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CITY HOME BANK SHAREHOLDERS LOSE \$100,000

Today Coldest This Year, Mercury Hovers at Zero Point

LONDONERS WILL SUFFER BIG LOSS IN BANK ACTION

Shareholders in City Expected To Lose Over \$100,000.

DOUBLE OBLIGATION

C. N. Spencer Sees No Chance of Government Assuming Complete Loss.

Shareholders of the Home Bank in London will lose more than \$100,000 through the failure of the defunct institution. One citizen alone will drop as much as \$40,000, according to reports.

Major T. J. Murphy, of Murphy, Gunn & Murphy, barristers, and C. Norman Spencer, Dufferin avenue, declared today there was not the remotest chance of shareholders being relieved of their liability. Mr. Spencer, it is understood, took out many shares of stock six months before the bank failed, and he will be one of the heaviest sufferers in a financial way.

"I believe the loss will be more than \$100,000," Mr. Spencer said. "I am informed by Toronto authorities that shareholders may as well prepare to meet their double obligation, for it will be enforced, make no mistake about that. I purchased my shares six months before the crash and only received one dividend."

Mr. Spencer added that all possibility of the government assuming the complete loss had long ago disappeared. His opinion was, however, that Ottawa should shoulder all responsibility for the failure, because the preceding administration had been warned repeatedly that the Home Bank was in difficulties.

"Of course the shareholders will know no man," Major Murphy said. "I have to pay in the city who took out \$20,000 in shares six months before the crash. The total loss will be more than \$100,000."

The major said London was harder hit than many other cities. Several shareholders with big holdings will have to meet about \$70,000 of the total. These men are well-to-do, so the hardship will not be so marked. But the smaller shareholders, those owning \$1,000 and \$500 stock, will find the double liability a tremendous burden.

It is understood Catholics of the city hold more than 60 per cent of the aggregate number of shares owned by Londoners.

TWO ARE FINED AS DISORDERLIES

Constable Testifies He Finds Four People Sleeping in One Room.

Conditions prevailing in some foreign countries were discovered by Sergeant Oakley two nights ago. At three o'clock this morning he scolded on 421 Clarence street and arrested four people who were sleeping in one room. Those appearing in court today and charged with living in a disorderly manner were Harry Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lancaster and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith.

Lancaster was fined \$25 and costs or 21 days in jail. Davidson was assessed \$10 and costs; Mrs. Smith was remanded to jail, while Mrs. Lancaster was discharged.

Oakley said Lancaster, his wife and Mrs. Smith were occupying one bed, while Davidson was sleeping in a cot. The lights went out at 1:30 and after listening at the door to some conversation, he walked into the room with Constable Burgess. Davidson told the court he had 36 girls under his charge at Byron San. There was no stain on his character, he declared.

"Well, there is now," commented the court.

Mrs. Lancaster said Mrs. Smith had been rooming with her because she had no place to go. The two women stood together, clasping each other's hands nervously. Mrs. Smith had one arm around Mrs. Lancaster and harked to part when the latter walked out the door free, while the cell door stood open for her.

Lancaster did not offer any evidence.

BUILDING INCREASES.

The January building record shows substantial increases, with ten construction permits issued for work, estimated roughly at \$12,000.

THE WEATHER

WEATHER.
Strong northerly winds, partly cloudy, becoming colder, snow flurries.
Sunday: Very cold; Monday, becoming milder.



DR. C. H. REASON, who it is expected will become a member of the board of governors at the University of Western Ontario.

PROPOSAL DOESN'T ENTHUSE LAWYERS

Think Present Method of Picking Crown Attorneys Suitable.

Members of the London Bar Association interviewed by The Advertiser today regarding Mayor Weniger's proposal to have prospective crown attorneys recommended by the Bar Association to the local M.L.A. were not particularly enthusiastic. They were satisfied with the present method, which means that the man getting the job must be a stalwart supporter of the political party in power. This party would see to it that no weak lawyer was appointed, the legal fraternity state.

"I think a good deal of attention is paid to the opinion of the local bar," stated J. M. McEvoy, K.C. "It is not badly handled at the present time. There is no dissatisfaction with the present method as far as I know."

Other prominent lawyers expressed opinions of a similar nature.

DISTRICT ATTRACTS TAXICAB CONCERN

U. S. Firm Would Assemble Machines For Sale in Britain.

Prospects for a greater industrial expansion during 1924 are excellent, according to those who have interested themselves in this phase of the city's activities.

One of the members of the industrial area commission stated, as an instance, he had been informed concerning a certain American firm engaged in the manufacture of taxicabs, was seeking location in this section of the province. It is purpose would be to assemble this type of machine for sale in the British Isles.

London's desirable features will be presented to the officials of this concern.

COSTLY TO BRING BACK HUSBANDS

In One Case \$750 Was Spent To Extradite Deserting Husband.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, Jan. 4.—To bring one husband back from Alberta, \$750 was spent, then the judge let him go on suspended sentence. This is a sample of the difficulties in the way of extraditing deserting husbands, says George H. Corbett, secretary of the Society for the Protection of Women.

Although the law allows the extradition of fugitive husbands, it costs about \$500 to bring them back.

The remedy is for the police authorities to treat desertion of a family like any other crime and to track down and bring back a deserter just as they track down a forger, and prosecute him out of public funds.

FIFTY-FIVE COMMERCIAL FAILURES REPORTED

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Jan. 5.—Fifty-five commercial failures were reported in the Dominion during the week ending yesterday, compared with 76 for the same week of last year, according to the report of R. G. Dun & Co. today. Nineteen of this week's failures occurred in Quebec province, 15 in Ontario, seven in British Columbia, six in Manitoba, five in Saskatchewan, two in Nova Scotia, and one in New Brunswick.

WEST COAL RATE COULD BE REDUCED TO \$5.50 TON

J. D. Butler, Toronto Engineer, Investigates Situation For Coal Dealers.

TWO TRAINS A WEEK

William Buchanan Reports the Demand Continues For Alberta Fuel.

A freight rate of \$5.55 a ton on Alberta coal shipped to Ontario is economically possible according to J. D. Butler, Toronto engineer, who has been investigating the situation on behalf of coal dealers. William Buchanan of the Buchanan Coal Company stated today that Mr. Butler had arrived at this conclusion after an exhaustive survey.

"By purchasing new cars with increased freight capacity, extra large engines, and by using two trains a week for the purpose of transporting Alberta coal, the price should come down to \$5.55 a ton, according to Mr. Butler," Mr. Buchanan said. "A wonderful demand has been registered by householders and manufacturers from Windsor to Quebec. If I could get it I would take 50 cars a week. We have called every day from customers demanding Alberta coal."

At the nine-dollar rate proposed by Sir Henry Thornton, it would not be possible to retail the fuel for much less than \$14 a ton Mr. Buchanan stated. Several engineers have reported on the freight conditions, however, and all have decided that it would be possible for the C. N. R. to transport the coal for less than a maximum rate of \$7.

"At this time the railway executive cannot make money shipping western fuel at \$7 perhaps, owing to the severe weather," Mr. Buchanan said, "but about the middle of February I expect the freight rate to come down. When it does our company will order as many carloads as can be furnished."

RUSSIAN CREWS RESCUE SAILORS FROM CONEJOS

Associated Press Despatch. Liverpool, Jan. 5.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Post, cabling under yesterday's date, says the captain of the U. S. steamer Winona, which has just arrived at the Turkish city, reports that two Russian boats rescued the crew of the U. S. Shipping Board steamer Conejos, which has been reported lost in the Black Sea.

The message adds that the Conejos struck a floating mine 130 miles off a port on the Russian coast of the Black Sea Friday of last week.

Archaeologists To Explore Prehistoric Indian Villages

Work Expected To Be Carried Out Thoroughly Next Summer.

MAY COME TO CITY

What are supposed to be prehistoric Indian village sites in and near London, are expected to be thoroughly explored this summer by archaeologists from the Royal Victoria Museum in Ottawa.

J. D. Reynolds, who expects part of his property in London West was once the home of the ancient Attawandaron tribe of Indians, said today that efforts were being made to have W. J. Wintemberg, Canadian archaeologist, come to the city early next summer to carry on excavations.

Mr. Wintemberg was in London last summer with several other archaeologists, and carried on explorations on the farms of Ray Lawson and George McComb, several miles northwest of the city. Much valuable historical information was unearthed, all of which was taken to Ottawa for examination.

Mr. Reynolds has on many occasions found old human bones and pottery a few feet below the surface of his property, and it is his belief that during the past few years. Local archaeologists say the Port Stanley site was not the home of the Attawandaron tribe, but rather a more warlike tribe such as the Chippewas or Hurons.

SECOND FIREMAN MAY SUCCUMB TO INJURIES

Quebec, Jan. 5.—The woolen company fire of Thursday night may claim the life of a second fireman. Fireman Turcotte of No. 1 station, who was hurled off his ladder and through a plate glass window, is reported to be in a serious condition at the St. Francois D'Assise Hospital, with the doctors refusing to pronounce upon his chances of recovery. Fireman Renaud was instantly killed when the wall collapsed.



BYRDEN N. CAMPBELL, who is mentioned as the probable chairman of the 1924 Board of Education. Mr. Campbell was re-elected to that body at the recent election after having served two years.

COLD WAVE SAVES PARIS FROM FLOOD

Frosty Weather Is Welcomed by People of French Capital.

SUBURBS SUFFER

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, Jan. 5.—The retaining wall at the entrance of the Invalides railroad station collapsed for a distance of 100 feet this morning, and the water from the nearby Seine immediately rushed in. The station has been closed since Tuesday because of danger from the flood. The few watchmen in the structure heard the wall crumbling and escaped.

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, Jan. 5.—The spell of frosty weather that set in yesterday after so many days of rain seems likely to last, increasing the hope that the end of the Seine flood is well in sight.

The frost came in the nick of time, for the water, filtering through the porous soil, had begun to fill cellars on the Champs Elysee.

The situation in the suburbs of Paris is somewhat different and a calamity. Suburbs which have suffered most are adjacent to the confluence of the Marne and the Seine at the very gates of Paris. They are populated entirely by workers. The water exploded a stock of carbide calcium in a garage at Ivry, igniting 2,000 gallons of gasoline and oil in the reservoirs.

DR. ROUTLEDGE'S FUNERAL HELD

Remains of Well-Known Physician Are Laid to Rest This Afternoon.

The funeral of Dr. George Routledge, prominent Ontario physician and ex-M.L.A. for East Middlesex, who died Thursday night at his home following a lengthy illness, was held this afternoon from his late residence, Edgeton in Lambeth.

The funeral was largely attended by many Western Ontario physicians, who had known him in the last years of his life. Dr. Routledge was a well-known physician of Western Ontario and several provincial members paid the last respects to the well-known physician this afternoon. The funeral was conducted by members of the Mocha Temple of the Mystic Shrine of which Dr. Routledge was illustrious potentate.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Kiley of Centralia and Rev. Mr. Jefferson of Lambeth. Interment was made at Woodland Cemetery.

REGRET IS EXPRESSED FOR ANNOYANCE CAUSED

Certain unpleasantness has resulted from an article appearing in The Advertiser on Jan. 3, regarding the family of Mrs. C. Stockwell.

No interview for publication was given by Mrs. Stockwell and The Advertiser wishes to express its regret for the circumstances and for the annoyance thus caused.

CHIEF WARNS AGAINST USE OF FLAME IN PIPE THAWING

Head of the Fire Department Claims Many Blazes Are Avoidable.

NEED FOR CAUTION

Electric Heaters and Coal Oil Stoves Must Be Handled Judiciously.

If a pipe should freeze, don't try to thaw it out with a candle or a flame. Don't over-fire your stove. Be careful of all electric heaters and coal oil stoves.

These are warnings issued by Fire Chief John Aitken this morning, who states that if citizens would adhere to these few rules London would not have any winter fires.

According to Chief Aitken, the greatest number of fires occur during extremely cold weather. "Hundreds of fires have been raging all over the United States and Canada for the past week," said the chief. "These are directly attributable to negligence in cold weather."

The chief pointed out that cobwebs and other inflammable material generally surround pipes. Should a pipe become frozen, he explained that it would be disastrous to try and thaw it out with a flame. Electric and coal oil stoves should not be placed adjacent to inflammable material, he said, and furnaces should not be fired up too quickly.

FATHER WHIPS BOY AND DEATH RESULTS

Western Canada Farmer Now Faces Murder Charge—Daughter Also Whipped.

Canadian Press Despatch. Calgary, Jan. 4.—Two hours after he had been beaten into unconsciousness by a horsewhip at the hands of his father, Billy Hillsbeck, six-year-old son of William Hillsbeck, died this morning.

Mary Hillsbeck, ten-year-old daughter, who, according to the police, was also whipped into unconsciousness by her father, is in a serious condition and doubts are entertained for her recovery. The father faces a murder charge.

According to the police, Hillsbeck lost his temper when his two children hid the key of his violin case and refused to tell him where it was hidden. He took a whip, threatened to beat them till they did. He is said to have whipped both children alternately for a short while, in the afternoon, and then he whipped them till they fell unconscious.

SEVEN LOSE LIVES AS SHIP SINKS

Entire Crew of Schooner Donald Silver Is Lost During Atlantic Gale.

Canadian Press Despatch. Halifax, N. S., Jan. 5.—The entire crew of seven men of the schooner Donald Silver are believed to have lost their lives when the vessel foundered during a gale while en route from Curling, Newfoundland, to Gloucester, Massachusetts, with a cargo of herring, according to a special despatch from Curling reaching the Evening Echo this morning.

Five bodies have been recovered to date. The crew consisted of the following: Captain Joseph Hackett, married, with seven small children; James Hackett, single; John Hackett, single; Leon Wheeler, single; all of Bay of Islands, Newfoundland; and Harold Swyers, married, and Bert Swyers, single, of Bay St. George. It is now believed that the wreckage reported as having drifted ashore at Fichels, St. Georges Bay, in a St. John's despatch of last night, was from the Silver.

Can Europe Hold Together?

STANDARDS of living—the whole social structure—are sliding to chaos in Europe. Amazing things are happening, and happening so swiftly that we of this country and of this generation can not visualize them.

Can Europe hold together? Can the men and women of the Old World stick things until readjustment is accomplished? Or will the New World, too, be dragged into Europe's wreckage?

These things are worth thinking about. They mean your existence and your neighbor's.

JOHN F. SINCLAIR has written twenty articles for The Advertiser. He calls them: "Can Europe Hold Together?" They contain information that is as fascinating as fiction. They deal with gigantic, stupendous forces so simply that you do not have to be an economics expert to understand them.

Mr. Sinclair spent five months in Europe to secure reliable data. He visited sixteen countries; talked with premiers, cabinet ministers, soldiers, workers. Mr. Sinclair knows, and he has the gift of expressing his knowledge.

THESE twenty articles will appear daily on The Advertiser's editorial page, commencing on Tuesday.

They are recommended to you as one of the most interesting and constructive features in many months.

Story of Evil Is Unfolded By Woman In Police Court Following Arrest of Six

Margaret Cowan Declares Her Husband Left Her and Married Again.

REMANDED FOR WEEK

Action Follows Raid in Ridout Street House by Constable.

It has been some time since the old police court walls have listened to such a tale as that unfolded today by Mrs. Margaret Pietrangolo, who has been living under her maiden name of Margaret Cowan. The girl, who is but 18, is pretty as a picture, and without an evil line in her face. Nevertheless, the story she unfolded to the court drew horrified comments from the magistrate.

Miss Cowan, as she preferred to be called, was arrested with three other women and two men at the home of Harry Price, 353 1/2 Ridout street, at 1:20 this morning. All were charged with disorderly conduct.

"My husband is living in Toronto," stated the girl. "He's married again. He committed bigamy, I guess, 'cause he didn't get a divorce before getting married in Toronto. I have one baby dead and one living. The second one is not by my husband, and that was what he wanted. He wanted to get something on me."

"Horrible," said Mr. Graydon, in shocked tones.

Mrs. Price said the girl and her father had boarded with her some time ago and had gone to Toronto. She had come back for a time, but wished she would go away because she was going around with her son, William Keating.

"I've been trying to keep her straight," said Mrs. Price. "I had her child adopted."

A niece, Violet Taylor, also 18, said she was the person that had done the swearing that called the officers' attention to the house. She will be sent back to the C. N. R. for a week, while Mrs. Price and a girl boarder were discharged.

Harry Price and William Keating were each fined \$10 and costs.

NEW POLES ARE BEING ERECTED

New poles are being erected by the public utilities commission on York street, from Ridout to the river in an effort to make the street more attractive. The old poles, of which there are considerable, will be taken down as soon as possible.

PRELIMINARY HEARING GIVEN WILLIAM LENT

Canadian Press Despatch. Digby, N.S., Jan. 5.—Preliminary hearing was held here yesterday of the charge against William Lent, 62 year-old carpenter, of having detained Bertha Potter, 22, former almshouse waif in his home for nine years during the last five of which she declares she has not crossed the threshold of his house.

Evidence was given by Mrs. George Potter who stated that Bertha was her foster child whom she had not seen since 1915. Mrs. Potter said that Lent had asked permission in 1914 to marry the girl providing he could obtain a divorce from his wife. This permission had been refused. Soon after Bertha disappeared and search for her had been given up.

Neither Lent nor the girl appeared on the witness stand.

BECK THINKS STEAM PLANT MAY BE BUILT AT LAKE PORT

Hydro Chief Believes Port Stanley One of Points Favored.

CHOICE NOT DEFINITE

Experts Now at Work Considering the Plan and Location.

Port Stanley's chances to secure a big steam plant as an auxiliary for the Ontario Hydro-Electric power enterprises, are just as good as any other port on the lakes, judging from remarks today from Sir Adam Beck, M. L. A., and general chairman of the commission.

Sir Adam points out that while Port Stanley has been referred to upon several occasions recently, with two other places, as a suitable location for the establishment of a steam plant, no definite choice can be made until the scheme is ready for presentation and final approval.

Competent experts are now surveying the situation. Sir Adam reports—the best possible authorities are on the work and they will submit a report to the hydro commission as to the feasibility of Sir Adam's plan, the probable cost, etc., and the best location for one or more plants.

The member for London explains that it would be unwise to give out any further statements until the final report is submitted to the commission, but he insists, however, that Port Stanley's situation will be allotted its fair share of consideration. There are many questions to be considered.

It is generally conceded, however, that Port Stanley's location places in foremost amongst the possibilities.

ICE MAN STARTS TO WORK AGAIN

Cutting Will Commence at the Coves Next Week, After Snow Is Cleared.

How would you like to be the ice man?

The men who make it easy for you to enjoy cooling drinks in the good old summer time are now taking preliminary steps to insure a large supply of ice for the coming season.

Phinn Bros. started in this morning to clear the snow from the Coves and will start to cut ice next week.

The ice today was not strong enough to hold some of the fat men on the job, who received wet feet when the ice cracked under them.

COLDER WEATHER STILL IN SIGHT

Mercury Creeps to Two Above in Early Hours of the Morning.

Citizens this morning were obliged to repulse the onslaughts of real Arctic temperature. Winter secured a firmer grip on the city when the thermometer dropped two degrees and the mercury crept down to the lowest point this winter. Zero weather is threatened with the mercury level at two degrees above zero. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded for the 12 hours previous to 5 o'clock this morning were: Highest, 16 above, and lowest, 2 above.

PERMANENT POST SAID REAL NEED

J. W. Cunliffe Recommended as Housing Commission Collector.

It will be necessary for the housing commissioners to appoint a permanent collector, city authorities state.

J. W. Cunliffe is recommended for that post. For that reason, evidently, he was not reappointed to the housing commission for 1924 by the city council last night.

"It will become necessary to appoint some person permanently to make the regular collections of the payments on the city's houses," City Treasurer Bell explained, "and I understand Mr. Cunliffe is in line for that post."

"U" INVESTIGATES EXODUS OF YOUNG MEN TO STATES

A report from the investigating committee of the University of Western Ontario inquiring into the reasons for the exodus of London citizens to the United States is expected to be made public shortly. A meeting of those interested in the problem was held recently and a number were appointed to probe the situation. The university representatives are looking into the problem as it affects the young men of London, who, it is said, have gone to Detroit and other American cities by the hundreds.

STILL HALE AND HEARTY.

Bishop W. D. Reeve, of Toronto, has just celebrated his 80th birthday in the best of health.

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NEAR WOULD COMPLETE TOWN PLANNING REPORT

ENGINEER NEAR WANTS PLANNING REPORTS READY

Believes City Would Benefit by Surveys Started by Thomas Adams.

PROVIDE \$1,250 OUTLAY

The Thomas Adams town planning report, of which much is heard these days, has never been completed, City Engineer W. P. Near reminded today.

In their 1924 estimated expenditures, the town planning commissioners have provided for an outlay of \$1,250 as the last final payment to Mr. Adams but whether this item remains in the estimates when the report is made, is a question for the discretion of the city council.

Engineer Near reports that Mr. Adams is not likely to return to London, having secured important connections in a similar capacity with the city of New York. His report was never fully completed, however, and it is now a question for the 1924 council to decide if they want the work to be resumed and carried on to a logical conclusion.

It is related by the Engineer that last summer, a party by the name of Seymour, visited the city and proposed to finish the survey commenced by Mr. Adams, in conjunction with the latter, who would however advise him before the final report was submitted. He submitted his overtures by letter to the town planning commission but nothing developed, more than likely because the commissioners had no finances at their disposal.

City Engineer Near thinks that the survey commenced by Thomas Adams should be completed. He points out that in any event the city is permitted by legislation, however, to go but a certain distance with the recommendations. But he believes that everything is heading toward more flexible legislation for town planners and that the city would be well advised to be in readiness with complete plans and surveys, financial resources permitting.

FINED FOR DRIVING CAR OVER THE SPEED LIMIT

Fred drove his car, on Dec. 31, at 27 miles an hour, according to the police. Mr. Ford submitted his car would not go faster than 20 miles at any speed, and the police to disprove his statement.

"Someone is lying," declared Ford significantly. "I was born and raised in London for 23 years, and never in trouble before. It keeps me smothering to earn a living for my wife and five children."

"Why have you a car then?" asked the court.

"I need it in my business," "Five dollars and costs."

REV. BARING GOULD.

In accordance with the season of the Epiphany, Rev. W. L. Armistead, rector of St. James' Church, South London, will speak on "Modern Wise Men" in the sermon preceding communion service tomorrow morning.

In his evening address, Mr. Armistead will deal with the life of Rev. Baring Gould, whose death occurred recently and whose famous hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers" has been an inspiration in all denominations.

Tomorrow Sure!

Our Sunday Dinner at the New Grill will always be at a reasonable price. The people always want to know what they eat and who cooks for them. Hattie Keston, head chef, controls the kitchen of the New Grill, and is thoroughly experienced. For a year, from Europe, United States and Canada. Give us a trial and judge for yourself.

NEW GRILL

SUNDAY, JAN. 6, 1924

SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNER

Oyster Cocktail
Waldorf Salad
SOUP
Commonwealth Napoleon
Chicken Orzo
FISH
Chicken Halibut, Vinegar
ENTREES
Individual Chicken Pie
ROASTS
Baby Prime Ribs of Beef
Genuine Spring Lamb
Stuffed Young Chicken
(Gilbert Sauce)
Young Turkey (Oyster and Cranberry Sauce)
VEGETABLES
Snow Flake Potatoes French Fries
DESSERT
Apple Dumplings (Cinnamon Sauce)
Cake and Ice Cream
Tea, Coffee and Milk.

New Toilet Creations

OF COTY, YARDLEY, HOUBIGANT, ETC.

STRONG'S Drug Store

184 DUNDAS ST.

CLOSE CHECK-UP OF STILLS HINDERS WORK OF CHEMIST

London Company Unable To Carry Out the Work of Purifying Water.

TREATMENT FOR SICK

Canadian Industry Believed To Be Given Setback as Result.

Attention of the authorities at Ottawa is being directed to difficulties encountered by Canadian manufacturers in the use of stills, as a result of the strained enforcement of regulations against stills arising out of the desire of the federal authorities to co-operate with O. T. A. enforcement officers.

A London wholesale drug company, which has on its staff a French chemist and analyst, recently ordered a glass still of unusual design from Philadelphia. The equipment, worth about \$27, was specially designed for the purification of running water and without radical alteration could not be used in the manufacture of liquor or the distillation of alcohol. The London company required it to positively eliminate certain alkalis in London's domestic water supply, so that the distilled water could be used in the preparation of intravenous injections by the medical profession. Certain treatments for diseases such as anaemia are now administered intravenously instead of through the mouth, and it is claimed that as much can be accomplished thereby in a month as was formerly regarded as a year's progress.

When the still arrived the purchaser was advised that it would be necessary to deposit a thousand dollar bond in addition to other charges of about \$25, as a guarantee that the still was to be used for the purpose claimed. The London company is a responsible concern of many years' standing, but the rules were adamant and the still was sent back to Philadelphia.

As a result the London company, unless it is able to meet the situation, is placed at a disadvantage in competing with American laboratories, and Canadian industry is to that extent harmed. The company has a still of different type which could be altered for the purpose, but the law also blocks that course, for any plumber who would do any work on the still would be liable to severe penalties.

MEXICAN REBELS OPEN BIG DRIVE

Battle For Capture of City of Leon Is Now Being Waged.

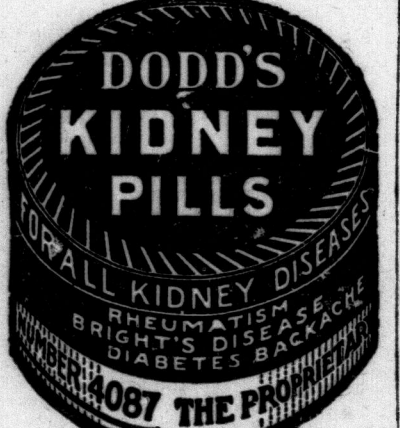
Associated Press Despatch. Mexico City, Jan. 5.—It is officially stated that rebels commanded by Manuel Diezguerra have appeared in the vicinity of Leon, in the State of Guanajuato, evidently with the intention of taking the city and cutting railway and telegraphic communications with the north. It is believed that a battle now is being waged and that the fighting undoubtedly will be heavy.

Leon is an important city on the Mexican Central Railroad, approximately 180 miles northwest of Mexico City.

Immediately upon receipt of information that the rebels had appeared in that vicinity, the war department ordered General Artiz, Gallegos and Medina to hasten there to drive off the force threatening communications with the north.

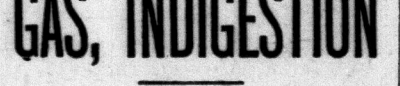
It has been said that many functions and meetings at last night. The clerk explained, "but none were satisfactory. If the aldermen continue throughout the year as they did last night, I look for a very good term and many notable achievements."

"Of course, every meeting will not go as smooth perhaps as last night's. That is not to be expected, but generally speaking and judging from the tenor of the remarks and the general fair attitude of the members, it will be a good year if they continue, in the main, as they have started."



UPSET STOMACH, GAS, INDIGESTION

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, —Stomach Feels Fine!



So pleasant, so inexpensive, so quick to settle an upset stomach. The moment "Pape's Diaphragm" reaches the stomach all pain and distress from indigestion or a sour, gassy stomach vanishes.

Millions know its magic. All druggists recommend this harmless stomach corrector.—Adv.



SOUGHT BY POLICE. Major Norman Percival Bailey, sought by the English police on a charge of murdering his wife, is believed to be in Canada.

CLERK PLEASED WITH ATTITUDE OF COUNCILLORS

Looks For Excellent Record for 1924 If They Continue as at Start.

MANY ACHIEVEMENTS

City Clerk Sam Baker has attended city council proceedings and the like for two decades or more.

And right at this moment he foresees an excellent record for the 1924 city councillors. He bases his forecast upon their activities during an informal session at Mayor Wenig's residence last night.

"I have been at many functions and meetings at last night," the clerk explained, "but none were satisfactory. If the aldermen continue throughout the year as they did last night, I look for a very good term and many notable achievements."

"Of course, every meeting will not go as smooth perhaps as last night's. That is not to be expected, but generally speaking and judging from the tenor of the remarks and the general fair attitude of the members, it will be a good year if they continue, in the main, as they have started."

"RED" RYAN ON WAY BACK TO PENITENTIARY

Canadian Bandit Is Securely Shackled to Detectives as He Boards Train.

WAIVES EXTRADITION

Associated Press Despatch. Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 5.—Shackled to Detectives Meahan and Maran and surrounded by a cordon of police including Chief Brunsell, "Red" Ryan, the Canadian bank bandit, was put aboard the Soo Line Montreal-bound train No. 8, last night.

The train will reach Sault Ste. Marie, the international boundary line, at 10:30 a.m. today.

