auspicious one for journeys.

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ONLY FOUR DEMANDS TO CAUSE TROUBLE

Baseball Magnates Continue
Meeting Today.

SESSION WILL BE OPEN

Hermann and Bruce Re-Elected to
Office—Knabe's Move Comes as
a Shock to the
Majority.

[Canadian Press.]

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 5.—After taking up the requests of the Baseball Players' Fraternity one by one, and discussing them thoroughly, the National Baseball Commission and the committee from the National Association of Minor Leagues, adjourned tonight ready to present a solid front when the committee of players present their case tomorrow.

No announcement of what demands had been conceded or denied was issued, but on good authority it was stated that not more than four of the demands will cause any friction at tomorrow's meeting.

Meeting To Be Open.
Probably the most important announcement was that the meeting tomorrow would be an open one, both public and press being admitted. This was not decided upon until just previous to the adjournment of the joint meeting of the commission and the committee from the minors, but in the minds of many it was announced previous to the joint meeting that the only request that the minor leagues objected to was the one that asks that ten days' notice be given players after their release.

There are several, however, that the majors do not take kindly to, but just what these are the major league officials refused to divulge.

National Commission Meets.
Previous to the joint meeting the National Commission was in session during the majority of the day. Chairman August Hermann and Secretary John E. Bruce were re-elected, and both submitted their annual reports.

Secretary Bruce reported that the total money handled by the commission from all sources, including the world's and different city series, amounted to \$355,963. Three thousand seven hundred and twenty-five decisions and statements were handled during the last year, while 725 bulletins were promulgated, 1,113 letters and telegrams were sent out.

The commission handed down some minor decisions.

Howley's Claim Refused.
Player Howley's claim for salary from the end of the season of the Montreal club to the end of the season of the Philadelphia National League, was refused.

It was announced by Secretary Bruce of the commission that other than the mention of the Federal League in the report of Chairman Hermann, the subject was not broached during the meeting.

The announcement that Knabe had signed a Federal League contract to manage the Baltimore team for three years came as a decided shock to the majority of the baseball magnates present. Quite a few refused to believe it, while others voiced the opinion that there would be a different story to tell when the time came for putting up the money.

MANUFACTURER'S LEAGUE WILL OPEN THIS EVENING

Mayor Graham Will Face Off
the Puck at Eight
o'clock.

The Manufacturers' Hockey League will open at the Westminster rink this evening at 8 o'clock, when McClary and Gastes will meet in the first game. Mayor Graham will face the puck and make a brief address, declaring the league open for the season, after which the teams will go to it. Sid Rankin will referee both games. The second game will be played between Lawson & Jones and Greene-Swifts. Both contests will be interesting.

SARNIA BEAT WATFORD

Trimmed Home Team on Its
Own Ice Five to Two.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Watford, Jan. 5.—Sarnia and Watford Intermediate O. H. A. teams met for the first time this season on local ice tonight. Sarnia had the best of the scoring all the way through. The game was clean and well handled by Referee Rogers. Half-time score, 5 to 2 in favor of Sarnia, and final score 5 to 2 for Sarnia.

Line-up:
Sarnia—Joss, goal; McCart, left defence; Dodds, right defence; Storey, rover; Leueur, centre; McLean, right wing; Foster, left wing.

Watford—Trenouth, goal; C. Dodds, left defence; Waddell, right defence; Daubs, rover; Rogers, centre; T. Dodds, right wing; Foster, left wing.

Referee—F. Rogers.

ROOF ON SIMCOE RINK HAS ALSO CAVED IN

It is Duplicate of Ingersoll Arena
and Owned by Same
Man.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Simcoe, Jan. 5.—About 70 feet of the roof of the Simcoe skating and hockey rink caved in at an early hour this morning under the weight of the heavy snowfall. The Simcoe rink is a duplicate of the Ingersoll arena which caved in Sunday morning, and it is owned by the same man, Mr. George Mason. Repairs will be made as soon as possible, but all local hockey matches for this week will have to be postponed.

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BIG MEN IN HOCKEY



Some of these veteran "Generals" are still to be found in the forefront of the battle; others direct operations from the rear, but all are working to place the professional game on a clean footing.

Lesueur started with Smith's Falls and won a name for himself as one of the best goalkeepers the game ever produced. Emmett and Percy Quinn are brothers, but "Mike" of Quebec, is not a relative. He is, however, a leader of champions. Percy Quinn, who is president of the Dominion Lacrosse Association, was net guardian for the Shamrocks of Montreal some years ago. "Jimmy" Murphy, as everybody knows, hails from the cradle of lacrosse—Cornwall—and is regarded as one of the best coaches in either winter or summer game. Gardiner, who still has a word of speed, is a former Wanderer. Last year he was manager and captain of the New Westminsters who won the Coast League championship. "Dicky" Boon is a prominent Montreal insurance man.

Skill and Condition Factors; Formations for Practice Shots and Passes.

BY W. E. MEANWELL.

Wisconsin University Basketball Coach.
Skill in the fundamentals must be attained before holding scrimmages, so devote the early season to conditioning, through moderate handling of the ball. A long practice season on alternate days acquiring speed and accuracy in passing means finished team work and lessens the danger of sore feet and strains.

When shooting from the field, the overhead shot with arms fully extended is best. The underhand shot from waist or knees is more accurate in practice, but slow and easily intercepted. The best free-shot throwers use the underhand shot.

When close to the basket the scorer should leap high and shoot at the top of his leap, with one or both hands. The shooter must follow the ball, to secure the rebound, without an instant's loss. Many young players fail to do this.

Shot and long shots, scoring from rebound, dribbling and passing can be practiced from the position in diagram A, the squad being in semi-circle, moving from left to right, and reverse.

The scorer approaches the basket, leaping high and shooting, leaving the rebound for the next in line, but always

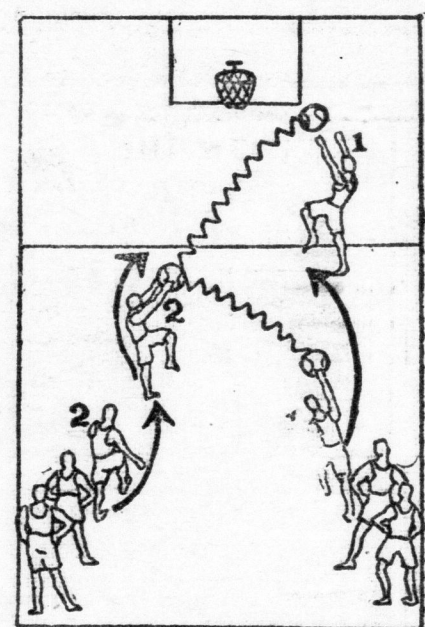


Diagram A. Short Shots from the Rebound.

Short shots from pass.

Solid line, course of man until he receives pass.

Broken line, course of man after taking pass.

Zig-zag, course of ball.

turning in toward the basket to take a rebound.

Making short shots from a pass, the squad is divided as in diagram B. No. 1 passes forward and across to No. 2, who returns to No. 1 near the basket for a short shot. No. 2 follows his pass and secures the rebound of No. 1, etc., through the squad. Start the play from alternate sides.

Practice the dribble until the ball can be carried rapidly.

Play the long shot and rebound from short shot formation, the players following and securing rebound from a short shot. Take one step before the long shot and rarely more than twenty feet from the basket.

When the player with the ball is standing or advancing in the direction the ball is to be thrown, the overhead pass from the shoulder is best.

When closely guarded and moving away from the direction of the throw, the pass should be made overhead, by swinging the hand from the waist over the opposite shoulder, at the same time leaping high and away from the guard. This is a fast, accurate and difficult pass to intercept.

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JACK LAVIOLETTE, star defence man of the Canadiens. His playing against the Toronto in the first game of the N.H.A. season was the feature of the contest.

WABASH TAKES OFF TWO OF THE FAST TRAINS

Officials Say They Are Cancelled
for a Few Months
Only.

St. Thomas, Jan. 5.—The Wabash Railway has taken off two of its fast express trains, running between St. Louis and New York.

No. 28, the company's best train from the west, due here at 5:30, and No. 7, from the east, due here at 7:45, are the trains taken off.

The officials state that these trains are only cancelled for a few months, and that when business picks up they will be put back—that at present they are not carrying enough people to insure their maintenance.

It is hoped that they will be put back in the service before many weeks, as their cancellation will cause considerable inconvenience to the travelling public, and will set four crews back in the freight service.

SALARY TO AID CAMPAIGN.

New York, Jan. 5.—L. L. Melius, a highways contractor, testified at the resumption of District Attorney Charles S. Whitman's "John Doe" inquiry today, that when he was employed in the state engineer's department for three years, part of his salary was held back, and he assumed it was for campaign contribution purposes. Melius took the stand at his own request, and declared that he had never voluntarily contributed to campaign funds.

Two Brothers Drowned.

North Haverly, Que., Jan. 5.—John Morse and Rex Morse, two brothers, were drowned in the river here while skating on Saturday afternoon. They ventured out into the middle of the river, where the ice was thin, and broke through. Accidental drowning was the verdict of the coroner's jury. The boys were aged 12 and 8 years, respectively.

