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Tomorrow—Colder.

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WHOLE REGIMENT OF PRINCESS PATS COMES TO LONDON

CONSTANTINOPLE STRAITS WILL BE INTERNATIONALIZED

Plan To Be Adopted Was Submitted First by Lloyd George—Turkish Government Seat Will Be Transferred to Asia Minor.

Paris, Dec. 30.—Internationalization of Constantinople and the Straits of Dardanelles has been decided upon along the lines laid down by Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, in a recent speech, according to the Matin. It seems certain, the newspaper says, that the post of the Turkish Government will be transferred to Asia Minor, and be located either at Bursa or Koniah. Details of the form of international council which will be established over Constantinople have not as yet become known.

CITY GETS \$38,266 FROM POLICE COURT FOR FINES OF 1919

Record Year For Amount of Money Received.

Cases Have Increased

But Only Small Part of Rise Is in Serious Charges.

While there have been almost one thousand more cases tried in the city police court during this year than last, the increase in serious offences is only slight. There were 5,004 cases tried during the year. According to John Moulde, clerk of the court during the past 20 years, the city has had but few more indictable offences during 1919 than during the preceding year. Most of the cases before the magistrate A. H. M. Graydon during the year were charged with violations of the Ontario temperance act, or with breaches of city bylaws.

Never before in London's history has such a large sum been paid into the court in fines, as was paid during the past twelve months. Mr. Moulde has sent \$38,266.44 to the city treasurer, this sum being reaped from fines imposed. Mr. Moulde states that the increased revenue is due to the heavy fine of not less than \$200 imposed for violations of the O. T. A.

There has been a notable increase in the number of juvenile offenders during the past year. The veteran clerk, however, believes that the increase is due to the fact that the youth of the Forest City is getting worse. He claims that while 418 boys and girls came before the magistrate during the year, a vast majority of them were up for only minor offences, such as truancy and riding bicycles on the sidewalk.

According to Mr. Moulde there has been an increase in petty theft during the year. He believes that this is due only to the increase in population, and that the majority of the offenders are young boys who are "a bunch of thieves." Some juveniles have been up for stealing, but these are the exception, and the majority are much better than the young folk of other cities.

Desert, But Not Dry.

Despite the fact that Ontario has been a desert for more than three years, there has been no increase in the number of liquor cases. There were not as many cases of intoxication before the court during 1919 as in 1918, but Mr. Moulde believes there were many more serious offences under the O. T. A. He is certain that there were more than 200 fines imposed for these offences in 1918.

In 1918 slightly over 2,000 cases came before the local court, this makes the increase in cases over last year about 33 per cent. There has been an increase of about 10 per cent in criminal cases, and of about 10 per cent in juvenile cases, Mr. Moulde states.

He does not believe that the report which has been published in the press, casting an unfavorable reflection on the city, is a reflection on the city, and hopes that on the whole London boys and girls conduct themselves much better than the young folk of other cities.

WEDDINGS INCREASE, DEATHS DECREASE

Vital Statistics Show Excellent Conditions.

London is prospering. This is clearly indicated by the vital statistics for the year. Although there were 210 more marriages in this year, compared to 210 more deaths in 1918, the balance is in favor of the living.

During the past month there was a total of 173 births, 97 boys and 76 girls. In December, 1919, there were 53 births, 34 boys and 19 girls. There were 76 marriages this month, compared to 43 in the same month of 1918. Deaths this month totalled 110. Forty-seven male citizens and 63 female citizens passed away. In December, 1919, there were only 81 of these 39 were male and 42 female.

During the past year 1,241 babies were born in London, 656 being boys and 585 girls. Last year there were 1,212 births, 603 boys and 609 girls. There were 100 marriages in this year, compared to 245 last. Deaths this year totalled only 1,053, compared with 1,195 last year. Only 122 men died this year, compared to 655 last year. Only 324 women died compared to 540 last year.

ONE PAPER TOMORROW.

Thursday, January 1, being a holiday, only one edition of The Advertiser will be published. All subscribers will receive the morning edition.

What's Doing Tonight?

THEATRES.

Majestic—Tom Moore in "Hearts and Sins."

Patricia—"Blind Husbands," and "The Heart of the Hills," and vaudeville.

Grand—Murray Pickford, in "Heart of the Hills," and vaudeville.

SERIOUSLY ILL WITH PNEUMONIA IN LONDON, ENG., NURSING HOME

SIR ADAM BECK.

Hydro Minister Contracted Disease on Voyage Across.

LADY BECK WITH HIM

Visit To England Was Intended To Be a Christmas Surprise.

Sir Adam Beck is seriously ill with pneumonia at the Nursing Home in London, England, word to this effect having been received in the city this morning. Sir Adam is believed to have contracted his illness aboard ship.

He left London about three weeks ago to visit Lady Beck and his daughter, Miss Marion, both of whom are ill in England. Lady Beck was reported as in a critical condition at the English sanatorium three weeks ago.

Sir Adam left for England as soon as the hydro commissioner's office at Toronto. No details of his illness have been cabled here.

London, Dec. 31.—Sir Adam Beck is seriously ill at a nursing home here. He became ill during the voyage, pneumonia followed, and he is now approaching the crisis. Lady Beck, who is with her husband, said he came over on a surprise Christmas visit.

90,000 FORD WORKERS TO BENEFIT BY NEW SYSTEM OF BONUSES

Employees Will Be Permitted To Purchase Stock.

Detroit, Dec. 31.—Provision for the purchase of stock in the new bonus plan by its employees as well as a distribution of bonuses to the workers, according to the Detroit Free Press.

Approximately 90,000 Ford employees will participate in the new bonus plan, according to their length of service and present salaries, it is said. The bonus, it is understood, will range from \$100 to \$1,000, and will be paid to the men who have been in the company's employment more than three years.

The plan, which is being introduced by the Ford Motor Company, is a departure from the policy of the company, which has been to pay bonuses to the workers on the basis of their length of service.

Independent Socialists Advocate General Strike

Paris, Dec. 31.—Independent Socialists in Berlin are carrying on an agitation in favor of a general strike, as a protest against the new law on the cost of foodstuffs, according to the Frankfurt Gazette.

VANCOUVER CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS.

Vancover, B. C., Dec. 31.—Customs duties collected at the port of Vancouver during the year ending Wednesday are estimated at \$3,490,762. This is a decrease of \$110,000.

FEAR SCHOONER IS LOST.

Halifax, Dec. 31.—Pears are expressed for the safety of the schooner Lucille, which left Perth Amboy on November 30 for Halifax, with a cargo of coal.

Since leaving the United States port of origin, the schooner has been blown out to sea by a heavy gale, and is believed to be lost.

The Lucille is owned in Halifax, and registers 164 tons.

PRINCESS PATS COMING HERE

EFFORTS OF MAYOR, AID. E. S. LITTLE AND AID. F. E. HARLEY

Regiment Will Be Several Hundred Strong and Will Be Recruited to Full Strength in City—Major Hugh Niven Accompanies Men On Tuesday.

The Princess Patricia Regiment, several hundred strong, will arrive in London on Tuesday, January 6, to be stationed at Teumseh Barracks on Carling Heights as part of Canada's permanent military force. An advance guard of 50 men has arrived in the city.

This distinguished honor to London was secured almost entirely through the efforts of Aid. E. S. Little, Mayor Somerville and Aid. F. E. Harley. Although busy involved in the mayoral campaign, Aid. Little still found time to accomplish this coup for London.

The condition on which the regiment was ordered to London was that houses be secured for the officers. Aid. Little, Mayor Somerville and Aid. F. E. Harley, through their efforts, have secured the necessary houses for the officers.

Londoners who are willing to aid in the work of bringing this famous regiment to the city by renting suitable houses, are asked to get in touch with Aid. Little, Aid. Harley or the mayor.

Initiative Counted.

Prompt action was necessary. The business of the city council had been finished for the year when this opportunity for London appeared. It was only because these three men had the initiative to proceed on "their own" that the feat was accomplished.

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JELICOE URGES CREATION OF A CANADIAN NAVY

British Admiral's Report To Be Tabled in Parliament.

SIX CRUISERS ADVISED

Submarines and Seaplanes Are Included in Recommendation.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—Viscount Jellicoe has finished his work in Canada and his report is in the hands of Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of marine and naval affairs. The British admiral intended to leave today, but owing to the indisposition of Lady Jellicoe, he will not leave until tomorrow.

He will go to Washington and New York but his movements thereafter are not yet known. His flagship is at present at Jamaica. Admiral Jellicoe's reports probably will be made known in the future. It is stated that the admiral is pretty well known, however, that it is recommended the creation of a Canadian navy to work in co-operation with the imperial navy and consists of six first-class cruisers, submarines, and a number of seaplanes. The report, it is understood, further advocates training equipment, etc., similar to the imperial navy.

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ELECT
John Bridge
ALDERMAN
Ward 4
Apply rigid economy and business efficiency to civic affairs.



VOTE FOR
WILLIAM ARTHUR WILSON
(Last Name on the Ballot.)
RE-ELECTION AS
ALDERMAN
WARD 2, 1920.
The people's reliable friend in the city council.



VOTE
JOHN B. WRIGHT
(Manager Wright Litho Co.)
FOR
Board of Education



JARED VINING
IS A CANDIDATE FOR
Re-election TO
Public Utilities Commission

RE-ELECT
Frank E. HARLEY
For Alderman
No. 2 Ward



Mark Your Ballot for
DR. L. S. HOLMES
—FOR—
Public Utilities

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR
ROBERT FRASER
ALDERMAN, WARD 4, 1920
Strict economy for lower tax rate.

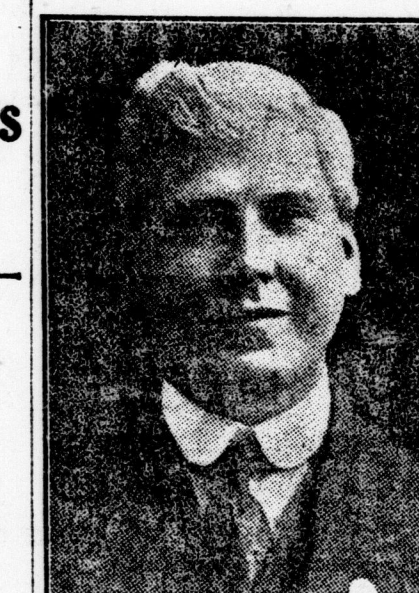
RE-ELECT
Ald. Chas. Moorhead
IN WARD 4
A Record of Diligent Service for the People.

Vote for
P. J. Watt
ALDERMAN
WARD 1

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR
F. S. ONN
MERCHANT
—AS—
Alderman
1920
For Ward 1

YOUR VOTE and influence respectfully solicited for
B. F. BRIGHTON
For Alderman
FOR NO. 1 WARD.
Jan. 1.