The train then will proceed to Toronto, where, according to the Canadian officers, Ryan is wanted for staging a single-handed bank robbery in which a bank guard was shot and killed.

No details of criminal procedure were given him by the Canadian officers, Chief Brunsell announced, following the departure. It is thought now that when the train reaches Toronto at 8:30 Sunday, Ryan either will be placed in jail and forced to face a charge of murder in connection with the hold-up or a transfer of trains will be made and the fugitive will be taken to Kingston penitentiary to finish three sentences for highway robbery.

Ryan has given up his fight to stay in the United States. Discouraged yesterday when he was removed from the cell from which he had saved two bars and from which he planned an early escape this morning, Ryan is said to have asked for an interview with Chief Brunsell. It was during this interview, according to the chief, that Ryan signed the papers waiving his extradition rights and agreed to return with the Canadian officers.

MISS McNAUGHTON IMPROVES

Improvement in the condition of Miss Viola McNaughton, has been shown in the past few days. Victoria Hospital reported this morning.

LITTLE CATHOLIC HERE IN REPORT, SAYS CLERGYMAN

Catholic-Anglican Discussion in England Augurs Well, He Says.

ACTION NOT CONCERNED

According to the statement of a prominent local Anglican clergyman this morning, little or no comment is being passed upon the action of the Archbishop of Canterbury in issuing a report on his contact with the Roman Catholic Church toward a common front.

"While the matter has aroused much controversy in England," the clergyman said, "I have heard nothing said concerning it in the city at all. In fact I don't believe I have heard the subject mentioned. So far it is merely a matter of expression of opinion on the part of churchmen in England."

At the meeting of the Anglican Clerical Association next Monday morning in St. Paul's Cathedral, Dean Tucker is to give a paper on "The Papacy." He stated this morning that in this connection the report of the Archbishop of Canterbury might be brought up incidentally, and certain phases of the issue touched upon. He emphasized the fact that the recent meeting of Anglican churchmen with Cardinal Mercier in Belgium, had been purely a private affair, a meeting similar to that which might take place if a number of local Anglican clergymen met with a Roman Catholic bishop to discuss the matter of union.

"The Church of England does look toward a union of all the churches. But the day when that will come is many centuries distant. It must mean to be a real union, the bringing together of the Eastern Church, the Roman Catholic Church, the Church of England, Nonconformist bodies, and in fact, all denominations. There must be a start somewhere, even if it takes centuries to complete the work, supposing the world is to last that long. In the meantime these discussions which are arising, though they represent no concerted action on the part of any church, may be the commencement of a real move toward a complete union. The matter is naturally looked upon with interest, but at the present time one can hardly look for more than friendly private meetings of this nature."

Coarse Fish Destroyed

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Jan. 5.—The department of marine and fisheries announces the destruction of nearly 28,000 coarse fish, principally squawfish, by the staff of the Cultus Lake hatchery. C. during the past summer. The work was undertaken as the result of investigations made when the sockeye yearlings were migrating from Cultus Lake to the sea. It was found that the squawfish were feeding on the young salmon.

A.R. M'MASTER DEMANDS STRICT ECONOMY POLICY

Canadian Press Despatch. Medicine Hat, Alberta, Jan. 5.—Greater control of the people's government by the people themselves, a proper policy of immigration and an era of strict economy may be the work of A. R. McMaster, Independent member for Bromo, at a meeting held last night.

Quoting figures and taking illustrations from countries in Europe, he contended that governments were unwise to interfere with the free course of commerce and that freedom of the channels of trade would give a greater chance of agricultural prosperity.

Lady Astor Will Be Honored

Associated Press Despatch. Plymouth, Eng., Jan. 5.—A signal honor is to be paid Lady Astor, Conservative member of the House of Commons, for her services according to Plymouth since 1919, according to Viscount Astor, former member for this constituency and now sitting in the House of Lords. He announced that a painting is to be placed in parliament commemorating the arrival of the first woman member of the House of Commons in the person of Lady Astor, the former Nancy Langhorne of Virginia. The picture will be hung on the wall of the main staircase, just below the place where Queen Elizabeth is portrayed.

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Mary Now a Healthy Girl Due To Child Welfare Work

Pride of Society Once Weighed Only Two and a Half Pounds.

IS SIX MONTHS OLD

Perseverance of Nurses Wins After Battle of Many Weeks.

Mary was the baby's name. She was born in circumstances that would have been a discouragement to any baby. For one thing, her parents didn't know much about her; whether she should receive one ounce or 100 ounces of milk a day or whether her tiny body should receive special care. For another thing, Mary only weighed two and a half pounds when she was born.

Two and a half pounds! But Mary's mother did not think that was such a low weight. She loved the lot, but her love was mostly founded on ignorance.

In six weeks time Mary weighed two and a quarter pounds—about the same weight as a moderate-sized doll. By that time the mother was wearing a worried look.

One day somebody told her about the Child Welfare Association of London. The tiny frame of her baby daughter was growing smaller and smaller. So she phoned the Child Welfare Association and asked them what in the world she was going to do.

The association came around and visited Mary. They saw a little mite of a baby, and they were told that Mary had seldom been given more than an ounce and a half of milk per day since she was born. No wonder the baby was losing weight.

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Of course the Child Welfare Association increased her milk supply many times. But the baby's body had become so emaciated she could not take the food. For weeks it was feared Mary would have to depart this life as unobtrusively as she had entered it.

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That is why the Child Welfare Association like to talk about Mary. They are proud of their success in snatching her from the brink and transforming a tiny infant body into one that is vigorous and healthy.

They take a keen personal interest in Mary's future and members of the organization point to the beautiful picture of a smiling, fat, Mary's picture in the office, as the best examples of efficacy of the society's work.

MANY ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES AT 'Y'

Association To Enter Hockey Team in Junior City Series.

The "Y" faces a long list of athletic activities in the coming season with a fine membership. The members of the association are: Businessmen, 132; seniors, 279; young men, 168; students, 21; social, 16. Total men, 546. Last month, 535; last year, 521. Boys, 504.

A "Y" hockey team will be entered in the junior city hockey league. Every member under 20 is invited to try out for a place in the team.

The Hexathlon athletic trials commence Thursday, Jan. 10. Ribbons are awarded for first, second and third places in each event, and a shield for the highest score during the contest. The national hexathlon will be run after the last two weeks of February.

Walter Dutton is developing a wonderful punch in the boys who meet him for boxing and wrestling instruction on Tuesday nights.

Nine hundred Hindus of the "Untouchable" caste are in reading and writing classes in the Y. M. C. A. at Nazpur, India, as the result of a fund from London members totalling \$1,200 during 1923.

A swimming contest open to all senior members will be held on Monday nights at 7:30. Two events will be run each night. Ribbons are awarded for first, second and third places, and a shield for the highest score during the contest.

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Corporal's Case Will Be Probed

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It was stated that the corporal was told that while he would not be expected to attend the service, he was obliged to attend the service. The matter probably will be ventilated in parliament at the coming session.

SALVATION ARMY 'KETTLES' BRING IN MORE THAN \$1,600

Christmas Fund Larger Than in 1922, But Inadequate For Work.

APPEALS ARE MANY

Over \$1,600 was collected by the Salvation Army in London by means of the Christmas "kettles." This is slightly in advance of the sum received last year. This sum is not adequate, however, to meet the situation in the city, according to Adjutant Rufus Spooner of the headquarters staff at the Citadel, who says that the army is receiving a number of requests for assistance both for food and fuel.

"There are a good many people in the city," he said, "who have not been here for twelve months and the consequence is they are not entitled to city relief. So they come to us. Very often they have no coal in the house in some cases the husband is out of work or ill. We have one case of a man who is a consumptive. His wife and family are practically penniless and are dependent upon what the city can do, and of course we do what we can."

Adjutant Spooner stated that there are a number of transient men in London working for work. Their case is aggravated by the fact that they cannot work on the city sewer system as they are not bona-fide residents of London.

So none way and another the army is having a busy winter.

"Y" PROGRAM WILL BE EXTENSIVE ONE

Athletic and Social Events Will Keep Members of Organization Active.

The "Y" is going to be a very busy place for some time now. Both in the athletic field and in the social sphere a large program is ready to be carried out. On the social side is the great "Y" day out at Westminster Hospital. Bob Liddle is taking a party out there which is said to include a lot of pretty girls to give the "boys" a New Year entertainment.

Members of the "Y" are hoping the summer program will be given in their building.

The Fireside meetings are held every Sunday at 3 p.m. in the reading room. Ed. Penny is the chairman. Tom Yull is song leader and the general idea is to have a party. Anyone with a free Sunday afternoon is very welcome at these gatherings.

Plans are now under way for the next Junior Business Men's supper the end of January. A reunion of members of the "Y" Public Speaking classes will be held on Thursday, January 24 in the "Y" building.

Archie Limon is the newly elected president of the London branch of the International "Y" Men's Club, which was organized here last month. Fred McAllister, C. B. Rush and R. M. Brisco are vice-presidents; Dr. Sykes, secretary; and Harry Jackson, treasurer.

LONDONERS TO TAKE CHARGE OF DORCHESTER SERVICE

Members of the men's brotherhoods of the city are to have charge of the evening service tomorrow in the Methodist Church, Dorchester, having accepted the invitation of Rev. S. J. Thompson to do so.

Several representatives of the organizations in the city will make the trip by auto and plans call for a most interesting service as numbered among the local men are some speakers of more than local repute.

"BLACK OXEN"

The words "Black Oxen" have a familiar ring at the present time, owing to the popularity of a novel published by that name, a book written by one of the leading writers of the day, which has rapidly become known as a best seller. Rev. W. R. McIntosh has chosen this phrase as the subject for his sermon tomorrow evening in King Street Presbyterian Church. It will be a sermon on "How to Keep Young." The reference is from the following quotation:

"The years like great black oxen tread the herdman, goads them on behind."

CANADA'S HIGHEST STATESMEN ATTEND BRODEUR FUNERAL

Highest Honors, Both Religious and Military, Mark the Occasions.

BURIED AT BELOEL

Canadian Press Despatch. Quebec, Jan. 5.—Ecclesiastical and military pomp united here to pay the last tribute to the mortal remains of his honor L. P. Brodeur, lieutenant-governor of Quebec, who was laid to rest today at the cemetery of Beloeil.

The ceremonies opened with Cardinal Begin officiating at mass in the chapel of the Quebec seminary, where the funeral service was first celebrated while the body was received at the church by the parish priest of the Quebec Basilica, Rev. Mgr. Lafamme. His grace Mgr. Emard, archbishop of Ottawa, pronounced the panegyric on the deceased in the Quebec seminary, while Father Maguire, of Silbury, and Canon Mayrand of Ottawa, acted respectively as the deacon and sub-deacon of honor. The body was then conveyed to St. Hilaire, where Rev. Father Lejeune, Mgr. and Lumber Co., Ltd., 309 Bathurst St.

LOST—Fifty dollars, last night, between Grand Opera and Horton St. Reward, 125 Horton St.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

KINDLING WOOD for sale, 2 loads for \$3.00, \$3.50, or \$4.00 cash, balance \$22 monthly for 12 months.

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BECK AND MOORE AGAIN ON L.P.S.C. COMMISSION

SIR ADAM BECK IS AGAIN APPOINTED TO COMMISSION

City Council Names Members of Various Civic Bodies for 1924.

DOUGLASS ON FINANCE

Sir Adam Beck and Percy Moore were re-appointed to the London & Port Stanley Railway Commission last night by members of the city council, who effected their deliberation following their dinner at Mayor Wenige's residence.

Recommendations submitted by the striking committee, setting forth the personnel of the two city council standing committees of the council, were also approved.

APPOINTMENT BOARDS

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PLAN OF WENIGE, WOMEN'S REST-ROOM APPROVED

Old Registry Offices Proposed as Site—Is Close to the Market.

AID IS PROMISED

The suggestion of the mayor that the old registry offices on the corner of King and Ridout streets, be turned into a women's rest room, is apparently approved by the agricultural section of the Chamber of Commerce. This morning Secretary Gordon Philip received a letter from one of the members who endorsed the proposal and recommended that the idea be acted upon.

The chamber has been working for considerable time to secure the offices as rest rooms. The site is a good one, officials point out, it being so close to the market. Rural buses stop at that corner now.

The proposed rest room would be financed by the city, township and county councils. Secretary Philip pointed out that the location is a large trading center for rural residents who come here to buy as well as sell. The convenience of a rest room is greater now than formerly.

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NEW JAPANESE MINISTERS.

Viscount Ishii (left) and Count Hayashi (right) are foreign minister and minister of education, respectively, in the new Japanese cabinet.

Little War Is Brewing Over Question of Power Of "Abrams Machine"

Dr. H. W. Hill's Charge Supported by Medical Men and Journals.

ONE USED IN LONDON

Drs. Harkins Declare Machine Is Used by Prominent Practitioners.

Is the "Abrams Machine" a fake? This much-discussed question threatens to brew a little war between orthodox and unorthodox medical practitioners in London. The contrivance invented by Albert Abrams, which some claim to have wonderful powers for diagnosing disease, and which others declare is an obvious fraud, is being used by Drs. Marie and Rebecca Harkins, osteopaths, of this city. In a letter to The Advertiser they brand Dr. H. W. Hill's statement that it is a fake as "prejudiced." The dean of the Institute of Public Health, however, adheres to his original opinion.

In this he is supported by recognized medical men everywhere. Dr. D. A. Craig, director of the American Academy of Medicine, says decidedly that every Abrams machine is a fraud. Reputable medical journals support this view.

Drs. Marie and Rebecca Harkins declare, however, they are proud of their Abrams machine, the only one in London. In it they say they have demonstrated the blood stream, condemning Dr. Hill for his denunciation of the device, the dean quotes extracts from nationally-known professional journals, which are even more emphatic.

"The whole scheme is so preposterous a fake as to stand self-condemned," Dr. Hill said. "Yet there are, presumably, some people who have demonstrated the blood stream, the fact that the moon is made of green cheese."

The Abrams machine is said to be able to discover almost any disease by examining the blood. It goes further than that. It was recently said to have determined that Samuel Johnson suffered from a certain congenital disease by examining his signature after the famous Johnson had been dead for more than a century. Drs. Marie and Rebecca Harkins claim the machine is used by 3,000 physicians, including Sir James Barr, Dr. Mather Thompson of London, England, and Dr. Ernest Hall of Vancouver.

Scientific American.

Here is what the Scientific American says about Albert Abrams' invention:

"Six tubes of pure germ cultures were submitted to an Abrams device with the request that he identify the cultures. The first tube was a pure culture of typhoid. The Abrams device diagnosed it as 'acquired tuberculosis, gonorrhea, pneumococcus, malaria and influenza,' but failed to diagnose typhoid. The second tube was a pure culture of pneumococcus. The Abrams device diagnosed the contents of this tube as 'congenital syphilis, tuberculosis, malaria, influenza and colon septicaemia,' but did not find what it was really, pneumococcus. The next cultures were tetanus and diphtheria. But the Abrams enthusiast diagnosed a dozen diseases from these cultures without hitting on the right one. It may be said in closing that Albert Abrams has disowned the disciple who flunked the tests, as not being a Simon-pure, hundred percent, and has promised the Scientific American to give a personal demonstration 'some time in the near future, if time permits.' The whole thing is very funny and very foolish."

The above extract is from the issue of Oct. 27, 1923.

Following is the letter from Drs. Marie and Rebecca Harkins:

"Editor, London Advertiser: 'Sir, On our return to the city we read an article in your paper of recent date, 'Rumor Abrams' Machines Used in London Area.' You quote Dr. Hill as saying that if any of these instruments are in use in London, he has not been able to discover them. You also quote him as saying that it is an obvious fake, which no physician of repute would think of using."

"What of the three thousand physicians, medical and osteopaths, who are at present using this system of diagnosis and treatment, among them such men as Sir James Barr, Dr. Mather Thompson of London, England, and Dr. Ernest Hall of Vancouver? Are they all deceived? Are they men of no repute?"

"Is it not strange that a man whose duty it is to conserve the

Chief Is Glad "Red" Is Gone

Associated Press Despatch.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 5.—Norman ("Red") Ryan was by far the toughest and most desperate man ever held in our jail, and I am glad he has gone," said Chief Brunskill of Minneapolis last night.

Speaking of the bandit's plans for escape from the local jail, the chief said that when Ryan was arrested he was systematically searched for steel saws and files and a guard was at the cell door constantly during his stay in the prison. Despite these precautionary measures, he concealed a small steel saw in the hem of his overcoat and succeeded in filing two bars from his cell.

health of the public has not been able to discover the hiding place of this monstrous invention?

"Judging from your article, it would appear that the question has been rather thoroughly discussed in medical circles, and that it should not require a Sherlock Holmes to find that the Abrams method of diagnosis and treatment has been

Life's Little Comedies

Lunch-time Pastimes.



The Farmer's Wife:

Fairies' Horses and New Year Almanacs.

"Where are you going, my pretty maid?"
"I'm going a-milking, sir," she said.
"Shall I go and help you, my pretty maid?"
"No, I use a milking machine," she said.

The only thing that Santa forgot to put in our stockings was a milking machine. There is a certain hand power machine on the market which has long been the desire of our hearts as it is simple, efficient and easy to wash. This last virtue is the one

BAD BLOOD PIMPLES and BOILS Banished by Burdock Blood Bitters

Miss Irene A. Matthews, Stayner, Ont., writes: "I thought I would write and tell you of the experience and benefit I have derived from Burdock Blood Bitters."

"Some few months ago I was troubled with bad blood, which broke out on my face in the nature of pimples, boils and ringworm, and I got so bad I really did not know what to do."

"I was ashamed to go anywhere, and the itching and burning caused such a terrible sensation I could get no relief day or night."

"One day a friend advised me to use Burdock Blood Bitters. I used one bottle, and felt quite a relief, and by the time I had taken three bottles I was completely relieved."

"I cannot praise B. B. B. enough, and I hope anyone afflicted like I was will get the same benefit I received."

Burdock Blood Bitters is manufactured only by The T. Milburn Company Limited, Toronto, Ont.—Adv.

that appeals to the farmer's wife who is not very keen on washing any of the dairy utensils. Some users of this machine even claim that it keeps the cows so contented that they give condensed milk.

We don't know what the fairies are going to do for horses this winter. You know they ride on rabbits, guiding them by their long ears. So whenever you see a rabbit running very fast with its ears laid back on its neck you may be pretty sure that there is a fairy holding those ears. We had such a lot of rabbits this summer. To begin with there were just two or three pairs which some of the schoolboys had become tired of feeding and had turned loose in an old barn on our pasture farm. It seemed to agree with them and they increased very rapidly, the children counting twenty-six one evening when they were going for the cows. But, alas, some men who didn't know they were murdering the fairies' horses came with guns and ferrets and killed them all, so now we don't know what the fairies will do. They could use squirrels, but they don't like squirrels because they eat baby-birds, and fairies and birds are great friends. As far as we are concerned the rabbit extermination is a blessing, as they are very hard on shrubs and young trees in the winter and would have had a lovely time with our garden stuff next spring. But in the meantime it is pretty rough on the fairies.

1924 Was On Time.

The New Year arrived the other night, according to schedule, in an aeroplane made of a big black cloud. He came sharp on time and made a good landing, being met by a large delegation of midnight revelers. If promises and good resolutions amount to anything, young 1924 should be a very happy year while he stays with us. But the same cloud which brought the New Year out of the Future into the Present carried the Old Year back into the

Past, and as poor, tattered old 1923 climbed aboard he laughed derisively, for he had heard practically the same resolutions and promises in his own youth.

Calendars are a sure sign of the times. The butcher and baker and candlestick maker vie with each other in the brilliance of the lithographed calendars which they distribute with their wares.

Almanacs are also in full bloom and sickness invariably follows in their wake. I was slightly worried one day when the ten-year-old complained of a bad headache and a pain in her back, but when she suggested that I should get her a box of Dr. Dope's Purple Pills for Pallid People I knew where she had discovered her symptoms. If I read an almanac myself I find that I am much too delicate afterwards to sweep the floor, so I generally use them for kindling instead and thereby save the family many aches and pains. I am almost ashamed to admit that I don't understand the Zodiac at all and I never know "when the sign is right" for planting radish seed or killing pigs or shipping geraniums. But my radishes and geraniums are just as red and our pork tastes just as nice as anybody's, so we could probably worry along if we hadn't any almanacs at all.

Made Good Floor Polish.

It is queer but true that there is more medicine used in the country than any place else—in the country, where there should never be any sickness. An enterprising patent medicine agent can sell us almost anything in the way of nerve tonic or rheumatism cure. I once bought a bottle of a certain brand of liniment which was a cure for all ills of man or beast. We dosed a sick pig with it and thereby hastened its end, so I use the rest of it for floor polish, the one thing the makers had not thought of, and it was a great success. But the agent wasn't a bit pleased when I told him about it.

British Mails

The next mails for Great Britain and Europe will close as follows:
Wednesday, Jan. 9, at 2 p.m.—Parcel post and newspapers only, via "Montcalm" from St. John, N.B., Jan. 11-24.
Thursday, Jan. 10, at 10 p.m.—Letters and registered matter only, via "Majestic" from New York, Jan. 12-24.

Ohio Bans Mabel Normand Pictures

Action Follows Urgent Request of Attorney-General.

Associated Press Despatch. Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 4.—All motion pictures in which Mabel Normand is one of the characters may be barred from exhibition in Ohio, Director of Education Vernon M. Rigel indicated today, after receiving "an urgent request" from Attorney-General Crabbe that such action be taken.

DISAPPROVAL OF EXHIBITION. Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, Jan. 4.—The Canadian Manufacturers' Association have unanimously disapproved of an industrial exhibition for Montreal until the south shore bridge has been completed.

SHOOTS AT WALL WOUNDS HIS WIFE

Mrs. Stengel in Critical Condition At Cheapside, Following Accident.

HAS FIGHTING CHANCE

Special to The Advertiser. Cheapside, Jan. 4.—As the result of an unfortunate shooting accident which occurred at the home of Lloyd Bartlett of this village yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Stengel lies in a critical condition with a bullet wound in her stomach and left lung. In company with her husband she was visiting at the Bartlett home. As Mr. Stengel approached an out-building on his return from a hunting trip, he fired aimlessly at the wall, and was horrified on reaching the house to find Mrs. Stengel writhing in agony, the bullet having pierced the wall of the building, striking his wife, who happened to be working within.

SEEK RELEASE OF CREW.

London, Jan. 4.—Great Britain has asked the United States for the release from bail of the British and

Canadian members of the British schooner Tomaka, alleged rum-runner, seized last November beyond the three-mile limit off New York.

CORNS

Lift Off—No Pain!



Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot, calluses, without soreness or irritation.—Adv.

NEW WAGE SCALE PLANNED FOR MINERS AND OPERATORS

Associated Press Despatch. Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 4.—An effort

to reach an agreement for a new wage scale for the bituminous coal miners of the old central competitive field will be made on February 11, at Jacksonville, Fla., when the miners and operators of Ohio, Indiana, Il-

linois and probably Western Pennsylvania, will meet.

A club of elderly gentlemen has been playing croquet in Central Park, New York, for 39 years.

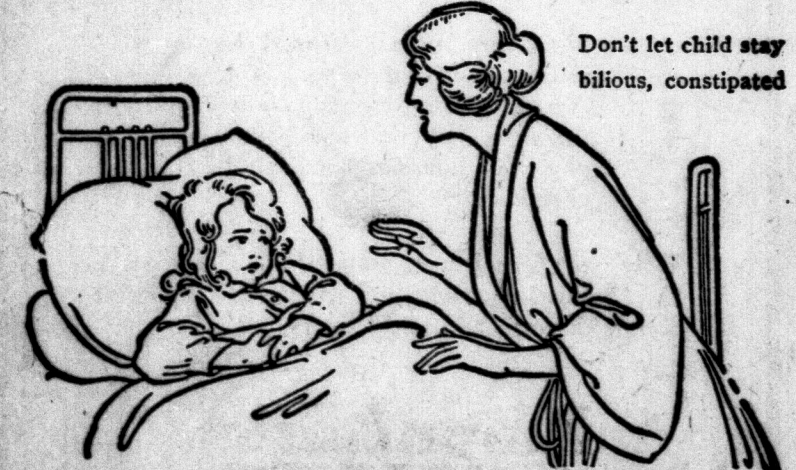
OVER 90% OF ONE MILLION STILL IN SERVICE

Since delivering their first car, early in December, 1914, Dodge Brothers have manufactured and sold one million motor vehicles.

Over 90% of all these cars are still in active service.

This striking fact stands alone—a unique and overwhelming tribute to the principles and methods responsible for a product of such enduring worth.

W. J. CHISHOLM
68 YORK STREET.



GIVE "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Dependable Laxative for Sick Baby or Child—Harmless!

Hurry, Mother! Even a fretful, constipated, feverish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup," and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow.

ASK your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Adv.



Instant Beauty Effects with Moist Hair Brush

Girls! Try It! A Gleamy Mass of Soft, Wavy Hair

You actually see plain, flat, oily or colorless hair become soft, fluffy, lustrous and abundant in a moment. The effect is astonishing. Try it! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair brush with a little "Dandarine," and brush it through your hair. You can do your hair up immediately, and it will appear twice as thick and heavy—a mass of gleamy hair, sparkling with life, and possessing that incomparable softness, freshness and lux-

uriance—yet not greasy, oily or sticky. While beautifying the hair, "Dandarine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful, refreshing "Dandarine" at any drug or toilet counter, and just see how healthy and youthful your hair becomes.—Adv.

London Liberal Association Honors Its Retiring President

RAYMOND BRANDS MEIGHEN "PRINCE OF KNOCKERS" CLAN

Member For Brantford At Liberal Banquet Attacks Conservative Leader.

HONOR ANDREW ROBSON

R. L. Brackin Urges Party To Begin Working For Next Election.

Branding Hon. Arthur Meighen as the prince of the clan of knockers, W. G. Raymond, M.P., speaking at a banquet given by the Liberal Club to Andrew Robson last night, declared that all knockers and all persons who offered destructive criticism of either the country or the government were traitors to themselves and Canada, and deserved no sympathy.

Mr. Raymond also stated emphatically, as did J. M. McEvoy, K.C., that unless an expansion program was adopted in Canada and the Canadian people took advantage of the resources that were theirs, others would come in and take the country, cultivating and developing it.

The banquet, which was held at the Tecumseh House, marked the ending of Andrew Robson's tenure of office as president of the local club, an office which he held for seven years. All the speakers eulogized him and congratulated him on the work he had done. On behalf of the club he was presented with a silver tea service by George M. Reid, Liberal M.P. of the city, and representatives of the federal and provincial houses were in attendance.

Make Presentation.

John Webber, president, occupied the chair and opened the evening's program with a brief address, after which the presentation was made to Mr. Robson. In expressing his gratitude, the retiring president stated that he had always worked in the interests of Liberalism and had done what he thought best for the party.

R. L. Brackin, K.C., M.P.P., Chatham, who was introduced by J. C. Elliott, K.C., responded to the toast, "The Province and the Provincial Legislature," which was next proposed.

Opening his address, Mr. Brackin, who pleaded for the recognition of the government of those men who put it in power, declared "that while the Conservatives were not mealy-mouthed when it came to rewarding the men who worked for them, the Liberals went around with a long face, wondering what people would say. We must face the facts," he continued. "We have been so uplifted of late that we are now at a point where we are more agreeable to Tories than to Grims. We have not the same confidence in ourselves that the Conservatives have, and the result was apparent at the last provincial election."

Get Right Men.

"Politics is largely a matter of getting the men who can carry the riding. We must get the men that can win. We cannot have either Dominion or Provincial Liberal governments until we carry the Tories for this we must work. The Tories are working now and all the time. I understand they are holding a big meeting here shortly. Sir Adam Beck and Hon. Howard Ferguson will fall on each other's necks. Four years ago the Conservatives were in the same position in Ontario as we are today, but they were not disheartened. They buckled down and worked. They remained united while we split up in the factions over this and that. I wonder where they will be four years from now when the voters wonder about their attitude on the box A, which they let them stand on was on the platform."

"Attention must be called to the fact that the fellow who do the work have little to say about the government. This should be changed. The time has come when cabinet ministers must realize who put them there. A government cannot consist of only fifteen or sixteen men who hold cabinet portfolios. The workers must be made to feel that they are part of the government. The cabinet ministers are too far away. We don't see or hear them often enough. 'The goal is to strive for,' he concluded, 'should be to make the fellow feel he amounts to something in the party.'

Canada Greatest Land.

Introducing W. G. Raymond, M.P., Brantford, J. M. McEvoy, K.C., proposed the toast, "Canada, the greatest land."

