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LONDON, ONTARIO, THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 17, 1922.

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THOUSANDS ATTEND IRISHMEN'S PICNIC

Will Finish London To St. Thomas Highway Before Year Comes To End

BIGGS DECLARES PROVINCE WILL CARRY ON WORK

Two Cities To Be Linked With Band of Cement Roadway.

DEFENDS DRURY POLICY

Favors Residents of Urban Districts Being Given Voting Privileges.

Special to London Advertiser.

Alisa Craig, Aug. 17.—Hon. F. C. Biggs, provincial minister of public highways, in an interview today with The Advertiser representative stated that cement highway would be completed before the coming winter.

Last year the provincial government paved the stretch of road between London and Lambeth, and this spring five miles from Talbotville south toward St. Thomas. When the latter construction was nearing completion, and on strenuous representation by Dr. Hugh Stevenson, London's M.L.A., it was decided to pave a further three miles north from Talbotville, thereby leaving a considerable distance of unpaved and heavily traveled roadway between the limits of the paving.

Link Two Pavements. Following persistent demands and complaints from the residents of the vicinity and the users of the road, on account of many near accidents, caused by the bad condition of the detours, it has been decided that the best policy would be to link the two pavements, thereby making a continuous stretch of cement highway between London and St. Thomas. This construction will be continued immediately, and, according to Mr. Biggs, it is expected the work will be completed before the snow flies.

Touching on the present political situation, it was evidenced that another member of the Ontario cabinet, in the person of the Hon. Frank C. Biggs, minister of public highways, was not solidly behind Premier E. C. Drury. Commenting on the controversy between the premier and J. J. Morrison, secretary of the U.F.O., the head of the Ontario highways department declared to The Advertiser: "This exchange of opinion will not precipitate anything of a serious nature. There will be no break in the U.F.O. It need not alarm anyone. I am not behind Mr. Drury in his policy, as outlined yesterday in St. Paul."

"I cannot understand why he should be opposed at all. Why should the people of the city be divided?"

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SHOPMEN REBEL AT WAGE SLASH

Dominion Railway Employees Protest Cut of Seven Cents an Hour.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Rail shopmen throughout the Dominion of Canada are on the verge of revolt as a result of the attempt of Canadian railways to cut their wages on an average of 7 cents an hour. Frank McKenna, vice-president of the Canadian Railway Employees' Department, American Federation of Labor, told the conciliation board which is hearing the dispute here this morning.

Again the rail executives opened the day's skirmishing in a statement by George Hodge, assistant general manager, C. P. R. eastern lines, to the effect that Canadian shop employees were in a better position than similar workers in the United States.

In a sharp retort, the Labor representatives not only denied the statement, but charged the railways with placing the importance of balancing their budgets higher than the question of justice to human beings.

TORONTO ITALIAN USES RAZOR IN VICIOUS ATTACK

Toronto, Aug. 17.—Edward Brackenbury, aged 30, of 359 King street west, was slashed severely about the body early this morning with a razor, said by the police to have been used by an Italian. Brackenbury has a cut four inches long behind his ear and several on the arms. He was removed to the general hospital. Joe Mengold, Elm street, was arrested by Constable Jackson on a charge of wounding. Jackson reported to Dundas street station that both men had been arguing on Elizabeth street. Brackenbury, it was learned, resented a remark made by Mengold and went to strike him. It was then that the razor was drawn and Brackenbury attacked.

DENIES COURSE LIMITED TO 15

Western University Registrar Says Fifty Will Be Admitted in Medicine.

Parents of Prospective Students Incensed Over False Report.

Denial of the published statement credited to him, that only fifteen new medical students would be admitted to the freshman classes of Western University Medical School this fall, was made by Dr. P. R. Neville Thursday morning, who informed The Advertiser that fifty freshmen will be admitted to the course leading to the degree of doctor of medicine.

The so-called "drastic cut" in attendance at the medical school was exploded by Dr. Neville, who is registrar of Western University, by this statement, Thursday. In fact, fifty new students is regarded as almost, if not actually a record for the medical school, and if there were a similar number in all classes, the total attendance would be 450, which number exceeds that for which there is accommodation at the new half-million dollar medical school building on Oxford street.