Advancing prices of horses and mules from the United States have led Guadeloupe to purchase many animals from South America. The South American mules are smaller.



VEZINA, Canadian goal tender, who is acknowledged to be in a class by himself.

Hockey Results

O. H. A.—Intermediates.
London 9, Brantford 5.
Paris 6, St. Thomas 3.
Berlin 10, Waterloo 1.
Sarnia 9, Watford 5.
Peterboro 10, Bowmanville 4.
O. H. A. Junior.
Orillia 24, Midland 2.
Galt 16, New Hamburg 4.
Guelph 10, Preston 2.
Northern League.
Elmira 9, Listowel 3.
Clinton 5, Mitchell 2.
Exhibition Game.
Ottawa 4, Princeton 2.

TODAY'S GAMES.
O. H. A. Senior.
Midland at T. R. and A. A. Intermediate.
Cobourg at Oshawa.
Hamilton H. C. at Centennials.
Sarnia at Tillsonburg.
Niagara Falls H. C. at Port Colborne.
Welland at Dunnville.
Orillia at Midland.
Junior.
Picton at Belleville.
Kingston at Peterboro.
Hamilton at Niagara Falls.
Listowel at Mount Forest.
Goderich at Seaforth.
Mitchell at Stratford.
Pacific Coast.
Victoria at Vancouver.

HARRISTON WON FROM MOUNT FOREST BY 2-1

Close Game Opened Junior O. H.
A. Season in Northern
Town.

Harriston, Ont., Jan. 5.—In the opening of the Junior O. H. A. here tonight between Mount Forest and Harriston, the home team won by a score of 2 to 1. The ice was in good shape and the attendance was very encouraging, numbering about 300 fans. The line-up:

Harriston—Goal, Strong; point, Howes; coverpoint, Kitt; rover, Jardine; centre, Burrows; right wing, H. Ward; left wing, Fye.
Mount Forest—Goal, Campbell; point, B. Murphy; coverpoint, G. Murphy; rover, MacNamara; centre, Duffield; right wing, Smith; left wing, C. Murphy.
Referee—Langdon, of Mount Forest.

NO GAME AT INGERSOLL.
Ingersoll, Jan. 5.—There was no Junior O. H. A. game here tonight between Sarnia and Ingersoll, on account of the roof of the rink collapsing yesterday morning under the weight of the snow.

MIDLAND OUTCLASSED

Lacked Team Play in Game
With Orillia.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Orillia, Jan. 5.—The first Junior O. H. A. game of group No. 11, section A., was played here tonight between Midland and Orillia. The locals had the visitors far outclassed. The half-time score was 10 to 2 in favor of Orillia, and the full-time score 24 to 2. The visitors had no team play, and the Orillia boys had the game right in their own hands. Line-up:

Midland—Smith, goal; Edmond, point; Simpson, coverpoint; Blake, rover; Duncan, centre; Cook, right wing; Orsland, left wing.

Orillia—Johnston, goal; Reid, point; McNabb, coverpoint; Butterfield, rover; Tushoff, centre; Draper, right wing; Trahey, left wing.

Midland—Spore, Drury; Orillia—Spares, Chase and McGill.

Referee—Wm. Sargeant.

GUELPH JUNIORS WON.

Guelph, Jan. 5.—By a score of 10 to 2, the Guelph Victorias (Juniors) fairly swamped the Junior stickhandlers from Preston here tonight. They outplayed the visitors in every department.

HORSE TALK

Lulu Lumine, 2:09½, the best trotter in the great western circuit, is to be a member of the Murphy stable.

Berka, 2:14½, the Gingara mare that raced in better than 2:09 at Lexington, has been bought by Knap McCarthy.

Robert Binger, 2:17½, was the season's fastest trotter over a half-mile track, winning all of her four starts.

The point system of racing is gaining ground now that heat winners who do not win the race are not given records.

There is talk of discontinuing the pacing division of the Kentucky futurity. Pacing stakes seldom amount to anything.

Robert Milford, 2:06½, with which W. L. Snow made such a good campaign during the big line, is being wintered at North Randall.

Middletown, N. Y., is in the game good and strong and will follow Goshen in August with a meeting at which \$9,999 will be given.

George J. Dietrich figures out that the get of Hal B., 2:01½, won more races than any tribe last year. They have 64 wins to their credit, while the Jay McGregors won 62 races.

Frank G. Trotter says it is a safe bet that Readville, Rockingham and Providence will give big meetings this year, no matter what the grand circuit does with the eastern tracks.

The four \$1,000 stakes to be raced at the Montreal ice meeting, Jan. 15 to 21, will be very well met. In the 2:10 pace there are 25, the 2:12 pace 17, the 2:17 trot 17, and the 2:30 trot 12.

Walter R. Cox thinks they will pay him in the 2:10 trots this year. Judson Girl is the one which he counts and if she races any better than she did last year he is sure to land his share.

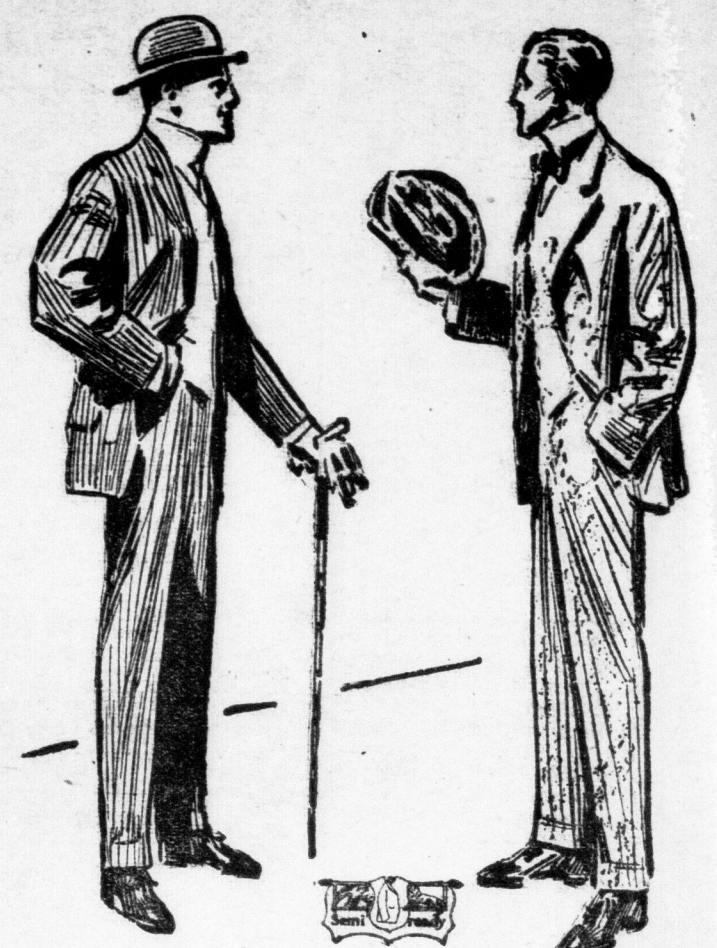
Ed. Abrams has leased the Tiffin track and moved there from Findlay. He has a dozen horses now, and probably will race mostly in the Michigan and Ohio circuits.

Silk Hat tops the money-winning trotters in the Ohio circuit with \$1,000 and King Clamman is the head of the pacers with \$1,005. Direct Mac coming next with \$1,000.

CUBES

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And if you did not think it was better in finish, in tailoring, and in value than ready-made clothing—why this shop could not live and prosper as it has done.

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Then it is quite an event to be able to get one of these "Lonelies" at half price.

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All new \$15 garments for.....	\$12
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Not a single Ulster or Overcoat will be held in reserve. Everything goes.

Odd Trousers at \$2.50 and \$3.50.

Dress Suits and Serges at 20 per cent off.

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I am going to make this known as the best Furnishing Shop in London—and in order to help you overcome any diffidence, you may enjoy an hour here by buying:

A 10c Collar Button for.....	7c
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Any \$2 Fancy Vest for.....	\$1
A 50c Cravat for.....	25c
Three pairs of Cashmere Hose for.....	\$1.80
Or 3 pairs Silk and Wool Socks for.....	\$1.15
A \$5 English Velour Hat for.....	\$3.50

And 20 per cent off any article not specifically marked to clear out quickly.

I'd really hate to sell "everything" at these prices, for I'd go broke. But in selling what I do not want in this shop any more, I thought it best to avoid any sense of disappointment by making a sale like the auction man says at the farm sale: "Absolutely without reserve."

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GALT JUNIORS TOO MUCH FOR NEW HAMBURG KIDS

Ran Up the Big Score of 15 to 5
on Them in
Galt.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Galt, Jan. 5.—Galt defeated New Hamburg in the first Junior O. H. A. game here this season tonight by the score of 15 to 5. The half-time score was 9 to 3 in favor of Galt. Line-up:

New Hamburg—Boegel, goal; Roth, point; Winn, coverpoint; Bigger, rover; Bowman, centre; Bruder, right wing; Wankin, left wing.