RE-ELECT
TRUSTEE
EDWIN SMITH
(City Salesman and Director T. B. Escott & Co., Limited)
BOARD OF EDUCATION,
1920



YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR THE ELECTION OF
F. E. ROBERTSON
ALDERMAN, WARD 4, 1920
Efficient Business Methods in Civic Administration will be my endeavor if elected.

D. H.
Flannigan
Alderman for Ward No. 4.

Good Schools
No Fads—
VOTE
W. CASSON
SOLDIER-LABOR.
T. COLERIDGE
BARRISTER.
E. SMITH
TRAVELLER.
R. SMITH
LABOR-SOLDIER.
MRS. TANNER
MOTHERS' CLUB.
J. B. WRIGHT
BUSINESSMAN.

STEAMSHIP SAILINGS.
Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Sailed: Steamer Wannfriedan (British), Boston.

PUBLIC UTILITIES
STAFF GUESTS OF
GENERAL MANAGER

Second Annual 'Get Together' Affair Proved a Big Success.

MAYOR DEFENDS OPINION

Claims City Hall On Present Site Is Practical Economy.

Heads of public utilities departments, the utilities commission and the press were guests of General Manager E. V. Buchanan at a "get-together" which had in the draughting room of the utilities building last night.

This is the second annual affair of this nature which the general manager has arranged. In addition to its social nature it enables the department heads to present the reports of their own department and furnishes an opportunity for them to become acquainted with the commission.

The reports received were all highly satisfactory. Chairman Philip Pocock said he highly appreciated the services which had been rendered by the staff of the commission. He pointed out that with a few exceptions both the staff and the equipment of the commission was entirely changed from the time when he first became interested in public utilities. He claimed credit for the establishment of the hydro shop, stating that the suggestion to establish it had been made by him alone, the idea having appealed to him as a merchant. The first attempt to display goods for sale in the old city hall had nearly resulted in a riot, he recalled.

"I felt we were not doing any merchant any harm," he declared. "No store in the city was attempting to sell electrical goods at that time."

Staff Worked Excellently. Mr. Pocock also claimed credit for improvements in the stores department. He considered that all the staff had worked excellently. Mr. R. Swayze in particular he regarded as a most valuable officer. He had been chosen to conduct the oversight of the new medical school, and he was confident that this would result in a great saving. The speaker regretted Mayor Somerville's retirement, but was confident the people would not soon forget him.

Commissioner Jared Vining expressed his approval of the harmony which prevailed throughout the institution. Every member of the staff had taken as much interest in the work as if it had been his own. "Any public utility controlled by a staff of men who regard their duty in that light cannot help but be a success," he declared. "The assertion that public utilities cannot be operated as cheaply and economically as private concerns is entirely disproved by the public utilities in this city. Mr. Buchanan's management has been capable and broad-minded. If other public utilities in the future are placed under the control of this staff they will have equal success. In a few years the street railway will likely be managed by the public utilities commission and I have no doubt that as great ability will be shown in its management as has been the case with water and light."

As a citizen I deeply regret the retirement of Mayor Somerville. He fully satisfied the expectations of his friends."

Mr. Vining advocated that the various suggestions made by the department heads be taken up by the 1920 commission.

Almost Unbelievable. Commissioner T. W. McFarland briefly expressed his appreciation. Mayor Somerville declared the department reports so good as to be almost unbelievable. It was difficult to realize that the public utilities commission was doing so much and that the public did not seem to realize it.

The mayor strongly defended his belief that a practical city hall adjoining the utilities building is needed immediately. He declared that the plans for future city building now being circulated to resemble the Hanging Gardens of Babylon more than practical city buildings.

"All these buildings must come, but even in the distant future London cannot afford any such scheme," he asserted. "I hope to see a new city hall adjoining this building. It should be built for a purpose, and not for display. It should be a building in which we can carry on the city's business. I consider the public utilities building a model one, and if we had a similar city hall we could go on for at least fifty years before we become acquainted with the 'hanging garden' program."

He praised the council of the two years past, stating that there had been no such thing as graft. The first year had been one of economy, as intended, while this year as much money was spent as the city could stand. He would like to see the city carried on for several years without an increase in the debt, and he believed the additional money from the annual increases in assessments being used for carrying on construction work.

He had not agreed with all during his term, but he considered that it was a poor man who could not differ with another on a project and still remain a friend.

Hearty ovations were tendered to his worship and to a host. Referring to Buchanan said that during his ten years of service in London he had become greatly attached to his work. The support of the staff and the commission had meant much to him.

For the Sick.

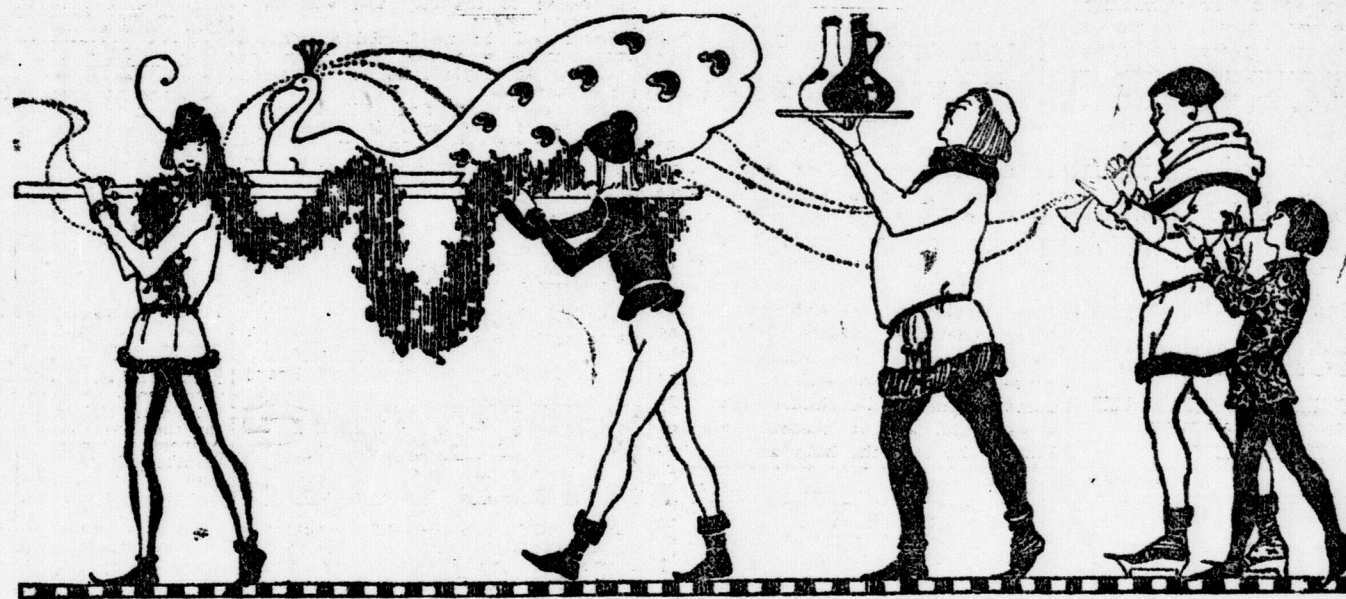
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CITIZEN MEETINGS
BETTER ATTENDED

The meeting held in the Riverview School on Tuesday night was fairly well attended, and several prominent businessmen discussed the important questions to come before the people at the Thursday elections. It was definitely decided to continue the Ward 1 Ratepayers' Association.

"Do not be a civic slacker," stated C. W. McGuire, "every ratepayer's vote is needed on the coming bylaw. All people should vote. There are citizens who live around the corner from a polling station and do not think enough of their city to go and cast their ballot."

Industrial Bylaw. Mr. McGuire outlined the industrial bylaw, and the need London has for greater industries. Representatives of firms come here, he said, looking for a site for a new factory. They say that we have a nice city, good water, but what have we got to offer them? Nothing other than the site. London is not ready to build them a factory, nor have they factories which are turned over at the present time. London has lost many of the largest concerns on the American continent from being situated here, for the one reason "That we have nothing to offer."

A. M. Hunt, secretary of the Western Fair Board, gave those present a bigger view of the proposed Western Fair extension bylaw. The Western Fair is the talk of the province at exhibition time, he claimed. Other cities are trying for the honors that London now has the talk of the province at exhibition time, he claimed. Other cities are trying for the honors that London now has the talk of the province at exhibition time, he claimed.

Town Planning Necessary. John Cottam, outlined the town planning bylaw and how necessary it is to the city of London. He said that this is a very crucial election. The issues

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confronting the ratepayers are enormous. The cause of high taxes is wastefulness and nothing more. "Do not vote blindly," he stated. "Vote on bylaws that will give a proper return for the money expended. Business men do not go at things blindly, when their businesses are concerned, and to vote properly is the citizens' business." They should vote so that money shall not be spent needlessly. Ratepayers should vote on the bylaws that they consider will give a proper return to the city.

Ald. E. R. Seabrook outlined the street railway problem. He also spoke on the paving question in general and the non-compliance of the street railway to pave their part of different roadways in which the city had made plans to pave, the street railway's plea being that the different materials were unobtainable at the time. He added that the street railway can be forced to pave these streets according to their franchise.

"Paved streets are the making of a city, and in the near future all city streets shall be paved. It is not for the city to allow the street railway to hold up their plans."

Ald. Dr. L. S. Holmes, who is running in the public utilities field, spoke on the Springbank reservoir. The need for water can not be got away from. We have not enough water to supply the city in case of an emergency. He also spoke on the need of a second main from Springbank. There is only one main, and if this breaks, where are we? It is a case of depending on the pumps at the hydro station and the risk is far too great.

AT RYERSON SCHOOL. Compared to the citizens' meeting of the past week in the schools, that held at Ryerson public school last night was fairly well attended.

John M. Parsons, mayoralty candidate, expressed himself as being apposed to all the bylaws. London already had a debt of \$3,000,000, and if these bylaws were passed it would mean an addition to that sum of \$1,000,000. He would make no promises, and he did not advertise because he did not believe in paying to become a servant of the people.

D. Eggert, Soldier-Labor candidate, for the board of education, declared that although he was not on the teachers' side, he was right behind them and would back them if elected. He was also in favor of all legislation and action that would result in the advancement of child welfare.

H. Wheatcroft, Soldier-Labor candidate for the council, promised that if they would not regret it during the year 1920.

Ald. C. G. Moorhead, who is seeking re-election to the council, stated that

if he was put back in an aldermanic seat he would serve everyone fairly. Dennis Flannigan was called upon to speak and explained his reasons for entering the field.

Richard Carroll and William Lyons presided.