Last year there was a total enrollment of 167 students at Western University, qualifying for the degree of M. D., and it is pointed out that although fifty students may register in the freshman year, only a fraction of this number will actually enter the school, which will be of the efficiency required of them at the Medical School.

The published statement that only fifteen new students would be admitted, aroused a wave of indignation in the city, and did an injustice to Western citizens who voted \$100,000 a year ago criticizing this limitation as a backward movement. They asserted that the workingman's son would not have a chance to study medicine, as those with influence.

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SEEK SOLUTION ON REPARATION

Members of Commission Informally Discuss German Problem.

Paris, Aug. 17.—The members of the reparations commission met informally today to discuss the possibility of reaching some compromise on the German reparations question, which will be acceptable to both France and Great Britain.

As the first step in its inquiry into the advisability of a moratorium on Germany's reparations payments, the reparations commission is expected to give a hearing to representatives of the Berlin government. Premier Poincaré last night had a long conversation with M. Dubois, French representative on the commission, and is understood to have instructed the latter to resign should Belgium vote against France on the moratorium question.

The member whom the commission is most likely to lose, however, is Sir John Bradbury, the British representative. According to the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail, he has found the work most exhausting, and should the voting go against the moratorium plan he is almost certain to resign. His term expires in November.

One of Premier Poincaré's plans, if Germany is found to be a defaulter, probably will be the exploitation of the Rhineland forests, from which France could easily cut 100,000,000 francs' worth of wood yearly.

Complete Preparations for Dislodging of Rapids Prince.

MONTREAL, Aug. 17.—Transportation of the pulling plant which will be used in the attempt to release the Rapids Prince, ashore on the lower Lachine Rapids since July 30, was completed today. Preliminary work on the erection of the plant in the small island 1,800 feet above the rapids yesterday included boilers to generate the steam required, a steam engine and winch with a hauling capacity of 100 tons.

NORTHCLIFFE IS LAID TO REST

Throngs Pay Last Tribute to England's Greatest Publisher.

Services Are Held in Historic Westminster Abbey, in London.

London, Aug. 17.—The funeral of Viscount Northcliffe was solemnized at noon today in Westminster Abbey. Seldom has the last tribute to any Englishman whose position was wholly personal and unofficial gathered such an assembly.

The dean of Westminster undoubtedly expressed the public wish when he asked Lady Northcliffe to permit the rites to be celebrated in the abbey. The great company of eminent people gathered within the famous edifice as well as the crowds of humble ones in the streets outside gave testimony of this. After the service, the funeral procession wound its way to St. Marylebone Cemetery in Finchley, a northwestern suburb of London.

The United States ambassador, George Harvey, was among the host of mourners, chief of whom were the widow, Viscount Northcliffe's aged mother and his six brothers, namely: Viscount Rothermere, Cecil B. Harmsworth, Sir Robert Leicester Harmsworth, and Hildebrand Aubrey, St. John and Vyvyan George Harmsworth. Other near relations and members of the household staff were present.

Diplomats attending included the French ambassador, the Serbian minister, the Rumanian charge d'affaires, Colonial Secretary Winston Churchill and P. C. Larkin, Canadian high commissioner; Sir Joseph Cook, Australian commissioner; Premier Squires of Newfoundland, and other prominent colonials. Others present were Sir John Knill, acting lord mayor of London, the directorate of the Times, and the allied Northcliffe publications and representatives of all the London newspapers, news organizations, printing trades and distributing agencies, prominent among whom were Viscount Coudray, Viscount Burnham, Lord Waring, Baron Montague of Beaulieu, Baron Stuart of Wortley, Sir Thomas Lipton and Rudyard Kipling.

3 AUTOS BURNED IN WIARTON FIRE

Special to London Advertiser. Wiarton, Aug. 17.—Fire of unknown origin at 2:30 today completely destroyed a frame garage owned by Alex Naylor and three automobiles, a frame stable and nearby owned by H. D. Ruhl and another stable owned by the town of Wiarton. The automobiles lost were a touring car owned by L. Woodman, a touring car owned by W. Hahn and a coupe owned by Mr. Everett, Toronto.