Galt—Wilkinson, goal; Dennis, point; Grant, coverpoint; Cossage, rover; George, centre; Oliver, right wing; Tremaine, left wing.

Will Fleming, of Joe Patchen II. fame, is to take another whirl at the grand circuit games with Pinewood, 2:09½, and Tropic Dawn, 2:14½.

Viney French has hooked up with J. G. Warden, of Springfield, O., and will train his stable this year. One of the members is John Jacob Astor, 2:14½.

CHURCH LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

The first week's schedule of the Church Hockey League games at Simco's street rink was given out last night, as follows:

Tonight.
7:30 to 8:30—New St. James Juniors vs. Colborne Juniors.
8:30 to 9:30—Talbot Seniors vs. St. George Seniors.
9:30 to 10:30—St. James Juniors vs. Wellington Juniors.

Thursday Night.
7:30 to 8:30—St. James Seniors vs. Askin Seniors.
8:30 to 9:30—Dundas Centre Juniors vs. Adelaide Juniors.
9:30 to 10:30—King Street Seniors vs. Dundas Juniors.

Friday Night.
7:30 to 8:30—King Street Juniors vs. Askin Juniors.
8:30 to 9:30—Adelaide Seniors vs. St. George Seniors.
9:30 to 10:30—New St. James Juniors vs. Wellington Juniors.

Mr. Billings likes Charles Mitchell, 2:04½, so much that he will use this fast gelding for his favorite saddle horse at the new Virginia farm.

Next day will race through the Canadian circuit and then get ready for the grand circuit. He thinks that three of his pacers will do in any company.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Druggists refund money if PAXO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

MARRIAGES.

LITTLE-MERRITT—At the residence of the bride's parents, 575 Queen's avenue, London, Ont., on Monday, Jan. 5, 1914, by the Rev. Robert W. Norwood, rector of the Crown Memorial Church, Harold Robert Little, C. E., Calgary, Alberta, to Mary Mandeville, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Merritt.

MASON-HILL—At the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. James Hill, 555 Pleadon street, on Jan. 5, 1914, by Rev. R. W. Norwood, rector of Memorial Church, George William Mason to Eddy Maud Hill, both of this city.

DEATHS.

ARCHER—Suddenly in Vancouver, B. C., on Jan. 1, 1914, Edward Walter Archer, formerly of this city, aged 27 years.

Funeral notice later.

BURN—In this city, on Jan. 6, 1914, Mary, daughter of John and the late Sarah Burn.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. P. Collins, 35 Blackfriars street, on Wednesday, Jan. 7, at 8:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral. Requiem high mass at 9 o'clock. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

PATRIDGE—At Victoria Hospital, on Jan. 5, 1914, Alfred C. de la Plante, beloved husband of Kathleen Partridge, and youngest son of George and Angeline Partridge, age 38 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 292 Simcoe street, on Thursday, Jan. 8, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

THIRLWALL—Died in Lobo Township, on Jan. 4, 1914, Arthur Thirlwall, a native of Cumberland, England, in his 94th year.

Funeral Wednesday at 2 p.m. Service at house. Interment St. George's Cemetery.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

WOMAN'S MUSIC CLUB

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Wednesday, January 7,
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Tickets must be presented at the door.

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Church Hockey League tonight, 8 p.m. Opening of City Hockey League Wednesday night. Game commences at 8 o'clock. Admission 10c. Rink phone 4461.

SKATING AT NORTH END RINK, AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

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opening of Manufacturers' League. McCleary vs. Gastes, Lawson & Jones vs. Greene-Swifts. Admission 15c.

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The ARMORIES, 23rd January, 1914. Under the auspices of the
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O. O. F. EUREKA LODGE, NO. 30, meets tonight in Oddfellows Hall, Large attendance requested. Visiting brethren welcome. S. Crawford, N. G.

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LOST—COLLIE PUP, ABOUT SIX months old. Reward offered for its return to 302 Tecumseh avenue east. b

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KEEN INTEREST WAS SHOWN IN ELECTIONS

Large Majorities Polled In Many Places.

TEMPERANCE MAKES GAIN

Aylmer Defeats Local Option, Recount Likely.

Election returns show that it is many years since the ratepayers of Western Ontario took such a keen interest in the voting as they did on Monday. There were very few large majorities, and in not a few cases the electors showed their very lively interest in civic affairs by turning down men who had long and honorable records in their councils, and sending entirely new men to represent them.

Big Temperance Gains. A feature of the voting was the steady gains the temperance people made. Only the handicap of the three-fifths clause kept them from making practically a clean sweep. As it is seventeen years will close. The temperance people made a really remarkable showing in the repeal contests. In all fourteen of the hot fights they won and defeated the desperate efforts of the liquor interests to secure the return of the bars.

In Aylmer, where local option was defeated, it was announced by the temperance people that a recount will be demanded at once.

In a Generous Mood. Taking it all round the ratepayers were in a generous mood when it came to dealing with money bylaws. Guelph decided to expend \$17,000 on street railway extensions. Wingham favored the Walker Clegg furniture bylaw, hydro-electric bylaws carried generally, and Tilbury decided to extend its waterworks system. Paisley defeated a bylaw to build waterworks, and Chatham turned down the Canadian Concrete factory proposition.

At Durham a bylaw for a new high school was carried.

Some Surprises. There were many interesting features to the results. Stratford turned down Mayor Greenwood and elected J. Stevenson. Reeve Munnings, of Goderich, was also defeated, his place being taken by R. Elliott. In a three-cornered fight at Petrolia, R. Strutt was elected mayor by a majority of only 7. Reeve Burgess had a majority of 5.

Berlin people defeated a bylaw to add their hospital, while Waterloo electors carried 146. At Goderich, Wm. Proudfoot, jun., a son of Wm. Proudfoot, M. P., headed the polls as councillor. Rev. Arthur Carlisle, a former Londoner, was elected school trustee at Windsor.

Western Ontario results were:

PARKHILL—Reeve—Fred B. Loughton 201, Neil McPhee 122; majority 79. Water commission bylaw carried by a majority of 146.

EUPHEMIA—Reeve—George A. Annett, Councillors—St. Annett, J. H. Burgess, D. A. Badgely, Peter Turner. **MCGILLIVRAY**—Reeve—Joseph Poore 335, W. T. Uens 302; majority 33. Deputy Reeve—Robson Tweedie 334, Elmer Hardy 244; majority 70. Councillors—John Robinson 244, Joseph Glavin 342, Albert Rosser 264.

WEST WILLIAMS—Reeve—Fred Barrett 213, John T. Smith 151; majority 98.

STEPHEN—Reeve—W. R. Elliott 389, W. D. Sanders 367, W. Anderson 39. Deputy Reeve—W. Yearley 428, John Love 392. Councillors—Michael Finkbeiner 434, Geo. Kellerman 388, Thomas Mawhinney 418, Alex. Neeb 406, Fred Worth 363.

DELAWARE—Mr. Duncan Gordon was elected Reeve of Delaware Township Monday, defeating John McEwen. Councillors elected are—Alton Beckman, J. H. Johnston, David Dore and John Monteith. George M. Healey was the only candidate for councillor defeated.

MOSA—D. D. Graham, Reeve, accl. Councillors—Elias Bayercraft, Ed. Hurdle, Fred James, Chas. Lorison. **CARADOC**—Reeve—John Stuart. Deputy Reeve—L. W. Beach. Councillors—E. D. Graham, Jas. Clark, Thomas Bairns.

BROOK—Reeve—W. M. Annett, by acclamation. Deputy Reeve—Wm. Bourne. Councillors—D. M.

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Campbell, Hugh Kennedy, McCabe. **HAY**—Reeve—Kaschisch, Councillors—Neeb, Beltz, Walper, Datern. **TILBURY WEST**—Reeve—R. Jackson, by acclamation. Councillors—Thos. Breen, Wm. Keck, Isaac William and H. W. Wright. Police Village Comber—A. F. Allen, W. A. Keith, Henry Smith.

WEST ZORRA—Reeve—John Bean 324, Robert Blair 319. Councillors—John Lindsay 358, Wes. Kent 379, John Murray 389, William McKay Bains 318.

LOBO—All the councillors of Lobo Township were re-elected by acclamation.

HULLETT—Reeve—John Flindland. Councillors—M. Armstrong, Thos. Neilands, Wm. Millar, James Walls. **MORRIS**—Reeve—J. Shortreed. Councillors—D. Johnston, W. Fraser, W. Laidlaw, W. Elston.

HIDDULPH—Reeve—R. C. Rev. Cragg, Councillors—S. H. Horton, E. H. Higgins, James Ryder, Eli Thompson. **SOUTHOLD**—Reeve—Stafford. Councillors—Gilbert, Coleman, McCormick.

YARMOUTH—Reeve—Smith. Councillors—Summers, W. H. Mills, Todd. **GLENELG**—Reeve—Thomas Nichol. Councillors—Geo. Peart, Jos. Young, John McMillan, Robert Lindsay.

BENTINCK—Reeve—Geo. Brown 149. Deputy Reeve—Wm. Lunney. Councillors—James Turnbull, Fred Shewell, Frank Smith.