AT CHARLES STREET. The meeting in the Charles street school, West London, on Tuesday night was not largely attended and the only speakers were three candidates for the city council in that ward. Dr. Cameron Wilson, Ald. W. A. Wilson and W. G. Tite discussed the various questions before the people and outlined their policies if they should be elected to the council.

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Chairman J. S. Barnard Host At Banquet To School Trustees.

LONDON HAS THE BEST

Mrs. Williams Advocates the Teaching of Household Science.

John S. Barnard, retiring chairman of the board of education, tendered the members of the board a farewell banquet in Wong's Cafe last night and as usual the affair was of "Barnard" quality. While Mr. Barnard's golden characteristics were eulogized by the silver-tongued orator, R. M. McElheran, secretary of the board, as well as every member of the board, general regret was expressed by each speaker at the retirement of Mr. Barnard. W. N. Manning and James Gray.

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who declared that "the office of chairman of the board of education was the most important position in Western Ontario as the latter had under his care a very large number of children." He said the Normal School work was most important, as it was here the recruits for the teaching staffs were developed. These teachers could not be made efficient unless they received practical work in the schools.

Claim Justified. V. K. Green, associate inspector of public schools, thought that London's future as an educational centre was very bright. "You can well claim to have the best schools in the whole Dominion," he said, and followed this remark by stating that the teachers compared favorably with those of any other city in Canada. "The keynote of education," he declared, "was operation, which should be fully observed by every branch of education in the city teachers, inspectors, principals and boards."

E. W. G. Quantz, musical instructor in the schools, stated that since taking over the position of the rooms of children taught had jumped from 112 to 180. He declared that every child should be given a chance to develop any latent talent in music, and hoped that the teaching of piano and violin would soon be inaugurated in the public schools after school hours, and that it would not be long until each school had its own orchestra.

Would Banish Press. Secretary R. M. McElheran thought that the lady members of the board would not dare to sing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" at any Mothers' Club meeting when his name was up for discussion. He didn't dare tell the retiring members of the board what he thought of them, because he was a member of the church and there were ladies present. He thought newspapermen should be banished from the community, especially the Free Press man present at the banquet. "The Mothers' Clubs don't like me. I know it. I'm glad of it," said Mr. McElheran. "I have no language strong enough to condemn the act of some of the teachers recently. If the Normal School can't turn out better teachers than they are, then God help the teaching staff and children under them," said Mr. McElheran, showing signs of emotion.

Two Momentous Years. Principal W. T. Mooney of the Collegiate Institute spoke of the overcrowded conditions in the collegiate, and declared that they would have to be remedied. The coming two years would be momentous as there would have to be adequate arrangements made to relieve the overcrowding of the schools.

Principal Beal of the Technical School, mentioned the integrity of the contractor that had built the Technical School, and referred to the splendid work done by the board during the past year. He also spoke feelingly as regards his relationship with Mr. McElheran.

Trustees H. Hayman and James Gray also spoke shortly, after which W. N. Manning told those present, who were continually comparing this year's tax with that of ten years ago, made him tired. These people could not buy cigars as cheaply now as they could then. They apparently did not realize that the cost of everything had risen swiftly in that time. He thought that the parents of children realized the importance of having more school accommodation, and if running again for office would go on that platform.

He also paid tribute to the work of the lady members of the board, which he said had been most gallant in its treatment of the lady members, especially Mr. Barnard. Mrs. Ronald Har-

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is also made a brief address.

Only Two Present. Trustee Thomas Rowe responded to the toast to "The Dean of the Board," and reviewed the work of the past six years. The only persons present at the banquet six years ago that were gathered around the table at the present time were Principal Beal and Secretary McElheran. Mr. Rowe hoped that the people of the city would have the common sense to grasp the needs of the city along educational lines.

Trustees T. Coleridge and Edwin Smith spoke in reply to the toast of "Teachers' Favorites." Mr. Coleridge didn't see any objection to the toast, neither did Mr. Smith. Trustee A. N. Udy also spoke briefly.

Mr. Barnard referred in an optimistic way to London's future educationally and the expansion of the school system.

FOURTEEN WHISKARD TRUST SCHOLARSHIPS ARRANGED BY BOARD

Final Meeting Held by Trustees Yesterday Afternoon.

Distribution of the scholarships provided by the Whiskard Trust Fund, as suggested by Principal W. T. Mooney of the Collegiate Institute, was authorized by the board of education at its final meeting Tuesday afternoon. The board also recommended that the fund be administered by the London and Western Trust Company.

Under Mr. Mooney's arrangements the scholarships will be awarded in the following manner: A scholarship of \$20, with free tuition for the ensuing year to be given to the best student of the first year whose average in the examinations at Christmas, Easter and June are 75 per cent. or over.

A scholarship of \$20 and free tuition under the same conditions to the student of the second year.

Two scholarships of \$20 and \$20 respectively with free tuition to be given to the two full-course first year students who have made the highest and second highest average in the three term examinations and who are prepared to proceed to the second year of work.

Two scholarships of \$40 and \$20 with free tuition to be given to the two students in the second year under the same conditions as above who are prepared to proceed to middle school the following year.

Three scholarships of \$30, \$70, \$55 to be given to three students of the Upper School in order of merit who in the judgment of the staff have completed satisfactorily in at least one and preferably two years' work either the faculty of education or honor matriculation course, and who are willing to spend another year on higher scholarship work for which in the opinion of their teachers they are especially adapted.

Commercial. Two prizes to first year to those making highest average in three examinations, Christmas, Easter and June, plus free tuition following year—must be free to second year—according to merit \$20 and \$15.

Two prizes for second year under same conditions as No. 1, \$25 and \$20. One scholarship to the best student completing his first year whose average in the three examinations, Christmas, Easter and June, are 75 per cent. or over, \$20 and free tuition.

No one to receive two prizes or scholarships in one year.

The rental for the Princess avenue public school, which is being used by the commercial department of the Collegiate, was set at \$5,500.

Regret Retirements. A motion of appreciation of the services of the retiring members of the board was made by Trustee Udy. He was sorry so many members of the board had seen fit to drop out of the work. The chairman, in particular, pleased that the retiring members were seeking re-election and hoped that the board would have the benefit of their co-operation and service in the coming year. It was his experience that without some experienced members to guide them it was difficult for the new members of the board to decide what was really in the best interests of the city.

Trustee Gray, after expressing his thanks for the compliments, stated that while he had tried to act for the benefit of all the citizens he had endeavored to particularly benefit the children. "The young people are the greatest assets we can have. I hope the chairman of No. 2

committee will be taken in hand by the incoming board and carried through in good style. I hope that money will be forthcoming for the requirements next year. The children have certainly not had the service they should have had."

Had Enjoyed Work. Trustee Manning also expressed his thanks for the motion of appreciation. He had particularly enjoyed the work on the technical school committee, he said. He had always believed that education was lacking much without this important branch, but that now it

was established it would be a fine thing for Canada, for the province and for London.

Trustee Thomas Rowe spoke along similar lines. He pointed out that in seeking re-election his record on the board would be before the electors and he would not be ashamed of it. He had never betrayed a trust in any sense.

Trustees Edwin Smith and Thomas Coleridge, the other retiring members, also expressed appreciation for the motion.

A motion of appreciation of Mr. Barnard's services as chairman was also adopted.

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Mr. Behrin held the former official speed record of 278 words a minute.

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WHY GREY GOES HOME.

Viscount Grey, who three months ago went to Washington as an ambassador extraordinary on special mission, is returning to England without having achieved his purpose. To date he has not even been formally presented to President Wilson. Commenting on the incident, the Detroit Free Press calls it an "international calamity" and blames the president for the "fiasco," charging that Mr. Wilson is afraid to cross diplomatic swords with Grey. This, of course, is a misrepresentation of the whole business. Grey was sent to Washington with the object of furthering the good understanding and firm friendship of the two great English speaking governments, not to put something over on the United States as the Free Press suggests. Naturally any concrete arrangement the two governments might reach or propose would be part and parcel of the League of Nations. No other understanding could be possible, and with the American Senate squabbling over the peace treaty and the League covenant, refusing to accept the pact, it would have been folly for the two governments to have entered into any discussion on, for instance, joint action in world affairs. If, as the Detroit Free Press declares, the departure of Grey is an international calamity, the responsibility rests with the Detroit papers' treaty wrecking friends in the Senate, not with the president.

THE GREAT WHITE SPIRIT.

How white the way we used to know!
Can it be true that Illacs swayed
Where now is only fluttering snow,
Black vines in ermine soft arrayed?

Early in the afternoon against a grey sky, the snowflakes, fine and occasional, began to fall. Evening brought larger, lazier flakes, like so many diamonds flung carelessly on invisible, gossamer threads by the wind, against the soft glow of the street lights. Then one wanted to wander about and lift a waiting face to the tiny white visitors or seek a cosy grate fire and chesterfield and read Whittier's "Snow-bound." But the following morning was the time to wonder! The early pathmakers had only served to emphasize the abundance of the thick, white carpet, lavishly covering lawns and streets, making the outside world a place of adventure and wonder, and an invitation to winter-gipsying on snowshoes. As if to atone, however, to those who might not see the loveliness of the woods, or have the joy of making zigzag paths in forest ways, the wind had conferred with the snowflakes with the result of vine-clad brick walls being whitened in ermine etching. The thinnest, lace-like, clinging twig was edged with frailest, white down and where the vines were closest woven, lavish little snow puffs clung tenderly, whispering encouraging secrets of spring to the sleeping leaf buds. Spruce trees and pines, and even maples were not forgotten, and garden shrubberies were bent a little closer to the snow-covering about their roots. Kiddies got out joyfully with shovels to widen the paths made by the snowplows, and to seek the joys of their new Christmas sleighs, and grown-ups wanted to linger out-of-doors and catch the Wonder of the Great White Spirit abroad, leaving such traceries of winter beauty and inspiration to kindlier, lovelier living.

THE PECULIAR HUMAN MIND.

Among all the peculiar things of which this world is full, probably nothing is more peculiar or illogical than the human mind affected by the emotions. No matter how coldly judicial the mind may be in ordinary circumstances, there are times when emotionalism is awakened, and away flies sound common-sense or legal balance.

According to a dispatch recently appearing in the press, two youths, who probably would have been sent to Burwash prison for two years, when found guilty of stealing an automobile, had the trial been held a month or two ago, this week were let go on suspended sentence, because the magistrate had not the heart to hand out such a sentence on the eve of Christmas.

There is no fault to be found with the clemency shown; but by what process of reasoning could a representative of law and order allow his judgment to be influenced by the season of the year, in such a theft case. In some instances, inebriety, for example, it is possible to argue that festive seasons may provide some excuse, but no such argument can be used to mitigate the crime of the theft of an automobile. The motor car is not even a necessity which a hungry family may require.