IF CONSTIPATED SICK, BILIOUS

Harmless Laxative for the Liver and Bowels

10¢ CANDY CATHARTIC CASCARATS

WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Feel fine! No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarats." Sick Headache, Biliousness, Gases, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. For Men, Women and Children—10¢ boxes, also 25¢ and 50¢ sizes. Any drug store—Adv.



LONDON LIBERALS HONOR RETIRING CHIEF. Andrew Robson (at the left), retiring head of the London Liberal Association, who was guest of honor at a banquet last night, and W. G. Raymond, M.P., Brantford (right), who was one of the principal speakers at the function.

posed the toast "Canada and our Prime Minister." He stated that the people must realize that Canada was the greatest land of promise in the world.

"It is only a matter of time," he stated, "that unless the people of Canada put their shoulders to the wheel, someone else will take the country. We cannot sit here and not cultivate and develop. We must have a government that will get on with the development."

Referring to Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Mr. McEvoy stated that the prime minister was the most cultured politician alive today. There had never been, with few exceptions, his equal, and he had distinguished himself and while, perhaps, not a practical politician, he was learning.

"Success depends on men and the will they have," declared Mr. Raymond in responding. "Liberalism is a patriotic duty and the best thing for the country. As Liberalism triumphed in England, so did the country progress. In the affairs of the empire Canadian Liberalism has played a great part, and is destined to play a still further."

Outlining History.

Mr. Raymond outlined the way in which Britain treated the French-Canadians after the capture of Quebec, 1759, stating that the treaty then, dictated by Liberal principles, was one of the most noble ever made. This peace led to the granting of reasonable government, confederation, and the advance of Liberalism had made for a united empire.

"The best thing in a country is the people," he continued, "and Canadians have shown that they are the equal of any, in every walk of life. The worst enemy we have is the knocker, the detractor, the destructive critic. I understand, by the way, that the prince of the clan of knockers is to favor us with a visit shortly. With boosters there is no doubt of the result. Canada's future is assured."

Speaking of the prime minister, Mr. Raymond said he had been treated shamefully by newspapers of late, excepting the *Manchester Guardian*, which mentioned the prime minister favorably. He declared that Tory newspapers had either printed it in part, leaving out all reference to Mr. King.

Show Poor Patriotism.

"This was a shabby, scurrilous trick, and was done because a little credit was given to Mr. King. He did not represent any party. He was an individual when he was overseas, where he equaled himself nobly, but Canadianism was poor patriotism on the ranks with the greatest of statesmen. He also referred to the loss of Sir Lomer Gouin, Hon. W. C. Kennedy, Hon. W. S. Fielding, with regret, declaring that their loss was and would be felt.

"There is every reason to be hopeful," he concluded, "there is nothing gained by consistent criticism, and I have no fears as to the future of the Liberal Party."

Major McKibben proposed the toast to "The Press," declaring that it was one of the biggest powers for good, that few were corrupt enough to allow the expression of personal sentiments in the news columns.

"That newspapers were being driven more and more to commercialism was the statement made by A. R. Kennedy, who responded to the toast. Speaking on Liberalism he outlined the career of William E. Gladstone, declaring that if Liberalism was not big enough to reach out for the masses it had failed. The people of the country would turn up behind the party if it would in turn help them.

Has Difficult Job.

Dr. Sinclair, M.P., North Oxford, stated that no prime minister since confederation had occupied a more difficult position than Hon. Mr. King, who had filled the position well and honestly. He deplored the fact that the press of today did not teach Liberalism as in years gone by. He also criticized severely the working of the Civil Service Commission.

"When we consider the millions that are spent in education, and the fact that after a person has graduated from public, high, university or business college, he or she is not considered sufficiently well educated to take a position in the civil service, something must be wrong. Either our educational system is at fault or our standards are too high."

He mentioned several instances of the workings of the commission which seemed to substantiate his claims that it was all wrong.

He was followed by Dr. Rogers, M.P.,

GOVERNMENT HAS NO HURRY TO FILL VACANT POST

Premier States Government in No Hurry To Fill Vacant Post.

LAPORTE ACTING

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Jan. 4.—The program of legislation which will be presented to parliament when it meets, probably toward the end of February, was under consideration at a meeting of the cabinet this afternoon. The date of opening is still indefinite, but it will not take place until after the middle of next month, and it may even go over until early in March. The absence of the prime minister and members of the government who attended the imperial conference held up preliminary work which must be done before parliament can be convened, and the opening will consequently be more than a month later than that of last session.

Premier King intimated that the government is in no hurry to fill the post of minister of justice, vacated by Sir Lomer Gouin. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of marine, has been appointed acting minister of justice, but it is understood he is not seeking the permanent appointment. "Have you been appointed minister of justice?" Mr. Lapointe was asked at the conclusion of this afternoon's meeting.

"Acting—only acting," he replied. "It's very temporary."

The resignation of Sir Lomer and the illness of Rt. Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, deprives the government, at present, however, especially in the case of Mr. Fielding, of two of its most experienced members.

Rumor has connected the names of Hon. Charles Murphy, minister of general, with the justice portfolio, while Hon. Walter Mitchell, member of St. Antoine, also has been mentioned. At present, however, there is little to base a forecast on. Premier King has anyone in mind for Sir Lomer's office, he is keeping his own counsel, and no indication of the probable choice has leaked out of the council chamber.

Present indications are that the place will be brought down this budget by Hon. James A. Robb, acting minister, although reports of Mr. Fielding's return, which is reported, there is a feeling that he will be able to take an active part in the work of the session.

GASOLINE TANK OF AIRSHIP FOUND

French Ministry of Marine Officially Confirm Report As Dismode's Equipment.

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, Jan. 4.—The gasoline tank, blackened by fire, which was discovered recently in Sicily, was part of the equipment of the ill-fated dirigible Dismode, it was officially confirmed today by the French ministry of marine.

Toulon, France, Jan. 4.—Bearing the name of Lieutenant Granadan, the ill-fated dirigible Dismode, the cruiser Strasbourg steamed into Toulon Roads at noon today, completing the voyage from Sicily, where the body was discovered by fishermen.

The Strasbourg entered the harbor between rows of merchant craft with her flags at half-staff, and was saluted by those warships of the Mediterranean squadron which are not engaged in anchoring Sicilian waters for the dead commander's comrades.

FIRE LOSS HEAVY AT CEDAR SPRINGS

Fishery and Home of Harry Goodison Destroyed by Flames.

Special To The Advertiser.

Cedar Springs, Jan. 4.—Harry Goodison's fishery at Erie Beach, his nets and a large amount of twine, his dwelling and most of his household effects were destroyed by fire late this afternoon.

The Bowden fishery, adjoining the Goodison property, was saved by the work of the Blenheim fire department. The fire started shortly after 5 o'clock this afternoon, and is still burning, but under control. Mr. Goodison and his men were at work on a boat on the lake front when the fire was first discovered by them. The loss, which will be about \$12,000 and \$15,000, is partially covered by insurance.

The house of Robert Goodison, a brother, a few doors away from the fire, was destroyed by flames from a fire about a year ago.

AUSTRALIA CANNING FIRMS TAKE GOVERNMENT'S OFFER

Associated Press Despatch. Melbourne, Jan. 4.—Practically all the fruit canning firms of Australia have intimated acceptance of the government's offer of increased bounties to the industry to \$700,000 to be paid under certain stipulated conditions. The firms are now operating under these conditions.

COMMITTEE SAYS BUT FEW CHURCHES COMBATING UNION

Declares Only 18 Out of 4,429 Congregations Have Declared Opposition.

FOR UNION OR CHAOS

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Jan. 4.—Replying to the proposal from the anti-union side of the people to be taken again on the question of church union, before the United Church legislation becomes effective, E. A. Henry, acting convenor of the Toronto Presbytery's committee on union, has issued a statement which says in part:

"Some people talk as if it were a simple and easy matter for the churches to abandon the union compact and go back to where they were twenty, ten, or even two years ago. Means Dishonor."

"There is nothing more certain in the life of the churches in Canada today than this undeniable fact that there is no way out of union except by the path of dishonor and chaos. The Presbyterian people have already voted on the question and the highest vote against union represents 22 per cent of the total membership when it was cast. Every synod gave a substantial majority. Of 76 Presbyteries, 65 gave a majority for union. The eldership of the home-bone of the Presbyterian Church—of which 95 per cent voted, gave a substantial majority for union. The vote being 7,004 to 3,822. This ought to be conclusive."

"The plain fact is that after an intensive anti-union campaign of disruption, including such methods as card-signing, pledge-getting, and telephone propaganda, in all the churches since the general assembly at present, pledge-getting, and who have even by straw votes indicated dissent to date amount to 18 out of 4,429 preaching places in the Presbyterian Church in Canada."

Defy Authority.

"The authority of the higher courts of the church has already been challenged and defied. Anti-union leaders are now defying the session by trying to force a vote on congregations."

"Members of the Presbyterian Church in Canada have to choose whether they will be loyal to their representative governing bodies or allow their authority to be usurped by those of the church courts or with those of the church courts or their own ordination vows. They have to choose between union or chaos."

RISE OF PARIS FLOOD IS SLOWER

Level Reached Compels Thousands More To Take Safety In Boats.

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, Jan. 4.—The rise in the flood waters of the Seine was slower today than yesterday, but the level reached during the night was sufficient to cover large areas of new territory. Thousands of people of additional waterbound people to take safety in boats or to rely on boat service for supplies.

Many to big apartment buildings just west of the city, such as Asnières, Colombes and Argenteuil, have been cut off. The authorities have been unable to get all the inhabitants out of the buildings, so a sort of omnibus-skiff service was organized to take housewives to the markets and businessmen to their trains.

The number of people driven from their homes during the day was several thousand. A large number of these were refugees from the ravine where a majority of the houses have become uninhabitable and from along the Marne, where more than 4,000 buildings are surrounded by water at Nogent, Champsigny, Bry-sur-Marne and Le Perreux.

FRANCE MOVES TO SAVE FRANC

Government Summons Leading Financiers To Halt Depreciation of Money.

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, Jan. 4.—Leading financiers have been invited by Finance Minister De Lastrie to confer with him concerning means of suppressing speculation in exchange and halting the depreciation of the franc. This is the first time in recent months that the government has looked upon the position of the franc as being serious enough to require positive action.

The common explanation for weeks in French financial quarters and in the newspapers has been that powerful money interests in New York and London were deliberately depressing the franc—New York purely for profit and London as a political measure designed to modify the French policy in the Ruhr.

Officials in charge of the Paris branches of United States banks resolutely reject the suggestion that speculation originating in New York is operating against the franc.

KING TUT'S SEPULCHRE IS FOUND UNDESPOILED

First Time in History a Royal Coffin Is Found Intact.

REWARDS LONG TOIL

Excavators Expect To Find Great Treasures Encased With Body.

Associated Press Despatch. Luxor, Egypt, Jan. 4.—With the discovery of the colossal sarcophagus of Tutankhamen, inclosed in a nest of four wondrous shrines, the question whether the mortal remains of the pharaoh lie in this mortuary chapel has finally been decided. The sarcophagus has remained intact throughout the 30 centuries, unviolated by the sacrilegious hand of tomb robbers.

Today was one of the great moments in Egyptology, bringing fruit to so much toil, reward for so much disappointment, and crowning a long and great effort. Howard Carter, when by the light of his powerful arc lamps, loosened the seals of the fourth gold casket, to gaze on the outline of a huge stone coffin of pink granite quarried at Assuan.

Here was definite confirmation that for the first time in history the undecayed sepulchre of a king of ancient Egypt had been discovered. In a coffin of graven stone, of workmanship rivaling the greatest masterpieces, must undoubtedly lie the body of the king as the priests laid him to rest more than 3,000 years ago.

Imagination is aroused over the treasures which probably will be contained in the huge stone coffin.

Each successive stage of yesterday's proceedings was photographed for record purposes.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The regular review of London Tent No. 4. Knights of the Macabees, was held in their lodge rooms, K. of P. Hall, last evening. Some very important business was transacted after which the annual election of officers took place and resulted as follows: Past commander, Charles Lambert; commander, R. C. Wilson; lieutenant commander, F. C. Wainless; record keeper, Geo. G. Summers; chaplain, J. P. Mannix; physician, Dr. P. C. Banghart; sergeant, Wm. Burdick; master at arms, R. J. Beer; first master of guards, A. E. Tutt; second master of guards, F. Sutton; sentinel, Chas. Mills; picket, Hector McPee; musician, Fred C. Fitzgerald.

The next regular re-view, which will be held on Thursday in February, installation of officers will be held, after which a social hour will be spent.

Price Changes of Dr. Chase's Medicines

By increasing the contents of the boxes the cost to the user remains unchanged

THIS revision of prices affects only three of Dr. Chase's Medicines—the Kidney-Liver Pills, Nerve Food and Catarrh Powder.

In spite of the constantly increasing cost of doing business ever since Dr. Chase's Medicines were placed on the market many years ago there has been no change in the prices of these three medicines to the consumer.

It has now become absolutely necessary to make some changes, but this has been worked out in such a way that the cost to the user remains the same.

The slogan for Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will therefore remain "One pill a dose—One cent a dose," for while the price will be 35 cents instead of 25,

the contents of the box will be 35 instead of 25 pills as formerly.

The same applies to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, which will sell at 60 cents a box instead of 50 cents, since the contents of the box is now 60 pills instead of 50.

With the exception of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powder, which is now 35 cents a box, the prices of Dr. Chase's other medicines remain unchanged.

Dr. Chase's Almanac has now been mailed and distributed to practically every home in Canada, 1,550,000 copies, if you did not receive yours kindly advise us and we shall mail you a copy free of charge. Edmondson Bates & Co., Limited, Dr. Chase Building, Toronto.

OLD BOX 25 Pills NEW BOX 35 Pills

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY LIVER PILLS ONE PILL A DOSE ONE CENT A DOSE

ASK GOVERNMENT TO TAKE ACTION

Home Bank Depositors Bring Problem Before Local Member.

WILL GO TO THE HOUSE

Fully determined that the cause of the Home Bank depositors should be a matter for the government to deal with three officers of the Home Bank Creditors' Association of this city waited on Frank White, M.P., last night and urged him, on behalf of the local association, to bring the matter before the House at the next session.

Dr. McPhee, Joseph Dambra and Frank Thompson, who have been active in the local association, took this step. It was through the efforts of the local association that London depositors were the first to receive the 25 per cent dividend on claims.

Mr. White received the deputation last night at his home on King street in a most cordial manner and stated that he fully realized the gravity of the situation. He said that he was in sympathy with the depositors and assured the committee that he would do all in his power to bring the matter before the House.

TWO BODIES TAKEN FROM DUST BLAST

Employment Manager Says Six Dead and 26 Buried Beneath Debris.

Associated Press Despatch.

Pekin, Ill., Jan. 4.—Two bodies were recovered today from the wreckage of two buildings of the Corn Products Company plant, which were destroyed by explosion and fire early yesterday. Frank Valde, employment manager, said his best information was that six are known dead, and 26 are buried under the debris or listed as missing. Early semi-official reports that other bodies had been removed was due to duplication, it was explained.

INDIANS OF WEST REAP RECORD-BREAKING CROP

Canadian Press Despatch. Regina, Jan. 4.—Indians in the three Prairie Provinces in the 1923 season harvested the greatest crop in their history. The total grain crop was 1,276,656 bushels, an increase of more than half a million bushels over 1922.

JACK MINER'S YOUNG SON GETS HIS FIRST BIG MOOSE

Jasper, Aged Twelve, Used His Father's Big Rifle—Perfect Shot Kills Instantaneously

THE only shot fired from Jack Miner's rifle this year—his thirty-eighth consecutive year in the north country—laid low one of the biggest bull moose ever killed in the Cartier-Chapleau district. The man behind the gun, however, was not Miner, himself, but his twelve-year-old son, Jasper, who prior to this fall had never shot a bigger rifle than a .22 calibre.

"Jasper and I have hunted together for the last two years," says Miner. "Jasper is now my guide and leads the way. He carries the compass, the keen eyesight and hearing, while I stumble along behind with the experience."

While Miner believes that his words of advice and the fact that he was within four feet of the boy's elbow helped to strengthen his nerve, he would have it understood that he rendered no other assistance to the lad. Miner's own story concerning the kill follows.

"On this particular day we were hunting in a likely place for moose. The weather was very still and dry, (no snow) but frosty. Knowing that under such conditions moose are sure to go to water, we just poked along from one drinking hole to another. At the third swamp we came to we found the place a big moose had broken the ice. The water was still muddy in his tracks. This caused our moccasined feet to back away as quietly as the dry leaves would permit, and we were soon on higher ground where we could overlook some of the swamps. All at once I heard moose horns rattle on the small trees and brush. I whispered. Jasper listened. And in the same breath the boy said: 'Dad, what's that?' And whispering, continued: 'Oh, Dad, a moose—a big bull moose. Look at his big horns. Dad, he is coming straight toward us.' 'A thick evergreen was very near me so I quietly, stepped ahead, and sure enough a monster moose was crashing his way toward us. He had evidently scented humanity and was making off. Jasper was standing with one foot on a small log. The other moccasin was buried in the moss of an old stump. I quietly cocked my big rifle and took another step forward, whispering: 'Here, Jap, take this gun.' With all eyes riveted on the oncoming moose I exchanged my high-power for his .22 calibre.

"The moose which was larger than an ordinary Percheron horse was now within thirty steps of us. It does seem that the hand of Providence was back of it all, for just at this moment the moose stopped and turned his big head sideways. I whispered: 'Hit him in the butt of the ear, Jap—hit him in the ear....'

"Bang!" went the rifle, the report of which drowned out my words. The huge beast of the forest flinched as though struck by lightning. The boy's aim was perfect. The bull had shattered the spine and death was instantaneous."

Mrs. Jack Miner has often said that no more moose heads would come in her home. But the big head that twelve-year-old Jasper got back of Nitro this fall is now in the hands of an Ontario taxidermist and there is every probability that room will be made for it.



The Second Lord Shaughnessy

THIS is a new photo of the Hon. William James, second Baron Shaughnessy, only son and heir of the late Lord Shaughnessy, who has just succeeded to his famous father's titles and estates. He is a worthy son of the former head of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, being one of the most popular and able members of the Montreal bar. He was appointed a king's counsel in 1920, as well as a director of the C. P. R., the West Kootenay Power and Light Co., and the Canada Foundry and Forgings.

The new Lord Shaughnessy was born September 29, 1883, a year after his father—then plain Tom Shaughnessy—had gone to work for the Canadian Pacific, and was educated at Bishop's College School, McGill University, Trinity College, Cambridge, and Laval University, taking science, art and law in turn.

In 1911 he married Marion Laura Graham, of Montreal, a niece of Lord Atholstan—the "Canadian newspaper baron"—and they have three daughters and a son. He entered the army during the war and rose to the rank of lieutenant-colonel in the Canadian militia. He served at the front as a captain in the 190th Irish-Canadian Battalion.

Lord Shaughnessy is a keen golfer and tennis player, and is facing and all forms

A PAGE ABOUT PEOPLE

Sidelights on Men and Women in the Public Eye

No Breach in Premier Baldwin's Family, "Comrade Oliver" Still Welcomed Home

Just His Father's Ideas He Opposes—Christian Socialist—Is Against Communism—No Idler—Has Written Playlets and a Novel.

By DOUGLAS D. MACKAY

FIVE hundred working men were crowded into a dingy meeting hall in North London. Most of them were mechanics and most of them were wearing their caps as they sat there filling the air with the smoke of cigarettes. The chairman, in a rasping cockney voice, introduced the speaker who stood up to be greeted by a prolonged roar of cheering, which died down but was renewed with tremendous enthusiasm. Comrade Oliver Baldwin, son of Britain's prime minister, declared for the first time in London, his allegiance to the cause of Socialism.

Here is a slim blond Englishman with slight moustache and short fair beard. He is twenty-four years of age, has the carriage of a soldier and the tired blue eyes of a man who has suffered. The well-tailored dark suit, the careful blue tie and the woolen vest mark him as a man of some taste and the English respond to the suggest of swank. In a voice that seemed accustomed to command and in sentences that carried hints of the barracks square, he plunged straight into his subject.

"Why am I a Socialist? It is perfectly simple. When I came back from the war I was waiting to see how many of the things we had promised were going to come off. I am still waiting." No one, he said, seemed to be taking into account the sufferings he found on every hand, except the Labor party. "As regards my father," he went on, "I am not opposing him. I am opposing principles that are not going to lead anywhere."

Oliver Baldwin is opposed to the affiliations of the Labor party with the Third Internationale or with any feature of communism for, as he explained, he had been the victim of that element in European politics and had witnessed the execution of seventy-five Armenian Socialists at the hands of the bolsheviks. After the war, in which young Baldwin served in the ranks of the Irish Guards, he went to Armenia to train Armenian troops. "We were beaten by the Turks," he admitted in an interview, "and the next month the bolsheviks swept down and took the country by force." Baldwin was imprisoned but later released and with another companion made a winter march across the Caucasus only to be arrested again at Alexandropol where he was five months in chains. "I kept my sanity by walking round and round my windowless, vermin-infested cell reciting Shakespeare," he said shortly after his return last summer.

By espousing the cause of Socialism, Oliver Baldwin has made no breach in his father's family. He stays at No. 10 Downing street while in London and is a frequent visitor to Chequers, the country house of the premier. Recently he has been living quietly on a farm in Oxfordshire where he has been subjected to several recurring attacks of malaria fever acquired in the east. He has an insatiable appetite for information and will talk with anyone at any time.

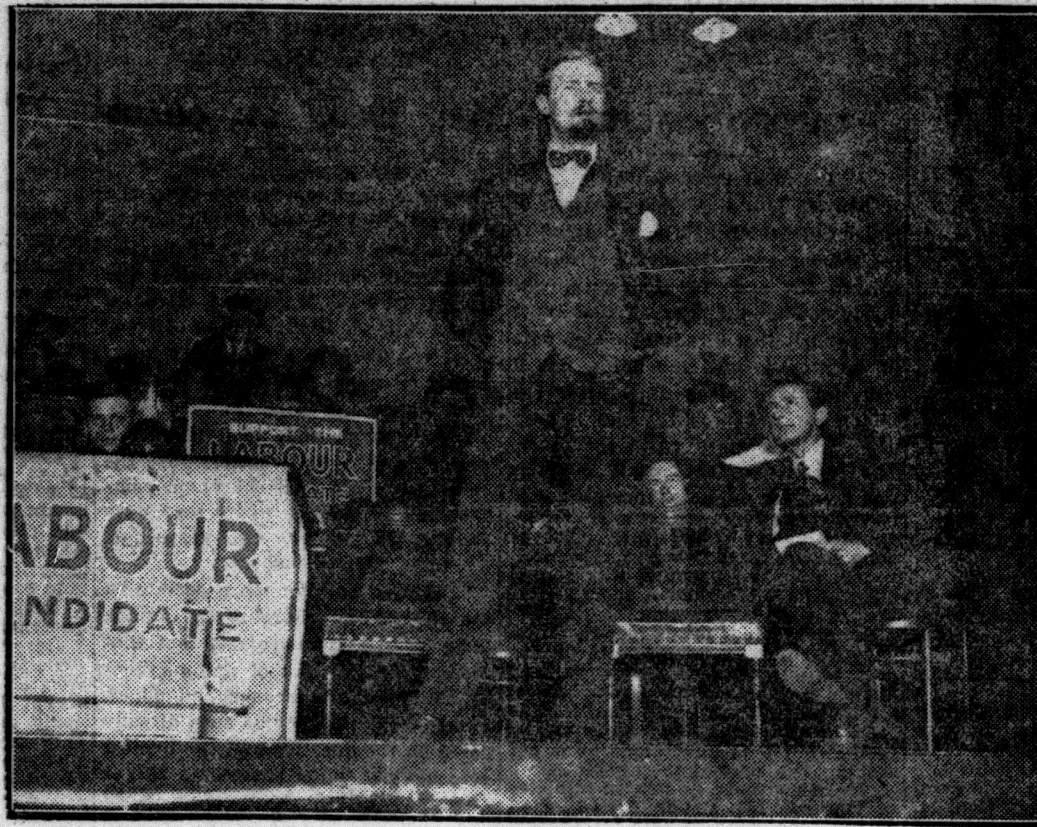
Not long ago while motoring to Chequers, young Baldwin passed a man who seemed to be in a great hurry. He stopped, gave him a lift and learned that he was a gypsy who was going to fetch a midwife to attend to a woman of the caravan. The midwife was secured in Baldwin's car and by way of appreciation of the service a gypsy boy will grow up on the high roads of England named Oliver Baldwin Coleman.

A genuine love of England and a lofty idealism are the two vital elements on young Baldwin's socialism. In talking to the working men of North London it was obvious that he felt bitterly the attitude of England in the Near East. He regretted that the prestige of England should have fallen to its present state in Europe. It is the patriotism of a young man—a man who has had many illusions shattered. It is the patriotism perhaps of a romanticist for there is still much of the dreamer in Oliver Baldwin. His is the Christian Socialism of William Morris. His speeches are sprinkled with the phrases of Morris and, in a sense, he suggests the Morris-Rossett days. But maybe it is only the short blond beard and the soft collar. The striving for a solid fraternity free of class made distinctions and the joy of common service are thoughts that keep coming to the surface in his speeches.

There is no humor in young Baldwin's words. He only told his Cockney audience one anecdote and, though they roared with delight, he found nothing funny in it as it was only an illustration of a class attitude.

It seems that Baldwin was traveling on a local train in the same carriage with the clergyman of the district and the master of the local fox hounds. The clergyman, remarking with the sportsman for the injuries done to the land of the tenantry and small farmers by the hunt, hinted that the hunting should be abolished. "What," replied the other in amazement, "abolish the hunt! Why then the poor people would never have a chance to see the hounds!"

Oliver Baldwin is no idler. Since his return to England he has written a novel of a political nature which is to be published shortly under a pen name. He is the author of several small playlets that have been produced by amateurs in the little theatre specially built by Mr. Stanley Baldwin at Astley Hall. The villagers, who are the guests at the performances, are said to be a most appreciative audience. Naturally, young Baldwin is tremendously popular in the village where he recently led a parade of ex-service men in protest against the appointment



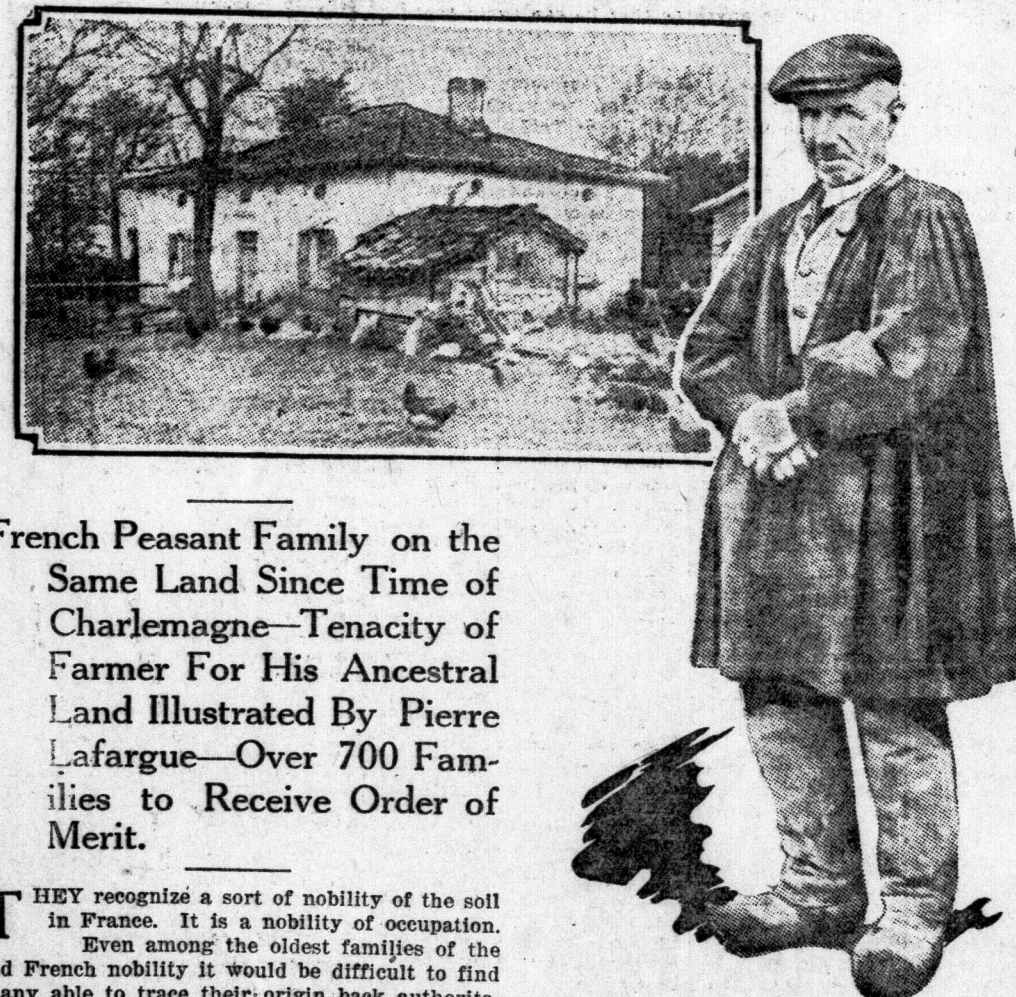
The Young Socialist Baldwin, Who Attacked His Conservative Father

MR. OLIVER BALDWIN, the twenty-four-year-old bearded son of the premier of England, stumped the country during the recent election in the cause of Labor. This is how the young socialist appeared on the platform, attacking his father's protection policy.

of a man who was not a veteran to a public wage earning audience. "Do not be afraid to live up to the loftiest ideals, in spite of the office."