DRHAM—Reeve—Robert J. Shiels (acclamation). Deputy Reeve—M. Holm. Councillors—W. H. Ryan, John Whitehead, John Piffner.

DUNWICH—John Dromgole was elected Reeve of Dunwich Township on Monday by a majority of 155 over his opponent, Alexander (Sandy) McKillop. Alexander Kerr walked away with the deputy reeveship with a balance on the right side of 103, his competitor for the favor of the electors being Leslie Kendall.

John C. Campbell headed the polls in the township council race with a tally of 436. W. R. Pollard was second with 401, and Alex. McMillen with 333 was last. Fourteen of the 213 who voted were the only unsuccessful candidate.

A bylaw providing for all road work to be done by the township and paid out of the taxes especially imposed for the purpose was voted down 30 to 1.

WEST NISSOURI—Richard Fitzgerald was elected over Joseph Vining in the contest for the reeveship, William Wiseman, John Parry, Frank Wilson and James Smith were elected councillors, Chas. Mollard being the only one left behind.

MORNINGTON—Reeve—Bega. Councillors—Shearer, Hanley, Coulton, Jacobs. **FULLARTON**—Oliver Harris was elected Reeve by twelve majority.

METCALF—Reeve Richard Pettit, by a majority of 51 over R. Toohill. Councillors—Henry, Smith, Merrick and McCallum.

ADELAIDE—Reeve Bolton was elected over W. Callaghan by 15 majority, the returns being Bolton 252, Callaghan 247. Three councillors—Currie 330, Chambers 265, Conkey 258. Those defeated were Padden 223, Sullivan 198, Lewis 190.

Harwich elected for Reeve H. Huffman, who defeated James Clark by 154 majority. For deputy Reeve Harvey Jenner defeated Wilbur B. Deane, by a majority of 145. Councillors elected: Donald McColl, Robert Tedford and James McCormick.

BELMONT—Police village trustees—Four candidates in the field—W. R. Barons 62, J. W. Chivers 51, M. Brogner 39, John McPherson 37. First three elected.

GLENCOE—Reeve—McLaughlin. Councillors—Geo. Parrott, A. J. Wright and Geo. Sutton. **NEWBURY**—Reeve—Fennell Rush. Councillors—M. A. Smith, W. Bayne, D. McEneaney, Edward Wood.

MORGAN FOR WARDEN. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ailsa Craig, Jan. 5.—John Morgan, returned Reeve by acclamation, will be a candidate for warden of the county when the next council meets in London on Jan. 26. Councillors were chosen today as follows: D. S. McDonald, John Alexander, Geo. Meadows and David Robinson.

EXETER—Reeve—John Taylor. Councillors—John Hinds, M. D. Doyle, Thos. Harton and B. W. F. Beavers. Trustees—F. W. Gladman, A. E. Futte and I. Armstrong by acclamation.

WEST LORNE—Reeve—W. A. Becker. Councillors—J. B. Ferguson, H. C. McKillop, J. A. Fuller, J. Hunchbarger, by acclamation.

WYOMING—J. M. Wilson was elected Reeve by a majority of 5 over Wm. Culbert. Councillors—Dr. Kidd, Geo. Borrowman, Frank E. Rice and A. McKay.

HENSALE—Reeve—Thomas Hudson. Councillors—W. Paff, Geo. Hudson, Al. Smith, David Nicol.

SPRINGFIELD—Reeve—E. A. Bryce, acclamation. Councillors—Barons and C. Rockie, tied; C. W. Charlton, S. Adams and J. Smith, tied. Local Option—For 49, against 77. Defeated by 28.

DELHI—Reeve—Richard Dalton. Councillors—R. Quance, S. Strout, A. J. Wilson, J. Macpherson, Local Option—For 110, against 108.

LUCAN—Reeve—C. W. Hawkshaw. Councillors—Thos. H. Coursey, W. L. Gillson, R. Langford, E. A. Abbott.

ST. MARYS—Mayor—W. R. Butcher. The councillors at large, two elected—P. T. Coupland 502, W. Dale 407, W. Mathieson 479, Councillors—North Ward—W. E. Bartlett, majority 24; South Ward—W. H. Haines; East—A. Sheldon, majority 48; West—H. C. White, Water, Light and Heat Commissioners—E. E. Richardson, jun., majority of 70. Trustees—West Ward—G. W. Gregory; North—W. H. May; South—Dr. W. F. Brown; East—John Reidy.

LISTOWEL—Mayor Clime was elected over J. A. Hacking, by a majority of thirteen. The temperance people won a victory over the local option, Councillors—R. A. Clime, Dr. Jas. Moore, Harvey Ellis, J. A. Watson, Geo. Melrose and John McKeever. Water Commissioners—C. Pretner, J. H. Gunther.

TILLSONBURG—Mayor—W. B. Hogarth, acclamation. Councillors—By Acclamation—John Meers, H. G. Coomber, N. O. Sullivan, R. E. W. S. G. Vance, George H. Houler. Hydro Electric Commissioners—E. C. Jackson and J. C. Ross. Local option bylaw was defeated by ten majority.

WATERLOO—The seat most hotly contested today was that for first deputy Reeve. Dr. Weidenhammer was counted upon as a sure winner, but was unsuccessful against W. H. Hutt. Mayor—J. R. Kaufman by acclamation. Reeve—Geo. Wegman. First deputy Reeve—W. H. Kutt. Out of eight, the

following councilmen were elected: L. Holle, A. Moyer, H. Stroh, M. S. Hallman, F. Halstead, C. Woeller. The only bylaw voted on was one to grant fifteen hundred to the Berlin and Waterloo Hospital. It was carried by a majority of 16.

FOREST—Mayor—H. J. Pettypiece, 254 over Mayor Reeve, Dr. Chalk 210, John Bell 196, Councillors—R. G. Bailey 263, Hector Patterson 260, Geo. Beaty 234, Geo. McIntosh 231, Ed. Rummey 187, James Lochhead 171, Alex. Jamieson 143, Robert Hare 138, Wilfrid Byrnes 140, Wm. Frayn 88. School Trustees—Ward 1, M. Cripp; ward 2, Kincaid; ward 3, Wm. Hamilton.

KINCARDINE—Mayor—Wm. Mitchell (acclamation). Reeve—Wm. Hunsdale (acclamation). Councillors elected—James Malcolm 304, William Morrison 292, Frank Colwell 244, James Farrell 232, Ed. Rinker 179, James Amrita 171, Walter and electric light commissioners elected: Peter Shiels, Wm. Arnold, by acclamation.

AYLMER—Mayor—F. L. Wagner defeated George Harp. Reeve—Oscar McKinney by acclamation. Councillors—John Cline, Fred E. King, W. Mann, J. H. Schuchan, Henry Little and A. Trim. Local option was defeated by one and two-fifths. The vote being 364 for, 245 against. Both sides worked hard and a large vote was polled, but the three-fifths proved a handicap. All the local option candidates were elected.

ELMIRA—Reeve—Hilborn, Councillors—Auman, Groff, Wetzel and Wismer. The water commission bylaw carried by 156 majority.

BLEHEIM—Mayor—J. B. Little Reeve—J. H. Ferguson. Owing to only three of those nominated for the office of alderman putting in their qualifications, the following are elected by acclamation: J. H. Holmes, Peter Labadie, E. A. Hill. Nominations for three more aldermen will be held later. The vote to grant another pool license was defeated by 107 votes.

BUCHANAN IS MAYOR. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, Jan. 5.—Strong indorsement of the candidature of M. T. Buchanan for mayor was given by the electors today. Mr. Buchanan was given a majority of 230, his total vote being 700, while S. M. Fleet received 470.

While more than usual interest was manifested in the election, electors were chiefly interested in the mayoralty. Although it was claimed during the afternoon that Mr. Buchanan would have a majority of over 100, there were many who anticipated a close contest, and the result was a surprise.

In selecting the councillors the electorate voiced disapproval of the council of 1913, as only one of four members who sought re-election was successful. This was Jas. Henderson, who was fifth in the standing.

The six elected of the thirteen candidates are: A. J. Coulter, P. McDougall, H. F. Boyse, G. M. McKay, Jas. Henderson, P. J. Craig. **SIMCOE**—Mayor—Geo. Williamson, acclamation. Reeve—G. J. McKee. Deputy Reeve—John West. Councillors—D. D. Guntton, E. J. H. Green, J. B. Jackson, A. E. Neidrauer, C. E. Innes, D. G. McNight.

AGAINST HYDRO. [Special to The Advertiser.] Windsor, Jan. 5.—By a vote of 163 to 144, Sandwich electors today decided against having their town supplied with electric light and power from the Ontario hydro-electric commission. By a vote of 179 to 132, they also ruled against the expenditure of \$3,430 for the construction of a distribution system for hydro power.

Mayor E. H. Donnelly was re-elected, 255 to 216 for his opponent, Richard A. McKee. J. A. McKee was elected Reeve.

DR. IRWIN IS MAYOR. [Special to The Advertiser.] Wingham, Jan. 5.—Dr. A. J. Irwin was elected mayor here today by a majority of 17 over W. Mills. He polled a vote of 270.