Those who have attended many "courts of justice" doubtless have noticed how frequently the youth whose countenance beams with good humor and innocence gets off lightly, while another whose offence is identical, but whose appearance is not prepossessing, is given a stiff sentence. It is evident that the latter has the poorer chance on earth, and to him more should be excused, but emotionalism says, "The first looks so decent he cannot be very bad; the second shows criminality in his face"; and justice is forgotten.

When the child of good parents comes before a magistrate his chance of being treated with leniency is much greater than is that of

the boy whose home training has been bad. Every law interpreter would admit this is wrong in theory, but the practice continues.

"Justice is blind." It ought to be free from all emotionalism. Unfortunately, it is impossible in courts of law to get away from the human factor.

A GREAT DOCTOR PASSES.

Commenting on the death of Sir William Osler who died Monday, Dr. Eccles of this city, who was a close personal friend of the dead physician, says of him that he was a "great man and a great doctor, the greatest physician Canada has produced." This tribute will express the sentiment of the Canadian public generally. The greater part of the seventy-one years of his life was crowded with activities, wonderfully beneficial to mankind. Twenty years ago he was recognized as the world's foremost authority on medical science, being especially distinguished in the matter of diagnosis. When Osler was thirty-five years of age he moved from Canada to the United States, practicing and lecturing there until he accepted the Regius Professorship of Medicine at the University of Oxford. He was a profound student and thinker, possessed of a remarkable intellect, but these characteristics of the savant were never permitted to obscure a jovial, gentle and companionable personality. In public and private associations Sir William Osler was a great and lovable man, as well as a great physician.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Buy in Canada.

All hands now register accord in the registrar matter.

There were no Canadian titles amongst the Christmas honors. That is well. The finest title this country can win is Titleless Canada.

HUMAN STOCK AND THE WAR.
[New York Sun.]

"The strongest and ablest men who went to the front were either killed or have come home maimed, blinded or nervous wrecks," says Professor Nicolai in his book, "The Biology of War." "Those who did not go to the front were mostly, of course, sickly, hunchbacked, feeble-minded or idiots. These classes of men it is who have been spared to build up the new Germany."

The question of the deterioration of human stock in Europe, as a result of the war, is one of our passing interest. It is true that the vast slaughter of battle, claiming the best of the manhood of the nations and sparing the worst, has acted to bring about a survival of the unfittest. Will the race of the future be inferior, mentally and physically, to that of the past?

Some years ago Professor Jordan of the University of Virginia made a careful study of the effects of the civil war upon the white stock of the South. From a vast number of letters and other data he arrived at the conclusion that the huge percentage of mortality in the Confederate armies had not appreciably affected the vigor and mentality of the Southern people.

A similar investigation of the situation in Europe would probably lead to a like conclusion. Despite the frightful losses, many men, sound in body and mind, have survived. Moreover, a new generation, untouched by the hand of war, is coming on to take the place of those who were lost, to assume the burden of civilization.

THE SPIRIT THAT WON.
[Eva J. McCallum in The Khaki Call.]

We were having a kind of jamboree in McKellory's dancing hall, English and Irish and French, Canucks and Scotch, but Britishers all.

With never a thought of the world out there, nor a thought of peace or war, Ready to take what came our way, no matter what went before.

When Peggie Murphy came rushin' in, with his waddle just like a duck's, His face aglow and his eyes alight, as if he's got a million bucks.

And addressed his remarks to One-eyed Pete—God knows the reason why, For One-eyed Pete lost his heartin' too, when he lost his good right eye.

We listened around belated like, for we'd heard Peg "bull" before, But we picked up our ears when we heard him say that "England had gone to war!"

"That the German hordes were upon their way to attack those little isles!"

But we knew that such could never be; and we greeted that with smiles.

For, the England perhaps had kinds napped, she had never been asleep, And the eyes of the navy never closed on its vigil of the deep.

And it isn't the ships that count so much, it's the men on board, and then, Where in the world will you find the like of the British saltiremen?

But still Peggie was a gossipin' on; and he raised our interest.

When he said that England called for men, from the north, east, south and west, And after that you could never 'a' heard what the Peggie had to say,

For the sound of his voice was drowned deep down in the noise of our wild hooray.

For it seemed that we heard our mother call; and our hearts began to buzz

For a chance to show we could pay in part for all that she'd done for us;

And the music stopped quick in the dancin' hall, while the fellows all whooped and roared, And the chap that tinkled the music keys threw the stool on the ivory board.

For England had called; and what mattered then? It's the real men want to fight, And the spirit that moved in Nelson's time was there on the job that night.

So we harnessed our dogs, and with loaded sleds hit out on the silent trail.

While the cheers of the ones that we left behind mixed with the wolf pack's wail.

With every man from Hunchback McCue to One-eyed Pete along,

And Peggie Murphy "smushin'" behind, singin' an Irish song.

And never a question of right or wrong occurred to that she'd done for us;

England was in the scrap we knew; and we knew it was on the square.

Most all of us passed the doctor's test, for the men up North are fit.

But Peggie Murphy and One-eyed Pete had to stay behind and knit.

And out in the trenches the best he's got, each one of us freely gives, And gladly takes the Endless Trail, that Glory of England lives.

WHAT AN OLD EDITOR THINKS OF THE BIBLE
[Hamilton Spectator.]

Charles A. Dana, the veteran editor of the New York Sun, and one of the ablest men in his profession, dropped politics once for an evening lecture on journalism, and told an intellectual audience in New York his opinion of the Bible as a valuable book to study. Here is a paragraph from that lecture that may be an inspiration to the readers of these musings to turn to the Old Book now and then as a safe guide.

"There is no book from which more valuable lessons can be learned, I am considering it now not as a religious book, but as a manual of utility. There is perhaps no book whose style is more suggestive and more instructive, from which you learn more directly that sublime simplicity which never exaggerates, which represents the greatest event with solemnity, of course, but without sentimentality or affectation; none which you open with such confidence and lay down with such reverence; there is no book like the Bible. When you get into a controversy and want the right answer, when you are looking for an expression, what is there that closes a dispute like a verse from the Bible? What is it that sets up the right principle for you, which pleads for a policy, for a cause, so much as the right passage of Holy Scripture?"

From Here and There

Fuller Bunk says: My wife declares Providence helped her recover from a serious illness. Maybe so, but the doctor had to be paid just the same.

"KICKED INTO LITERATURE."
[London Opinion.]

Son of an adventurous naval captain, Rolf Boldrewood, or, to give him his real name, Thomas Alexander Browne, the author, had one of the most romantic careers in the annals of literature. Pioneer squatter in early life in Victoria, he made such good use of his opportunities that while still in the twenties, his check was good for a quarter of a million. Then, if unfortunately for himself, luckily for novel readers, a long drought killed off his flocks and herds, and compelled him to enter the government service as an attitudinizing magistrate. Shortly after this he happened to be kicked by a horse. This led to his being laid up, and to while away the tedious hours he wrote an Australian sketch called "The Kangaroo Rush." He sent it to the Cornhill, which accepted it, and so, as he used to say merrily, "he was kicked into literature."

SLEEP WITHOUT DRUGS.
[Buffalo Express.]

"Doc, how can I get to sleep without using dope?" asked a man troubled with insomnia of a noted physician.

"On going to bed assume a comfortable attitude. In which every muscle is relaxed," said the doctor, "but not the attitude in which you are accustomed to go to sleep, though, even coughing and yawning, must be strictly repressed, especially the desire to turn over. Maintain the same attitude without change, constantly resisting the longing to move or turn over. As a rule, by the end of fifteen or twenty minutes of this, you will find yourself growing very drowsy, and then, just as the desire to roll over becomes absolutely uncontrollable, turn with the least possible effort and assume the position in which you habitually go to sleep. Natural sleep should follow at once. This method seldom fails. Give it a thorough trial at least before resorting to a drug to bring sleep."

A WEALTH OF PUPPIES.
[After reading the Vincent G. Perry Puppy Stories.]

A little crippled laddie,
Who never might walk or play,
Sat in his sunny window
The long uninteresting day.

He watched the kiddies passing,
Kittens and pups ran by,
And he followed the birds that flitted
Or soared toward the winter sky.

But he hadn't many playmates
He could really call his own—
And many a tedious hour
He was forced to pass alone.

And then came the Puppy stories
In the newspaper every night,
And they opened to his vision
A new world of delight.

He read them over and over,
And thought of them all the day,
Then each night brought a new pup
With the little lad to play.

He felt so rich in doggies,
He'd never be poor again,
We knew them by name and shared their pranks
With a sort of exultant pain.

And the man who wrote the stories
Had no dream at all
That his great incentive really came
From an unknown life so small.

—AMY CAMPBELL.

WHY DO THEY CALL IT PIN MONEY?
[From the Book of Wonders.]

This expression originally came from the allowance which a husband gave his wife to purchase pins. At one time pins were dreadfully expensive so that only wealthy people could afford them, and they were saved so carefully that in those days you could not have looked along the pavement and found a pin which you happened to be in need of, as you can and often do today.

By a curious law, the manufacturers of pins were only allowed to sell them on January 1 and 2 each year, and so, when those days came around, the women whose husbands could afford it, secured pin money from them and went out and got their pins.

Pins have become so very cheap in these days that we are rather careless with them, but the expression has continued to this day. When used, it means any allowance of money which a husband gives a wife for her personal expenses.

Pins were known and used as long ago as 1347 A.D. They were introduced into England in 1540. In 1524 an American named Might invented a machine which enabled them to be manufactured cheaply. About 1,500 tons of iron and brass are made into pins every year in the United States.

HOW BIRDS KEEP WARM.
[Burrough's Nature Note.]

One wonders how in winter the birds withstand the cold. They do not live on highly concentrated food, the fine seeds of weeds and grasses, and the eggs and larvae of insects. Such food must be very stimulating and heating. It is doubtful if birds ever freeze when fuel enough can be had to keep their little furnaces going. As they get their food in the North in winter entirely from the limbs and trunks of trees, like the woodpeckers, their supply is seldom interfered with by the snow. The worst annoyance must be the encumbrance of ice on their winter woods sometimes get.

CHOOSING FRIENDS BY MONTH.
[Pitt-Bits.]

That a knowledge of a person's month of birth will be found of great value and advantage in making friends and in business dealing, is the contention of those who have studied planetary influences. Experts claim that months, like human beings, have their affinities.

For instance, if you were born from January 20 to February 19, you will be in harmony with those born from May 21 to June 21, or September 23 to October 23.

If born from February 19 to March 21, with those of June 21 to July 22, and October 23 to November 22. If March 22 to April 19, with those of July 23 to August 22, and November 23 to December 31.

It may be taken as a general rule that you will be most in harmony and sympathy with those people born the third or seventh month after yourself.

BRADFORD'S GREAT WEALTH.
[London Express.]