The loss on the automobiles was partly covered by insurance but there was no insurance on the building. TO FACE TRIAL FOR THEFT OF CHECKS

Hamilton, Aug. 17.—Edward O'Connor will today face trial on a charge of stealing unsigned checks from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph and with passing or attempting to pass them in this city on merchants. O'Connor was said to have been visiting the Reformatory from where he had not long been liberated after serving a term for stealing money from a child's bank. His lawyer will try to establish an alibi.

W. D. ROBB APPOINTED AS HEAD OF GRAND TRUNK

Montreal, Aug. 17.—At a meeting of the board of the Grand Trunk Railway system held here today, W. D. Robb was appointed ranking vice-president of the company with the title of vice-president and general manager. Mr. Robb will take up the duties of the president, Howard G. Kelley, whose resignation was announced yesterday.

W. D. Robb is the first native-born Canadian to be called upon to occupy the chief executive office of the Grand Trunk Railway system. He is also the first chief executive of the Grand Trunk to have risen step by step, with unbroken service, from an apprenticeship in the company.

RAILWAY EARNINGS DECLINE.

Toronto, Aug. 17.—The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railway for the week ending August 14 was \$2,076,934, a decrease of \$307,078 from the corresponding week last year. The gross earnings from January 1 to date were \$64,743,056, a decrease of \$7,517,197 from the corresponding period last year.

50 KILLED ON WAY TO SHRINE

Pilgrims To Lourdes, France, Meet Tragic Deaths



PARIS, France, Aug. 17.—One of the worst railroad disasters in France occurred recently at Lourdes, the scene of the famous shrine, where numerous miracles are reported to have been performed. In addition to those killed, more than 100 were injured. The top scene shows the wreckage. Below, remains of victims being drawn away by oxen.

Predicts Continent Will Be Home of Half White Race

U. S. LAWYER ADDRESSES BAR.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 17.—Predicting that within the next one or two centuries the North American continent would be the home of more than half of the white race, with a population of six or seven hundred millions, Hon. John Davis, president of the American Bar Association, and late ambassador to the court of St. James, delivered an address of much significance at the luncheon of the Canadian Bar Association yesterday.

Some of the pithy points in his speech were: "Here, out of all the world, is the only spot where the flags of Great Britain and the United States have ever floated side by side in concurrent sovereignty."

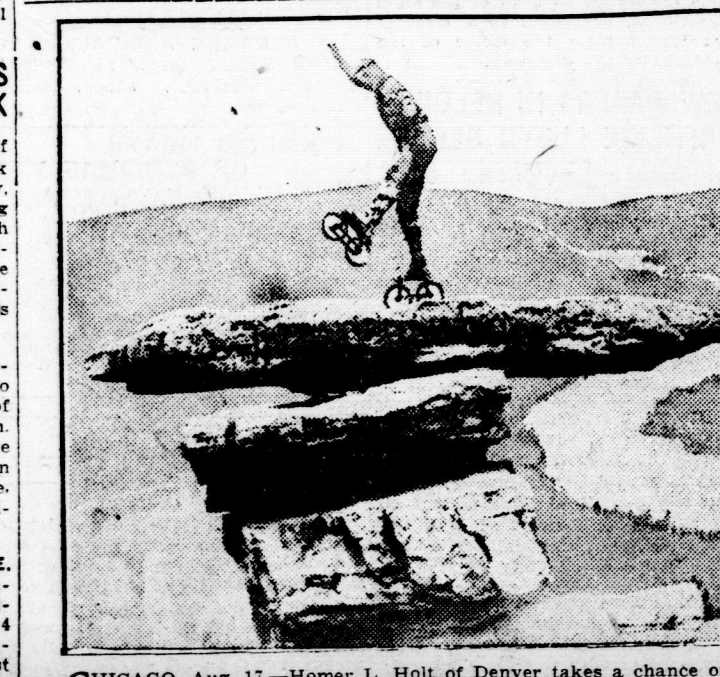
"The lawyers of the United States recognize in their Canadian counterparts not only the joint heirs of a common legal heritage, but in a very vital sense, their co-workers in a common cause."

"There is a clean consensus of opinion that to open wide our doors to Asiatic immigration would be a kindness neither to Asiatics nor ourselves; that between them and us there are differences not only of race but of habit and custom, too profound to make their entrance in great numbers a source of happiness to them or a benefit to ourselves."

A TOTAL OF 58 BUILDING PERMITS have been issued in London this month and the estimated expenditure involved is \$78,065.