Reeve McKinnon was returned by a majority of 27. The aldermen are: H. B. Elliott 342, J. Isbister 303, W. J. Currie 280, Ed. Young 277, W. J. Patterson 271, D. Bell 257.

School Board—J. A. McLean 439, Dr. Redmond 318, H. Allan 239, E. Buchanan 234, A. J. Morton 233, E. Isard 196, D. Howson 196, A. Kipling 220, W. S. Vanstone 273, E. Robinson 188.

The Walker Clegg factory bylaw carried, the vote being 271 for and 266 against.

SURPRISES AT GODERICH. [Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, Jan. 5.—The municipal elections in Goderich produced some surprises. B. C. Munnings, who has been some years Reeve, was defeated by Robert Elliott. Mayor Reid and Deputy Reeve Clark were elected by acclamation.

Wm. Proudfoot, jun., son of Wm. Proudfoot, M. P., headed the poll for councillor. The old councillors were down to defeat, the new councillors for 1914 will be Wm. Proudfoot, jun., E. R. Wigle, J. C. Laitwaite, Frank Elliott, Henry O'Morris, J. H. McClinion.

LIPPETT IS MAYOR. [Special to The Advertiser.] Walkerton, Jan. 5.—The municipal elections today, F. W. Lippett was elected over C. Lettner by a majority of 129. The following were elected for the council—A. McNab (reeve), F. Robinson, V. Fisher, A. Johnson, J. Douglas, H. Pletsch and Geo. Faust (councillors).

The Rife bylaw was carried by a majority of twelve over the 60 per cent. In Brant Township G. McCallum was elected over Monk by a majority of 2. In Carleton Place Seigner was elected over Paisinger for Reeve.

In Greenock, Dennis Phalen was elected over Clark and two others for the reeveship.

JOHNSON IS MAYOR. [Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Jan. 5.—M. B. Johnson, Liberal, was elected Mayor of St. Thomas today by a majority of 70 over ex-Ald. Edgar Sanders. The contest was an unusually keen one, as both candidates had served for many years in the council.

The new aldermen elected are: Hamilton, Hookaway, Horton, Morris and Thompson.

RESULTS AT WOODSTOCK. [Special to The Advertiser.] Woodstock, Jan. 5.—Mayor—Hobson. Aldermen—Paul, Montgomery, King, Douglass, Thompson, Mitchell, Roddick, Siple, West.

MAYOR WAS DEFEATED. [Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Jan. 5.—The citizens of Stratford today elected Mr. J. Stevenson mayor for 1914 by 343 majority, and in doing so smashed the hold-office-for-two-years' tradition.

Mr. Stevenson's vote was 1,365, Mr. Greenwood's 1,022. The election was quiet, although the interest was keen. Addressing the citizens after the announcement of his success, the mayor-elect chose as his slogan, "Stratford the Banner City of Western Ontario."

In a keenly-contested race for school trustee of Avon Ward, F. G. McFarish defeated D. M. Ferguson by 27 majority.

The poll for aldermen was: Elect—Dr. Rankin 1,471; E. K. Barnsdale, 1,463; J. H. Roberts, 1,268; T. E. Henry, 1,251; D. A. McLachlan, 1,120; S. Ireland, 1,038; D. M. Wright, 947; J. A. Gray, 943; S. Loghrin, 938; H. W. Davis, 937; David Wilton, 901; C. A. Down, 881. Defeated—J. W. Alles, 832; Henry Paul, 818; Thomas Higgins, 800; John Keyes, 733; W. I. Becker, 723; F. J. Corrie, 719; B. Whaley, 460.

BYLAW DEFEATED. [Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Jan. 5.—Ex-Ald. John McCord defeated ex-Mayor Henry Smyth today for the mayoralty of this city by 367. McCord polled 1,172 and Smyth 805. Ald. Ed. Wanless headed the polls for alderman again this year, making a vote of 1,273.

The council for this year, in the order of their standing at the polls is: Wanless, Houston, McLachlan, Foreman, Cowan, Brisco, Draper, Fitzsimmons and Holmes.

Of these men have been re-elected. For Utilities—R. L. Brackin polled 1,294 and T. A. Smith 870. These two, with the mayor, form the commission which will have control of the hydro-electric, which will come here early this year.

The proposal to give a site to the Canadian Concrete Products Company required a two-thirds' vote of the total vote cast, and lost by about 70.

LIBERALS TO MEET IN WEST LAMBTON

County Officers Will Be Elected Saturday—Hon. G. P. Graham to Speak.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Jan. 6.—The Liberals of West Lambton will hold a gigantic meeting in the auditorium of the town hall here on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of electing the county officers for the coming year.

Those who attend this meeting, and a good crowd is expected, will be treated to one of the fine addresses of Hon. George P. Graham, ex-minister of railways. The topic that he will speak upon on this occasion has not been announced. F. P. Pardee, Liberal member for this riding in the Dominion Parliament, will also speak, along with several other prominent local men.

Hon. Mr. Graham will arrive in the city at 1 o'clock on Saturday from Toronto.

A meeting of the Sarnia Liberal Association will be held on the night of the 16th in the K. of P. Hall, Front street, at which a number of prominent local Liberals will speak. After the speeches the annual meeting of the officers for the present year will be held.

IN PETROLIA FIFTY YEARS

Fred Laurie an Old Resident, Passes Away.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Petrolia, Jan. 5.—Another old and respected citizen passed away at his home here last night in the person of Mr. Fred Laurie. Mr. Laurie has been in Petrolia for nearly 50 years, and was very well liked. For the past few years he has been market gardening, in which he was fairly successful.

TO PURIFY NATURAL GAS

Plant Is Being Constructed at Brantford.

Brantford, Jan. 5.—Work has already been started on the installation of the plant for the purification of the gas now in use by Brantford. It is expected by the gas company that it will have the gas purified within the time limit that it promised when the case against them was brought up in the police court.

A gang of men is at work uncovering the pipes at the old plant, laying them bare for the purpose of connecting them up with the old purifying plant, which is enlarged to accommodate them with the supply now in use.

In the boxes constructing the purifying plant will be placed pine shavings with steel borings, which have been allowed to oxidize in the open air and been afterwards treated with copper placed on top of these. The gas pours over the boxes, which are really formed of shallow trays one over the other, and in passing over the sulphur gathers on the steel borings and is retained while the gas flows to an outlet connected with the governor.

The fillings have to be revived occasionally, and less frequently have to be replaced.

FAILED TO APPEAR. Sarnia, Jan. 6.—John Colnat, a Port Huron man, who worked for John Flisinger, plumber, was arrested on Saturday for stealing electric light fixtures from the shop. He was bailed out to appear today, but failed to show up. The trial will go on when the fellow is apprehended.

OTTAWA PLANT CLOSED. Ottawa, Jan. 6.—The International Marine Signal Company has closed down its plant here, and report says it is unlikely to reopen. It is stated on good authority that the plant was bought by Mackenzie & Mann. It employed from 150 to 300 hands.

Dr. A. J. Irwin Who Was Elected Mayor of Wingham

Mayors Elected Throughout Ont.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Jan. 5.—The following mayors were elected today for Ontario cities and towns: Belleville, J. F. Wills; Brantford, J. H. Spence; Cornwall, D. J. Gillespie; Renfrew, W. A. Moore; Carleton Place, David Smythe; Mattawa, G. L. Lamotte; Arnprior, John Brennan; Smith's Falls, J. J. Marsh; Watford, J. J. Tyson; Galt, A. E. Buchanan; Thorold, Joseph Baitie; Welland, John H. Goodwin; Aurora, W. J. Baldwin; Whitby, James E. Willis; Brampton, T. Mara; Peterborough, Robert Strutt; Listowel, William Cline; St. Marys, W. B. Butcher; Walkerville, Harry Howe; Goderich, C. A. Reid; Bowmanville, Dr. S. C. Hillier; Orangeville, J. L. Island; Brockville, John McQuaker; Clinton, F. T. Jackson; Sarnia, J. B. Dagan; Harrison, Anson Spotton; Alliston, J. H. Mitchell; Oakville, W. E. Featherstone; Nanawau, J. Alexander; Gravenhurst, Albert Hill; Cambridge, C. C. Nichols; St. Catharines, J. K. Pettie; Stratford, J. Stevenson; Gananoque, W. J. Gibson; Parry Sound, J. A. Johnston; Kincardine, William Mitchell; Aylmer, F. L. Wagner; Pleton, M. Adams; Miland, P. J. Craig; Woodstock, W. D. Hobson; Huntsville, H. E. Rice; Simcoe, G. Williamson; Orillia, W. C. Goffat; Wingham, Dr. A. J. Irwin; North Bay, George W. Lee; Owen Sound, John McQuaker; Watford, J. R. Kaufman; Kitchener, Abraham Shaw; Niagara Falls, O. E. Dore; Guelph, Sam Carter; Hanover, C. H. Witken; Cobourg, George Gumm; Chatham, John McQuaker; Paris, J. M. Patterson; Collingwood, C. C. Barr; Sandwich, E. H. Donnelly; Oshawa, B. S. Edmondson; St. Thomas, M. B. Johnson; Deseronto, E. W. Rathbone; Peterboro, W. C. Buller; Lindsay, Peck, Barrie, Alex. Cowan; Strathroy, H. Owen; Berlin, W. D. Euler.