So, in the murky light of the Caledonian hall, one of his so-called friends and the scorn road meeting hall this handsome young Britisher, of the press—it doesn't matter a damn. And heir to one of the great fortunes of England, if you would see a new England with a new soul son of a Conservative prime minister, told rising from the mists—vote labor."

France Honors Nobility of the Soil, Decorates Farmers for 1,151 Years



French Peasant Family on the Same Land Since Time of Charlemagne—Tenacity of Farmer For His Ancestral Land Illustrated By Pierre Lafargue—Over 700 Families to Receive Order of Merit.

THEY recognize a sort of nobility of the soil in France. It is a nobility of occupation. Even among the oldest families of the old French nobility it would be difficult to find many able to trace their origin back authoritatively 1,151 years. Yet the family of Lafargue, of which Pierre is now the head, can do this step by step without a shadow of a doubt.

Pierre Lafargue is perhaps the most outstanding of the French farmers who will be honored by the French government on New Year's Day with the special decoration of merit reserved for men and women representing families who have tilled the same land without a break for more than three centuries.

In these modern days, when the tendency is for the sons of farm folk to be drawn to the cities, it is interesting to recognize this remarkable tenacity of the French peasant for his ancestral land through the centuries. Canadians will be interested to know that there are at least 700 names on the list submitted to the French government for honors in this class.

In establishing the Lafargue family record, the Abbe Lafargue, cure de Campass, points out in L'Illustration how the name is probably derived from the occupation of the earliest members of the family who were evidently blacksmiths and iron-workers.

A staff correspondent of L'Illustration tells how he had the honor to break the news of the honor that was about to be conferred on the Lafargue family.

"I arrived at the farm, on which the buildings have been standing just as they are to-day since the beginning of the eighteenth century, except for a new barn built about 1860.

"I surprised the good people in the act of riding up after the marriage of their son, Jean Marie. They hadn't heard this other piece of good news, and my unforeseen role as messenger made me welcome all the more cordial.

"They received me in the great dining-room, where there stood beautiful chests and cupboards, jealously guarded ancestral heirlooms. There

Eleven Hundred Year Peligree

THIS is Pierre Lafargue, of Molieres, France, who is living still to-day on the same land that his first recorded ancestor possessed during the reign of the Emperor Charlemagne in the year 772.

were Pierre Lafargue, his wife, his daughter Rosa, his sons, Jean Marie and Denis; and his new daughter-in-law, Albany. With the utmost simplicity they explained that they owed this honor by the government to the cure. This is the way Pierre Lafargue always speaks of his elder brother, the brave Abbe Lafargue, cure of Campass.

"Pierre told me that he was born in this house of his fathers in 1862. Only half a mile away his wife was born. And they had four children, one of them, a married son, working a neighboring farm, and the three others at home. 'It's a hard life sometimes,' the old man said. 'But the life is generous around here.'

And proudly he pointed to his acres planted with wheat and vines, a combination farm and vineyard, twenty-five of them still covered with bush.

Since her coming to Pierre's house as his wife Mme. Lafargue has never bought a yard of cloth. She still weaves all the clothes for her family.

These simple people take their pleasure in their labor and the sunshine by which they live. "Then they're going to give me a cross and a ribbon?" said the old man to the correspondent, as he bade him good-bye.

He seemed to typify the whole silent race of patient tillers of the soil of whom little is heard, but who stand for so much in France as well as in every other country.

Offer of Nine Children Starts Welfare League

Albert Chamberlain Didn't Want So Many Children, So He Began British Welfare League

ALBERT CHAMBERLAIN, president of the British Welcome and Welfare League, has possibly had the widest experience with British immigrants of any man in Canada.

The story of how the British Welcome League was started in 1907 has behind it another little incident which is amusing.

On Good Friday morning, 1907, Mr. Chamberlain happened to be in the Union Station, at Toronto, and there, in a corner, was a girl of ten keeping an eagle eye over a flock of eight children.

"Are these your brothers and sisters?" he asked.

"Yes, sir."

"Where is your father?"

"Gone to look for a house, sir. Here he comes over the bridge now."

Meeting the father, Mr. Chamberlain asked him if he had been successful in finding a house.

"Who wants a family of ten, sir? I've just come from the old country and have no place to sleep to-night."

"Well, what are you going to do with your boys and girls?" the League president asked.

"I dunno, sir. You can 'ave 'em, sir."

But Mr. Chamberlain didn't want the nine children, so he organized the British Welcome League which welcomes and looks after the welfare of British immigrants upon their immediate arrival in Canada.



Albert Chamberlain

Handwriting Seers Have Nothing on Arabs

Native Diviner Consults His Sandbox—Tells Sir Harry Johnston the Fate of His Steamer

A WEIRD personal experience of Arab magic is told by Sir Harry Johnston, the famous African traveler and administrator, in the "Story of My Life," just published.

It was while he was staying with the Prince of Kotakota, an important Arab in Nyassaland.

"When we had lived for three weeks at Kotakota, still without news of the Hala, I asked Jumbela's advice. He suggested we should try Arab magic to ascertain the fate of the steamer. One of his diviners was called in, and brought his apparatus of sand—'raml.'"

He juggled with this for a half hour, and then interpreted and gave out the result. "Your 'istima,' he said, "was caught by a storm and was driven on to a sand bank near Rifu" (the narrowest part of the lake) "and there lies a total wreck."

This was cheering news. And it was almost accurate, writes Sir Harry.

The Hala had met with this fate and did not navigate the lake for months later. After reflection I again sought the diviner for a further prognostication as to the future. He promptly responded.

After consulting his box of sand he informed me that in seven days the "Istimaya-Aakat"—the bishop's steamer—would come to my relief.

And sure enough, at the end of the fifth week of my stay, the Charles Janson came to an anchor off Kotakota with Archdeacon Maples on board.

This is how he repaid the hospitality of the Prince:

"I almost used up his stock of candles, and consumed all his supplies of tinned fruits which had come overland from Zanzibar. The only thing I could offer him in return for his hospitality was a bottle of yellow Chartreuse. He was a very strict Muhammadan, especially in eschewing alcohol, but he suffered much from asthma.

"He appealed to me repeatedly for medicine, and as I had no drugs with me I was in despair, until it occurred to me that a small glass of Chartreuse might at any rate distract his thoughts even if it did not remedy the asthma.

"So I gave him a taste of what he called 'the golden water.' He at once declared himself cured, and the least I could do was to hand him the entire bottle. He made it last him for months, and it was the one thing—he told me afterwards—that he felt obliged to deny to his head wife, the lady Sienna."

THE ILLITERATE BALFOUR

THE Earl of Balfour, the veteran statesman, is credited with the following story, related in his own words, by an English paper:

"I was at an hotel in Washington, where all the waiters were colored men. On the first evening I pushed away the menu and gave the waiter a coin.

"Just bring me a good dinner, uncle," I said. "He brought me an excellent dinner. I continued this plan for a fortnight. When I left my waiter said to me:

"Good-bye, sah, an' good luck, and when you see any of yoh frien's come here what can't I do for you, jes' ask foh ole Calhoun Clay."

CAN BE ANGEL OR DEVIL AS THE MOOD SUITS HIM

Time Lucien Cannon Pictured Good and Bad Sides of Three Beautiful Young Ladies Never Forgotten

LUCIEN CANNON, the fiery young Liberal member for Dorchester, is of mixed Scotch, Irish and French ancestry. But when he takes the floor at Ottawa there is seldom any Scotch caution on his tongue. He is famous for bitterness of speech.

It is hard to tell whether this acidity of utterance is predominantly French or Irish. His language is Celtic and Gallic in about equal proportions. He has the bitterness of Dublin stout and the bitterness of French wornwood.

The last example of his fiery felicity of invective was when he vilipended Mr. Good's anti-betting bill last session. But that was not the first time, so his enemies say, that he has attacked good. In fact, to Horatio Hocken and the Orangemen he is Beelzebub incarnate, the master spirit of political unrighteousness in the Quebec nationalist inferno.

But Lucien can, if he wishes, turn his bitter verbal beverage into a loving cup. When the mood seizes him he can sing like an angel or warble like a sucking dove.

There is an interesting story about one occasion when he played the role of angel. He soon wandered out of it, but during his fit of temporary urbanity he was choicely cherubic.

He was down in the lower part of the Gaspe peninsula with the Hon. Walter Mitchell and other well-known Quebec Liberals. They were on a delicate diplomatic mission to persuade a local game warden to abandon his intention of standing for the Quebec legislature.

This worthy had got together by some kind of habitant high finance what was for his community quite a fortune. He had three daughters whom he had been at great pains to educate in one of the fashionable convents in Quebec. They were not exactly the belles of the village, but they were their mental aristocracy, being its school teachers.

Lucien and his friends and the game warden went out sailing. The boat became becalmed. Hours passed. Finally, to while away the monotony, it was suggested that Lucien deliver a flat tiring speech about the warden.

Lucien stood like a new Ulysses against the mast. But he did not sing the song of the sirens. He had a new one of his own invention about the surpassing merits of the warden and his three daughters. Particularly the daughters. He told what beautiful young ladies they were, and yet in spite of their aristocratic finish, truly democratic and beloved by everyone in the village.

His daughters were the great pride and achievement of their father's life. The old man was moved to tears by Lucien's eloquent eulogy. Wiping his eyes, he said: "Mr. Cannon is a wonderful man. He talks just like an angel."

Another hour passed, and still there was no wind. Lucien was asked again to take the stump and the other side of the question. He was now in his real element. His praise was nothing compared to his invective. He ridiculed the old man with every gibe in his extensive repertory. And as for the daughters!

"They came home puffed up with pride," said he, "like crows who thought they had been turned into nightingales. They think they are superior to everyone else in the village, and no one in the village likes them. They make themselves ridiculous with their silly affected airs and graces. They haven't any suitors, and are not likely to have any. They are too ugly. It is absurd that their father should want to run for parliament when he was such a fool as to throw away an education on such daughters."

If the game warden had had his gun with him he would have shot Lucien. They had to lash him to the gunwale to keep him from homicide. He wept again, but they were tears of rage. "To think," he cried, "that a man with the tongue of an angel could so soon afterwards speak with the tongue of a devil!"

But the rest of the audience never could find words enough to express their admiration of Lucien Cannon's astonishing versatility.

ST. PETER'S POOR OPINION OF FATHER GEHL'S BOWLING

So He Lets Him Slip Through the Gates While Good Bowlers Go Down Below

REV. FATHER GEHL, of Preston, Ont., recently celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination into the R.C. priesthood. Many priests were present from all parts of Ontario, and at the banquet which followed the service in the large auditorium of the church in Preston, many felicitations were extended the Rev. Father.

Father Gehl, during his spare time, is an ardent devotee of the game of lawn bowling, and in responding to the toast of "Our Friends," Father Donovan, one of the visiting priests, told of a wonderful dream he had had.

"I dreamed," he said, "that I had died and was applying for admission at the gates of heaven, and St. Peter was questioning me as to what I had done upon earth, and when I admitted doing a bit of bowling the gates were slammed shut and I was sent to the other place."

"As I was sitting to one side disconsolately, Blaine Cherry came along and applied for admission, but on admitting he, too, was a bowler, he was refused entrance."

"As we sat consoling each other Father Gehl appeared and applied for admission. St. Peter asked him a few questions, and then the gates were opened and the father slipped in."

"Instantly we were both up in arms and demanded to know why Father Gehl, who was a bowler, had been let in and we were kept out."

"Don't talk so loudly," said St. Peter, lowering his voice to a whisper. "He isn't a bowler he only thinks he is."

London Juniors' Win Balances Intermediates' Defeat In Glencoe

JUNIOR DEBUTS 10-3 WIN OVER GLENCOE LADS

Locals Display Nice Attack, But Wobbly Defence in Opener.

WOODSTOCK WINS
Defeat Ingersoll 9-1 in the Other Group Game and Take Lead.

London Juniors made their little debut to the home peewhlers last night, defeating the Glencoe lads, 10-3. The Glencoe youngsters were never dangerous; they merely served to show up the weak spots in the local machine, but in the doing, helped produce a tidy little battle. Moore's certificate was held up temporarily and he had to watch the game from a pew.

The ice was like plate glass, and the players not only found it difficult in keeping on the horizontal, but could not keep track of the puck, which skidded on the hard surface and continually got away from them.

The London forward had a clock-like combination which the keen ice made doubly difficult, though they picked eight of their goals on clean stick-click attacks. The showing of McMillan, Barrett and Monahan on the firing line was the redeeming feature of the night. They tried combination at all times and worked in nicely no matter how thick the gathering in front of the Glencoe nets. They fell back and kept out of the corners, but were back too far and failed to show very much back checking ability.

Defence Wobbly.

The London defence, when it was tested, was wobbly, but Robson got some good rushing after slow starts, and using good judgment in picking his route. Jimmy Milne could not get the puck to keep his pace with his rushes, and he was blocked rather well. After the first period, the Oatmeal gang rarely tried to get through the defence, but shot fairly hard from outside. Howard was hit in the eye in the preliminary workout and took the net job. He was nervous, but grew more calm as the game progressed, and towards the end was performing like a veteran. In the third period, Howard, with his cut down, went on, but let Glencoe's second goal in after a minute's play, and though it was against the rules, goalies were switched again.

Glencoe youngsters in their various attacks were not very effective, but were skating on artificial ice for the first time and that has rarely been so hard, and they relied from the first period on individual rushes and checking the London attacks to pieces. They discovered the London youngsters, trying to perfect their getaway, and they were not chasing the puck madly around the rink wherever it went. In Edwards and Weaver on the defence they have two husky young men, who are fast, shoot hard, and are fair stick-handlers, but they didn't seem to want to meet the local defence. The forwards were switched often, but all the youngsters were surprisingly good shots. Young Rigg, a diminutive youngster in centre ice, took the eye of the fans, and he was alone and in for his own rebound for Glencoe's third goal in the third period. Leitch gave a great exhibition of net minding, and picked up the puck at all angles, and most of the counters which slipped by him were scored by the Londoners, sweeping right down on him.

Monahan, Barrett and McMillan combined nicely and went in at a lightning pace, especially the two latter. Monahan was a bit inclined to roam at first, but he was checked by the other two and the three cruised down abreast at times, Monahan getting two of the five counters scored in the last period. Graham, who subbed, got the only counter the Londoners were able to get through in the second period took a pass from Robson and got away for a wicked drive. Fairbairn was on for a while, but did not work in on the attack.

The scores by periods were: 1-0, 1-0, 9-1.

Robson to Monahan to Robson accounted for the first London tally at 1:10. At 5:15 McMillan grabbed a loose puck after it had been checked and scooped in. No. 2, Edwards scored the Glencoe boys' first goal in three games at 13:20 with a shot from away outside the view of the net, minding being masked by a mob. Two Barrett to McMillan duets at 16:40 and 19:40 closed the scoring in this canto.

The second period was the worst of the evening. A lot of shiny prevailed as the players swiped at the elusive and skidding disc. Finally, Robson went down, passed to Graham, who beat Leitch cleanly.

Whitton opened the third briskly after a minute of play, counting from away outside. McMillan countered in another minute alone. At 47:30 the London team lost track of the wee Rigg, who went down alone, shot and scored. Barrett was checked, and the Glencoe defence scored two more. The tenth game, with Monahan standing still and shooting as Barrett passed out to him.

Referee Legg refereed a nice game. The line-ups: London—Goal, Biggs; defence, Robson and Milne; centre, Barrett; wing, Monahan; left wing, McMillan; sub, Palmy. Glencoe—Goal, Leitch; defence, Edwards and Milne; centre, Whitton; right wing, McDonald; left wing, Quick; subs, Anderson, Law, Rigg. Referee—Legg of London.

WOODSTOCK WINS 9-1.
Woodstock, Jan. 4.—The second game of the junior O. H. A. season took place this evening at the arena when the locals clashed with the Ingersollites and defeated them, 9-1. The zero-like weather worked splendidly on the ice, and it was in ex-

HOCKEY SCORES

Western Canada.
Calgary 4, Edmonton 0.
Senior O. H. A.
Stratford 1, Galt 2.
Parkdale 6, St. Marys 4.
Hamilton 6, Kitchener 2.
Intermediate O. H. A.
Glencoe 3, London 4.
Brookville 7, Cornwall 3.
Belleville 4, Frontenac 3.
Markham 5, Victoria 2.
Glencoe 6, Elora 1.
Lindsay 10, Lakefield 1.
Brantford 3, Ayr 1.
Chesley 9, Palmerston 5.
Hamilton 4, Welland 3.
Bowmanville 12, Whitby 2.
Junior O. H. A.
London 10, Glencoe 3.
Woodstock 9, Ingersoll 1.
Meaford 4, Stoneyton 1.
Exhibition.
New Haven 5, U. S. Amateur League.
St. Paul 2, Eveleth 1.
Cleveland 2, Duluth 0.

GAMES TONIGHT.
National League
Canadians at Hamilton.
Ottawa at St. Patricks.
Intermediate O. H. A.
St. Marys at St. Catharines.
United Colleges at Varsity Seconds.

NORWOODS BATTLE ACES TO 19-19 TIE

Assumption Cage Quintet Proves Troublesome Handful For Y. M. C. A. Crew.

Had the final bell sounded just one six-hundredth of a second later, Assumption College Norwoods would have defeated the local Y. M. C. A. team, but as it didn't the final score was 19-19.

Kennedy, Norwoods' forward, got what might have been the deciding tally under way just as the time-keeper pulled the rope, and his efforts went for naught. The Norwoods got away fast in the first period and rang in three counters, before the local lads got a footing. Kennedy then on a free throw, scored a battle, with the heavier Aces emerging in the lead, 12 to 10, at half time.

There was little scoring to start the second. Both teams were checking rather with a clean basket looking like a fourth dimension proposition. The Aces sought to inform the bet on college boys in eight different directions all around him why the Aces were not a free throw on what was claimed unintentional blocking. The resumption of the contest saw no let-up in the all-around aggressiveness, but the final count stood 19-19.

The line-ups: Norwoods—Kennedy, r.f.; Donlon, l.f.; McGee, c.; Smith, g.; Shaw, l.g.; Girard, l.g.; Cook, Finn and St. Antoine, subs.

Aces—Pierce, r.f.; Young, l.f.; Barbour, c.; Smith, g.; Shaw, l.g.; Quick, Price and Fairless, subs.

Referee—Dinsmore.

The local ladies' team took the second preliminary from McCormicks' girls, 11 to 8.

The line-ups: London—Goal, Gibb, Hodder, Siddle, Hynd, Horwood, Harris, McCormicks—A. Poole, E. Poole, Morley, Kyle, Rayson, Scott, Swanson, Madge.

Referee—Arnold Bennett.

WESTERN 'U' BOXING CLASS GETS UNDER WAY TUESDAY

The Western U. boxing class, under the supervision of Sergt. Tommy Vace, will commence Tuesday at the municipal gym at 5 o'clock.

The class, which started out at 23, may show an increase on the second day. Dr. Smith, however, believes that Western will be well advised not to enter the competitive field in this branch of sport this year, though progress made in the next month, if it's sufficiently startling, may produce a change of mind.

cellent condition. The Ingersoll boys, though quite fair, were no match for the local boys who showed some real class combination. Jemmett scored the only goal for Woodstock in the first period. In the second period Ingersoll was out with all kinds of speed, and several times a well directed shot was kept outside by Murdoch, and at one time a regular squad of players gathered near the net, and nothing could be seen but clashing sticks and legs. Four goals were scored in the second period by Woodstock, and the credit for two goes to Goyer, one of the local stars, who is rapidly fulfilling the expectations of the fans.

In the third period Woodstock got four more, while Ingersoll scored their only counter. For Ingersoll, Vallee, their centre player, and Noe in goal played a good game, while all the Woodstock players did well.

The line-ups: Woodstock—Goal, Murdoch; defence, Pascoe and McCartney; forwards, Jemmett, Goyer, Smith and Whitehead; sub, Roadhouse. Ingersoll—Goal, Noe; defence, Pilmore and Colburn; forwards, Vallee, Smith and McMillan; subs, McMurray and Huntley.

Referee—Fraser, Paris.

GUELPH TROUNCES ELORA CREW 6 TO 1 IN INITIAL SET TO

Several New Men Make Appearance With Royal City Sextet.

CONDITION IS FACTOR

Special to The Advertiser.
Guelph, Jan. 4.—Guelph hockey fans got their first look at their intermediate team tonight when they stepped out and gave the Elora team a thrashing. Several new faces made their appearance for the first time—Bourgeault on the defence, Bill Roche on the forward line, and Hollands, late of Ingersoll, in goal, and all made a very favorable impression. Indications are that if the team gets going right Guelph will experience a great season.

Elora did not furnish much opposition, and the one goal credited to them was accidentally deflected into the net by Bourgeault. The score at the end of the first was 2 to 1 in favor of Guelph, and they added three in the second and one in the third. Both teams subbed often, as they were not in condition to go the route. All the old favorites of last season were on the job, with the exception of Woods, who will take a great season.

Hayes played goal in the second and was at his best, while Jones on the defence, Corrigan, Croven and Mitchell on the attack were good. Both Brill and Roche, subs, played fine hockey. The team is off to a good start, and with a game or two under their belts they will take a lot of beating. The Elora team lacked condition. The game was clean, only a few penalties being imposed by Referee Anderson.

Guelph—Goal, Hollands; defence, left defence, Bourgeault; right defence, Jones; centre, Mitchell; right wing, Fisher; subs, Wilde, Lowell; sub goal, Brown.

Referee—Anderson, Kitchener.

ARTS CAGERS DEFEAT HURON COLLEGE 10-8

Western University Basketball Season Resumes With Two Tilt.

Western U's basketball court program, halted during the Christmas holidays, started last night with the Arts series and continues on Tuesday, when the Meds League reopens. Last night Arts '25 beat Huron College, 27 to 15.

Meds '28 by 20 to 15, and Meds '29 defaulted to Arts '24.

Western will arrange its own senior basketball night with the O. B. A. series. Both teams, it is believed, want to stage some exhibition games before they start in the annihilation series in order to produce a winner, which will meet the Toronto-Hamilton group winner.

The first team is already chosen, and the "seconds" which will operate in both the London and district junior series and in the Garrison League disguised as the C. O. T. C., are getting into shape.

The first work out at the medical gym Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from 5 to 6, on the two former days, three on the latter.

The line-ups: South Enders—Pollock, Gordon, Gray, Milne, Brown, Baker.

Referee—Barbour.

The local ladies' team took the second preliminary from McCormicks' girls, 11 to 8.

The line-ups: London—Goal, Gibb, Hodder, Siddle, Hynd, Horwood, Harris, McCormicks—A. Poole, E. Poole, Morley, Kyle, Rayson, Scott, Swanson, Madge.

Referee—Arnold Bennett.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY JOVE LADS, I FEEL FIT TO ENTER A SKI JUMPING TOURNEY!—HAW, I RECALL A TOURNAIMENT AT SARRSTAD, NORWAY, IN WHICH I CARRIED AWAY THE HONORS WITH A JUMP OF 637 FEET!—HAM—MIND YOU, ONE OF MY SKIS FELL OFF WHILE IN MIDAIR, AND I MADE THE SENSATIONAL LANDING ON ONE FOOT!

New City Ice Loop Will Develop Hockey Talent

Junior League To Be Financed by Sale of Season Tickets.

DEFINITELY LAUNCHED

Askin Hawks, Y. M. C. A., Orioles and East End Club Are Entered.

Four teams will make up the Junior City League, which was finally launched last night at a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Askin Hawks, Hamilton Road Orioles, Y. M. C. A. and East End Club are the four teams.

The Central C. I. team was not allowed to enter, as the school officials considered they were playing in enough competitions now.

It was decided to finance the league by the sale of season tickets. Each club will take a portion of the tickets and put on a campaign.

Another meeting will be held at the Y. on Tuesday night, at which the clubs will submit a list of players and certificates of age.

The league promises to be one of the best developing agencies for hockey London has had. As such, the officials expect that the L. A. A. may find its way clear to render some assistance.

It is hoped to use Westminster Rink, once the old structure is opened. The launching of the junior league will probably be the factor which will hurry up the ice-making at the Westminster.

Any player wishing to sign on with any of the teams is asked to call D. Davies at 1128J.

SIKI-LOHMAN BATTLE IN BORDER CITY IS OFF

Associated Press Despatch.
Detroit, Jan. 4.—The proposed boxing match between Battling Siki and Joe Lohman of Toledo at Windsor on Jan. 19 is off, temporarily at least. A hitch in the terms caused the singular Senegalese and his manager, Robert Levy, to leave here for Buffalo, where Siki is matched. Meanwhile E. Y. Kernahan, representing the Great War Veterans' Association, is pondering whether or not to accept the terms laid down by Levy.

On the Side Lines

With C. S. G.

BADLY NEEDED.
The London Amateur Athletic Association should become a semi-civic body. A paid secretary who could act as playgrounds supervisor for the city at the same time would be a step in giving sport in London a civic touch. Windsor has a recreation director, and so have many other cities. London certainly needs one because there is lots of work for such a man.

The proper man for the job would probably eliminate a good deal of the petty jealousy, spite and criticism which unfortunately make their appearance when the work is carried on by committeemen who volunteer for the sake of sport, but also in the knowledge that they are undertaking thankless tasks.

GIRLS WILL LEAD WAY.
If the Dominion Basketball Association ever becomes a reality Dominion play-offs for the men's title are not liable to come for some years yet. The game has to spread more than it has before such games would be feasible. Ontario plays most of the basketball seen in Canada, but in the Maritimes it is still far from a popular sport. Quebec is not very well organized, and going west, there is real basketball enthusiasm in Winnipeg. The Prairie cities are not basketball mad. Hitting the coast, Vancouver and Victoria are good cage centers, and the court game is popular. Finishing men's basketball in Ontario has been one of the great problems.

With the girls' games it is different. Girls' teams like the Shamrocks and Edmonton Graduates have blazed the trail until financing even Dominion play-offs does not cause a wrinkle. Such an association is needed, and it's sufficiently startling, and keep the game up to its present state of affluence.

As it stands now, however, girls' play-offs will probably not stimulate the boys to such formidable and staggering undertakings as Dominion title matches.

BY AHERN



CROP OF YEARLING THOROUGHBREDS LARGE THIS YEAR

Kentucky Welcomes Removal of Whitney Interests to Blue Grass State.

SELECTING PROSPECTS

This year there was a falling off in the number of nominations of yearlings for the early closing stakes that will be run next season, and the 1925 on the New York tracks. Next year this will not be the case.

The weanling crop all over the country is a large one, and many outstanding colts and fillies were recently seen in Kentucky. At this time of the year when the colts are in a testing season, and one out of a bunch of school boys at recess, there are many impromptu races in the blue grass pastures.

Experts claim that they can get a line on the prospective champions in these wild dashes that have a picturesque quality. The juveniles seem to enter into the spirit of the contest with as much zeal as though the colors were up and afford a spectacle quite as thrilling to lovers of the horse as the tests of the race course, which follow in the natural development of the type.

Man of War has grown into a magnificent big horse, a giant in every way. There is a handsome filly by him at the Claiborne Farm of Arthur B. Hancock, near Paris, the property of the Federal Remount Service. When Mr. Riddle donated a service to Man of War to the government, Mr. Hancock, who is a member of the civilian board of the service, offered the young mare Star Puss by Jim Gaffney out of Star Jasmine by Ogden as a mate.

Many Fine Youngsters.
The produce now at Claiborne is a handsome brown filly that should bring enough money at the yearling sales to enable the Remount Service to buy some more desirable stallions on distribution throughout the country.

A particularly fine weanling at Claiborne is a black colt by Joseph R. Widener's recent importation, Stefan the Great, out of a Desmond dam that recently arrived from England. He is a giant in size, but without coarseness, and showing hints of Hancock remarked: "If Stefan gets them like this fellow there won't be any trouble filling his book every year."