The London tailor proposes that next spring and summer suits will cost twenty guineas, because of the still increasing price of material.

Bradford, where the cloth comes from, retorts: "We have more money than any other city in the world." Bradford, with its 500,000 people, pays more income tax than its neighbor, Leeds, with nearly twice the number of people.

"We are simply sticky with money," said a merchant.

Bradford is still on the crest of a wave of wonderful prosperity. Wool and tops merchants, yarn spinners, cloth manufacturers, and dyers—through each stage in the trade millions have been made. Even the operatives, judged by ordinary middle class standards, are exceedingly well off. These remarks apply not only to Bradford, the capital of the industry, but with equal force to other wool towns—Huddersfield, Kelghey and Halifax. The whole of West Yorkshire oozes money, as it were.

Millions coming in mean necessarily lavish spending. General traders in Bradford are taking in their large share of the harvest.

"Our turnover now is four times as large as it was a few years ago," said the head of one department store. "It is apparent to us how much more extravagantly the women dress. Only the best will do for them. That applies to our old customers. In addition we have a new class of ready buyers drawn from working class people who, before Bradford was made so much money, never thought of coming to us, and now they come principally for clothes and expensive articles of furniture."

Luxury trades—motor car agents, jewelers and wine merchants—all report the same condition of things—abounding money and resulting eagerness to spend it.

The amusement places in the city—theatres, music halls and picture palaces—have a total seating capacity of 30,000. Allowing for continuous performances at the pictures and two shows a night at the halls, those 30,000 seats are taken on an average each day by 70,000 people. The estimated bill for Bradford's amusements every night is \$5,000.

A TEST CASE UNDER ANTI-GAMBLING LAW

Do Telephones, Racing Charts, Racing Form Make Up Gambling Device?

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—Do telephone instruments of the regular Bell Telephone kind, copies of the "Racing Form," and racing charts constitute gambling apparatus?

This is a question which is under

consideration by Judge Cushman. The case is that against "Billy" Moore, house, well-known sporting man and promoter, laid by the city police under paragraph "B" of section 235 of the criminal code, which reads: "Having in his premises apparatus for the purpose of recording bets or wagers."

The case arises out of a raid by

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The transfer books will be closed from the 15th day of December to the 2nd day of January, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order,

NATHANIEL MILLS,
Managing Director.

London, December 12, 1919.

the city police on Mr. Moorehouse's premises at 19 Montee du Zouave. They found there three telephones, a number of copies of "Racing Form," and several charts.

WYOMING VETERAN HOME.

WYOMING, Dec. 30.—The wedding of Miss Beale Blackmore and Earnest Aiken took place at the Methodist Parsonage, Petros, Wednesday. Mrs. Aiken was a former resident of Wyoming.

Dr. H. Forbes, V.S., returned home today after three and a half years of

service with the Imperial army in England. Before enlisting Dr. Forbes had today after three and a half years of a practice here in Wyoming.



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VOTE "YES" FOR THESE NECESSARY BYLAWS

Playgrounds

supervision—by voting in favor of Playgrounds

As well deny the child the right to play as deny it a suitable play-place. Public playgrounds are the scientific method of avoiding charities and corrections, reformatories and similar institutions. Give the children plenty of room to play in, plenty of health-promoting exercises, careful, kindly

YES
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Town Planning

Even this will later be subject to a public vote. Let us end the system of haphazard building; the undoing by one board of that which another board has completed at heavy cost. Tomorrow say emphatically "YES" to the matter of Town Planning.

On the principle of "It's never too late to mend," cast a vote tomorrow in favor of Town Planning. No money is involved, but simply the appointment of a competent commission, who will plan a scheme for the city, whereby all public buildings will be put up according to a master-plan.

Industries

merely authorize the city to guarantee the bonds of the London Industrial Association to a limited amount. No money is requested or needed. For progress and prosperity, journey to the polls and vote for the Industrial Bylaw.

London wants more industries. To enable the city to grow, and, with the increased population, to spread the taxes over a greater number of citizens, we need more manufacturing plants. In the London Industrial Association—a body of London's foremost citizens—we have the means to bring industries to a limited amount. By passing this bylaw, we

Reservoir

—20,000 gallons—a valuable asset in case of drought or in the emergency of a big fire, such as other cities have seen. Cast a safe and sane vote tomorrow for the Reservoir Bylaw.

The city is without proper protection against fire, from the standpoint of water supply. Authorities state that the reserve water supply of a city should be from three to ten days' supply. London's reserve is a day's supply only—sometimes not even that. The proposed reservoir would give London something over three days' water supply in reserve

Western Fair

supported with a will. London must not lag behind, and the Western Fair means too much to this city to let it dwindle to the calibre of a third-rate show. Let there be a decisive majority for the Western Fair Bylaw tomorrow.

All are agreed that the Western Fair must have more room or start going backwards. A new site would be so costly as to be impracticable, but expansion to the east of the present grounds is quite feasible, and would cost considerably less. In Toronto and Ottawa enlargement programs are being

The Directors of the Chamber of Commerce, at a meeting on Wednesday, December 24th, gave it as their individual opinions that the following bylaws were in the interests of the citizens, and as such entitled to general support:

L. and P. S. Bylaw

Equipped to handle 450,000 passengers yearly, the L. and P. S. R. carried 958,587 in 1919. Its remarkable growth demands more equipment. Last summer it was compelled to rent coaches from the steam roads to cope with the traffic. The road is on a sound, earning basis, and is asking for a debenture issue, which will be carried out of its surplus earnings, without cost to the ratepayers. By voting "Yes" on this bylaw you vote to maintain a service that helps to make London prosperous and progressive.

Soldiers' Memorial Hall Bylaw

The proposed Memorial Hall is to be a fitting monument to the brave fellows who died fighting for us, and a small token of our esteem for those who came back. It will provide warm, comfortable quarters for veterans—a real clubhouse and recreation spot—the property of the city. Passing this bylaw is a positive duty, and there should not be a single voice say "No."

Fares Bylaw

To operate a street railway today on the scale of fares in force years ago is an impossibility, say the street railway people. It is clear that with every necessity far higher in price than before the war, street railway operation must be far more costly. The slight increase in fares requested, say the officials of the company, is to enable it to continue to pay its employees a fair living wage, and to maintain and improve the service to the people.

By the Way---Staying at Home Is Not a "YES" Vote. Don't Think of "Letting George Do It," He Might Stay at Home, Too!

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

New Year's Resolutions

Here are some good New Year's resolutions prescribed by Miss Macdonald, better known in the Toronto Globe as "The Scribe," and they are so delightfully different from the stereotyped sort that it is abundantly worth while repeating them.

"Good resolutions are the prescribed topic for New Year," she writes. "Well, I may say I'm going to try a different plan this time. It seems to me that our noble January intentions might really grow and flower if we were more careful about planting them in favorable soil. Don't you find it easier to be good if you're comfortable and interested? No, I believe you'd be good, if you lived on the arid sands of the Sahara and couldn't even get a book to read. But my worthy aspirations need help, and here are some of the small resolutions I'm going to pack about the roots of the big soulful ones. I've determined:

Not to decide what kind of a day it is, or how I feel, or what I shall do, until I've had my bath and breakfast. Life, health and spirits are at a horribly doleful pitch in that quarter of an hour in the morning between being awakened and getting up.

To choose things that harmonize with one another when gathering together a season's supply of clothes. To have a hat that looks well with only one particular coat, or a blouse that agrees in color with only one particular skirt, is on a par with asking somebody to a party who is unfriendly with everybody present. And who feels amiable or serene in a costume that looks like a patchwork quilt? The subconsciousness of being properly dressed is marvellously conducive to good temper.

To make more sofa cushions, get an electric reading lamp and subscribe to a couple of magazines. Good light, a comfortable couch and decent reading matter—in a house where these are ready at hand people are seldom fidgety or eager to be somewhere else.

To wear shoes a size larger and with lower heels, and to choose a hat of light weight. It is hard to feel at peace with the world when your boots pinch and your head aches with the burden of its bonnet.

To buy a camera. To those who go looking for pictures Nature must give many a treat. The poets and a lot of people I know vouch for it.

To buy a pink azalea or a purple primula or some yellow daffodils now and then. As Henry Ward Beecher said: "Flowers are the sweetest things that God ever made and forgot to put a soul into." And who can deny their gentle influence? I simply couldn't be cross if I were looking at a rose.

But there go the whistles—the screechy city whistles. And there go the bells—the changing fire hall bells. The New Year has come! Oh, doesn't it seem big and full of awful mystery? What an adventure for you and me to set off down its winding path, and over its hills that lead—who knows whither?

Women At Home and Abroad

VOTERS' BUREAU

Toronto women are taking up the municipal election with a decided view to accomplishing things. There is a Bureau for Information of Women Voters in full swing on King street. This bureau has been established under the direction of the various women's organizations in the city, and aims at giving women voters information which will enable them to poll their votes with the least difficulty and without a possibility of mistakes. Here, a woman may find out whether her name has been attached to the voters' list and where her polling booth is located. London has no such convenient bureau, perhaps because there is only one woman candidate here. But the suggestion seems good, and might be worth remembering for other elections.

THERE ARE LAMPS AND LAMPS.
A lamp can make all the difference in the world to the appearance of a room, and yet few people realize this, choosing something which looks very well in the shop, without considering where it is to cast its glow every night all the year around. A lamp should be as much part of the room as a woman's coiffure is part of her. Its style should harmonize with the furnishings and wall decorations while the color of light it sheds is the most important feature of all. And perhaps a soft amber glow adapts itself most readily to any room. A white light is not

generally pretty, and other glows must be regulated by the room furnishings. Lamp shades may be ordered to match curtains or wallpaper, and they may be of many designs—early Italian, Chinese, Japanese, Spanish, French, ancient Egyptian. And what beautiful glows they cast when they are properly placed! And what an atmosphere of enchantment they may throw about a woman when she is wise enough to use her lamps effectively!

LITTLE TOUCHES

THAT COUNT.

After all, it isn't simply the gown or suit that counts most in an attractive wardrobe. It is all the little accessories which add a touch here or cover up an ugly line there, that are the making of a costume. And they run away with not a little of a lady's allowance, too.

Girdles of some sort appear on almost every gown just now. There are girdles of beads, girdles of braid and girdles of ribbon strands plaited together. Then there are coming into fashion wide suede girdles as well as the narrower patent leather belts, much used with coats and tailored dresses. Flat head necklaces are also popular, and made in different colors, and a pretty touch to dark dresses. Then there are the vestettes of kid and leather in bright colors, which are so smart, not to speak of silk and satin tassels which are often added to a gown with good effect.

HADASSAH CHAPTER TO RAISE FUNDS TO AID JEWISH ORPHANS

Chain of Teas, Dances, Raftles, Etc., Will Be Means Employed.