TEMPTS GRAVITY ON HIGH ROCK

Vaudeville Artist Defies Death in Novel Exhibition



CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Homer L. Holt of Denver takes a chance on Umbrella Rock at Lookout Mountain, Tenn., with a pair of bicycle skates. A plunge down a precipice and death await his overbalancing. He performed this feat to win a \$5,000 bet.

MANY REBELS ARE CAPTURED

Dundalk Is Taken by Irish National Troops Confirmed.

River Service Between Cork and Queenstown Re-established.

Belfast, Aug. 17.—The recapture of Dundalk by national army troops from Irish insurgents who occupied the town a few days ago, was confirmed in Belfast this afternoon. Hundreds of irregulars were taken prisoner.

ROUND UP REBELS.

London, Aug. 17.—Messages from Queenstown state that regular river boat service has been re-established between Cork and Queenstown and that normal conditions have practically been restored throughout the district affected during the recent fighting. National troops occupied the whole of Monday in rounding up rebels and, in addition, six local leaders were arrested. It is now known that only the timely arrival of the government troops in Queenstown prevented destruction of the principal buildings there by the fleeing irregulars.

Advices from Greenore, in northeastern County Louth, are to the effect that the Republicans have occupied Carrlingford, near Dublin. Carrlingford is the favorite summer resort of Cardinal Logue, primate of all Ireland. The cardinal left before the attack.

CLIFTON FREED.

Galway, Ireland, Aug. 17.—The town of Clifton, on the Irish coast, 43 miles northwest of here, has been freed of Irish irregulars, and the Marconi wireless station there, which was recently seized by the insurgents, has been rescued by National army forces. The station will be put into operation again within a few days.

COMPLETE PLANS FOR KIDDIES' MEET

Officials Will Review Playground Children's Parade to Thames Park.

Final plans for the monster playgrounds display and athletic meet to be held in Thames Park Saturday, Aug. 26, have been completed, and advance information indicates that this event will surpass those of previous years.

MAYOR AND VETERANS ASK WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS

Sydney, Nova Scotia, Will Refuse To Pay for Military Occupation of Strike Area.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 17.—Supplying the protests of Mayor D. H. Morrison, M.L.A. of Glace Bay, the Great War Veterans of Cape Breton South, after a mass meeting last night, have wired the federal and provincial governments asking them to call the troops from the strike area.

The mayor and the veterans take the ground that no disturbances have yet occurred which could not be handled by the local police.

Mayor Morrison also declares the town of Glace Bay will refuse to pay the expense incurred in connection with the military occupation.

Make Fortune



LILLIAN SHAEFFER. GLADYS MERGENS.

THREE RIVERS, Que., Aug. 17.—Two girls, two years and \$200 joined forces and made a fortune.

The two girls, Lillian Shaeffer and Gladys Mergens, were employed in a shop at Montreal. "Let's pool our resources and go into the candy business," said Lillian.

"Agreed," said Gladys.

That's where the \$200 came in. Six months afterward their business had attained such proportions they enlarged their old shop and started a new one. In two years they had three of the finest candy shops in the northwest.

When they started they made all their products in a back kitchen. Now they have an elaborate workshop where 15 girls make candy all day long.

They have made courtesy the keynote of their business.

25 INJURED IN WINDSOR CRASH

Wabash Box Car Collides With Tecumseh Interurban Trolley.

Windsor, Aug. 17.—(Canadian Press).—Twenty-five persons were hurt, only one seriously, when a Wabash box car collided with a Tecumseh interurban car in front of the Ford Motor Company's plant this morning. The one seriously injured is a Detroit child, aged about 8. The accident is said to have been due to a broken coupling between a switch engine and several box cars. When the coupling broke, the box cars rolled until they crashed into the Wabash car standing on a switching track. The impact set the Wabash car rolling across the street car right-of-way, directly in the path of the oncoming interurban. The motorman, Sullivan, saw the danger and put on full speed, but could not get his car clear. The box car struck the rear of the interurban and turned the latter over on its side. Had the blow come amidships, it is said that the loss of life would undoubtedly have been heavy.

Women Glad in Breeches Is Eye-Opener for Toronto.