There are many fine youngsters by Campfire, Ambassador, Jim Gaffney, Star Hawk and Omar Khayyam at Claiborne, and the latter has more substance than those that have appeared heretofore.

Easily Selected.
Campfire is a grand young horse and stamps his produce in a way that enables one to pick them out at a glance. Stallions are not pampered at Claiborne. They are ridden, or turned out daily. Star Hawk, under leashed to a reference, has grown into a handsome horse, while Ambassador is one of the best types of the thoroughbred sires in Kentucky.

Stefan the Great has made friends since his arrival in Kentucky and is perfectly at home at Elmendorf, where he is the companion of Mont O'or and Maintenant. They are three superb horses with the bone and substance stock interests in the country. The weanlings at Elmendorf are a healthy, well-grown lot by the best horses and out of mares of the choicest blood.

Fair Play Looks Good.
Fair Play and Hourless never looked better than they do at present. The former doesn't appear a day older than ten years ago. Hourless is a picture horse. There are many fine weanlings in the Nursery paddocks by these splendid stallions.

The removal of the Kentucky breeding interests to Kentucky is a big feather in the cap of those who declare that no other portion of the Union equals the blue grass country for the breeding of horses. There are several superb horses in the Whitney collection that will be added to the Kentucky breeding stock in the near future.

SOLDIERS TO PLAY CHATHAM QUINTETS

Machine Gunners and C. O. T. C. Meet Kent Regiment Squads Friday.

Two 24th Kent Regiment teams of Chatham will come here next Friday night to meet local Garrison Machine Gunners, who will on the field last year without a defeat, are the men to beat, but Western C. O. T. C. which is really the Varsity seconds, will be real contenders. The cavalrymen are unknown quantities, but may be the upsets when it comes to real action.

Next week a schedule will be drawn up and the teams will be started on their merry way.

ST. THOMAS TO OPEN ICE SEASON WITH WOODSTOCK

Special to The Advertiser.
St. Thomas, Jan. 4.—The new season of ice hockey is about to get under way following the withdrawal of the Ingersoll team from the intermediate O. H. A. provides for the opening event to be staged in this city on Jan. 7 with Woodstock. The schedule for the local group is as follows: Jan. 7—Woodstock at St. Thomas. Jan. 9—St. Thomas at Tillsonburg. Jan. 11—Woodstock at Tillsonburg. Jan. 14—St. Thomas at Woodstock. Jan. 16—Tillsonburg at St. Thomas. Jan. 18—St. Thomas at Woodstock. Jan. 21—Woodstock at St. Thomas. Jan. 23—St. Thomas at Tillsonburg. Jan. 25—Tillsonburg at Woodstock. Jan. 28—Woodstock at Tillsonburg. Feb. 1—Tillsonburg at St. Thomas. Feb. 4—St. Thomas at Woodstock.

PALMERSTON JUNIORS LOSE AT CHESLEY 9 TO 5

Special to The Advertiser.
Chesley, Jan. 4.—Chesley O. H. A. Juniors defeated Palmerston in a hard-fought game tonight, 9 to 5. Palmerston led 3 to 1 at the end of the first period, but in the second period the Orane and Jan team came back strong and ran in five goals to their opponents' one. Both teams slowed up in the last period after the dizzy pace set in the first two frames. The game was comparatively clean, each team drawing only two penalties for minor offences. Pat Murphy of Mount Forest scored for Chesley—Goal, Armstrong; left defence, Mercer; right defence, McDonald; centre, Krug; left wing, Heston; right wing, Boehmer; subs, Geldert and Blohm.

Palmerston—Goal, Buck; left defence, Johnston; right defence, Birton; centre, Ward; left wing, Ward; right wing, Kelly; subs, Robertson and Lawrence.

OWEN SOUND GREYS WILL PLAY PADDLERS EXHIBITION

Special to The Advertiser.
Owen Sound, Jan. 4.—Parkdale Canoe Club juniors will play an exhibition match here with Owen Sound Greys Monday.

The Greys will play their first real ice workout at home tonight, and the players appear to be going great guns, and ready for all comers.

UNIVERSITY TEAM IS IN ICE LISTS AGAIN

Western Squad Works Out At Local Arena This Afternoon.

Western University enters the hockey arena, once more this season after an absence of almost ten years, the first ice workout of this year's team being scheduled for this afternoon. Not since the days when the late Dr. (Cap.) Stevens put Western U. on the map, even to the extent of a modest Red Men of Warton off, has Western entered the hockey lists, and its entrance this year into intercollegiate ranks promises to give local hockey a new interest.

The intercollegiate intermediate series dates will be fixed today in Toronto. Dr. Gorton will represent the Western U. and it is expected that Western will get an early home game. There will be little trouble over dates, despite the fact that the local teams are playing double schedules in their O. H. A. groups.

Three workouts will be staged next week on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, starting at 1 o'clock. There is plenty of good material at the U. this season, right up to the intermediate O. H. A. standard, and therefore to the intercollegiate brand.

Mowrey, who played junior last year and was used at center by the intermediates, has several good players, Blackwell, Colvin, Mitchell, Charlebois, Baldwin, Dagleis and Grace, a former Central C. I. player, are some of the candidates who will be out Monday afternoon.

INTERMEDIATES LOSE HARD GAME IN GLENCOE

C.I. Team May Go To Philly

The collegiate track team will probably go to Philadelphia in the spring to take part in the Penn State games.

Capt. Cornelius when here said he thought that the team which represented the London collegiates at Toronto last fall would make any of the other squads hustle in the junior events. The Hamilton C. I. team, which won one of its biggest splurges at this meet last year.

Financing the trip will be one difficulty, but if the tri-school indoor meet at Lafayette High of Buffalo and Hamilton Collegiate, planned some time ago, comes off, the local collegials should get a start on funds.

PARIS-AYR SQUAD LOSE AT BRANTFORD

"Manny" Haas Notches Two Tallies—Turnbull's Playing Is Clever.

Special to The Advertiser.
Brantford, Jan. 4.—The intermediate O. H. A. season opened here tonight, when the Paris-Ayr combination lost to Brantford by 3 to 1. Play was close until Pat O'Connor scored Brantford's first goal after eight minutes.

In the second "Manny" Haas was playing stellar hockey, and had hard luck, missing two. After two and one-half minutes of play he notched Brantford's second, and in less than a minute he scored Brantford's third and last. "Stub" Turnbull, playing heady hockey, scored Ayr's lone counter. McClutcheon got into a battle in the penalty box, and a foul was narrowly averted. Lou Marsh, however, soon had things straightened out, and play was resumed. Johnson and O'Connor received penalties, and Ayr had five men to Brantford's four on the ice, but could not score.

In the third period Freeman made several lone rushes, only to be stopped by Prentice, Ayr's star goalie, who was right on the bit.

The line-ups: Ayr—Goal, Prentice; defence, Oliver and Blain; forwards, R. Hillier, E. Hillier and McClutcheon; subs, Turnbull and Harkness.

Brantford—Goal, Summerhays; defence, Johnson and Freeman; forwards, Haas, George and O'Connor; subs, Rugg and Bell.

Referee—Lou Marsh.

FORM BASKETBALL COMMITTEE TODAY

Proposed Local Senior O. B. A. Outfit To Play Intermediate.

The basketball committee of the London Amateur Athletic Association will be re-formed this afternoon at a meeting in the Tecumseh House, and an intermediate boys' team will be entered in the O. B. A., and as well a representative girls' team chosen for exhibition games and to play off for the championship of the new Ontario Girls' Basketball Association, which for this year seems likely to be composed of London and Toronto leagues.

The crew including Goodman, Art and Harold Gilles, the Lightfoot brothers, Fred Jones, Edgewood, and several other court stars, which was to have played senior, will be sent into the intermediate O. B. A. and may be grouped with the Aces, St. Thomas and Stratford. It is believed that both local teams are opposed to playing a two-team group.

The committee to be chosen this afternoon will consist of men who have been identified with basketball in London for years. The names of Col. Reid and J. B. M. Ferguson have been mentioned prominently in connection with the chairmanship. Either would make an ideal man for the job.

SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED FOR JUVENILE LOOP

Y. M. C. A. Passers Begin Season On C. A. C. Floor Next Tuesday Night.

The schedule for the juvenile section of the London and District Basketball League is as follows: Date. Home. Away. Jan. 8—A.C.C. vs. Y.M.C.A. London. Jan. 10—Judeans vs. C.A.C. Jan. 11—Judeans vs. Y.M.C.A. Jan. 17—Y.M.C.A. vs. C.A.C. Jan. 18—C.A.C. vs. Y.M.C.A. Jan. 24—Comex vs. Judeans Jan. 29—Judeans vs. C.A.C. Jan. 29—Y.M.C.A. vs. Comex Feb. 1—Judeans vs. Y.M.C.A. Feb. 1—C.A.C. vs. Comex.

Y.M.C.A. play their home game at the Y. Men's A. on Fridays at 7 p.m.; Judeans play their home games at Central Collegiate gym; C.A.C. play their home games at their club rooms, 520 Richmond street at 8 p.m., and Comex play their home games at the Y.M.C.A.

CARL MAY'S SIGNS.

Associated Press Despatch.
Cincinnati, Jan. 4.—Carl Maya former Yankee pitcher, signed a contract today to play with the Cincinnati Nationals this year.

What's In The Wind!

Have you heard any whispers of a new contest for Strollers? Get your ear to the wind. Ask your tobacconist. Say "GIMME!" And save the pictures of the movie stars.

Just Say—GIMME!

STROLLERS

TOBACCO PRODUCTS CORP. OF CANADA LIMITED

Stratford Indians and Green Shirts Victors In Big Four Battles

INDIANS IN OVERTIME DEFEAT TERRIERS, 3-2

Preston Drops Initial Big Four
Battle To Green
Shirts.

BOTH GAMES CLOSE

Ashley and George, Both Veterans, Individual Stars
of Night.

Special to The Advertiser.

Galt, Jan. 4.—In the opening game of the Big Four senior series here tonight, Stratford Indians were victors, 3 to 2, but it took them 10 minutes overtime to do the trick. It was the first time the local boys had been in a game together, and their showing in view of this was remarkable. "Dad" Ashley and Fred George were the stars of the night, Ashley getting two goals, including the winning counter, while George got both of Galt's. A peculiar thing was that all five wingers on shots from outside defence. Wood, former Collingwood boy, and "Dutch" Trump, formerly of Woodstock, the new men on the Galt lineup, showed up fine. The rest of the Galt regulars were just as good as ever.

The game was clean, Referee Harold Farlow handing out only four penalties, two each. The first period went scoreless, and after 10 minutes in the second, Freddie George opened the scoring with a long shot. With only two minutes to go in this period, Stratford scored when Kelterborn took a long shot and Hoffmann trying to catch it, missed, and Wilkinson hit the net. Only a minute after the commencement of the final period, Stratford took the lead, when Ashley's long shot beat Wilkinson. Ten minutes later Freddie George tied the score. Galt missed a beautiful chance to win when Watts, unchecked and alone in front of the net, missed in a fast pass. The first five minutes of overtime went without a score, and after three and a half minutes Stratford scored when Kelterborn took a long shot and Hoffmann trying to catch it, missed, and Wilkinson hit the net. Only a minute after the commencement of the final period, Stratford took the lead, when Ashley's long shot beat Wilkinson. Ten minutes later Freddie George tied the score. Galt missed a beautiful chance to win when Watts, unchecked and alone in front of the net, missed in a fast pass. The first five minutes of overtime went without a score, and after three and a half minutes Stratford scored when Kelterborn took a long shot and Hoffmann trying to catch it, missed, and Wilkinson hit the net.

The teams: Stratford—Goal, Dolson; RD, Ashley; LD, Berger; center, Brickman; RW, Carson; LW, Kelterborn; subs, Battersby, Griffin, Zuber. Galt—Goal, Wilkinson; RD, F. George; LD, Watts; center, Himes; RW, Woods; LW, Hoffman; subs, Trump, Elliott, Schurmer.

Referee—Harold Farlow, Toronto. Iatoc—ANEC photo, I.K.L., SHRLDV.

PRESTON LOSES.

Special to The Advertiser.
Kitchener, Jan. 4.—In the opening game of the hockey season here to night the Green Shirts of the Big Four defeated Preston 3 to 1. It was a closely fought battle, with Preston out and it was not until the final period that the locals were able to force ahead, the count at the end of the second period being knotted at one all.

Preston was saved from a greater defeat by the work of Paddy Farrell in goal. Until within six minutes of time there was no more than one goal separating the teams. Kitchener had a very fair margin of play in the second and third, but they did not have much success in beating Farrell. The locals outlasted Preston a trifle and were going better in the third than at any other time. Preston was speedy and shot well, but the Kitchener defence was too much for them and most of their sniping was done from the outside. The opening period did not display any spectacular hockey, although it was fast. Play was mostly of the individual variety and finally Erb grabbed a loose puck and dropped a high one in the net after 12 minutes of play. Two minutes later Gunner Arnot on a pretty shot between the defence tied up the count.

In the second, Kitchener commenced to close in on the Preston net and Farrell was peppered, but he turned them off with a goal. In the third, Moles secured at the Preston defence and gave Farrell a hard one which he was unable to keep out. Ike Master, on a solo excursion, shot, and following in for the rebound, beat Farrell. For the balance of the game Preston was dangerous at times, but the locals had the upper hand.

The teams: Preston—Goal, Farrell; defence, Skelly and Bowman; center, Wood; left wing, Clarke; right wing, Woodley; subs, Krause and Roth. Kitchener—Goal, Zuber; defence, Master and Karges; center, Sherb; right wing, Moles; left wing, Erb; subs, Krug and Miller.

Referee—J. J. Jacobs, Toronto.

TWIN CITY LOSSES.

Canada Press Despatch.
Hamilton, Jan. 4.—The Tigers swamped Kitchener 6 to 2 in a senior O. H. A. game here. With Kitchener in the lead, 1 to 0, the locals started an attack in the second, and shot five straight counters. Kitchener tallied again in the second period, the score standing 5 to 2. A flying puck caught Fries, goalkeeper for the visitors, in the throat, and he was out of the game for over ten minutes. The accident occurred in the last period. Fries, despite the fact that he wore a headgear, received a nasty blow.

The summary: First period—1, Kitchener, W. Scharr, 12:05.

Second period—2, Tigers, Cooper, 2:00; 3, Tigers, Mitchell, 2:05; 4, Tigers, Cooper, 4:55; 5, Tigers, Cooper, 2:07; 6, Tigers, Cooper, 6:50; 7, Kitchener, W. Scharr, 5:59.

Third period—8, Tigers, Mitchell, 2:04.

CINCINNATI COMPLETES TRANSFER OF JAKE MAY

Associated Press Despatch.
Los Angeles, Jan. 4.—May, star southpaw pitcher of the Vernon Pacific Coast League club, has been sold to the Cincinnati Nationals. A cash consideration exceeding \$20,000 and two players were given for May. Frank Keck, a right-handed pitcher, and Walter Kimmick, an infielder, came to Vernon.

Reducing Pads Improves Form

Hamilton Spectator.—Was Vernon Forbes carrying too much weight? Ask any of the members of the Hamilton professional team, and the answer will be, yes.

Until the game at Ottawa last Saturday night, Forbes was carrying what horsemen would term "dead weight in the saddle."

The fact of the matter is, that his pads were too big and too heavy. He could not get his feet together, and some of the goals which were scored against him this season were due to that.

The day before the game at Ottawa a gang of workmen started in to rebuild the pads, and they evidently made a good job of it, for the little fellow showed better form at Ottawa than in any previous game this season, due to the fact that he was not handicapped by having a couple of "mattresses" in front of him.

The weight of his padding was reduced by exactly seventeen pounds. All the men who watched the operation wondered how he ever managed to stand up under the strain, let alone stop goals.

Rosen in his palmy days was a great weight carrier, but there were times when the handicapper asked how much of him, and it looks as though the same handicapper put the weight on Forbes.

MORAN WINS DECISION OVER JOHNNY SHUGRUE

Referee Stops Bout To Save
Loser From Further
Punishment.

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, Jan. 4.—Pal Moran, New Orleans lightweight, defeated Johnny Shugrue of Waterbury, Conn., when the referee stopped their bout in the fifth round to save Shugrue from further punishment. Shugrue could no longer see through bloody eyes, but was still on his feet when the referee intervened.

Shugrue showed good form only in the opening two rounds, when, with a swing attack, he had Moran away to the ropes for safety several times. Moran's blows in the second round slowed Shugrue, however, and he was handicapped by the blood that flowed from many cuts about his face. He was seconded by his brother, Joe Shugrue, old-time boxing favorite. His younger brother, Willie, won a division over John Kohler of New York in a six-round contest.

A deputation of about 750 Waterbury boxing fans, headed by the Shugrue family, Moran weighed 135 and Shugrue 133. Eddie (Kid) Wagner of Philadelphia knocked out one of New York's leading junior lightweights, in the sixth round of a ten-round match in Madison Square Garden tonight. Tervis went down from a right to the stomach. Tervis weighed 129½ and Wagner 129.

ST. MARYS TO OPEN SEASON ON MONDAY

Several New Men Will Oppose
London Intermediates in
First Game.

Special to The Advertiser.
St. Marys, Jan. 4.—The local hockey season opens Monday with London intermediates in action against the local stickhandlers. Although the local squad have been playing a big disadvantage in not having ice up to date, they have kept in playing condition. Nevertheless several new faces will be seen in the line-up this year, including the Louch brothers of junior fame.

Frank Yates will be a telling feature on the local defence, while "Ernie" Timmins knows all his old tricks in the goal. St. Marys has not been in action on ice this year, but will endeavor to get in some hard practice before Monday's tussle. The Inter-Church Hockey League opens Wednesday night with three games.

ST. MARYS INTERMEDIATES INVADE SARNIA TONIGHT

Canada Press Despatch.
Sarnia, Jan. 4.—For the opening intermediate hockey game in which St. Marys opposes Sarnia here Saturday night, the teams will be the same team which Monday night held London to a 4-2 score, despite the fact that the locals had not been on ice prior to the game. The team will be: McAllister, goal; Perry and Mellon, defence; O'Brien, centre; Clark, right wing; Glen Jackson, left wing; David Jackson and Silk, subs.

Tuesday night Glencoe intermediates, who for years have been a thorn in the side of the local squad, will be the visitors at St. Marys.

"A stronger line-up than for son, years past Sarnia fans are fairly confident as to the result of this game."

LONDON TIGERS BEATEN BY STRATHROY QUINTE

Strathroy, Jan. 4.—The Strathroy team here tonight defeated the London Tigers in a fast, clean game of basketball at the local collegiate gym by the score of 22 to 15. The half-time score was 13 to 2. London—Casselman, Lawrence, McGregor, Cummings, Uphergrove, Chapman and Anderson. Strathroy—Leitch, Smith, Orr, Nicholson, Burkholder, Whiting and Bolton.

Referee—A. B. Lucas.

Race Results

HAVANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs: Twinkle Bell, 103 (Brothers), 3 to 1, even, 2 to 5, won. Myrtle Blison, 98 (Shanks), 5 to 1, 2 to 2, second. Mrs. Gardner, 106 (Jackson), 2 to 1, third.

Time, 1:15 1-5. Fly Lady, Suzuki, Marmaduke, Monopoly, Solomon's Favor, Okochobe, Helioscope also ran.

SECOND RACE, 6 furlongs: Drapery, 108 (Kinney), 5 to 2, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, won. Bonafide, 111 (Smith), even, 2 to 5, second.

Castilla, 94 (Groos), 1 to 3, third. Time, 1:15 1-5.

THIRD RACE, 6 furlongs: Justina E., Annette Teller, Carpathia, St. J. and Choe ran.

Golden Chance, 111 (Seremba), 4 to 1, 7 to 10, won. Horeb, 114 (Smith), 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second.

Time, 97 (Dawson), 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 1-5.

Winters, Laughing Eyes II, Patsy B., Willigan, Jacquerie, War Fox also ran.

FOURTH RACE, 6 furlongs: Dixon's Pride, 102 (Groos), 4 to 1, 7 to 10, won. Truises, 108 (Brothers), 7 to 5, second.

Time, 1:13 1-5. Lee Adrian, Stone Image, Phil Mayers also ran.

FIFTH RACE, mile and 50 yards: Huen, 106 (Pickens), 4 to 5, 1 to 5, 1 to 5, won. Shingle Shack, 104 (Eaton), 2 to 1, even, second.

Time, 1:44 1-5. Talaballag, Homan, Antiphon, Alex J., Fairfild, 108 (Brothers), 3 to 1, third.

SIXTH RACE, mile and 50 yards: Tanager, 101 (Dawson), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, won. Win All, 104 (Thrace), 3 to 1, 7 to 10, second.

Time, 1:44 1-5. Shugrue, 109 (Brothers), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 1-5.

UNION, Felix M., Blue Brush, Financial Rooster, Walter Turnbow ran.

NEW ORLEANS RESULTS.

FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs: King's Cleve, 104 (Parke), 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, won.

Telescope, 105 (Harvey), 3 to 1, 8 to 10, second. Chaplet, 110 (McCoy), 6 to 1, third.

Time, 1:15 1-5. The Fern, Black Mask, McIntosh, Futuro, Maurice Cohen, Martha Moore, and Knicker, Franchiser, Blacklock, Kennesaw and Wise Cracker ran.

SECOND RACE, 6 furlongs: King's Cleve, 104 (Parke), 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, won.

Poor Sport, 109 (Ponce), 4 to 1, 2 to 1, second. Royal Charlie, 111 (Lang), 2 to 1, third.

Time, 1:14 1-5. Simplicity, York, Pell Mell, Stamp, Humboldt, Great Lady, Stonewall, Stumby, Dick ran.

THIRD RACE, 3 years, 6 furlongs: sPolvo, 110 (E. Pool), 7 to 1, 2 to 1, 1 to 2, won.

Fredericktown, 112 (Parke), 2 to 5, 1 to 2, second. Pathan, 112 (Corcoran), 1 to 3, third.

Time, 1:14 1-5. Madam, Venice, sFausto, Dreamer, Byron, St. Gerard, Miss Fortune, Woodland Queen also ran.

FOURTH RACE, 1/2 mile, 20 yards: King's Cleve, 104 (Parke), even, 1 to 4, out, won.

Settling Sun, 112 (Marinelli), 1 to 4, out, second. Flying Devil, 107 (C. Lang), 1 to 3, third.

Time, 1:46 2-5. Calcutta, Tromba also ran.

FIFTH RACE, 3-year-olds and up, mile and sixteenth: Sogahar Aaron, 108 (Harvey), 6 to 1, 1 to 1, even, won.

Time, 1:48 1-5. Tony Beau, 107 (L. Lang), even, 2 to 5, second.

Time, 1:48 1-5. Aladdin, Bygone Days, Seacourt, Dustabout, Richelleur, Seacourt, SIXTH RACE, mile and 70 yards: Frosty Boy, 95 (Jones), 25 to 1, 5 to 1, won.

Set's Flower, 96 (Lee), even, 2 to 5, second. Our Star, 98 (Parke), 3 to 1, third.

Time, 1:47 1-5. Aggravating Papa, Snow Maiden, Businesslike, Fehrah, Rolling Wave ran.

SIXTH RACE, 1/2 mile and sixteenth: Grass Tree, 105 (Parke), 16 to 5, won.

Time, 1:19 4-5. Scarerow, Lena, Royal Maid, Toldan, Dan Boling, Consort, Ashland, Goldmount ran.

TIA JUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE, 1/2 mile: St. Marys, 112 (Cantrell), \$6.00, \$3.50, \$2.00, won.

Silent Partner, 115 (Wilson), \$37.80, \$9.50, \$2.00, second.

My Destiny, 112 (Conley), \$4.20, third. Time 23 3/5.

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N. U. L. INSTITUTES DOUBLE REFEREEING

Shortage of Officials Causes
Adoption of Method For
Two Games.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—As a means of "breaking in" two officials new to National Hockey League circles, the double refereeing system will be in force tomorrow night at both the scheduled games.

Dr. Jerry Lafamme, well-known Toronto player and referee, who goes overseas with Canada's Olympic team this month will make his first appearance in Montreal as referee-in-chief for the Hamilton-Canadiens game at the arena. He will be assisted by a new official, Col. "Baldy" Spittal, old-time Ottawa player, who has been living in Winnipeg, but lately moved east.

In Ottawa, Art Ross will be the chief referee, and will be assisted by Ernie Garon of Montreal. There is something of a referee shortage in the N. H. L., due to the retirement of Cooper Smeaton and Harvey Purford, and President Callahan taking this method of breaking in new officials.

Chapter 26.

MY GRAND ALL-AMERICAN TEAM.

This is my selection of a grand all-American team to represent the best there has been in baseball for the past thirty years:

Manager—John J. McGraw, of New York.

Captain—Fred C. Clarke, of Pittsburgh.

First base—George Sisler, of St. Louis.

Second base—Napoleon Lajoie, of Philadelphia and Cleveland.

Shortstop—Bobby Wallace, of the old St. Louis Browns.

Third base—Jimmy Collins, of Boston.

Extra infielder—Eddie Collins, of Philadelphia and Chicago.

Left field—Fred Clarke, of Pittsburgh.

Center field—Tris Speaker, of Cleveland.

Right field—Ty Cobb, of Detroit.

Extra outfielder—Babe Ruth, of New York.

Catchers—Johnny Kling, of the Cubs; Roger Bresnahan, of the Giants; Ray Schalk, of the White Sox.

Pitchers—Walter Johnson, of Washington; Christy Mathewson, of the Giants; Grover Cleveland Alexander, of the Cubs; Cy Young and Rube Waddell.

Pinch hitters—Sammy Strang and Ham Hyatt.

That team I realize, does not agree with any of those I have seen published as the choice of such men as John McGraw, Connie Mack and Babe Ruth. Neither does it agree with the team given in the guide book. The latter, of course, is made in exact accordance with records, the human element not being taken into account.

All those baseball men and the guide book have been good enough to place me at shortstop, a fact that is my greatest pride in life. It is not for me to pick the team, but I am, naturally, I am limiting myself to a study of the players I have observed in action.

They're Honus' Own Bets.

To be prepared for a lot of argument that is sure to come, I will explain in detail why I have made these selections. I have looked over the selections of others, but in no way have I allowed them to influence me in making my own. Whether you agree with me or not, these are my selections and, like the fellow who went home to his wife with a poor alibi, I'm going to stick to them.

I have selected McGraw as manager because of his great record and also because of his knowledge of every angle of the game as a player as well as a manager. He knows his business. I have looked over the selections of others, but in no way have I allowed them to influence me in making my own. Whether you agree with me or not, these are my selections and, like the fellow who went home to his wife with a poor alibi, I'm going to stick to them.