READERS NEARLY READY FOR SEPARATE SCHOOLS

Work of Roman Catholic Text Book Commission Almost Completed.

[Canadian Press.] Port Elgin, Jan. 5.—A prominent man in Bruce Township died early this morning, when Donald McGillivray, of concession 12, passed away. The news was received with widespread regret. He was a very active man in the Presbyterian Sunday school, and at McGillivray's school-house. He was a staunch Liberal, and it is said he never missed a convention. He had many friends and was a well-read man, and his demise has caused general regret throughout the township, where he had been councillor and county commissioner.

CHATHAM PRISONERS DENY HIGHWAY ROBBERY

Alleged to Have Held Up a Dover Township Farmer.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Jan. 5.—David Grant and John Banks pleaded guilty this morning in police court to a charge of highway robbery. It is said by the police that the men, who were George King, a Dover Township farmer, on Saturday night about a mile outside the city limits, while he was returning home from the city. It is claimed the men saw the farmer take a wallet from his pocket when he went to pay a bill. Banks asked for a ride, and when they reached a dark place the second man appeared. They will be tried in a week's time.

DISAPPOINTED HE MURDERS FAMILY

Madrid Man Thought His Father Did Not Leave Him Enough

[Canadian Press.] Madrid, Jan. 6.—Mariano Patacios, the son of a wealthy landowner of Berbegal, in the province of Huesca, shot and killed his mother, brother and sister, and committed suicide. He had become enraged because by the will of his father, who died recently, the bulk of the family fortune of \$600,000 had been bequeathed to the younger son Francisco.

PATERSON OPERA HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE

[Canadian Press.] Paterson, N.J., Jan. 6.—Fire early today destroyed the Paterson opera house and threatened many near-by frame buildings, from which the police ordered more than 200 families before the firemen got the blaze under control. The loss was estimated at \$100,000. Five firemen were overcome by smoke while carrying hose in the opera house. All were rescued by their fellow firemen.

SOME INTERNATIONAL PLANS. Chicago, Jan. 6.—To plan an international census and a standard system of national bookkeeping the nations of the world are to meet in Brussels, Belgium, next October. This was announced by R. W. Babson, of the American Statistical Association.

LONDON TOWNSHIP RE-ELECTS COUNCIL

Every Member of Last Year's Board Goes Back Again.

HODGINS HAS 50 MAJORITY

1913 Reeve In Again, Defeating Ex-Deputy Reeve Brooks—Clark's Majority 530.

Reeve James H. Hodgins will have another year as presiding officer of the London Township Council, Monday he was re-elected by a majority of 50 over ex-First Deputy Reeve B. C. Brooks.

The return of Reeve Hodgins means that the 1914 township council

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Alligator Wrenches, 60c, at 45c.
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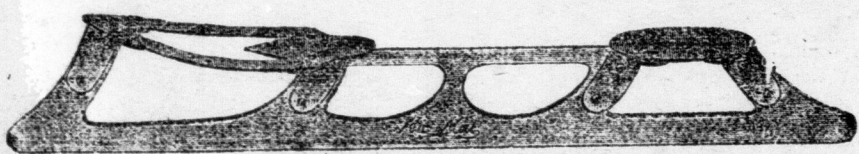
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TO EXPLOIT NEW NORTH

Automobile Party Starts for Peace River Country.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 5. — Leaving today in the attorney-general's car, Hon. C. W. Cross, F. A. Wilker, member for Victoria, and James K. Cornwall, ex-M. P. P., the spouse of the new north, started on a thousand-mile automobile tour of the Peace River country.

country, which they hope, with a continuation of the present balmy weather, to complete in a week, visiting the principal points en route, and getting in touch with local conditions in the new communities in the Peace River country.

C.P.R. RETALIATES. Montreal, Jan. 6.—The C.P.R. has decided to immediately end its steamship service between Trieste and Naples because of the alleged persecution of the company in Austria and automobile tour of the Peace River country.

WEST ONTARIO LOOKS TOWARD A GOOD YEAR

Wholesalers Enthusiastic Over the Prospect.

HARD TIMES GRY A JOKE

Depression Not Felt Here as Elsewhere.

The Western Ontario trade outlook is the most promising in many years. London wholesalers—and there are many of them—are enthusiastic over the prospect for the year just ushered in, and the most reliable indications point to a season of prosperity and success.

The Advertiser on Monday secured opinions from a number of leading wholesalers of the city, and without exception they voiced an outlook that makes the old hard-times war-cry of the pessimists and the alarmists a joke.

Few Pessimists Left. Western Ontario is seething, boiling over with optimism. A few years ago it seemed that all the boosters had gone West and left the pessimists in the city, but apparently the former have returned or the latter have been converted. Western Ontario has not been hard hit by the financial depression that has existed within the past few months. While other cities and other portions of the country have suffered from the depression, London and Western Ontario has seen but little cessation in the march of industrial progress. Comparatively few men have been put out of work, and the hard times press dispatches tell of elsewhere have passed lightly over the Garden of Canada.

According to the statements received, the twelvemonth which commenced on Thursday last will likely set a record that will astonish the industrial and business world, and will do more than has ever been done in the past to increase the importance of London and the magnificent agricultural district of which it is the centre on the commercial map.

Good Crops a Good Sign. "Trade prospects for 1914 in Western Ontario are particularly good," said R. C. Struthers, of R. C. Struthers & Co., drygoods. "The farmers have been successful with their crops," he continued, "and this is always a good indication from a trade standpoint. Our spring orders are large and we are shipping considerable goods."

Better Than Last Year. Mr. B. Wanless, of the firm of Coates, Burns & Wanless, boots and shoes, told The Advertiser that the year was opening up well. "Our spring orders booked for the year are in excess of last year's business," he said. "We have started shipping our spring lines, and trade is moving at a lively rate. Prospects are brighter at present than for some time. I am looking for a year of heavy selling."

Business Picking Up. Robert Greene, president of Greene-Swift, Limited, men's clothing, expressed himself as follows regarding the trade outlook for 1914: "Indications for business in the ensuing year are good. Especially with the smaller projects the outlook is promising. Throughout the country business is picking up, and without doubt the coming season will be a good one for the wholesalers."

Large Amount of Business. T. B. Escott, president of T. B. Escott & Co., Limited, grocers, indicated a very satisfactory year. "The splendid crops throughout Canada last year cannot mean anything but a good business," said Mr. Escott. "Prices in many lines, including canned goods, rice, sugar, and others, are low this year and everything

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TORTURED WITH RHEUMATISM

Could Not Walk, Until "Fruit-a-tives" Completely Cured Him

Chatham, Ont., April 3rd, 1913.

"I am a veteran of the Crimean War and the Boer War. I volunteered from the Royal Artillery into the Royal Engineers, and served under Lord Roberts during the Indian Mutiny, and am a pensioner of the British Government. I have had to do a great deal of hard and continual exposure, and I have suffered from Rheumatism, so much so that my legs swelled up, making it impossible for me to walk. My bowels were so constipated that I had only one passage a week until I got to using 'Fruit-a-tives.' They cured me of both the Rheumatism and Constipation. In my regular employment, I walk thirty miles a day, and enjoy perfect health. I more Rheumatism or Constipation. You are at perfect liberty to publish this letter if it will be advantageous to 'Fruit-a-tives.'"

Don't suffer with Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago or Neuralgia all this winter. Take 'Fruit-a-tives' now and be free of pain. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size, 25c. At all dealers, or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

makes for a large amount of business." Best in History. T. A. McMahon, of McMahon, Granger & Co., drygoods, said: "Our travellers have been out for the past four months taking spring orders, and reports from various customers throughout the province indicate that they are well pleased with the holiday business. We are looking forward to the best year in our history."

Much Larger Business. H. E. Buttery, president of the Havana Cigar Company, Limited, and vice-president of the Travelers' Club, told The Advertiser that he was looking forward to a much larger business in 1914 than in the summer of last year.

Depression Has Passed. C. A. Whitman, vice-president and secretary of the Hobbs Hardware Company, had a very optimistic outlook for the year 1914. "I think that the business in Western Ontario was excellent," he said, "and very largely passed. I noticed that where values have sagged, excepting in the steel market, there has been a recovery, and I believe there is a good prospect for the coming season. Our business is nearly twenty-five per cent ahead of that of last year, and December, the month we feared most, went over that. We have no complaints as to the advance and everything is very bright."

Trading on Advance. D. H. Blanchford, of the Murray Shoe Company, Limited, declared that business in Western Ontario was excellent. "The western trade is not as brisk as it might be," he said, "but here in Western Ontario the demand in all lines is heavy, and trading is on the advance. We are shipping large shipments of shoes weekly, and spring orders give an optimistic appearance to the outlook for 1914."