TORONTO, Aug. 17.—A very pretty lady, with meticulously marcelled golden hair, a pink and white complexion and fashionable eyebrows, appeared in one of the downtown hotels yesterday in her khaki knickerbockers. It was curious to see anyone who looked so completely feminine above looking so strikingly masculine below. She belonged to a party of American tourists who had been camping in the To-magami district, and who were returning to Cleveland via Toronto. All four ladies in the party wore khaki breeches. In fact, they had brought only one costume apiece with them, and this was it.

The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Semple, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Vogt, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Meek. They arrived in four touring cars, and carried their camping accommodation, including four large tents, in the tonneau.

PORT STANLEY IS SCENE OF YEAR'S BIGGEST OUTING

Wearers of Green Bent on Making 1922 Event a Record-Breaker.

BRACKIN WILL SPEAK

Kent Member to Deliver Chief Address at Banquet Tonight.

Port Stanley was taken by storm Thursday by thousands of wearers of the green, the occasion being the 46th annual picnic of the Irish Benevolent Society, who are making the wedding ring with merriment on Invererie Heights.

With the weatherman smiling his sweetest Irish smile, the sons of Erin are making the best of things, and motor cars, special railway trains, and the out-of-date Dobbin, all headed for the popular lakeside resort early Thursday.

In an effort to make the Irish picnic of 1922 "the best yet," the sports committee drafted a lengthy program, with variety as the keynote, and by this means it is expected that there will not be a dull moment at Port Stanley Thursday.

Big Program in Sight.

There are races for the kiddies from five to fifty years of age, a ladies' tug-of-war contest, wheelbarrow race, throwing the baseball, boxing in barrels, muscled race, climbing the greasy pole, competition waiting, Irish jig contest, Highland fling for boys and girls, Shaun Tuams, and last, but not least, the baby show, presided over by Fire Chief John Aitken, assisted by Harry Merritt, who will use their Irish wit to best advantage in pleasing every mother whose infant is placed in the competition.

Early Thursday morning, the members of the Irish Benevolent Society, headed by the 1st Battalion, Western Ontario Regiment, Brass Band, paraded downtown city streets. The harp and green predominated in the parade decorations, and every man in the parade wore his best smile, indicative of a happy time at Port Stanley.

At 10:20 a.m., the band and those who participated in the parade, augmented the record crowd, in boarding the London and Port Stanley Railway trains for the picnic grounds. Upon arrival at St. Thomas the Irish boys paraded the streets of the Railway City, where they were joined by equally enthusiastic sons of Erin from that place.

Brackin at Banquet. The journey to Port Stanley was later continued, and preparations made for the big sports program, which was commenced at 2:30 p.m. A special train service to and from the lakeside is being maintained by the London and Port Stanley Railway Company to handle the people Thursday afternoon Irish and Scotch pipe bands were accorded an ovation as they arrived at Invererie Heights.

During the afternoon refreshments were served to members of the Society on Invererie Heights, and in the evening the society will hold a banquet in the cafeteria, while the general public will be entertained at the free motion picture show, concluding with a wonderful display of fireworks.

R. L. Brackin, M.L.A. of Chatham, is called as special speaker at the banquet, and his address will serve as a keynote for typical Irish speeches and music, which will be provided by other members of the society and their guests.

The Weather

FORECASTS. Today—Light to moderate winds mostly fair and mostly sunny; thunderstorms in some localities. Friday—Fresh southwest winds; partly cloudy, with showers or thunderstorms in most districts, followed by northwest winds; cooler.

The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: High, Low.

Victoria	66	56
Calgary	76	42
Winnipeg	82	60
Pt. Arthur	72	60
P. Sound	84	69
Toronto	92	63
Kingston	90	64
Ottawa	92	58
Montreal	86	55
P. Sound	84	56
F. Point	68	38
St. John	64	54
Halifax	80	56

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 95; lowest, 59.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 81; lowest, 64.

Barometric Readings. Wednesday—8 p.m., 29.28. Today—8 a.m., 29.26.

BOOST REVENUE BY STAMP TAX

Government Receives \$590,000 in One Day From New Levy On Checks.

Customs Increase For July Reaches High Figure of \$3,000,000.

OTTAWA, Aug. 16.—It is apparent that the new stamp taxes will be fruitful sources of revenue.