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In Step With Family; 50,000 Dollar Thrill; Lost Heir is Found



Lady Astor, M.P., and her family, photographed in front of their home at Taplow, England. They were caught in this exclusive picture just at the start of the first snowfall on the other side



Mrs. Augusta McDonald, 48 years old, has become a co-ed at the Northwestern University. She has two daughter graduates and two sons undergraduates. Mrs. McDonald is taking the course for the second time to keep up with her daughters



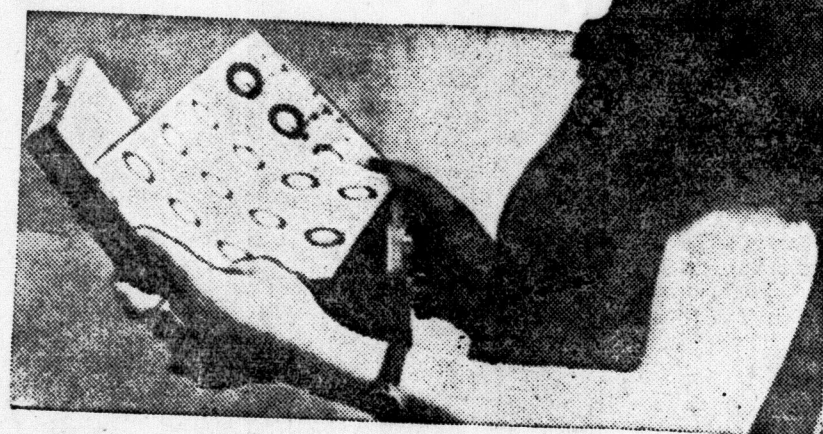
The Vancouver, British Columbia, Amateur Swimming Club held its annual Christmas Day dip in the sea despite the high wind. Two of the fair members are shown playing tag on the beach



Miss Dorothea Antell, actress, has been bedridden four years following an accident in which she suffered a spinal injury. Friends in the theatrical profession are raising funds necessary for an operation that may cure her



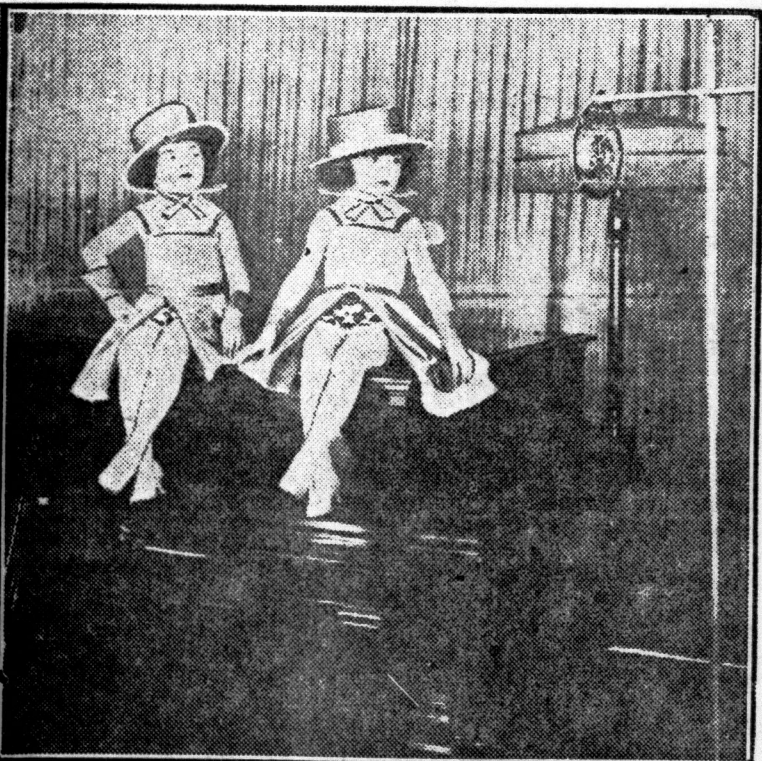
Among the notables arriving at New York from Europe recently was Helen Fraser, defeated Liberalist candidate to parliament from Hamilton, Scotland



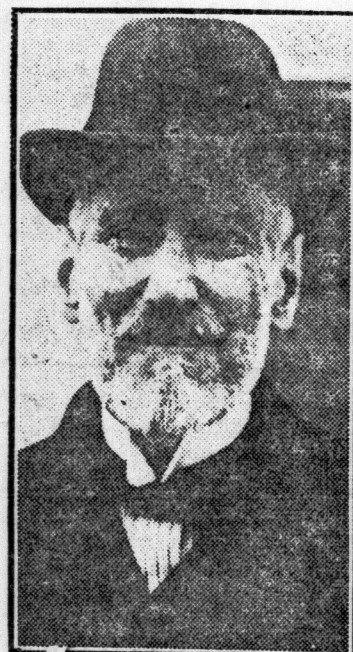
A foot-long dollar bill, divided in twenty sections of five-cent value, is a prized possession of Mrs. Alice Jones, of San Diego, Calif., (not shown in photograph), who remembers when bills of this size were in circulation in 1863 and were used for paying Union soldiers



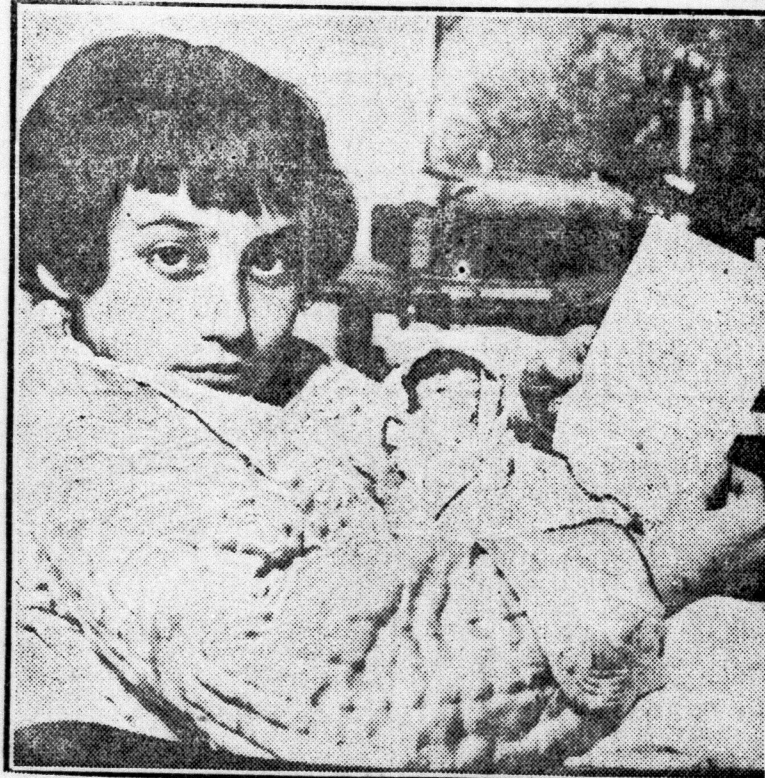
The directoire period inspired the designer to create this hat in orchid velvet. An ostrich wreath encircles the crown and continues in a long shower on one side



These saucy little women are Sister Lilliputians, who are touring this continent with a European theatrical company. They visited a radio broadcasting station and insisted on throwing out their voices to the fans



Sir Horace Plunkett, former Irish Free State senator, arrived on this continent recently for a short visit. He has given up his office because of ill-health



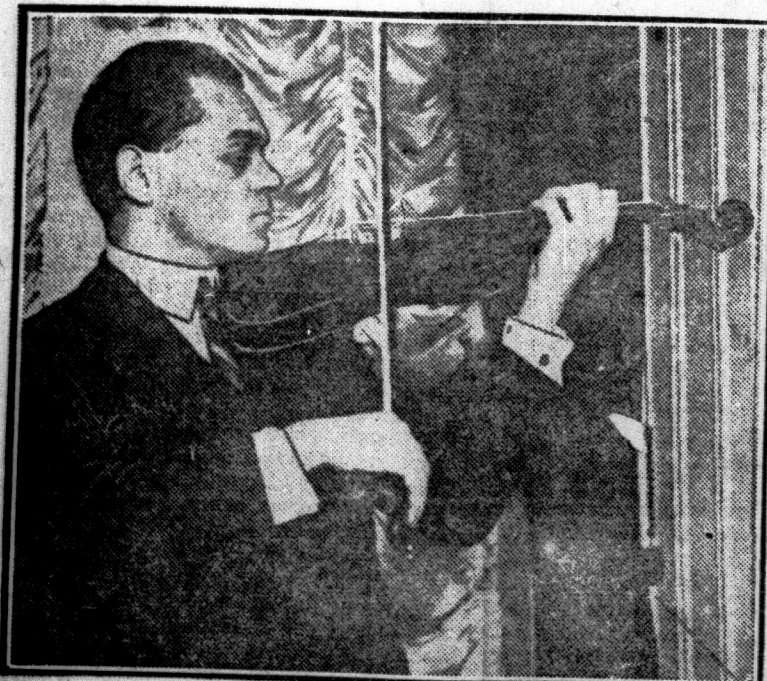
Little Frances Wolfe, nine-year-old patient at a children's hospital in Washington, has received a reply to her little scribbled note to Mrs. Coolidge. She was so happy that for the time she forgot her long sickness in the hospital



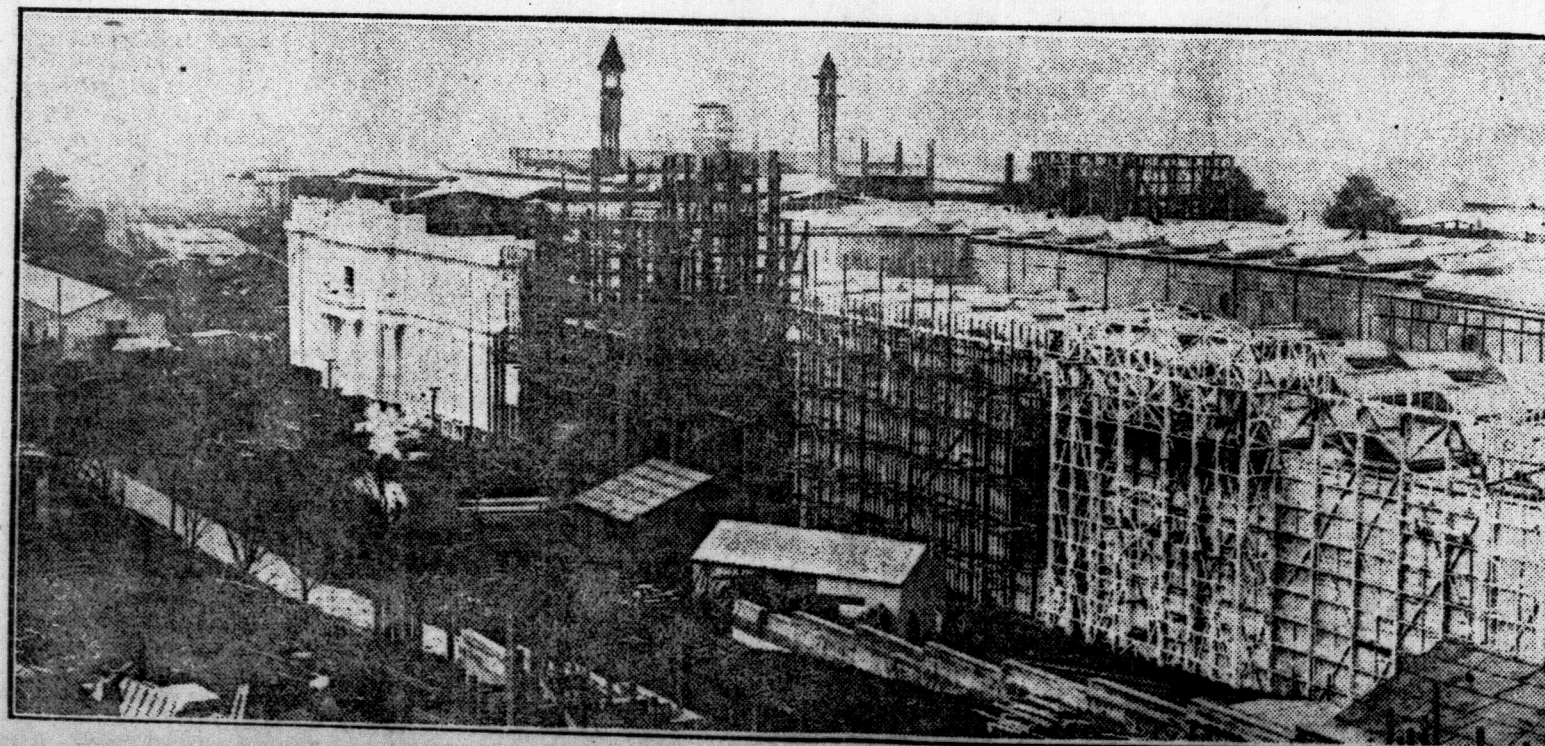
It has recently been learned that Henri de la Monte, pedlar and floor scrubber of Chicago, is the scion of French nobility and the long missing heir to a large French estate which he is to claim



Too old for his former loves, lacrosse, football and tennis, L. A. Lewis, of New Westminster, B.C., has turned his attention to golf and started out by winning the Senior Northwest Golfers' Championship at Victoria



Sasha Gulbertson, who has made his reputation abroad as a young violinist, comes back to America with a violin valued at \$50,000 with which he hopes to thrill his countrymen



This photograph shows the progress made in the Canadian Pavilion for the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley Park, England. The two towers in the background belong to the Indian Pavilion



"I win," says the player. "Draw," says the dentist. Both are right. Alexander Alekhine, Russian chess champion, recommends his favorite pastime as a dental anesthetic when having a tooth pulled

Canada's Unpaid Debt to Her First Great Artist Son Poor, Self-Taught, He Nobly Pictured Our Pioneer West

Paul Kane, Born in Muddy York—In Face of Every Difficulty and Discouragement, and Without Instruction, He Won Fame and Performed Unique National Work.

By LYMAN B. JACKES

CANADIANS resent the depiction of modern Canada as a land where roving bands of Indians lurk for the unwary and the snow lies deep around the log cabins all the year. Imported cinematograph films, advertised to contain a Canadian setting, show us something of the ignorance of our life and conditions that yet prevails in foreign lands. We turn away from the fantastic Canada that has been pictured to the real Canada of to-day—blessed land of waving wheat fields and throbbing industries fed by the pent-up energy of tumbling waterfalls.

But once upon a time there were real bands of roving Indians—to say little of cunning half-breeds who were, and are yet, in part, the brains of the fur trapping activities. That Canada was swept away by the rapid opening of the northwest. The road of iron turned it up like a plowshare in a virgin field; and of the Canada that has gone forever there remains nothing but memories and the remarkable paintings of Paul Kane—Canada's pioneer artist son.

The bulk of his numerous canvases are housed in the library of the federal parliament buildings at Ottawa and the Royal Ontario Museum in Toronto. A few are in the possession of private parties scattered across the dominion, and the remainder, a very small number, are abroad.

The gathering together of his works in national and educational institutions has prevented their changing hands, with the result that the name of Paul Kane is not now widely known. His books are treasured by collectors of Canadiana, and months are sometimes required for a dealer to fill an order for a single copy of his remarkable writings. Five decades ago his name was famed in the lefty ceilinged, gas-lit drawing rooms of eastern and central Canada, and the echo, there originated, found its duplicate around the camp fires of the west.

Who was Paul Kane? He was a native of Muddy York that grew into Toronto. He was a self-taught artist, and his life blazed forth the signal that circumstances cannot keep a Canadian from the great things of life.

Michael Kane, the father, took his discharge from the army and settled on Front street east in Muddy York. Here the future artist was born in 1810. A large cleared section between the family cabin and the mouth of the Don was covered with the wigwams of the Indians, and the infant was reared amid first-hand Indian lore. In a memo of his life that he left he states:

"The subject was one in which I felt a deep interest in my boyhood. I had been accustomed to see hundreds of Indians about my native village, known then as Little York, muddy and dirty, just struggling into existence."

At the district grammar school his ability was demonstrated by various sketches and attempts at portraiture on his slate. These were kindly indulged in by Mr. Drury, one of the masters, who did what he could to teach the lad to draw. But at home his early manifestations of an artistic bias were regarded as the mere purposeless amusements of a boy, and a disinclination for the ordinary trading pursuits. They seemed to unappreciative seniors only a further proof of his distaste for steady industry. But these remonstrances on the part of Paul Kane's seniors were not merely idle words. Too often were they coupled with a violent birch flogging; a process which excited the mind of the lad to run away to a life of perfect freedom amongst



Clial-Lum women weaving a blanket. A Paul Kane painting in the Royal Ontario Museum.

the Indians of the north-west. This was a very common determination amongst the lads of early Canada and probably was fostered by the fact that a sporting ramble through the woods at that period, or a fishing excursion, could not be undertaken without communication with Indians and half-breeds or had examples of the French voyageur, whose ready tongues were ever ready with wild tales of the north-west.

The boyhood of Paul Kane passed away between conflicts of his artistic nature and the stern resolve of his elders, who at length, thinking themselves more than conquerors, apprenticed him to a Mr. Conger, one of the first manufacturers of furniture in Upper Canada. The boy unwillingly complied to their demands but his latent talent broke out afresh in the ornamentation of various pieces of furniture and attracted the sympathetic attention of his employer.

A Furniture Apprentice

THE shops of early Canada dealt only in the barest necessities, with the exception of rum and wines, and it was useless to turn to local sources for even the most rudimentary art materials. This factor had often been drawn to the attention of Paul Kane, but Mr. Conger secured some canvas, paints and brushes from New York, and the budding artist turned his spare time at once to portraiture. Self taught and without even other works of art to copy and compare, these early attempts attracted considerable attention and before he had completed his apprenticeship he had painted portraits of all the early, leading citizens of the town and saved a small sum of ready money.

With his service to Mr. Conger completed he set out for Cobourg, where he executed many portraits at a much higher price than he had received hitherto. These funds enabled him to set off for the United States to try his fortune as a portrait painter. Between the years, 1831 and 1841 he appears to have covered that country from Detroit to New Orleans. During that ten years' journey he was enabled to spend the next four years in Europe, studying the works of great painters in France and Italy. He copied many of the great paintings, and these attracted much attention upon his return to Toronto in 1845. Paul Kane was hailed at every hand as a self-taught artist who had overcome every obstacle in his path.

It was to the Indians that he turned, as though for rest from the wearisome flattery of the whites, and in his journal wrote: "On my return to Canada from the continent of Europe, I determined to devote whatever talents and proficiency I possessed to the painting of a series of pictures illustrative of the North American Indians and scenery."

It is the result of that resolve that now hangs in the Royal Ontario Museum, at Toronto and in the library at Ottawa.

Sir George Simpson, the governor of the



A Buffalo hunt in Western Canada in 1850. A sketch by Paul Kane.

Hudson Bay Company, in 1845, entered heartily into his scheme. He gave him letters of introduction to the chief factors of the company's posts and ordered him a passage in the brigade of canoes that was to start for Lake Superior in the spring of 1846. Paul Kane's adventures



Indian Chief with headdress.

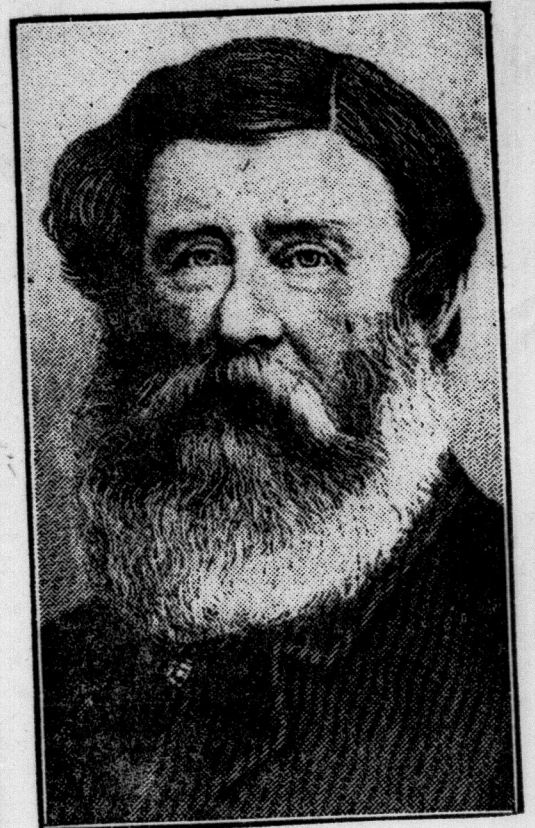


Indian Chief with decorated pipe.

during the next four years have been equaled by few persons. He crossed the continent by canoe and on foot, made his way up the valley of the Saskatchewan and over the vast prairies beyond it, stretching westward to the Rocky Mountains. He crossed the mountains and navigated the Columbia River and explored Puget Sound and Vancouver Island. Everywhere his pencil was busily employed on portraits of chiefs, warriors and medicine men; and on hunting scenes, games, dances and native rites and customs.

One of the most striking of his portraits is that of Kea-keke-Sacowaw, head chief of the Crees. Paul Kane met this man on the Saskatchewan while he was engaged in raising a war party against the Blackfeet. The chief had with him eleven decorated pipe stems, ten of which were the pledges of other chiefs who were to join him in the expedition.

The Indians with the chief presented Paul Kane as a great medicine man, so the chief exhibited the pipe stems in the hope that having



A Paul Kane portrait.

them sketched would increase their power on the war path. A pipe bowl was filled with tobacco and some aromatic weed; the chief chanted a war song; and then inserting one of the stems into the bowl, he lighted it. He blew a long cloud of smoke upwards as an offering to the Great Spirit. A second puff was directed eastward so that the earth might produce many roots. A third was directed to Paul Kane with a request to use all his magic towards the success of the pending expedition. After many other wild adventures and hairbreadth escapes he returned to Toronto in 1850 with a valuable portfolio of studies of Indians and the scenery of the great northwest.

He received commission for numerous paintings from the Hudson Bay Company and the legislature of Upper Canada, but his most liberal patron was the Hon. G. W. Allen of Moss Park, Toronto.

Paul Kane was stricken with partial blindness about the year 1860 and was obliged to abandon his art. He died in 1883.

PRINCESS BIBESCO'S LATEST

THE Asquith family have been busy with their pens recently. A new book by Mr. Asquith has been published, and on top of this comes the announcement that Princess Antoine Bibesco, who was formerly Miss Elizabeth Asquith, has written a play and a novel.

The play is in one act, and will be produced shortly at a west end theatre; while the novel is already in the hands of the publishers.

Princess Bibesco declares that the nearest retort she ever heard was that of a struggling author, who, asked why he went to church so regularly, replied: "I like to go where my contributions are accepted."

money from a single novel than Howells or Meredith or Hardy could make in a lifetime—yet the former are to the latter as a mulberry to an oak.) But all the world knows of the quarrel between Thackeray and Dickens, and many kindred cleavages, not altogether unjustly traced to matters of circulation and consequent sale. Scott openly rebuked himself for jealousy of Byron. Even the church of God is not free from this nightshade and its poison. The mighty Whyte, of Free St. Georges, Edinburgh, has told us of him, as with beasts at Ephesus, he fought the demons of wrath and envy that assailed him when he witnessed the rolling popularity, or heard the swelling panegyrics of his youthful colleague, Hugh Black, and of the unspeakable peace that possessed him when he had scourged them back into their caves again.

But, abandoning the figurative, let us return to that numerous class of men, of ministers, who do literally and constantly suffer from the challenge and the rebuke and the despair of the Upper Gallery. Of the lower gallery, too, and of the humble ground floor itself. It is a strange complaint—for this standard of measurement is only arbitrary and artificial after all and has nothing to do with reality. How small soever the building, a preacher is happy if it is full! Yet, although he would still have just as many souls before him, put that same number in a building twice the size—and the magic light dies out and his heart begins to fail. This needs but to be stated to betray the false satisfaction of a well-filled church. Even if the largest church be crowded, the teeming thousands still unreached and uncared should chasten all clerical complacency. There are few more deadly enemies than the self pity a preacher is inclined to cherish if his "crowds" be small. The arithmetic of God is not in numbers. After all, one soul is an infinitude—and no man can worthily preach, or fittingly rejoice, till he has come to realize that the smallest company is an unmeasurable throng and that the romance of his transcendent craft, the greatness and glory of the gospel, the ancient power of the divine to redeem and save, may all have their place and their operation just as fully in the little gathering as in the mighty multitude. Fewness of numbers is not inspiring, I know. But we have yet to learn that such inspiration is authentic—and we have surely long since learned that other sources of true and unfeigned and victorious inspiration lie ready to our hands and hearts. Therefore let us be prepared to face our crowded Upper Galleries, should such be sent us, with reverent gratitude; and to confront our empty Upper Galleries, should such be sent us, with clear and untroubled eyes, humbly hopeful that all lower galleries and ground floors may be uplifted by love and prayer to the Heavenly places. And, to conclude, I proffer this benediction of my own: Blessed is the man who knows his limitations.

Upper Galleries and Broken Hearts

Cause of Dr. J. H. Jowett's Breakdown and Subsequent Death Diagnosed As Due to Failure of Public to Fill the Galleries in His Church After His Return From America.

By R. E. KNOWLES

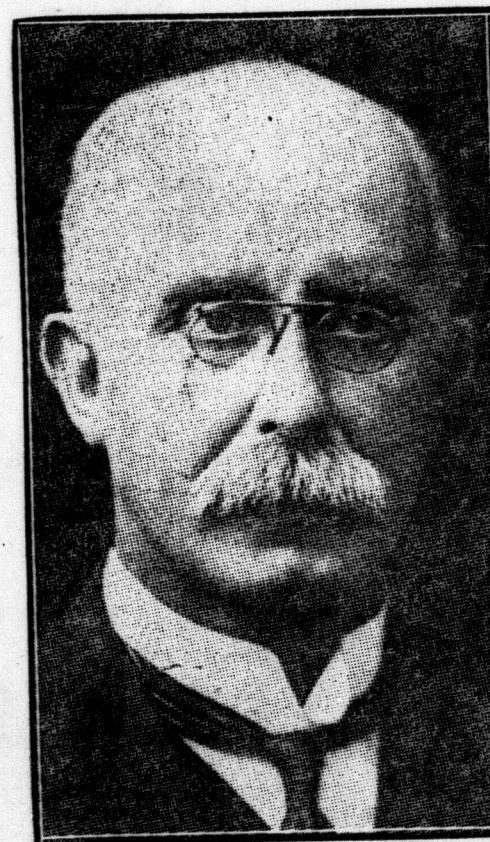
"Be not desirous of vain glory."

A FEW days ago my London apartment was gladdened by the honor of a call from a Cambridge professor, known to all the literary world as the author of "The Fact of Christ" and "The Life of Principal Rainy." This was Professor Carnegie Simpson, LL.D., who, by the way, as the evening wore on, said to me: "How long should a call like this last?" To which I replied: "That all depends on the caller (collar) and the tie—don't you get?"

Which incident of the visit being thus egotistically disposed of, I now proceed to muse for a little time upon one of several very sententious remarks of this wise and learned celebrity. We were, naturally enough, discussing the preachers of London, with special reference to the new star just lately swum into the ecclesiastical firmament, the Rev. Dr. Hutton, late of Glasgow, who has succeeded to the pulpit of Westminster Chapel as successor to the world-famed Dr. J. H. Jowett, whom a severe nervous breakdown has removed from his great and illustrious sphere of influence.

It is well known that Dr. Jowett renounced the supreme post of minister of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church of New York, the most eminent pulpit in the Presbyterian world, in order to lay his great gifts on Britain's altar in the hour of her crucial need. Accepting a salary about one third of the one he left behind, turning his back on the noble cathedral of the west, he assumed the charge of a plain and simple flock gathered in a church almost rude in its simplicity; deaf to the pleas of millionaires and magnates who were powerless to prevent his response to an appeal from England which many said was endorsed, if not prompted, by King George himself.

He came back to his native land. Doubtless, since even Dr. Jowett is but flesh and blood, he expected a popular welcome which would voice itself in overflowing audiences and tumultuous acclaim. But neither the one nor the other was in evidence. The church, which has two galleries around the whole building, one above the other, was never filled. Ground floor and lower gallery were usually full, often crowded. But, fly in all the ointment, rift in the lute to make the music mute, that upper gallery frowned in intolerable emptiness. Now and again—and it is said the face of the great preacher visibly brightened at the sight—a straggling few had to be accommodated there. But by the next Sunday it would have lapsed into utter uselessness,



Rev. Dr. J. H. Jowett

WHO died on December 19th, following a nervous breakdown. In this article, written before his death, Mr. Knowles discloses the secret of the collapse of the world's greatest preacher.

the grave eyes of the orator shadowing as they fell on the untenanted spaces again. Hence, after we had spoken for a little of the mysterious nature of Dr. Jowett's illness, Carnegie Simpson, gazing into the fire, said at last: "I know what ails Jowett—that upper gallery broke his heart."

My guest was probably correct in his searching diagnosis. But whether he was or not, the words were not wasted on his hearer. And as I sat gazing into the fire long after he was gone, I fell into a kind of reverie on the suggestive theme of the lure, and the peril, of the Upper Gallery. It stands for the over-and-above-ness of human ambition and attainment: so

gratifying is that crowded extra space, so disappointing and often embittering its yawning and silent area. For he who can fill one gallery, in addition to the ground floor itself, is a great man—but most of us wish to be a little more than great, and the pledge thereof is an Upper Gallery replete with our listeners, our readers, our supporters, our customers, our admirers, our worshippers.

HISTORY is full of the sad stories of Upper Galleries and broken hearts. That was, what took all the joy out of Haman's life—his upper gallery was the unbending Mordecai. All the world knows of the salt tears of Alexander the Great—the old story of an Upper Gallery. What has made William Jennings Bryan prematurely old and broken? Most probably that Upper Gallery at the lower end of Pennsylvania avenue, in Washington. I have little doubt, myself, that so long as Rockefeller stubbornly occupied the world's topmost financial peak, the cupied Andrew Carnegie suffered from Upper Galleryitis. The Upper Gallery of mountain climbers to-day is Mount Everest. Surely Dr. Jowett, who has given all Canadians over here a new pride and a higher standing, will not be grieved at my surmise that so long as mankind's malignant scourge stands unchecked and his fellow-scientists know the mocking challenge of the Upper Gallery. This was what ailed Sir Walter Scott. Possessed of about all that the pageantry of dreams could suggest, he yet panted for baronial splendor and landed supremacy and commercial lustre—and the lure of the Upper Gallery left him at last a financial bankrupt and a mental wreck.