Little Effect From Depression. Samuel S. Weston, president of Edward Adams & Co., Limited, believed that the so-called financial depression had not affected Western Ontario to any appreciable extent. "The outlook is excellent," he said, "and we are shipping considerable goods."

People must eat," queried The Advertiser. "As a rule they do," Mr. Screamor replied.

NO MORE POTATOES FOR UNITED STATES

Canadian Growers Decide Not To Ship Any.

[Canadian Press.]

Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 5.—Potato dealers were in session here this afternoon. Secretary Daggett and R. P. Gorham, of the provincial agricultural department, and Mr. Gussow, of Ottawa, were present. The question of powdery scab was thoroughly discussed. Some dealers claimed that the so-called scab was harmless. It was the consensus of opinion that the United States embargo would not be removed, and the balance of the crop of potatoes of this year would not be likely to find a market.

Mr. Gussow insisted that these resolutions be passed: "That we do not ship any potatoes to the United States this year. That we ask the Government to put an embargo on potatoes coming to Canada. The first two passed."

Mr. Gussow stated that American potatoes had much more disease than Canadian, and he was convinced that the present step was only a Yankee bluff to keep the Canadian potatoes out.

Mr. Gussow advised shipping west to Saskatchewan and Alberta, but was told that the freight was more than the potatoes would bring, the present price offered being \$1.85 and the freight \$2.10.

Advertiser Baby in Ridgetown is to Get a Spoon

Mildred Beatrice Clingersmith Born on New Year's Day.

Miss Mildred Beatrice Clingersmith is the fortunate young lady who arrived on the same day as London's new morning paper. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Clingersmith, and was born at 7:15 on New Year's morning.

Miss Mildred will receive a handsome silver spoon, suitably engraved, with The Advertiser's best wishes that she as well as the other Advertiser babies may live to hand the birthday souvenir to great-grandchildren.

GOVERNMENT ELEVATOR PAYS. Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—A surplus of revenue over expenditures amounting to \$229.84 is shown by the Manitoba Government elevator for the year ending November 30, 1913, according to a statement made by Hon. Dr. Montague to the Manitoba Legislature.

CAVE-INS ARE CAUSING ALARM IN TURNBERRY TOWNSHIP

Residents Believe They Are Caused by an Underground River—Quicksands Boil and Bubble at Bottom of Deep Hole.

[Special To The Advertiser.]

Wingham, Jan. 5.—What promises to be one of the most sensational geographical discoveries ever known in this section of Canada has come to light through the sudden sinking of a large section of roadway in Turnberry Township, between Wingham and Teeswater, not far from the village of Belgrave.

It is the opinion of people who have resided in this district all their lives that the presence of an underground river is responsible for the mysterious occurrence, by which a section of the road one hundred feet long and many yards wide sank fifty feet. This theory is greatly strengthened by the fact that at a spot quite close to the village of Belgrave an exactly similar sinkage has taken place, and where once was a level field, there is now a gaping hole in the earth's surface thirty-five feet in depth, at the bottom of which quicksands boil and swirl and bubble, as though agitated by some unseen current underneath.

The two cave-ins, although several miles apart, are in a line with each other in a northwesterly direction, and it is confidently believed that these two great holes mark the course of a subterranean river, which for years has been flowing one hundred feet or more below the surface, and quietly carrying on the work of destruction, which culminated in the two remarkable occurrences of the past week.

Geologists have long suspected the existence of such a river somewhere under the Bruce Peninsula, and it now looks as though another of Nature's secrets is about to be wrested from her and the existence of a subterranean river connecting Lakes Huron and Ontario firmly established.

The peculiar characteristics of the surrounding country lend strong possibility to this idea, and men of science who have visited the district in time past have ventured the theory that such a river existed, but up to this time no positive proof has been found.

On more than one occasion, however, fish have been found in Lake Ontario, and it is known to be peculiar to Lake Huron. They were of the smaller varieties, and could not possibly have made the long journey through the St. Clair River and Detroit River into Lake Erie. The only other explanation is that they must have found some short cut through a channel unknown to man. Similar instances have been frequent in natural history.

At any rate the underground river theory is pretty firmly established in the minds of residents of Wingham and district, and considerable alarm is felt, especially among people in the neighborhood of Belgrave, near which place the big holes have opened up.

The supposed water-course, as indicated by the two openings, runs in the direction of Wingham, and some apprehension is felt there also on account of the ground being of a boggy nature. It is feared that if the geological disturbance goes further the topography of the whole district may be changed, with possible disastrous results to those living in the regions affected.

MERELY A CRUST OF EARTH.

The whole situation has aroused the greatest excitement, and an explanation of the phenomena is being eagerly sought. Mr. Arthur Jackson, who for eighteen years has been a resident of the district, told The Advertiser's correspondent of many strange happenings which had taken place there, due to the peculiar character of the ground, which in many places is covered on top with a crust of turf, but so unsubstantial underneath that a man walking on it could shake the ground for yards around.

Asked as to his theory of the sudden appearance of the great chasm in the Turnberry Township road, Mr. Jackson had no hesitation in stating his belief that an underground current was responsible. I certainly think there must be an underground river there somewhere, he said, the Maitland River has been steadily decreasing in size for the last two or three years, and at times it dries. I think that its waters are finding their way into this underground passage, and that's what is doing the damage.

MANY STRANGE INCIDENTS.

Mr. Jackson had many strange incidents to relate of unexplained things that had happened in years past. Cattle had mysteriously disappeared, the only explanation being that they had tumbled into a bog hole and been sucked down. On one occasion a number of men and teams were engaged in filling a hole in the road not far from Teeswater, when one of the teams got into the hole, and both horses and wagon were swallowed up before the eyes of men who were powerless to help. The bottom of the hole proved to be quicksand.

MAN AND TEAM DISAPPEARED.

Years ago a farmer undertook to drive a team of oxen to a creek for water. He got into the quicksands and was swallowed up alive before rescuers could reach him. His remains were never recovered, nor was any trace of the oxen ever found.

Many similar instances are on record relating to that part of the country locally known as the prairies, and genuine alarm is now felt lest some strange happenings of nature may bring with it death and disaster. The two immense openings continue to grow in length, and it is expected that other openings in the earth's surface will make their appearance.

SIX MORE SAVED FROM CREW OF OKLAHOMA

Thus Seventeen Are Accounted For Out of Thirty-Eight.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Jan. 6.—Six of the missing 27 of the crew of the oil tank steamer Oklahoma, which broke in two off Sandy Hook early Sunday, were brought into port alive today. They were picked up in a lifeboat Sunday afternoon by the Booth line steamer Gregory, after having been adrift in the bitter cold for six hours.

HISPANO-AMERICANO BAND WILL RESUME

[Canadian Press.] Madrid, Jan. 6.—The Hispano-Americano band, which suspended Dec. 11, owing to a run, will resume payments Jan. 7. The bank of Spain has come to its assistance with a loan of \$8,000,000.

Good-Bye, Old Backache

Nerviline Will Fix You!

Stiffness Is Rubbed Right Out—Every Sign of Pain Disappears.

Go whizz—think of it! No more stomach dosing necessary to cure your lame back.

Every trace of lameness, every bit of stiffness, every sign of weakness in the back's muscles can be rubbed away for all time to come by good old "Nerviline."

No other liniment can do the work so quickly, can penetrate so deeply, can bring ease and comfort to the back-weary sufferer as Nerviline. Invariably does.

Backache isn't the only malady Nerviline is quick to cure. For lumbago or sciatica you would go far to find relief so speedy as Nerviline gives. For chronic rheumatism there are pain-destroying properties in Nerviline that give it first rank. The very best remedy for a stiff joint and takes soreness out of strained or rheumatic muscles is simply a wonder.

If you have an ache or a pain anywhere, if you have a sore back, a stiff neck, a stiff joint, a strained muscle, or if you have lumbago, congested chest or sore throat, just try Nerviline. Rub it on plentifully—it won't blister, it can't do anything but cure you quickly. The large 50c. family size bottle is the most economical, of course, but you can, from any dealer, also get the 25c. small size of Nerviline, the king of all pain-relieving remedies.

Free Treatment for Skin Sufferers!

Although Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a liberal sample of each with 32-page booklet on the care and treatment of skin and hair, will be sent, post-free, on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 32, Boston, U.S.A.

WOMAN SUFFERED TEN YEARS

From Female Ills—Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Belleville, N.S., Canada.—"I doctored for ten years for female troubles and did not get well. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. I write now to tell you that I am cured. You can publish my letter as a testimonial."

—Mrs. SUVERINE BABINE, Belleville, Nova Scotia, Canada.

Another Woman Recovers.

Auburn, N. Y.—"I suffered from nervousness for ten years, and had such organic pains that sometimes I would lie in bed four days at a time, could not eat or sleep and did not want anyone to talk to me or bother me at all. Sometimes I would suffer for seven hours at a time. Different doctors did the best they could for me until four months ago I began giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and now I am in good health."

—Mrs. WILLIAM H. GILL, No. 15 Pleasant Street, Auburn, New York.