The Hadassah Chapter of London is launching upon a series of undertakings, the proceeds of which will go towards the maintenance of thousands of Jewish orphans in Eastern Europe. The number of Jewish children orphaned by far exceeds those of the other nationalities living in the same area. The Jewish population has been exposed not only to the casualties incident to the military carnage that has been raging in Eastern Europe, but its civilian population besides has been steadily being preyed upon by massacres at the hands of the Russians, Poles and Ukrainians.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

TELL IT TO THE SOCIETY EDITOR.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Massey, accompanied by their two daughters, have returned to Toronto after spending Christmas with Mrs. E. Walton, 61 Child street.

Dr. F. R. Miller and Miss Gay Miller were in Toronto for Mrs. Gooderham's dance on Monday night. Miss Miller wore a frock of pale blue tulle and lace.

Capt. and Mrs. McEvoy have returned to Detroit after spending the Christmas holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McEvoy, South London.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dillon announce the engagement of their daughter, Harriet Louise, to R. G. Perchard of St. Martins, Island of Jersey, England, the marriage to take place in St. John, N. B., on January 7.

Miss Marion Brewster and Walter Brewster, son and daughter of W. T. Brewster, K. C., of Brantford, and Miss Margaret Roberts, also of Brantford, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jordan, The Grange, for over the new year.

On Saturday evening Mrs. Alice Henderson entertained a party of friends to a chop suey supper at her home on Conover road in honor of her sister, Mrs. Teale of Detroit, who has been spending the holidays with Mrs. Henderson.

One of the jolliest of the Christmas season dances was that held at the Musical Art Institute on Tuesday evening, when Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Westland gave a young people's dance in honor of their daughter, Miss Sterling Westland. A host of young people spent a thoroughly delightful evening.

A very interesting event occurred on Friday evening last, when Mr. and Mrs. Chester Zidon of Iderton gave a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Dinner (nee Leale McGuffin of Detroit). Friends and relatives to the number of about sixty gathered to meet the young couple and presented them with many beautiful and handsome presents. A pleasant evening was spent in music and games, after which Mr. and Mrs. Hudson served a dainty repast.

The ladies of the staff of the London Public Library entertained at an informal party on Monday evening, Miss Ruth Loveless, Miss M. Whitaker, Miss Doris Nellie, Miss Helen Talbot and Miss M. Pugsley, who have all recently joined the staff. The party was held in the library and the tables were set with miniature Christmas trees, snowballs and snow men and red and shaded candles. Mrs. W. O. Carson and Mrs. F. Landon were guests of honor.

BILLINGS-SUMNER.
The home of Mr. John Sumner, In-

gersoll, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Christmas afternoon, when his daughter, Mary Maud Muriel, was united in marriage to Harry Billings of West Oxford. The Rev. W. E. V. McMiller, rector of St. James's Church, Ingersoll, officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a suit of navy blue poplin, with hat to match. The bride and groom were accompanied, and only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The ceremony was conducted very simply and the wedding breakfast was served with decorated with yellow and white streamers and chrysanthemums. After the wedding breakfast and congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Billings left for points east.

SMITH-MALPASS.
A quiet wedding was solemnized in London December 32 at the First Methodist parsonage, when Ernest Smith of Dorchester and Miss Grace Malpass of Mossley were united in marriage, the Rev. R. G. Peever, D.D., officiating. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of taupe satin, and wearing a pendant, the gift of the groom.

After the ceremony the bridal couple sat at the Tontine House, leaving later for Hamilton, Toronto, Agincourt and other eastern points, the bride traveling in dress of burgundy-colored velvet, a mink-marmot coat, with trimmings of Hudson seal, and muffs to match. A number of friends and relatives gathered at the station to see the bridal couple off.

After their return, Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside on the groom's farm, near Dorchester, and will be at home to their friends after January 19.

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Owing to the pattern manufacturers increasing the price of patterns to us, all patterns advertised from this date will be 15c EACH.



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Welcome Coldfeet.
Dear Miss Grey—I have been interested in your Mail-Box for a long time. It is one of the first pages I look for when my paper comes, and it is so helpful in every way. I am inclosing a stamped envelope, and would you kindly send me your stocking-foot pattern? Thanking you in advance, and extending to you the season's greetings.

COLDFEET.
Ans.—Thanks for the words of friendship to our Mail-Box. The pattern is on its way, but come again, "Coldfeet."

To Praise The Advertiser.
Dear Miss Grey—I would like to speak a few lines in favor of The London Advertiser for the firm stand that was taken the temperance question and on all matters of "right and righteousness" without fear or favor, when other papers forsake the firm stand and pandered and fed where they could find quieter ground.

Wishing all the pagettes and yourself a happy new year. I sure do enjoy the letters that appear in paper day by day. Such a diversity of ideas! Would like if anyone in this great band could send me the words of an old song, "Pass Under the Rod?"

"I saw the young bride in her beauty Bedecked in her snowy array, A bright flush of joy mantled high on her cheeks, And the future looked blooming and gay."

SIXTY YEARS YOUNG.
I am inclosing a self-addressed envelope if the song should come. The song is very sweet and tender. Would like to see it in print. When so many, many are and have passed under the rod the verses close with "I love thee! I love thee! Pass under the rod."

MRS. AIKENHEAD.
Ans.—The Advertiser's assurance of your kind words, and we are glad you like the letters. Some kind boxite will no doubt supply this old song for you gladly.

To Thank Us.
Dear Miss Grey—I am sending back the recitation, as desired, and thank you very much for it.

Hoping I have not been too much trouble. May I call again? Yours truly, Ans.—No trouble at all, and we want you to come again.

More Names for Baby.
Dear Miss Grey—Just a few lines for you and the readers. Was Santa good to you? I fared very well, received a pair of shoes (brown), a camisole, eleven handkerchiefs, two

brooches, a rope of pearls, a box of stationery, bottle of perfume, and have not yet received all.
Have there been any names given for that precious baby boy? His sister wrote and said they had not yet found a name they liked. I have a few favorite boys' names and am sending them. I do not know their meanings, but maybe Miss Grey does. They are: Adrian, Rexford, Milton, Vincent, Jasper, Donald, Warren, Warwick, Bruce. These are all. I guess they are sufficient, but I do not know whether they will suit that precious baby.

This is not my first, but my second letter, but it is so long since I wrote last that you will not remember me, so I will use a different name from last. It will be just my initials.

M. E. N.
Ans.—Thank you, M. E. N., for helping to name the baby. Glad you had such a happy Christmas.

A New Year Suggestion.
Dear Miss Grey—A happy New Year to all the readers of the helpful paper. I am a newcomer, and would like to suggest (with your permission) that everyone that received the stocking foot pattern would send 10 cents for same, to be saved for the new children's hospital. I am sure they would not mind giving 10 cents for what will save them dollars in the end.

If Reader would get a box of No. 1 steel wool she will be able to take the gold paint off the glass. This was asked for some time ago.

Oh, my, how I enjoy the letters, and some are so spicy; but now let us live in peace and good-will with all men. Now I have said enough. Please say I have the pattern.

BETTY'S MOTHER.
Ans.—This is just a lovely idea of Betty's Mother, don't you think so, Boxites? I shall be very glad to gather the pennies, nickels or dimes in this way. We read so much about child welfare in these days, and the establishing of a children's hospital in Western Ontario. Remember, this is only a suggestion. The pattern is enclosed for the asking, and anyone sending any contribution with their request may be assured of the worthiness of the plan.

Finds Mail-Box Instructive.
Dear Miss Grey—I am sending an addressed envelope with stamp on it. Will you kindly mail me the famous stocking-foot pattern? I find the Mail-Box a very interesting, as well as instructive, part of the paper.

J. N.
Ans.—Pleased to send you pattern and to know you are one of our circle.

TALKS ON HEALTH

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.
(Noted Physician and Author)

Dr. Brady will answer all queries pertaining to health. Writers' names are never printed. Only inquiries of general interest are answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is inclosed. Requests for diagnosis or treatment of individual cases cannot be considered. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this paper.

Catching Them Young.

A lad who indulges in cigarettes or a pipe while attending high school is a pretty dangerous person for real boys and girls to be associated with. In my opinion that lad ought to be permanently expelled from school by the principal for the general welfare and the maintenance of morals. As I have said before and now repeat, I would not trust a cigarette-smoking lad of high school age out of my sight. His moral fibre is wrong and he is a bad companion or classmate for the normal boy or girl. I cannot understand how parents can condone this sort of thing, and I do not see why school authorities should hesitate to clean house on such grounds.

There is nothing in cigarettes that makes them one whit more injurious in any way, so far as I know, than cigars or the pipe. But cigarette smoking is likely to indulge in cigars, and worse still, gets a trifle frail in the upper story sometimes. I think it is real smart to accept a cigarette and learn to smoke while attending a dance or some other affair where the smart-aleck type of scatter-brain youth shines for a brief spell before he goes to the devil.

No man who understands the drug addiction of tobacco will deny that it produces certain characteristic and deplorable effects upon young, immature individuals. One effect is a stunting in growth when the tobacco habit is acquired at a tender age. Another well-known effect of tobacco is impairment of mental acuity, so that the smart-aleck lad is generally trailing around the foot of his class or falling in more than a fair share of his studies.

A great western university instructor informed me that in many years he had noticed that no smoker had ever attained scholastic honors.

There is one direction in which it is too obvious that the tobacco smoking youth is rather precocious, and that is in the matter of sexual life. It is for this reason that I say that parents who fall to exact from boys a solemn pledge not to use tobacco until 21 fall in a plain duty. And boys who cannot give and keep such a pledge are unworthy of the sacrifices parents and other fond relatives are constantly making to give them an education. There is something painful in the sight of a

high school or a college lad sucking a cigarette which has been bought with money he has been loaned or given by his parents, and he is associated with. What this country needs next is a law prohibiting the sale, giving away or possession of tobacco by any person under the age of 21.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.
Discovering the Orthopedist.
Is there any real cure for callous spots on the balls of the feet? I never wear high heels or pointed shoes, and yet I have had extremely painful callouses for two years. I have tried several advertised cures, which only peel off the outer skin, leaving the centre to grow again in a week. I visited a chiropodist several times, but she wasn't any more successful than the fake corn cures.

C. H. E.
Answer—Frequently the cause of such a callous is a defect of the transverse arch. Don't you think the trouble is important enough to have competent treatment? In your place I should consult an orthopedic surgeon.

Zwieback.
I read on the package that Zwieback is good to give children and invalids. Has it more nourishment than toast? Should feed it zwieback? Mrs. K. L.