Politics furnish abundant illustration of the same distressing tragedy. Sir William Harcourt fell under the stroke of the Upper Gallery; which, to him, took the form of the premiership of Great Britain. In lesser degree, Chamberlain the same. Blaine and Webster, Seward and Clay, alike fell victims to the Upper Gallery, lineal descendants of the Hebrew wanderer who was permitted to see, but forbidden to enter, the land of hope and glory.

Literature, too, is especially rich in stories of the bitterness known to those whose triumphs are turned to ashes because of the grinning vacancies in the Upper Gallery. Which is to the lasting shame of the smarting sufferers. (Let all literary aspirants, so prone to appraise success in terms of copies sold and royalties received, reflect often on the fact that Harold Bell Wright or Robert Chambers could make more

May Footprint All High-Bred Dogs To Stop Faking Pedigrees in Paris

Or the Bertillon System May Be Extended to Include Imprints of Aristocratic Animals' Noses, Which are Not Likely to Change Through Life—Dog fanciers to Have Lists

PARIS. As a remedy for this evil Professor Dechambre, of the Afort School, proposes the adoption of a canine Bertillon system, which would serve to identify dogs by the imprint of their noses. The latter imprint is the better, he declares, since while the contours of pawprints would vary the contours of noseprints would never.

"The imprint of a dog's feet on the ground would lend itself beautifully to the Bertillon system," he explained, "but its contours are likely to undergo changes from accidents, which would not offer absolute guarantees of identification. Much more exact, because unalterable, would be the taking of noseprints. Dogs' noses never vary."

"It is very hard to ferret out fraud when it touches the various races, since there are approximately 149 different kinds. It is highly desirable that a general system of identification be adopted. Every dog shop should retain a pawprint or noseprint expert, in my opinion, to insure absolute safety to his clients."

Every Color in People, Every Shade of Romance On Coastwise Trail From Vancouver to Skagway

Adventuring On Indians' Passenger Boat to Seas of Whales and Icebergs—And Running Right Into The Idyl of the Siwash Sheik, "Many Bears," and the Beauteous Brown Belle, "Silver Cloud."

By EDITH G. BAYNE

IF the sea route from Seattle to Skagway is negotiated in short laps the traveler must be prepared for certain of those elements of chance that characterize all true sport. Wind, weather and dock-hands' strikes are but a few of the factors to be taken into account, and then, too, the skipper may have lumbago or the mate after a night ashore be obliged to lay to for repairs. The little coastwise steamers themselves seldom suffer mischance and are capable of doing the maximum number of knots in all but the worst weather.

They call them coastwise because they have to be wise to the coast.

"So you want to see some whales and icebergs and other wild animals, eh?" the old longshoreman at the waterfront in Vancouver queried, as with his shrewd grey eye he scanned the visitors from inland. "Guess you'd better get up early an' ketch the boat the Injuns take. She's a neat little tub an' don't roll no more'n another her size would. Eh? No, you won't be very seasick, only the first day, mebbe. She sails at six an' you'd oughta be here on time."

Between midnight and five o'clock the hotel corridor was blossomed forth with a crop of boots and shoes of every style, size and color and as the first early riser steals past the quiet bedroom doors it is inevitable that he should trip over some of them. Hastily he sets 'em up again, though probably in the wrong sequence, for as he stands pressing the elevator bell one of the doors suddenly opens and a sleepy and frate gentleman in pyjamas pokes his head out.

"Boots! I say, Boots!" he calls, wrathfully. "You talker me?" inquires Wo San, the elevator boy, in the hushed tone the hour demands. "I'm talking to somebody! Where's that Boots chap? The silly beggar has left me a high and a low!" Then, as he locates his own footwear: "Why, I'm dashed if he's even touched them!"

Wo San shrugs, collects his passengers, and clangs the lift shut. "New Zealand boat him dock last night," he explains as they drop down ward.

"Which accounts for the shoes outside the doors, I suppose?" one of the passengers suggests. Wo San nods.

"New Zealand man and his boots no can sleep same place," he observes, and once more shrugs, as one disclaiming any responsibility for the strange whims and vagaries of the chance guest.

It is raining as the adventurers pass through the streets of the sleeping city and thence down to the docks, where activity is rather brisk. There are crowds here, and you may readily distinguish the tourists from the natives because the tourists are the ones with umbrellas. Little boats, mid-dling-sized boats and larger boats, thick as the leaves in Vallambrosa, lie snuggled against the wharves. Only in one spot is an empty space, a big expectant vacancy—the berth reserved for the Empress. (Word has just come from the signaling station that she is passing through the Narrows.) And when morning breaks over a rain-washed sea there she lies, her vast outline half-lost in the mist and her great funnels pouring slow smoke-smudges against a murky sky.

"The boat the Injuns take" isn't so easy to find, but when at length she is located— "Nope, we ain't fired up yet. Mebbe she'll leave at six-thirty, mebbe not till seven." So spoke a yawning bo's'n. "Guess them Injuns are still snoozing," he added with a jerk of his thumb toward the Granville street bridge beneath which were the wigwags.

Putting Wash in Siwash

THE bridge spans the dock and encamped round about its great girders were several groups of Siwash or coast Indians who were returning from the fish canneries to their homes far north along the Pacific. Almost daily at this season the Indians with their squaws and little ones may be found parked underneath the bridge. With the money received for their summer's labor they had laid in a stock of personal and household supplies that ranged from actual necessities to the most frivolous of luxuries. There was a sack of flour with a new broom lashed to it, and beside these a phonograph. There was a jar of molasses, a new clock, a roll of clothesline rope. One family had purchased a baby's go-cart and filled it with canned vegetables. A beauteous maiden of seventeen or so wearing silk stockings of a bright scarlet hue, a purple kerchief over her head, pearl earrings and a yellow jersey over a green skirt, sat on a pile of bedding and regarded the passersby with curiosity and now and then a faint, shy smile. Her name, it developed later, was Silver Cloud. The wigwags were nothing more than makeshift shelters of canvas and bits of old sacking erected on poles, but the lares and penates had been arranged neatly and compactly with a view to facilitating portage. A stalwart young buck paraded stiffly up and down the platform in a state of uneasiness and a pair of squeaky tan shoes. From time to time he consulted a huge silver watch, always keeping an eye on a shiny new leatherette suitcase that he had set carefully down on the edge of the platform. Tied to the handle of this suitcase were two bottles bearing the legend, "pure malt vinegar."

"That guy," explained one of the dock-hands, "had his stuff swiped on him yesterday an' missed the boat. An' the joke of it is that it really is vinegar!"

Incredibly clean are some of these Indians. One who wanted to be apropos suggested that Vancouver ought to be given credit for putting the wash in Siwash. A young squaw was observed vigorously scrubbing the face of her papoose and he stoically endured. Another woman proud in the possession of twin babies about a month



The Padre, having no surplice with him, was warring them, dressed as he was, in corduroys and knee boots.

old drew down the cover of a bassinet made from a strawberry crate and displayed the little ones lying in a soft, clean bed of down covered with muslin. The infants, sound asleep and smelling of tar soap, were as alike as two blasts of a steam whistle, but their mamma pointed out, silently, that one wore a string of bear's claws and the other a necklace of seashells. Next to this family was another composed of a very old man, his sons and grandsons and at least one great grandchild. The ancient brave, clad in the suit of a cake-eater, with the coat fashioned in semi-bell effect, a Stetson tipped over his lined and wrinkled visage, his feet in moccasins, held a two-year-old boy on his knee and treated the little shaver to frequent long "pulls" from his pipe.

Some of the Indians were still inert at six o'clock, dreaming dreams of the happy hunting-grounds of the great north. Under the motley quilts of a wigwam on the outer edge of the encampment a husky warrior snored prodigiously, across his feet the squaw. A trickle of rain dripped over the bridge-rail and on to her bare brown feet, and she grunted and rolled over. From another wigwag came the sharp wail of a child unseen. It continued intermittently until his mother pulled him out in the light of day and administered a swift corrective. Her method was unique. Seizing a poplar switch, probably kept for this very purpose, she swatted him sharply over the soles of his feet half a dozen times, whereupon he gave a very good imitation of a baby with its company manners on.

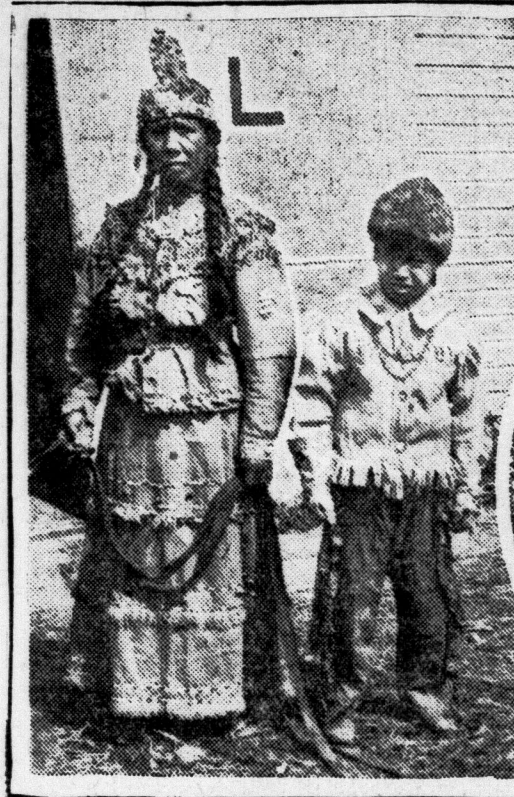
Curious Cargoes

SLEEPILY lying at anchor nearby was a Chinese tramp. Down below the water-line a group of yellow men squatted in a small cabin playing fan-tan. The single oil-lamp cast weird, flickering shadows across their expressionless faces, and a tropical-hued parrot swinging on a metal ring above them shrieked hoarsely down at the sleek, black heads and twitching fingers. Somewhere out of sight a canary cut in at intervals with its sweet trilling note. From the Empress' portholes other Chinese boys were fishing for the little harbor smelts, and catching them, too. Gulls swooped round and round the stately ship, and when a cook threw a paillful of table scraps from one of the galley portholes, down they bore on the refuse with a tremendous squalling and flapping.

In the dock shed beyond, a lonesome captive puppy lamented long and loudly and clawed at the bars of his box. He was billed to the Orient, but he hadn't the faintest idea what it was all about, and when you patted him through his bars he licked your hand and asked piteously what he had done to deserve this cruel incarceration. In the echoing vastness of a big dock shed a small puppy can make considerable sound. Beside him stood a quiet oblong box that also was ticketed to the Orient. It held the body of one Ling Yun, who was making a solemn journey to the home of his ancestors, there to be buried after the manner of his kind, in an upright position deep in his mother earth. The yellow label informed those whom it concerned that Ling Yun had died in New York of natural causes, an achievement that is still possible, apparently.

The damaged goods section was filled with curious-looking, dark bundles that protruded from torn bales of sacking, littering the floor, and in the midst knelt a Chinaman intent on repairing, with big needle and bamboo thread, the rents. On closer inspection the dark masses proved to be human hair, dead, dank-looking stuff, but hair nevertheless. It was from the heads of Chinese girls, and on its way to New York, where, combed, curled and brilliantined, it would be sold to fashionable femininity in beauty shops along Fifth Avenue. The Chinaman stuffed it back into its bag, stitched the bag up, and kicked it into a corner. Then he turned and scooped up some handfuls of tea that had spilled from a buffeted tea-box and returned it, sewing up the straw case again, and so to the next bundle of hair. Next he moved over to the goatskins—exceedingly smelly they were—that were destined in the course of a few brief weeks to become elegant fur coats. From Nippon there were bags of narcissus bulbs, the earth of that tortured land still clinging to them, colored-paper lanterns, incense, teakwood, cans of crabmeat, many bales of silk. The cargo of a great vessel makes a strange sight when it is spread out in the dock shed.

It was eight o'clock before a tinny whistle announced that the Indians' boat was ready to embark. The captain had sent the cabin-boy up to a porous plaster for his lame back, and the lad had stopped to have a maternal



A Siwash Squaw and her son.

ice cream sundae, knowing probably that it would be his last for some time.

"An' we mightn't be sailin' even now, wot with the dock laborers' strike an' all," the second mate confided to some of the passengers. "But, yer see, the ol' man 'imself rolled hup his sleeves, 'e did, an' 'elped load 'er. That's wot jolly well gave 'im the backache."

Big Moments in Big Murder Trials Climaxes That Gave Courts a Thrill

Sensational Acts by Criminals at the Moment of Being Sentenced to Death Produce Strange Effect on Judge and Jury—A Welshman Who Thought He Was Acquitted, Not Understanding English

ONE of the most remarkable sensations during an English murder trial within recent years occurred at the conclusion of the case against the Brixton taxi-cab murderer. On being found guilty, Mason calmly declared that he was "quite satisfied."

The nearest parallel to this dramatic incident occurred some years ago at the Old Bailey. Two burglars, one of them named Campbell, who had a scar on his face, were indicted for murder, relates a writer in Tit-Bits. It was alleged they broke into a house, and when the occupier came downstairs there was a struggle, in which he was fatally stabbed. Everything turned on identification, and the principal witness to the crime—the dead man's wife—was positive that Campbell struck the fatal blow. She repeated over and over again, "He had a scar on his face," whereupon everybody turned towards the prisoner, and there was the scar.

Campbell was found guilty, and in reply to the usual question he made a thrilling statement. "My lord," he said, calmly, "I must acknowledge I have been justly found guilty. I never intended to kill him. The blow was made for his shoulder, for at that moment he was holding my mate. He must have moved, and received my blow in the eye. I am sorry for it, and I hope that God will forgive me."

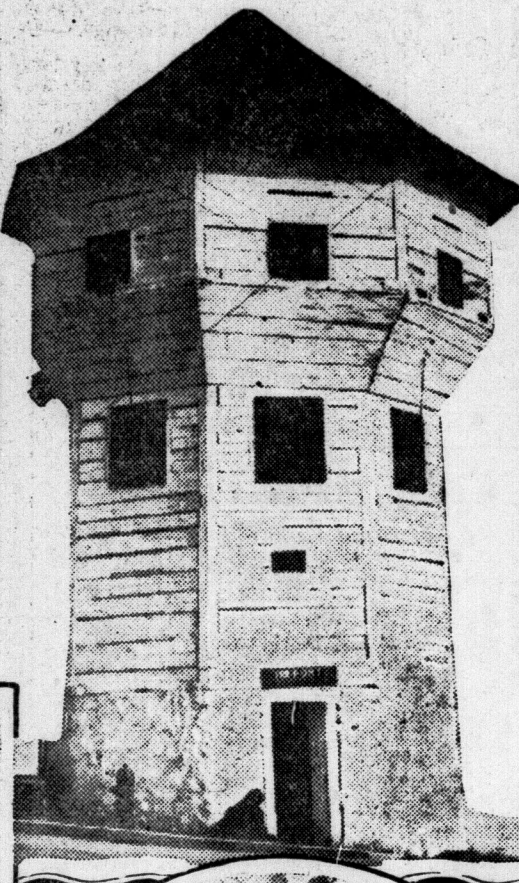
At the trial of Brinkley, the poisoner, there was a strange scene. Asked if he had anything to say why sentence of death should not be passed upon him, the prisoner did not answer orally, but made certain signs known only to Masons. For a moment Mr. Justice Bigham, who did not belong to the craft, looked slightly puzzled. Then the tension was broken by the even voice of the judge, who passed sentence of death without comment.

Seddon was a more dramatic figure. He clasped his wife, who was overcome with emotion on hearing the verdict, in a passionate embrace, and rose to a tragic height when asked the usual question.

"Before the Great Architect of the Universe," he said, raising his hand and pointing aloft with a Masonic sign, "I declare I am not guilty."

Mr. Justice Bucknill, himself a Freemason, was considerably affected. In passing sentence of death his voice faltered, and he ended with a sob.

Thrilling also was a scene at Stafford. While the jury in a trial for murder were considering their verdict, the electric lights failed and the court was plunged into darkness. Presently an attendant brought in a few lighted candles, and when the jury returned, and the foreman uttered the dread word, "Guilty," the judge, in the flickering light of the candles, assumed the black cap and pronounced sentence of death.



Above—An old Hudson's Bay fort in British Columbia.



Below—Bear cubs glimpsed through the timber along the shore.

Over the next twenty-four hours it is well to draw a veil. On the second day out the little steamer, in which we had rolled and bucked and skidded in and out among the islands and flocks,



Cutting up a whale.



An Indian Brave on dress parade.

struck calmer water and hove to at a small dock where a whale was being cut up. It was then discovered that in addition to the numerous cases of *mal de mer* on board we had, with us an interesting and well-developed case of lovesickness.

The handsome young Siwash sheik whom everybody had remarked at Vancouver and who bore the proud name of Many Bears, wanted to marry Silver Cloud. He wanted to be married pronto.

"What!" roared the skipper, who was re-headed, and considerably behind schedule. "That's a fine how-de-do! Why in Saturn didn't you two fix this up at Nanaimo? Now you'll wait till we reach Rupert!"

Lovers Sigh For Padre

BUT that Many Bears couldn't or wouldn't do. They must get off, he and Silver Cloud, long before Rupert. Naively, in his quaint and unreplicable mixture of Siwash and mission-school English, the ardent lover told his story, while Silver Cloud stood behind him, coy but equally determined and trying, rather ineffectually, to vamp the irascible old skipper.

They had met in late summer at Agassiz, where they worked up the same cannery, but Many Bears hadn't taken much notice because all the girls were after him anyway, and what was one squaw among so many? But Silver Cloud bloomed suddenly forth in new finery, already described, and the eye of the sheik was arrested. And yesterday on the boat another guy kept hanging round her, so Many Bears, being such a bearcat with the ladies, and so resenting the maiden's seeming indifference to himself, pushed the fellow over the starboard rail into the gulf of Georgia. And now would the Mister Captain please find a man with a black coat to marry them? For Silver Cloud, having attended mission-school and got a lot of crazy notions in her head, refused to become Mrs. Many Bears without the little detail of a marriage ceremony, and of course she must be humored.

The skipper listened in silence and then made a megaphone of his hands and addressed the whaling men and others on the wharf.

"Hey! Seen a justice o' the peace round here this fall?" he barked.

"Naw," answered two or three, one, more curious, adding: "Got a corpse aboard?"

"It's an Injun, under arrest. Thought maybe I could unload him here," replied the captain, and he stepped on the signal bell.

Then was there grief and consternation. Many Bears unemotionally lighted a pipe and sulkily withdrew aft under escort of a watchful guard, but Silver Cloud sat down on a nail-kleg and began to weep, furiously. (Some of the coast Indians in their contact with civilization have contracted the habit of showing their feelings.) Around her gathered the other squaws, and there was much chattering and grunting. One wrinkled crone sought to express the full measure of her contempt for the skipper by spitting—she was chewing *tabac*—clear across the deck. The paleface passengers were sympathetic to a degree, one young man suggesting vaguely that somebody ought to take up a collection. Even the whale blubbered.

But an hour out from port the gloom suddenly, magically lifted. For the mate, having occasion to visit the cook's galley, made there an astonishing discovery. The hated rival of Many Bears, far from hobnobbing with Davy Jones, was seated at the narrow table peeling potatoes! He was an excellent swimmer. His tribal name was Little Duck.

The lovers again besought the captain to conjure up a sky-pilot for them. In emergencies on the high seas the commander of a vessel automatically assumes the right to perform the marriage service, but for some reason this particular skipper didn't feel himself to be so empowered. Yet the need for haste was evident when it was explained that the father of the girl had already betrothed her to the chief of a Sitka tribe, who would be down at the dock to meet her, accompanied by the village band. The pair wanted to be made man and wife so that they might debark at some intervening point and from there strike through the bush northward to the safe, impenetrable hinterland, toward the fringe of which we were now advancing. Hinterland is highbrow for back-of-beyond. Many Bears didn't employ this term, but contented himself with defining it as the "much bush—much fish—much shoot" country.

"Tell you what I'll do," said the captain, who for all his brusqueness was not above aiding and abetting Cupid. "I'll put the two o' you off at the old salmon cannery at the point, just beyond the old Hudson's Bay fort, and you can portage across to Quilicum Lake and catch the padre when he comes down from the mission."

And with this they were perforce satisfied. Our party elected to get off at the point too, for the purpose of making a tour of the cannery (which was doing a limping, late-season business) and the Siwash sweetheart was temporarily forgotten. We hadn't thought to see or hear of them again but late that afternoon a kindly fate permitted us to look on at the last act in the little romance.

Our wagon was lumbering along through a wonderful wilderness of pine and cottonwood rock swamp, and tundra, when the trail suddenly made a sharp turn and sprawled out in a broad, grassy level overlooking a lake. Our driver halted the horses to allow them to drink. "Deer tracks," he remarked briefly, pointing to the side of the trail with his whip. Then, waving an arm in the general direction of the coast range mountains he added—he was a man of few words—"Bear—bobcat—cougar!"

We all fell silent. High in the fork of a fir a Douglas squirrel chattered at us. At intervals the harsh cry of a jay broke the stillness. From afar, but dimly, came sounds of an encroaching civilization, the busy noises of railroad construction, the muffled shock of a pile driver hammering cedar logs into the bed of a river for a trestle and the fretful whistle of a donkey engine. A shy blue grouse stood regarding us, motionless, from a giant cedar log about twenty feet away and then deliberately swaggered off. It was very quiet there among the whispering cottonwoods.

And then, surprisingly, human voices came drifting toward us through the forest hush. Our driver again pointed with his whip, this time toward a clump of cedars bordering the lake.

"The padre," he explained, and drove on a little. He pulled up, smiled, crossed himself, shrugged—and spat sideways. It was the very padre who had married him to his little wife down at the fort, he whispered.

Among the dark green of the cedars and with the blue, shimmering lake for a background, three figures stood—our Indian lovers and the good father from the mission far up the lake. The padre's canoe was drawn up on the shore and the padre himself, having no surplice with him, was marrying the couple dressed as he was, in corduroys and knee boots. The Indians stood with bare, bent heads, made their responses, knelt, received a blessing, and a timely sunset rayed a glory of gold and crimson over them. The scene was solemn, picturesque, memorable.

At the conclusion of the simple ceremony, Many Bears, who was no piker, gave the padre a handsome fee in the form of a string of fish, freshly-caught, glistening beauties they were, and the good man accepted them with a grateful smile. He replaced his black hat, bade the pair good-bye and pushed off.

From the top of a jackpine the groom retrieved the purple kerchief with which they had signalled the padre and she who was now Mrs. Many Bears tied it about her head again. The happy couple left immediately for points north, on foot. The young husband led the way five paces ahead carrying his gun while the little bride followed staggeringly, toting the fish-poles, the wigwag, the basket, three large fish on a willow twig and a stone jar of something tied up in a gay cotton quilt.

ONLY BRITISH ADMIRAL CAPTURED BY ENEMY

ADMIRAL Sir Dudley De Chair, the newly appointed governor of New South Wales, is probably the only officer of his rank now living who has been captured by an enemy. The affair happened a long time ago, and he was not an admiral then, only a venturesome midshipman. During the Egyptian War of 1882, he landed as a midshipman with a naval brigade, and went off alone on a special mission. This took him into the enemy's country, where he was made prisoner. Eventually he fell into the hands of Arabi, who treated him exceedingly well. And now, after a long period of varied naval service, Admiral de Chair has obtained what all our admirals covet, a governorship "down under."

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Dear Peggy,
Harris! I wonder who Ruth is taking after now. To-day, after I had given her a wee bit of a spanking, she said "just a little while ago you wished me a Happy New Year, and now you're doing your best to make it disagreeable!"

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RYAN SAYS BARS IN U. S. JAIL CELL

Bank Bandit Foiled When He Is Moved To County Prison.

WAIVES EXTRADITION

Associated Press Despatch.
Minneapolis, Jan. 4.—Norman "Red" Ryan, Canadian bank bandit, held in jail here, attempted unsuccessfully to escape, it was revealed today, when police discovered two saved bars and an improvised ladder in his cell.
The discovery of the attempted escape was made after Ryan had been removed to the county jail on a federal deportation warrant. Investigation disclosed, police said, that Ryan had been working for three weeks with a small piece of steel saw and a nail file, and had cut two bars and made a ladder out of strips of blankets which he took from his cell cot. Confronted with evidence of his attempted jail-break, Ryan admitted it, and said he would waive his right to fight deportation. He will be taken back to Canada tonight by Walter Duncan, chief of the Canadian department of justice, and Minneapolis detectives.

MOVE ABANDONED TO CHECK LABOR

Agreement Between Liberals and Conservatives Has Fallen Through, Says Report.

Special to The Advertiser.

London, Jan. 4.—Most of the political gossips have abandoned the suggestion of an agreement between the Liberals and Conservatives to frustrate the Labor party.
Ramsay MacDonald, the Labor leader, is returning to London from Loughborough, Scotland, where he will be for a week's vacation, and reports have it that he comes back with his plans so perfected that if he is called upon to take over the premiership he will be able to announce his cabinet within 24 hours of his appointment. Mr. MacDonald's holiday it is said, was far from affording him a complete rest, as many political personages took the long journey north to confer with him.
Among the questions discussed at yesterday's cabinet meeting, say the political writers, was that of filling the vacant posts in the ministry due to Conservative defections in the last election. These offices include the ministers of labor and agriculture. It is said that Mr. Baldwin and his colleagues favor making the new appointments before parliament meets on Tuesday. There is much speculation as to who are likely to be chosen but nothing is known definitely as to the premiership plans.

BOMB OUTRAGES HURTS HUNGARY'S NEGOTIATIONS

Associated Press Despatch.
Budapest, Jan. 4.—The long list of bomb outrages of recent days seems likely to become a serious obstacle to the loan negotiations in which Hungary is at present engaged, as the parliamentary opposition, which previously had promised to give its support to Premier Bethlen's government on the loan, has begun to attack the government.



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Japanese Trade Breaks Record

Canada Sells Much in Orient During Year.

Associated Press Despatch.
Vancouver, Jan. 4.—Trade between the port of Vancouver and Japan will probably break all records for

volume and variety in 1924. Probably the largest item is lumber, for which orders have already been placed for more than 20,000,000 feet from British Columbia forests. This lumber will play an important part in the rebuilding of Japan's devastated earthquake and fire zone.
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FAMOUS MAGICIAN COMING TO GRAND

Dante, Accompanied by Thurston, Will Present Sensational Performance.

Dante, famous European magician, will appear under the management of Thurston, famous American neomancer, at the Grand Opera House for three days, beginning Thursday next, with popular matinee Saturday.

In an interview in New York the other day Mr. Thurston said: "With international relations the paramount issue these days, it has often come over me that artists, great and small, on both sides of the water could do a great deal toward creating a better understanding between the peoples of various nationalities. It is our tendency, as well as the tendency of other nations, to wax narrowly proud, self-sufficient—to think that what we have is just about the best there is, to forget that other nations are achieving by leaps and bounds in various fields, that they have great men, their great artists, and last, but not least, their great magicians."

"That's why I am bringing Dante to America. He is undoubtedly the greatest living European magician. Just as I feel that the best thought and the best creative ability of America, combined with the best thought and the best creative ability of

Europe, is going to regenerate the stricken world, I have always felt that the best that Europe had to offer in the way of magic combined with the best we had to offer here in America ought to insure a magical show that would surpass any the world had ever seen before.

Best Ever Produced.

"Dante and I believe we have achieved this in the performance which he will present in his coast-to-coast tour during the coming season. He brought over from Copenhagen some really marvelous illusions and mysteries. He has worked in with them the best of the Kellar-Thurston illusions and tricks. For variety, color, astounding effects and rollicking humor I have never seen anything like it.

"When I went down to the dock the other day with Dante to watch them unload his scenery, properties, mechanical contrivances and menagerie I was amazed. When they had gotten it all out of the hold it covered a good section of the pier. It seemed to me he had brought over enough stuff for three shows. However, when we held our first rehearsal I discovered that every bit of it was necessary—not one piece could be dispensed with. These super-creations of his require an infinite number of properties and devices—properties and devices that no other magician has found occasion heretofore to employ."

Ghost Woman.

Featured among his own and the Thurston-Kellar mysteries and illusions which Dante presents are "The Ghost Woman," psychic phenomena of the age. You may ask her any question that chances to come into your mind. She is proclaimed to be unequalled as an exponent of mental

telepathy.

Alvins' Six Musical Wizards, a sextet of merry melody makers augmented by Dante's travesty impersonations of famous conductors. The mysterious Chinese Fountain, of myriad streams, a spectacle of ancient oriental splendor. Also such miracles as Creation, the Phantom Woman, the Miracle, the Great East Indian Rope Trick, the Vanishing Piano, the Lady and the Lion, the Spirit Cabinet, and a score of other weird, mystical effects bordering on the supernatural.

Seats Monday next for all performances.