The above are only two of the thousands of grateful letters which are constantly being received by the Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass., which show clearly what great things Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound does for those who suffer from woman's ills.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

815c. a bottle

Contracted A Severe Cold After An Operation.

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP

Effected A Complete Cure.

Mrs. Thos. A. Julian, Almonte, Ont., writes:—"Just a few lines to let you know how thankful I am for what Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup has done for me. A few years ago I was operated on for appendicitis, and was confined to the hospital for five weeks. When I returned home I contracted a severe cold which left me with a bad cough. A neighbor told my husband about Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup so I decided to try a bottle. When it was finished it had done me so much good I took another which completely cured me. I can very, very strongly recommend it."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup contains all the lung healing virtues of the famous Norway pine tree, which makes it the very best preparation for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, and all Throat and Lung troubles.

Price, 25 and 50 cents.

See you get "Dr. Wood's" as there are many imitations on the market. The genuine is manufactured only by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

NOT LEAVING G. T. R.

[Special To The Advertiser.] Montreal, Jan. 5.—President E. J. Chamberlain, of the G. T. R., this evening denied rumors that have been circulated widely to the effect that he is to resign shortly. He declared he had no intention of leaving the Grand Trunk Railway.

KILBANE SCORES KNOCKOUT.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—Johnny Kilbane, of Cleveland, featherweight champion, tonight knocked out Eddie Moy, of Allentown, in the fifth round of what was to have been a six-round boxing contest here. Moy was outclassed during the entire bout, but fought gamely until he went down and out with a blow on the chin from Kilbane's right, following a hard left to the jaw, which staggered him. Both boys weighed in at 126 pounds.

Here Is the Secret of Long Life

While looking forward to health and long life it is possible that you are unaware of the conditions necessary to attain healthful old age.

Careful eating, and consequent preservation of the health and vitality of the digestive and excretory organs, is of the greatest importance.

Overeating is the usual cause of torpid, sluggish action, and when the liver fails additional work is thrown on the kidneys and they, in turn, kidney disorders are the result of suffering in old age. Rheumatism, badly pain, aching arms and legs, backache and lumbago are the result.

By the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to regulate the liver, kidneys and bowels, as occasion requires, you not only overcome the suffering, inconvenience and unpleasantness of attacks of biliousness, indigestion and constipation, but you actually prolong life by keeping these organs in good, healthful condition. The medicine is a wonderful source of comfort for people in old age.

CHICKENS, DUCKS, FOWL. We have a choice assortment of Poultry fresh daily.

Jackson's Meat Markets

Stalls 10, 11, 12, Market House, Phone 2689, 87 Wellington Street. Phone 1057.

PEEL'S for Birthday Cards: Birth-day Favors: CANDLES, PRIZES for Parties: NOVELTIES, GAMES, PUZZLES, JOKE ARTICLES, GREASE, PAINTS, POWDERS, and CREAMS, and all kinds of MAKE-UP for Stage and Street. PEEL'S, RICHMOND STREET.

Sole Agents for GURNEY OXFORD RANGES

Small and Ingram

SALE OF SILK AND CLOTH DRESSES

FROM \$3.95 AND UPWARDS.

LONDON READY-TO-WEAR

256 DUNDAS ST.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR THE Gurney Oxford Stoves

A better stove has yet to be built. See the Economizer, which saves a ton of coal in every seven, the only stove made with this attachment. We are having a special display of these stoves this week. Come in and see them.

Dominion House Furnishing Co.

258 DUNDAS STREET.

BLACKSMITHS'

Smithing Coal

We have just put in stock the Standard Blossburg. The best smithing coal. Try it.

JOHN M. DALY

Koalman, Phone 348. 19 York St.

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Fine Portraits, Engravings, Sepias and Enlargements.

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL LABORED TELLS OF LOCAL MARKET

Trading continues quiet on the local market with small offerings in all lines and a small attendance. Apparently the farmers do not care to travel over the country roads, which are reported to have drifted deeply in many places, rendering traffic difficult.

Potatoes are selling for 90 to 95 cents per bag wholesale and \$1.00 retail. Other vegetables were not offered, and are as listed.

Prices of butter and eggs are firm with a small offering. Fancy retail butter is 30 to 32 cents. There was an average offering on the square. Eggs sold for 42 to 45 cents. The supply was small this morning, and it is likely that there will be a rise in price as a result. A great deal depends on the weather, as a cold spell would have a tendency to boost prices somewhat.

Live hogs have been slow this week, and the price is uncertain. The prevailing prices are \$8.25. Other live stock is as listed.

No change is reported in butchers' meats. The offering is an average one, while the demand is good. Prices will likely continue at the present figures for sometime.

Wheat, per cwt. \$1.45
Oats, per cwt. 1.03 to 1.08

Wheat, per bu. 86 to 88
Oats, per bu. 30 to 35

Potatoes, wholesale, bag 90 to 95
Potatoes, retail, bag 1.00 to 1.05

Turnips, per bu. 30 to 35
Carrots, per bu. 30 to 35

Onions, per bu. 40 to 50
Spinach, per bu. 40 to 50

Cabbage, per doz. 40 to 50
Cauliflower, per doz. 40 to 50

Lettuce, per doz. 40 to 50
Celery, per doz. 40 to 50

Pumpkins, each 5 to 10
Apples, per bu. 80 to 90

Hay, per ton 12.00 to 15.00
Straw, per load 5.00 to 5.50

Butter, retail, lb. 30 to 32
Butter, store, lb. 25 to 28

Butter, cream, lb. 25 to 28
Butter, crocks, lb. 25 to 28

Eggs, crate, wholesale 42 to 45
Eggs, basket 45 to 50

Honey, strained, 10 lbs. 2.50 to 3.00
Honey, sections, doz. 2.20 to 2.50

Hogs, per cwt. 8.25 to 8.50
Fat sows, per cwt. 7.00 to 7.50

Export cattle, cwt. 6.00 to 6.50
Milk cows, each 80.00 to 90.00

Small pigs, per pair 10.00 to 15.00
Old fowl, per lb. 8 to 10

Young chickens, lb. 10 to 12
Ducks, per lb. 10 to 12

Turkeys, per lb. 10 to 12
Geese, per lb. 10 to 12

Lamb, per lb. 12 to 14
Mutton, per lb. 12 to 14

Beef, young, cwt. 10.00 to 11.00
Mutton, per cwt. 9.00 to 10.00

Beef cows, cwt. 8.00 to 9.00
Cow hides, No. 1, 10 to 12

Cow hides, No. 2, 8 to 10
Cattle, per lb. 10 to 12

Sheep, per lb. 10 to 12
Poultry, dressed

Old fowl, per lb. 12 to 14
Spring chickens, lb. 14 to 16

Ducks, per lb. 10 to 12
Turkeys, per lb. 10 to 12

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lbs. 67s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs. 71s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs. 68s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs. 65s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs. 65s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 12 lbs. 61s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, 55s 9d; American refined, 55s 9d. Cheese, Canadian, Swiss, 47s; colored, 48s. Tallow, prime city, 38s 2d; Australian in London, 34s 10 1/2d. Turpentine, spirits, 23s 6d. Rosin, common, 16s 16d. Cottonseed oil, refined, spot, 25s 9d. Cottonseed oil, hull refined, spot, 25s 9d. CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

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May 67 67 67 67
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Pork — Open. High. Low. Close
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Lard — Open. High. Low. Close
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.
[Special to J. M. Young.]
American Express, Jan. 6, 1914.

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Ruins of the Canadian Handles Factory Destroyed in Big Fire at Strathroy

AWFUL DISASTER
IN FRASER RIVER

Says Seventy-five Men Lost
Their Lives in Crossing
Water in a Boat.

WAS NO INQUIRY MADE

This Survivors Was in Hospital
For Some Months At Edmon-
ton—Applies For Aid.

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—Suffering from injuries received in a wreck on the Fraser River, in which he claims 75 men lost their lives, Angelo Pugliese applied at the immigration offices yesterday for aid.

Some time ago Pugliese, securing work with the Grand Trunk Pacific, was sent with many others to the end of steel in British Columbia. For a time he was kept busy in the vicinity of Fort George, but early in November, with 100 other laborers, he was sent further west, the trip requiring the party to cross the Fraser River. In spite of the swift current the entire party was loaded into a large boat for the trip across. Navigation was difficult and the boat became unmanageable and crashed into a large rock in the centre of the stream. The frail craft was dashed to pieces, and her human cargo plunged into a torrent. The greatest confusion prevailed. The strength of the current made swimming impossible, and the struggling men were either dashed to death on the rocks or carried to their doom by the swift flowing flood. Of five score men that boarded the boat only 25 were taken from the water alive, and many of these were more or less seriously injured, and only five bodies were ever recovered, according to Pugliese.

Pugliese was among the injured, having his feet and neck badly injured. He was in the hospital at Edmonton for some time. Pugliese stated no inquiry of any kind had ever been made as to the cause of the accident.

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IN THE POLICE COURT

Bartender Dismissed.

The case against Clifford Bastala, bartender of the Bank Hotel, for allowing an Indian lister to loiter in his bar, was dismissed by Magistrate Judd in police court Tuesday morning.

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