Answer—No. Zwieback is no more nourishing than toast or bread. Zwieback is bread twice baked as the name implies that is, bread toasted to a crisp. The toasting renders it more soluble, though I doubt if it is more digestible than bread. A child of eight months to ten months should begin to take a

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BY BUD FISHER



STRATFORD SIX WIN LUCKY GAME FROM KITCHENER TEAM

STRATFORD, Dec. 30.—Stratford Intermediates won a strenuous exhibition game from Kitchener by 4 to 3 and were rather lucky at that to pull out ahead. Kitchener played better combination, but Malone in goal for Stratford was in good form. Two of Stratford's goals were scored on shots from centre ice. The play was clean but strenuous throughout. In the final period Russ Lavelle and Leroux were put off for the rest of the game for scrapping.

The line-up: Stratford—Goal, Malone; defence, Dick McArthur and Jim McArthur; centre, Toots Harris; right wing, Russ Lavelle; left wing, Lefty Moore; spares, Brickman, Walsh and Battanby.

Kitchener—Goal, Johnston; defence,

INJURY TO PAN DRIES NET MINDER HELPED DEFEAT

TILLSONBURG, Dec. 30.—Press reports from Ingersoll of last evening's game in the intermediate series between Ingersoll and Tillsonburg unintentionally forgot to mention one of the main facts contributing to the locals' defeat. M. Hamilton, in goal, who served four years overseas, was seriously hurt in the left arm, severing a large artery and requiring several stitches to close the wound. His injury will be a severe setback to the Intermediates, as it is very likely the injury will lay him off playing for the winter. Paris Intermediates play here on Friday evening, and every effort is being made to have an efficient goalkeeper in shape for the game.

Shirk and Masters; centre, Schnarr; right wing, Krug; L. W. Leroux; spares, Brown, Stewart and Jamieson. Referee—C. Lightfoot.

Locals Beat Paris 11-4 in Opener

London Juniors Play Stellar Brand of Hockey Before One Thousand Fans in O. H. O. Preliminary.

The local Juniors opened the O. H. A. season here last night before a thousand fans with a 11-4 victory over the green-shirted youths from Paris, and provided the aforementioned fans with a solid hour of tip-top hockey. The locals did not look as good in spots last night as they looked on their first appearance, but their form was good enough for the visitors, over whom they held the big stick throughout the season.

The game opened up slowly, and worked up to a whirlwind finish. Neither team showed any team work, but what little was shown was displayed by the locals. The visitors had, according to supporters, only a few nicks together, and the manner in which they ambled around each other—but usually in the way of the puck—bore out the statement. What they lacked in team work, they made up with a slashing style of stick wielding and a willingness to stick with the puck and mix it. Porter was the most effective man they had on the ice, with Shugrue and Carrouth acting as the bad pair of the drama. McGuire was good when he wasn't lucky, which he often was.

Pring and Burgess. Logan as usual played a steady and at times brilliant game for the local youngsters, but the feature of the evening was the improvement in both Burgess and Pring's game. Burgess especially, made rushes time after time right through the green shirts, and combined when there was a chance. Pring bore in and was in on every play, but failed to get away with any effectiveness.

In the first period it looked like a one-sided affair with the locals right in on visitors' goal, but the only close ones went off the posts. Burgess notched the first counter for locals in ten minutes. Porter came back after our minutes with visitors' first. Logan cut down several times, and the whole line went in once on the lone goal, but Logan missed the shot. He, however, came back with the second in six minutes, and a minute after, Carrouth from a mix-up beat McGuire for London's third.

The second period started off like a goal-a-minute. Logan notched locals' fourth, Pring after combining with Burgess heaped on the fifth, Burgess from a mix-up following a face off in front of the Paris goal got London's sixth. Burgess and Pring kept up the rate with two more. Coach Munro shook the team up, and Paris found out about it, with the result that Crouth slipped in visitors' second in nine minutes and Porter beat Burgess for an easy one from centre ice a minute after. Porter was the most effective man they had on the ice, with Shugrue and Carrouth acting as the bad pair of the drama. McGuire was good when he wasn't lucky, which he often was.

Thirty seconds after the face off, Pring slipped one into visitors' nets, and after some slap-bang hockey Burgess took a pass from Logan for London's tenth. Quennville tried several rushes, and Burgess had to look hard for several. Arscott and Quennville combined nicely, but ineffectively before Logan ambled down and made it a good night's work with the eleventh. Bill Eason of Stratford handled the game, but allowed too much looseness at times. Several of the visitors had nasty habits of winding up with their sticks, and after some slap-bang hockey Burgess took a pass from Logan for London's tenth. Quennville tried several rushes, and Burgess had to look hard for several. Arscott and Quennville combined nicely, but ineffectively before Logan ambled down and made it a good night's work with the eleventh.

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STRATFORD JUNIORS PILE UP 13-4 SCORE ON GALT SEXTET

GALT, Dec. 30.—Before the largest crowd that has been in Galt rink since pre-war days, Stratford Juniors, who have fond hopes of winning the championship, in which they are somewhat justified by their performance tonight, defeated the local boys in the tune of 13 to 4 in a fast and hard-fought game. The winners outclassed the locals' team play and speed and also had the advantage in weight. Berger, the former New Hamburg boy, is the fastest junior hockey player ever seen on the local ice, outstripping even his own teammates. He netted several goals on lone rushes. Ketterborne and Carson, two fast wing men, were next. The score by periods was 5-2, 9-2, 12-4.

Skelly, the fastest defenseman of the local sextette and one of the stars of the team, will be out of the game for some time. In a tumble a Stratford player, in going over him, struck the Galt player with his skate, tearing the ligaments and fracturing a rib. He was badly missed. Bell, on the left wing, and Himes in goal started for the locals, although Gardner put up a good defence game, using his weight effectively. Every man on the local team is a home brew and, while beaten tonight, fans were not disappointed with their showing, since hockey is only being revived here and this is the first time the boys have played together.

The line-up: Stratford—Goal, Galt; defence, Baird, Porter, L. Defence, McCutcheon; centre, Logan; Shugrue, R. W., Carrouth, Moore. Subs, McKay, Arscott. Referee—W. Eason, Stratford.

Off the Boards

One thing last night's game showed was that Coach Munro's original pick for the local junior team shot very close to the mark. Arscott and McKay showed up well last night, but the team looks better as it starts away from any other shak-ups.

Biggs was on the job last night, though the ones that did get by him were of the easy variety. He was well covered by Mays and Quenny, who stick together like two leeches in the defence. They showed a perfect defence several times last evening.

The local forward line will stand a little more combination grilling. The slap-bang style of play displayed by the Paris team sort of milled up the locals' style, and they didn't display anything like the team work they did against St. Marys.

Last night's game was interfered with considerably by the pail of smoke which overhung the ice right from the start of the first period. In the second period, it was the puck, and twice the last of the game, it looked more like a smoke barrage than a hockey game.

Whoever handles the game at Paris between the locals and the green shirts will have to have four pairs of eyes. The visitors are doing little or nothing, but several of them lay it on too hard for comfort.

Referee Eason pulled a boner when he put Pring off with Shugrue, after the latter had taken a full-circle swing at the London boy's ankle, and the blow had arrived. He just heard the noise and saw the poster-pose of the two, and waved both to the penalty box.

Eddie Oatman has been elected captain of the Victoria team on the Pacific Coast. He is the only right-handed shooter on the line.

The Northern League this year should provide a great hockey program in all the series, especially in the northern division where the O. H. A. entries are not duplicated. With practically the same team that had its hands on the O. H. A. intermediate rag for two years and won the Northern honors last year, the league looks very good again.

Bob Simmie and Gilder are the absentees this year. Both Allan and Dad Ashley are on the team, but who else plays these two can be depended upon to make any team look good.

Listowel, despite the fact that their new rink was partially blown down, will have a real contender this year—in fact, two of them.

Cully Rucker still wears skates and is playing his 'steenth year of league hockey. Reports say that he may have slowed up a little, but he has a few more tricks that beat Father Time.

Tillsonburg, by the pace they are traveling this far, will certainly give the local juniors a battle in their little two-game schedule in the Northern League. St. Thomas and Woodstock teams have already been eaten up by the youthful Pan Dried.

The great overtime battle staged by the Paris green shirts brings to mind a team that probably owns the long-distance clinging record. For years the same line-up practically has been appearing, giving the appearance of a great battle. Even in this year's line-up there is only one change, and his name is Galt. As long as there is ice Galt-Paris will be in there.

Grantes are strengthening up for the senior race. Their two latest acquisitions are Duce Richardson and Jack Spratt, the former St. Michael's midjet star.

Dents are not being given the championship on a platter, by the appearance of things now. Their superiority over Kitchener and Grantes was not impressive enough to make their season's path look the score of a billiard tournament.

MIDLAND JUNIORS OPEN O. H. A. SEASON WITH WIN
MIDLAND, Dec. 30.—Midland Juniors defeated Bradford here tonight in the first O. H. A. game played in Midland this season. At the finish the score was 5 to 2. Midland 14. The line-up: Midland—Goal, Gardiner; defence, Hambley, Cresson, R. D., Evans, Taylor, R. W., Letherby, Webb, L. W., Wallace, McLeod, Sub, Gardiner. Referee—McKinnon, Victoria Harbor.

HERMAN MATCHED FOR 10 ROUNDS WITH RITCHIE
NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 30.—Pete Hermann of New Orleans, bantam-weight champion, and Johnnie Ritchie of Chicago, will meet here January 7 in a ten-round bout. Articles were signed today.

YALE TEAM LOSES TO HAMILTON TIGERS

HAMILTON, Dec. 30.—Yale's touring hockey team got its first taste of the Canadian six-man game at the local arena tonight, the Tigers taking them into camp by a score of 9 to 5. A fair-sized crowd was present to witness the exhibition which was closer than the score would indicate. Yale was ahead 2 to 1 at the end of the first period, but the Tigers went to the front in the second period, which closed 5 to 2 in their favor. In the last period the Tigers banged in four more counters, while the students were registering two tallies.

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Jan. 15—Ripley at Lucknow.
Jan. 16—Clinton at Wingham.
Jan. 19—Brussels at Clinton.
Jan. 20—Wingham at Lucknow.
Jan. 23—Lucknow at Brussels.
Jan. 25—Ripley at Clinton.
Jan. 27—Wingham at Ripley.
Jan. 29—Brussels at Wingham.
Feb. 3—Lucknow at Ripley.
Feb. 6—Clinton at Wingham.
Feb. 10—Clinton at Wingham.
Feb. 13—Ripley at Brussels.
Wingham at Clinton.

JUNIOR SERIES—GROUP 2

Jan. 13—Wingham at Clinton.
Jan. 23—Clinton at Wingham.
Jan. 26—Wingham at Clinton.
Feb. 4—Clinton at Wingham.