"BUBBLE BUBBLE" SPECTACULAR PLAY

Grand Offering Tuesday and Wednesday Has Magnificent Scenery, Special Features.

There is wide scope for scenic and costume elaboration in the range of opportunity said to be afforded in "Bubble Bubble," the attraction at the Grand Tuesday and Wednesday. The producer of this offering is said to have availed himself in a most satisfactory manner of this opportunity.

"Bubble Bubble" offers sixteen changes of magnificent scenery, all unfolding special features of great beauty and novelty, while a bewildering array of costumes enhance the beauty of these sets. There are four-

teen musical numbers sung and danced during the action of the piece, with tunefulness and grace, by the talented company of principals and chorists.

Heading an unusually pretentious array of comedians, singers and dancers is Abe Reynolds, well and favorably known to the followers of burlesque as a delineator of comedy Hebrew roles. A close second in popularity to Mr. Reynolds is William Browning, who has been called "America's Foremost Character Artist."

Ann Clifton, the prima donna of the company, won her laurels in musical comedy before entering burlesque, she having played many of Fritz Scheff's roles in her biggest successes. Helen Du Ross, the sou-brette of the company, is another popular favorite, while others in the cast worthy of mention are Violet Buckley, Ruth Rosemond, Jack Paquay, Jim Holly and others.

William K. Wells, who produced the piece, is also responsible for its authorship and staging. Dan Dody, noted for his clever work in the past, put on the musical numbers, while Whelan Morris, the well-known composer, wrote the music.

More than burlesque, "Bubble Bubble" combines extravagance, musical comedy, stage illusion and vaudeville in a melange of novelty that has gained it an enviable reputation wherever it has played. The chorus sings well, looks very attractive, and dances skilfully and with enthusiasm, and its shapely members know how to display most fetchingly the many costume creations with which they have been provided.

Patrons will note that "Bubble Bubble" will play only two days, Tuesday and Wednesday, with daily matinees.

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CELEBRATED ROMANCE.

Scene from Sir Harry Lauder's celebrated romance, "Rupert of Hentzau," at Loew's Theatre next Thursday for three days. The greatest all-star cast ever assembled for a single production will be seen in this Selznick success.

SIR HARRY LAUDER AT GRAND MONDAY

Famous Comedian-Singer Will Be Here With Plaids and Sticks.

There are two features of his stage wardrobe that Sir Harry Lauder is specially proud of. One is the richness and variety of his Scottish plaids; the other is his remarkable collection of walking-sticks.

The plaids utilized by Lauder in his kilt costumes are all woven from the finest Scottish wools, and they are infinitely in design and coloring. Every Scottish clan has its own plaid, and woe to Lauder if he ever sang a song typical of a wee lassie of the clan of the Macphersons or the Macdonalds in the plaid of a rival clan. During his entertainment Lauder changes his costume a dozen times, and it is accomplished with a facility that is surprising.

Lauder's sticks are legion. The singer has very little use for the conventional straight, gold or silver-mounted stick. His predilection is for gnarled, crooked and individualistic walking-sticks, and for this reason one given to him by the Prince of Wales has an especial place in his regard, quite apart from his appreciation of the thoughtfulness of the royal giver. It is said to be the crookiest walking-stick in the world. Lauder will use it in one of his songs during his engagement at the Grand Theatre.

On the road the comedian carries a hamper full of walking-sticks of every conceivable size and shape, and at his home in Scotland he has a room in which nearly a thousand sticks, from all parts of the world, are displayed. The majority of them were gifts from Lauder's friends and admirers.

Sir Harry wears the kilt both on and off the stage; but even without this distinctive costume there would be no difficulty in picking him out in a crowd. The little Scot has an individuality that readily distinguishes him anywhere. Sir Harry Lauder and his company come to the Grand on Monday, matinee and evening.

Asiatic Turkey supplies most of the dates imported into the United States. In 1921 total imports of dates amounted to 49,000,000 pounds, of which 26,000,000 pounds came from Turkey in Asia and more than 2,000,000 pounds from Palestine and Syria, according to figures compiled by The Scientific American.



HENRY WHITTEMORE JUN., who plays Abraham (Abie) Levy in "Abie's Irish Rose" at the Majestic Theatre week of Jan. 7.

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VIOLA DANA COMES TO LOEW'S MONDAY

Vivacious Star Appears in a Thrilling Drama of Long Island Society.

Viola Dana in "The Social Code," Metro's adaptation of Rita Weiman's story, will be presented at Loew's Theatre, beginning on Monday. It is a thrilling drama of Long Island society and the sacrifice made by a young girl to protect her sister's name.

Miss Dana is supported by a cast that includes Max Baer, McGregor, Huntley Gordon, Cyril Chadwick and Miss Dana's sister, Edna Flugrath. These players enact the principal roles in a murder mystery story that holds the attention every moment that it is on the screen. There are elaborate settings, charming and fashionable costumes worn by the star and thrills enough to satisfy even the most rabid motion picture fan.

"The Social Code" is all that a motion picture should be. It has been booked for a special presentation at Loew's Theatre. It will undoubtedly add many to the thousands who acclaim Viola Dana as their favorite film star.

SIR ANTHONY HOPE'S "RUPERT OF HENTZAU" AT LOEW'S THURSDAY NEXT.

Feeling that the best is none too good for Londoners, Loew's Theatre has secured "Rupert of Hentzau" for three days' run commencing Thursday next.

This fascinating photoplay, which was adapted from Sir Anthony Hope's famous novel of the same name, has been provided with an eminently suitable role and scintillates in the part which has been assigned to him, but then how could they help it with such a story to interpret—a tale which pulsates with youth, romance and adventure.

The celebrated Victor Heerman directed the production, which cost only a trifle under half a million dollars, and is second to none in the magnificence of its settings and other accessories which go to make up a sumptuous picture.

Recent investigations reveal that the total available water power in Ireland is estimated at approximately 500,000 horsepower.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Next—Loew's favourites screen star, Viola Dana, in the Metro picture, "The Social Code." Added film features, Loew Screen Pictorial of World Current Events, and three acts of Loew's supreme vaudeville.

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MAJESTIC. Today, Last Time, Matinee and Evening—Rex Ingram's masterpiece, "Scaramouche." One week, commencing Monday, Jan. 7.—Anne Nichols' success, "Abie's Irish Rose," direct from seventeen weeks' run at Toronto.

NEW IDEA MARKS 'SHUFFLE' OF SOPHS

Second-Year Pupils Stage Dance For All Students at Western.

A new idea in the form of a Western University dance will be tried out at the Winter Gardens on Tuesday evening, Jan. 8, when the Sophomore year will put on a dance for the entire university.

This will establish another precedent at the university, as this will be the first time that such a major function has been staged by the Sophomore year.

Much enthusiasm is being shown at the "U" over the prospect of the Soph "shuffle" and members of the committee in charge of the dance say they expect the Winter Gardens will be crowded for the occasion, and that this dance will be one of the liveliest ever staged under the auspices of the university.

ABIE'S IRISH ROSE COMES TO LONDON

Sensationally Successful Comedy To Be Presented at Majestic Next Week.

At the Majestic Theatre for one week, beginning Monday, "Abie's Irish Rose," the famous comedy by Anne Nichols, comes here direct from seventeen weeks at Toronto, where all records for a consecutive run of the same play were broken. Capacity audiences were the general rule there as in all cities in which Anne Nichols' sensational successful comedy is presented.

The splendid cast of players have got together in their best stride and are giving performances of perfect team-work. Box office ticket sellers are always reporting return visits of many patrons who have seen "Abie's Irish Rose" more than once. This is a usual feature in the engagements of this play, for its action is so rapid, the dialogue so scintillating and the situations so complicated that a second or third visit is enjoyed more than the first one.

Under all the surface of roaring laugh-provoking scenes there are touches of pathos to relieve the strain of continuous laughter, and a moral contained in its concrete illustration that a broad spirit of tolerance and love will reconcile age-old racial antagonisms.

In this play, Abie, a Jewish youth, marries Rosemary Murphy, an Irish Catholic girl, and at once lets loose the warring characteristics contained in the nature of the widely differing viewpoints of their respective fathers. That Abie and Rosie marry three times, the ceremonies being performed by a Methodist minister, a rabbi and a priest, in a vain effort to please their fathers, affords a series of situations better imagined than described. This theme, as is the case with the entire play, is of course treated from a screeningly funny, humorous angle, without offence to the most sensitive. Matinee performances are given Wednesday and Saturday.

WALLACEBURG

Special to The Advertiser.

Wallaceburg, Jan. 4.—A New Year's party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Finlay, Queen's street, with 30 guests. Selections on the bag pipes were rendered by Piper Richard Pearson, and at midnight



"THE SOCIAL CODE."

Malcolm McGregor and Cyril Chadwick in "The Social Code," starring Viola Dana, at Loew's Theatre Monday for three days.

MAJESTIC WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY JAN. 7th

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CHARMING LEADING LADY.

Dorothy Webb, the charming leading lady with "Abie's Irish Rose," who plays the Irish bride, Rosemary Murphy, to be seen at the Majestic Theatre week of Jan. 7th.

the party, headed by the piper, paraded the business thoroughfare and sang Scotch songs.

Knox Sunday School. The Knox Presbyterian Church Sunday school entertainment on New Year's night was a great success. E. W. Shaw was chairman for the evening. The program consisted of recitations and songs, Indian pantomime

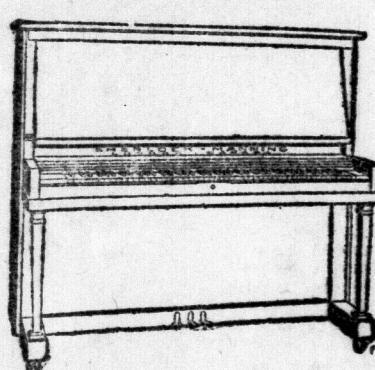
by Miss Bessie Scurr's class, followed by a firebug drill by Miss J. Sutherland's class. Miss Helen Tait's class and Mrs. W. Shaw's class next staged "Little Bo Peep's" Christmas party. Mrs. S. Courtis' class of boys gave a sketch entitled "Friday afternoon at a country school," and a duster drill by Miss Lucy Robinson's pupils concluded the program.

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Port Stanley Property Owners

PORT STANLEY MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS will be held at Port Stanley, Monday, January 7.

For the convenience of London residents, who own property in Port Stanley, desirous of voting at the elections to be held in the Village of Port Stanley, on Monday, January 7, 1924, the L. & P. S. Railway will operate a special train leaving London at 1:30 p.m., returning from Port Stanley immediately after voting is completed. SPECIAL FARE 50 CENTS RETURN.

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PATIENTS GIVEN CONCERT TREAT

Talbot Street Baptist Young People Entertain at Westminster.

Seldom have the patients of Westminster Hospital been treated to a concert such as was given last night in the recreation hall by the young people of Talbot Street Baptist Church.

Variety was the keynote of the concert, which added materially to its success, and songs ranging from the latest tunes to old-time melodies were given. Readings, instrumental selections and Oriental dances were also featured. Miss Rita Lowery delighted with several solos.

A one-act play entitled "The Professor's Dilemma," staged by the boys of the Argonaut group, furnished the humorous side to the concert.

Those taking part were: Rita Lowery, Miss Tichbourne, Daisy Mitchell, Jean McGowan, Mr. Paul, Muriel Pegler, Miss Mitchell and Miss Pirrie. Leslie Edwards acted as the chairman.

At the close of the concert the young people were served lunch by the hospital staff.

HALF MILLION IS COST OF ARENA

E. S. Little, Booster of Live Stock Show Here, Estimates Money Needed.

Half a million dollars must be obtained by those interested in the construction of an arena to hold a Western Ontario winter live stock show in London, if the show now held in Guelph in every year is to be transferred to this city. E. S. Little, who is behind the project to remove the exhibition from Guelph to London, estimated this to be the cost.

A meeting of citizens will be held shortly, he said, to consider ways and means through which the change of location in connection with the prospective construction of a building to house the show will be made.

If the money is finally collected, the Western Ontario Winter Show, as it will be called, cannot possibly become a reality for many months as yet. Definite steps toward securing the necessary cash, however, will be taken.

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CAMPBELL LIKELY ELECTION BOARD CHAIRMAN FOR '24

Inaugural Session Will Be Held
Thursday To Name the
Committees.

MRS. HUNT HAS SENIORITY

When the board of education holds its inaugural meeting next Thursday, it is more than likely that Brydon N. Campbell will be called upon to take the chairmanship for the coming year. By right of seniority the position should be given to Trustee Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt, but it is understood that she is not anxious to preside.

Trustee Campbell, who was elected two years ago, and re-elected at the recent elections, was chairman of No. 3 committee during the past year and a member of No. 1, 2, and 4, and the audit and salary committees.

Just who the chairmanships of the various committees will go to is a matter of guesswork. The nominating committee, consisting of Trustees Warner, Lawson and Grant, will appoint the members of the two committees. The committee on the school board, consisting of Trustees Warner, Lawson and Grant, will appoint the members of the two committees. The committee on the school board, consisting of Trustees Warner, Lawson and Grant, will appoint the members of the two committees.

Trustee Quintin Warner is mentioned as the probable head of No. 1, dealing with management while Trustee S. F. Lawson may lead the committee dealing with buildings and grounds. Dr. Grant will likely be placed at the head of collegiate matters, as represented by committee No. 3. Trustee Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt will in all likelihood continue at the helm of the audit committee. Trustee J. B. Wright, also re-elected, has been mentioned as a possibility for the chairmanship of the board. Trustee Campbell was chairman of this during 1923.

Representatives to the Western Education Board, Public Library Board and Social Service Council will be appointed at the meeting next week. The directorship in the penny bank, at present held by Dr. Grant, as chairman of the 1923 board, will pass to the new incumbent.

Financial Review

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, Jan. 5.—Curious cross-currents of prices took place in this week's stock market. The tendency was to rise, but in most sections of the list heavy realizing sales were being put through, which had the effect of holding the market down. Brokers reported that the market was generally quiet, with the exception of a few traders who deferred converting their paper profits into cash until after the turn of the year to avoid income tax. In the 1923 income tax returns, many of these sales were made, and the belief that this 1924 income will receive the benefit of a possible tax reduction.

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Lower rates for call money reflected the return flow of funds withdrawn from this center before the holidays to meet year-end requirements and also the easing of local demands. Time money and commercial paper business was quiet, with no change in rates.

CANADIANS IN LONDON

A. J. Pattison, Jun., & Co., members of the Toronto and Montreal stock exchanges, received the following cable today:

Canadian Pacific Railway 183 1/2
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Canadian Northern Railway 183 1/2
Canadian Government Bonds 183 1/2
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DETROIT DISCOUNT RATE

Special to The Advertiser.
Detroit, Jan. 4.—Detroit clearing-house banks' uniform rate of exchange on Canadian currency for Saturday will be at a discount of \$2.45 per \$100.

HAY AND STRAW

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Jan. 4.—Hay, extra No. 2, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 1, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 3, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 4, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 5, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 6, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 7, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 8, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 9, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 10, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 11, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 12, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 13, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 14, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 15, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 16, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 17, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 18, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 19, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 20, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 21, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 22, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 23, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 24, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 25, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 26, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 27, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 28, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 29, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 30, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 31, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 32, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 33, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 34, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 35, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 36, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 37, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 38, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 39, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 40, \$14.50 to \$15; 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 11:00 a.m.—Services of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 2:30 p.m.—Bible story for the children.

2:45 p.m.—Concert.
 4:00 p.m.—Organ recital.
 4:45 p.m.—Vespers services of the Shady Side Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.

6:30 p.m.—Dinner concert.
 7:30 p.m.—Services of the Calvary Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 9 p.m.—Services of the First Unitarian Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WBZ—SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—890
 Kilocycles, Frequency—337 Metres
 Wave Length.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
 10:55 a.m.—Church services from the South Congregational Church.
 6:45 p.m.—Sunday Vespers on the Springfield Municipal Chimes.
 8:30 p.m.—Church services.

8:55 p.m.—Arlington time signals.
KYW—CHICAGO, ILL.—560
 Kilocycles, Frequency—536 Metres
 Wave Length.

(Central Standard Time.)
 11 a.m.—Central Church service.
 6:30 p.m.—Excerpts from the New Testament—An American Translation, by Professor E. J. Goodspeed.
 7 p.m.—Chicago Sunday Evening Club service.

WGY—SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—790
 Kilocycles, Frequency—380 Metres.
 (Eastern Standard Time.)

11 a.m. and 8 p.m.—Services of All Souls Unitarian Church, Schenectady, N. Y., sermon by Rev. Ernest Caldwell.
 3:30 p.m.—Concert.

MONDAY, JAN. 7.
KDKA—EAST PITTSBURGH, PA.—1220
 Kilocycles, Frequency—525 Metres
 Wave Length.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
 9:45 a.m.—Union Live Stock Market reports.
 11:55 a.m.—Arlington time signals.
 12 m.—Weather forecast and market reports.

12:10 p.m.—Noon-day concert.
 6:15 p.m.—Dinner concert.
 7:15 p.m.—Winter Sports in New England.
 7:30 p.m.—Radio Girl Scout meeting.

7:45 p.m.—The children's period.
 8 p.m.—Market reports.
 8:15 p.m.—Address.
 8:30 p.m.—Concert.
 9:55 p.m.—Arlington time signals.
 Weather forecast.

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(Eastern Standard Time.)
 11:55 a.m.—Arlington time signals; weather reports; Boston and Springfield market reports.
 6 p.m.—Dinner concert.
 7 p.m.—This week in history. Late news from the national industrial conference board. Humorous program.

7:30 p.m.—Twilight tales for the kiddies. New book at the Springfield City Library, by Edith Little.
 7:50 p.m.—Farmers' period—"Federal Farm Loan Bonds."
 9 p.m.—Concert.
 9 p.m.—Bedtime story for grown-ups.

8:55 p.m.—Arlington time signals.
KYW—CHICAGO, ILL.—560
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(Central Standard Time.)
 9:30 a.m.—Late news and financial comments. (This service is broadcast every half hour during the twenty-four hours.)
 11:35 a.m.—Table talk.
 6:30 p.m.—News, market and sport summary.

6:50 p.m.—Children's bedtime story.
WGY—SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—790
 Kilocycles, 380 Metres.
 (Eastern Standard Time.)

11:55 a.m.—U. S. Naval Observatory

time signals.
 12:30 p.m.—Stock market report.
 12:45 p.m.—Produce market report.
 12:45 p.m.—Weather report.
 2 p.m.—Music and address, "Hash Under Other Names," U. S. Department of Agriculture.
 5 p.m.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.
 7:45 p.m.—Musical program.
WWJ—DETROIT—580 Kilocycles.
 (Eastern Standard Time.)

9:30 a.m.—"Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk by the woman's editor.
 9:45 a.m.—Public health service bulletins and talks on subjects of general interest.
 10:25 a.m.—Official weather forecast.
 11:55 a.m.—Arlington time.

3 p.m.—The Detroit News Orchestra.
 3:30 p.m.—Official weather forecast.
 3:35 p.m.—Market reports.
 7 p.m.—The Detroit News Orchestra; program by the Chamber Music Society.

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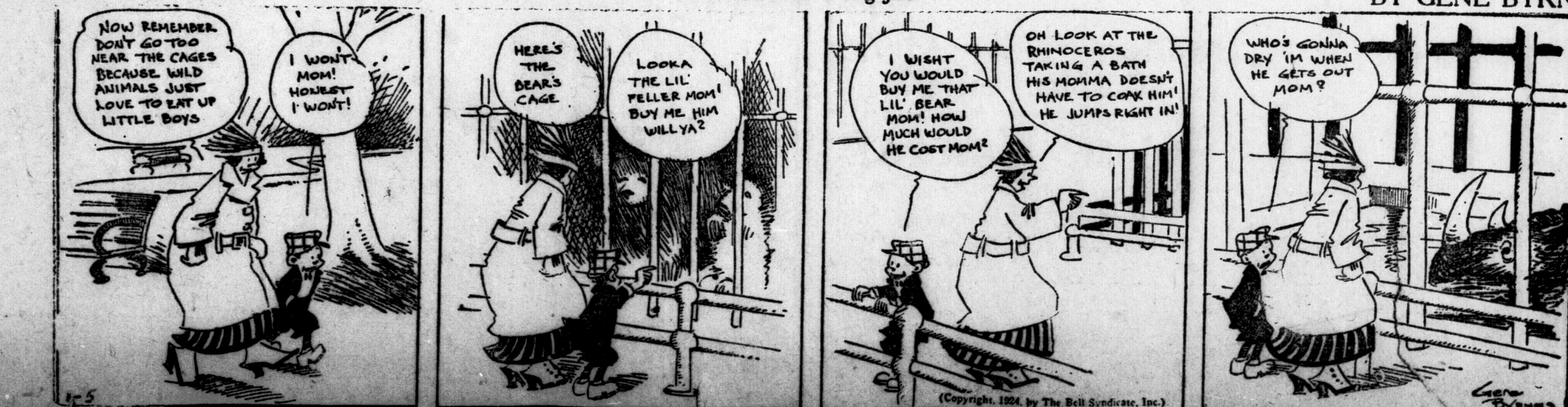
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Thedford Man Dies Suddenly

William Finnie Drops Dead At House Entrance.

Special to The Advertiser.
Thedford, Jan. 4.—William Finnie, one of the oldest and highly respected citizens of Thedford, dropped dead today at the entrance to his home just after he had partaken of his noon meal. He, apparently, had been in good health previously.
Mr. Finnie was an ex-alderman of Thedford, having served on the council board for several years.
He is survived by three children, Lottie and James at home and Charles, a railroad engineer at Hamilton. His wife predeceased him three years ago.
The funeral will be held on Saturday from his residence to Pinehill Cemetery.

HESPELER PRESBYTERIANS ARE OPPOSED TO UNION

Special to The Advertiser.
Gait, Jan. 4.—The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Hespele, is decidedly opposed to church union. The result of a vote on the issue recently taken has just been announced, showing 266 opposed to 38 in favor of union.

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THINK LIABILITIES RUGGLES MOTORS TOTALS \$650,000

London and Western Trusts Appointed Trustees at Meeting Yesterday.

STORMY SESSION

Sixty creditors of the Ruggles Motor Truck Company gathered at the court house this afternoon and appointed the London and Western Trust Company as trustee to wind up the affairs of the concern. This was done without a dissenting voice.
Arthur T. Little moved and Frank E. Harley seconded a motion to elect five inspectors. Mr. McLellan of the Price-Waterhouse Company, Toronto, was nominated as an inspector by Mr. Little. J. A. E. Braden thought the inspectors should all be London men, as meetings might often have to be called at short notice. Inspectors elected were Mr. McLellan, E. S. Little, R. J. Goldie of Saginaw, J. Kent Campbell, and S. S. Demoulin of the Firestone Tire Company.

J. S. Moore stated 464 votes were represented at the meeting. The total assets of the Ruggles Company as far as the London and Western Trusts Company had ascertained were \$603,643.63, the liabilities being \$1,245,960.16.

Mr. Goldie, of the Ruggles Truck Company of Saginaw, stated the American concern was not interested in the Canadian concern other than as creditor.

Col. W. G. Coles stated that the Bank of Montreal and the Ruggles Saginaw company were the creditors, their claims totalling \$293,000.

In answer to a question, Mr. Moore of the trustee company said Mr. Pocock had been paid his salary previous to December 19. There were three men who had not been paid their wages.

"Are we going to knock down the building and sell the bricks?" questioned Mr. R. J. Murray from the rear of the room.

"I'd sooner lose \$100,000 than sell to the Ruggles Company of Saginaw," said Murray.

Mr. Goldie replied heatedly, stating his company was a heavy loser. They had received nothing but abuse, he averred. "My activities will be to get everything possible for the creditors," declared Mr. Goldie.

Edmund Weld, official receiver of the company, presided.

"If the company were sold tomorrow we would get more than we would have two months ago," declared Mr. Little, referring to criticism levelled by Mr. Murray and others.

In motion of Arthur Little and George M. Reid, the meeting passed a resolution, "that in the opinion of this meeting if the trustees and inspectors think it advisable, that they be given authority to carry on the business temporarily, rather than proceed with an immediate sale."

BRITAIN ANXIOUS OVER REPAYMENT

Feeling Toward France Stirred As Loan Is Made in Balkans.

MAY DEMAND DEBT

London, Jan. 4.—Great Britain is showing some anxiety over the repayment of the \$250,000,000 which she lent to Poland, Yugoslavia and Rumania in the war period, and diplomatic inquiries are being made at Warsaw, Belgrade and Bucharest as to whether the discharge of these debts will be delayed or prejudiced by the \$500,000,000-franc loan, which these countries recently contracted from France.

The British view is that the British loans should have priority in payment, since they were contracted during the war.

France's action in lending so much money to these countries when she has not even paid the interest on her debt to Great Britain has been a sore subject with the British government, and the French explanation that these loans were intended merely to provide Poland, Yugoslavia and Rumania with arms so that they could enforce the terms of the existing peace treaties has not relieved the irritation of the British.

The view is held in some quarters that Great Britain ought to make demand upon France for the repayment of the \$2,000,000,000 France owes Great Britain, or at least the interest upon it.

BOY IS BADLY INJURED WHEN THROWN BY HORSE

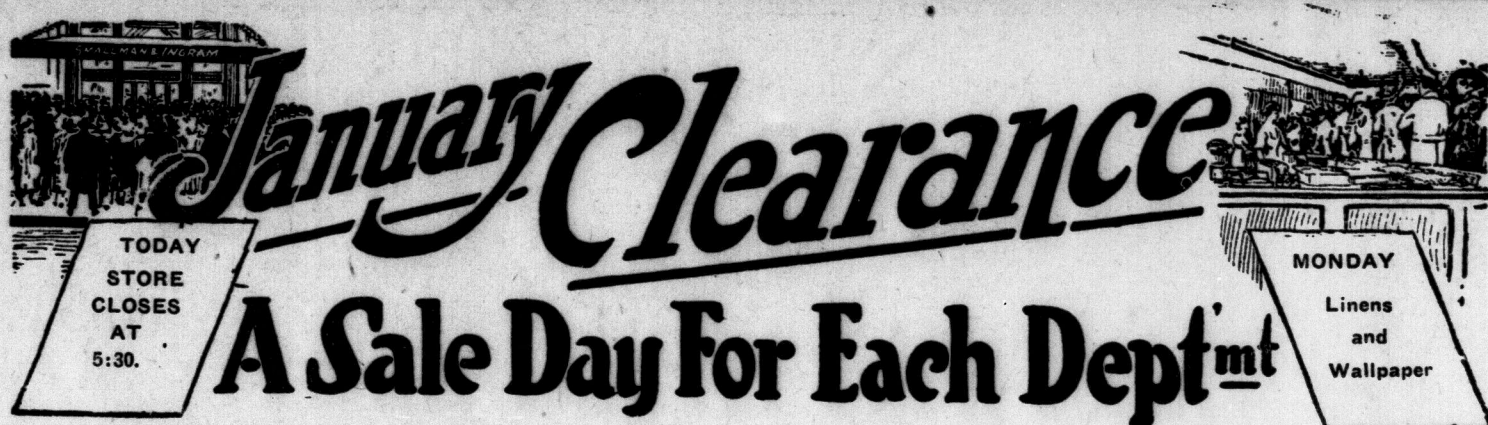
Dick Thorne, son of William Thorne, prominent market gardener, who lives just east of the city, had his leg broken in three places and one rib broken, recently. Young Thorne was returning home from the blacksmith shop riding a horse when a dog ran out from a neighbor's house and scared the animal. After galloping a short distance the horse slipped and fell, throwing the boy beneath him. The youth will be confined to bed for at least five weeks according to his physicians.

WOODSTOCK SPEAKER TO ADDRESS STUDENTS

Sunday afternoon a lecture will be given in Hyman Hall under the auspices of the International Bible Students on "The Kingdom of Heaven Is At Hand."

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Such an interesting true story about the origin of the January White Sales—the "Sales of St. Distaff." I know you will enjoy it too!

In the long-ago days in England, all the tedious processes of spinning and carding and weaving were part of the housewife's daily task.

Throughout the year, the women of the household were constantly occupied with the production of fabrics for the home. The noise of the shuttle and the thump of the loom were continual disturbers of the peace.

But with the coming of Christmastide, the women put by their textile tasks to take part in the preparations for the great festival. On the seventh of January, the day after Epiphany, they again resumed their labor with loom and spindle and distaff.

So in time the female side of the family came to be known as "the Distaff side," and January seventh, the day on which the home workers returned to their textile work, was known as St. Distaff's Day.

Thanks to the marvels of modern textile machinery, the housewife is relieved of this tedious task. But at the same season of the year the modern store makes special inducements to the women of today to take thought of the textile requirements of the New Year. And this is why the White Sales are an annual January event!

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