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"Seeing by the papers that Tanlac was helping so many others who were in a rundown condition, and thinking it might help me to get on my feet, I bought a bottle. Well, I may sound exaggerated, but it's the truth, after taking my fourth dose of Tanlac I could tell it was what I needed and was going to do the work, and I have been gaining ground ever since. Why, I never ate more than fifty cents' worth of food a week before I got Tanlac, but now I want to eat all the time and no matter what kind of food is set before me, I enjoy it. I have just finished my first bottle of Tanlac and I am feeling well enough already to go back to work. Tanlac beats anything I have ever seen or heard about it; it is no more like other medicines I have used than day is like night. Before taking it my nerves were so shattered that I could never get a good night's sleep, but now I sleep like a log. I also had the worst kind of headaches, but they have been broken up entirely. Tanlac is simply making a new man of me, and I honestly believe it's the best medicine in the world, and anyone who gives it a trial will be convinced."

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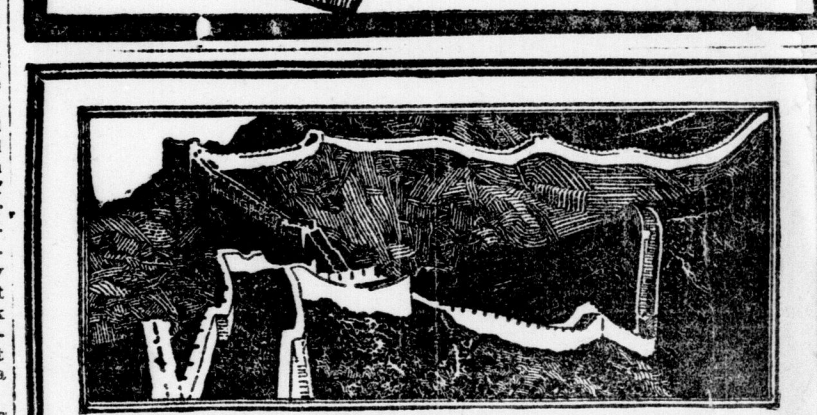
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BORN, MARRIED, DIED

MARRIED.
FENWICK—DAVIDSON, On Dec. 24, 1919, by Rev. Geo. McKinley, Cora K. Davidson to William W. Fenwick, both of this city.
ROUTLY—BILLINGTON, On Christmas Day, at St. Matthew's Church, by the Rev. H. B. Ashby, Florence Billington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Billington, 658 William street, London, Ont., to William F. Routly of Windsor, Ont.
DIED.
COPPIN—At Byron Sanatorium, on Tuesday, Dec. 30, 1919, Harris Coppin, aged 77 years.
Funeral will leave Geo. E. Logan's undertaking parlors on Friday, Jan. 2, 1920, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 94c
MASON—At Victoria Hospital, on Saturday, December 27, 1919, Ada, dearly beloved wife of Ernest Mason, in her 38th year.
Funeral private from the family residence, 20 May street, on Thursday, January 1, 1920, at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 94c
MATTHEWS—At his late residence, 25 Kitchener avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 30, 1919, David T. Matthews, beloved husband of Anna Matthews, aged 63 years.
Funeral (private) from the above address on Thursday, Jan. 1, 1920, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 3 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. 94c
TALT—On Wednesday, December 31, 1919, Alexander M. Talt, beloved husband of Henrietta Talt, aged 60 years.
Funeral private, from the residence of Mrs. J. Jackson, 157 Delaware street, on Friday afternoon, service at 2 p.m.; interment at Woodland Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS

St. Paul's Cathedral
There will be a WATCHNIGHT SERVICE on Wednesday, December 31, beginning at a quarter past eleven and closing shortly after 12.
TONIGHT 11 O'CLOCK.
Watch Night Service
First Methodist Church.
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Watch-Night
Service
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"THE VEILED ADVENTURE"

New Year's Day attraction at the Majestic Theatre. Also showing on Friday and Saturday. This photo comedy heads big holiday bill.



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After their regular meeting on Tuesday evening the Great War Veterans' Association listened to the various candidates for municipal offices in the coming election.

Henry B. Ashplant, who was chosen as mayoralty candidate by the soldier-labor convention, explained his platform, and his stand on various municipal matters.

Dr. Cameron Wilson, who is running for alderman in ward 2, declared that it was most important that the Memorial Hall bylaw be passed. Better would it be, he thought, if every soldier-labor candidate be defeated, and the bylaw passed than that the men be elected and the bylaw defeated.

J. P. Thompson, aldermanic candidate in ward 4, stated that he was qualified for the position he sought, as he had served fourteen years on the council of an English municipality. One fault he found with the present council was that it refused extension of the soldiers' insurance. At the time that it was voted on in the council, H. B. Ashplant and F. R. Watkinson were the only councillors who supported it.

Would Benefit Men.
John Ashplant, S. L. candidate for alderman in Ward 3, declared that a "meaner concern never lived on God's earth" than the street railway company. On one occasion it had given the men an increase of one-third of a cent per hour. He asked that the voters vote for increased fares as it would benefit 258 employees, especially the 220 married men, some of whom had as many as nine children.

Gordon Ingram spoke in favor of the soldiers' memorial hall. Col. Coles thought that the hall should be built on the Spencer Block. He was also in favor of the town-planning bylaw and the reservoir bylaw. The colonel declared that he believed in spending money while we were here as we would be a long time dead.

H. W. Ashley, who is running for alderman in Ward 1, H. Watkinson, alderman, Ward 4; F. R. Watkinson, alderman, Ward 3; Ald. C. G. Moorhead, Ward 4; D. Eggert, board of education, Capt. Fletcher and P. B. Lavender, board of education, also addressed the gathering.

Capt. Chester Butler was in the chair.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CANADIAN PACIFIC WILL ONLY WITHDRAW THE "TRANS-CANADA."

Owing to improvement in the coal situation, the alterations in train service and the temporary withdrawals advertised as effective January 3 and 4, will not be made with one exception, viz.: The "Trans-Canada," which will be temporarily withdrawn after Dec. 31. Particulars from ticket agents or H. J. McCallum, city passenger agent, London.

MARY PICKFORD IN "HEART O' THE HILLS" AT THE GRAND

Today Last Day of Current Vaudeville Bill.

If Steve Honeycutt and Widow Hawn had followed the advice of their children, Mary Pickford wouldn't be able to offer such a wonderful picture as "Heart O' The Hills," which will be shown at the Grand today and for the remainder of the week.

As Mavis Hawn, Miss Pickford takes the part of a Kentucky mountain girl at war with certain factors which she knows nothing of, and determined at least to put an end to all time to the whippings which her mother has been liberally inflicting.

A love tale is interwoven in the plot about a mountain feud of long standing, and the story affords Miss Pickford ample opportunity to score such triumphs as characterized "Daddy Long-legs" and "The Hoodlum," her previous attractions from her own studios.

Mavis and her sweetheart, Jason Honeycutt, oppose the marriage of their parents for the reason that Honeycutt's prime motive is prompted by a desire to secure Widow Hawn's valuable coal lands. The children, when grown, fire a double shot that ends Honeycutt's life, when they find he is responsible for the murder of Mavis's father.

The excellent vaudeville bill to be presented at the Grand for the last time today will be headed by Snapshots of 1919, a Broadway musical revue, with Julian Hall as the star, surrounded by a bevy of beautiful singing and dancing girls, who keep the audience busy noting the wonderful costume changes, smart dances and ensemble singing numbers as they disport themselves throughout the offering. Lucy Gillett, billed as "The Girl from Deloit," offers an extraordinary juggling novelty. Knight and Gail, harmony singers, Ken and Wagner in a singing and dancing offering, and Fields and Wells, singing comedians, will conclude the bill.

PREMIER DRURY IS CRITICISED BY G. W. V. A.

Members of the local Great War Veterans' Association at their regular general meeting last night went on record as being strongly opposed to the recent action of the Drury Government in ignoring the veterans and appointing a woman to the position of registrar of East and North Middlesex. It was claimed that there are 50 men here who are capable and willing to fill the office. The Government will be asked to reconsider its action. The resolution was moved and seconded by Comrades B. Devlin and Simas.

Juvenile courts were favored. Comrades Alfred Pugh and J. A. Maguire presented a resolution, which was passed, to the effect that the proper authorities be asked to establish a juvenile court here as has been done in Toronto.

Since a year ago the membership of the organization had increased from 1,000 to 2,000. Widows' claims to the amount of \$5,000 had been secured. Secretary J. W. Cumfitt wished it known that the association still supports the claims of all widows and orphans of soldiers.

One hundred pairs of socks were donated by the Red Cross for distribution, as New Year's gifts among the veterans.

A resolution of sympathy to the soldiers still in hospital wishing them a better new year was passed.

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Dean of the Board of Education

Trustee Rowe's Friends Predict He Will Head the Polls.

Mr. Thomas Rowe, the well-known school trustee longer than any other member at present on the board of education. Few more useful trustees ever sat on this important board. His friends confidently predict that he will lead the polls on Thursday next. Mr. Rowe has been a most painstaking and conscientious trustee. He has served as chairman of all the important committees and was chairman of the board itself in 1917. Few members are so conversant with the needs of the schools and the procedures of the board as is Trustee Rowe. It was his desire to retire from the board this year, but he consented to serve again only at the persistent solicitation of his fellow-members of the board and a large number of citizens. The city is fortunate in having such men as Trustee Rowe to serve on a public body, which represents one of the largest civic spending departments.

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The Fair Is the Property of All the People.

A Bigger Western Fair Means A Bigger, Better London

Exhibition Expansion Is a Good Sign For London.

To the Women Electors of London:

The approaching municipal elections will place upon you as a woman voter a distinct responsibility for the way you cast your ballot. As a woman voter you are bound to consider the interests of the home, the family, the children. Affect any of these and you affect the whole life of the community.

The contest for the Mayoralty in London this year has come to an issue between two forces. My opponent, an open champion of Socialistic doctrines in the past, is seeking to conceal his leanings in the present elections when he is presenting himself as the candidate of one particular class of the community. Among those associated with him are men of like views having scarcely a stake in the country who are avowedly class representatives and who are aiming to secure control of London's affairs.

I have placed myself before the people of London as a candidate for the Mayoralty, representing not one class, but all classes; not as the candidate of an extremist group, but holding firmly to principles of justice and fair play, equal rights to all and favors to none.

As a woman voter you know which of these two policies will be the best for the home, the family and the children growing up. Are we in London to be divided into classes warring one with another or are we to stand shoulder to shoulder, working with one mind to make London a better and bigger city?

As the candidate of all classes, bound by no ties or pledges, but those I have openly championed as tending to benefit the city as a whole, I appeal to you for your vote in the coming elections.

Yours respectfully,
E. S. Little.

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Please phone on Thursday and let us know if you wish a car to take you to the Polls.

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