Yesterday, for example, the income to the federal treasury from that source alone totalled \$590,000. On July 15, before the new tax became operative, the receipts in this branch were \$280,000.

As high as \$1,500,000 has been collected in one day from these excise levies, the amount being swelled specially from time to time by firms paying once a month for the privilege of having their checks embossed instead of affixing stamps.

Revenue generally shows signs of going up. The July increase in customs was over \$3,000,000, and that for August promises to be better. The estimated revenue from business profits and income tax for the fiscal year was \$60,000,000. That this will be attained is indicated by the fact that \$51,000,000 has so far been collected. Of this amount about \$5,000,000 is from the business profits tax which has expired. The collections really are an encouraging sign.

While the revenues are increasing expenditures are also showing an upward tendency.

The Canadian National Railway receipts promise to be much better this year than last. The decrease in freight rates will have their effect on the big crop, it is thought, will help out materially in the volume of freight traffic. There will be deficits owing to the fixed charges, but operating expenses will be small, with some prospects of an even break.

A. G. LAIRD, 73 YEARS OLD, DIES AT WALLACEBURG

Prominent Citizen and Veteran of American Civil War.

Special to London Advertiser. WALLACEBURG, Aug. 16.—The death took place this morning of A. G. Laird at his residence on Duncan street. Mr. Laird, who was 73 years of age, was a veteran of the American Civil War.

When the Dominion Glass Company first commenced operations in this town he was secretary-treasurer of the company, after which he moved to Detroit.

He returned to Wallaceburg about two years ago and carried on an insurance business until his recent illness.

Through his pleasant personality he was esteemed by all the citizens who knew him and his sympathy was sought out by his widow, who is left to mourn his loss.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, Aug. 17, at Chatham.

TILBURY MANUFACTURER DIES FROM STROKE

Napoleon Giroux, Native of St. Joachim, Passes After Few Weeks' Illness.

Special to London Advertiser. TILBURY, Aug. 16.—Napoleon Giroux of the firm of N. Giroux & Son, cement block manufacturer, passed away on Sunday following a few weeks' illness from stroke.

Born at St. Joachim, 52 years ago, Mr. Giroux lived in that vicinity until about ten years ago, when he and his family moved to this town. He is survived by his wife, a son, Omer, and three little daughters, Eva, Marie, and Blanche, also two married daughters, Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. Gilbert Thibault of town.

A son Theodore was one of the first Tilbury boys to enlist in the war and to make the supreme sacrifice.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday morning in St. Francis' Church with interment in St. Francis' Cemetery.

CHAPEL HONORS ACADIAN SETTLERS AT GRAND PRE

GRAND PRE, N. S., Aug. 16.—Acadians from all parts of Canada, and from the United States, were assembled here today to witness the dedication of a chapel, a memorial to the French settlers of the land of Evangeline, expelled by the British in 1755.

The chapel is a duplicate of the original Acadian place of worship. It is constructed of native stone. Bishop E. A. LeBlanc of St. John, N. B., the first Acadian bishop in the Maritime Provinces, was to preside at the services, while representatives of the Canadian and provincial governments were in attendance.

USE SAWDUST TO SOLVE FUEL CRISIS IN MICHIGAN

DOWAGIAC, Mich., Aug. 16.—Sawdust for fuel is being used throughout Cass County because of the extreme shortage of coal in this locality. Robert C. Phillips, official fuel administrator for the county, estimated the county supply at 400 tons. Dealers have been asked to supply only one-half a ton to patrons.

Lightning Bolt Strikes Radial Car As Storm Sweeps City of Toronto

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 16.—The wind, accompanying a thunderstorm which broke over Toronto at 4 o'clock this afternoon, did considerable damage to buildings and gardens. Trees and telephone and light poles were blown down, and the services were badly crippled as a result.

Lightning struck a metropolitan radial car on North Yonge street, and set it afire.

Patrol Sergeant Dalby, who was present, took charge of the situation

NEWS BRIEFS

QUEBEC.—Hon. L. A. Taschereau, prime minister, expressed the belief that the government will win the Labeille by-election today.

BRIDGEBURG.—The body of a 19-year-old girl found in the Niagara River opposite Bridgeburg has been identified as that of Irene Dupernail of Stratford, Ont.

LONDON.—British government asks Russian Soviet authorities to release four British steamships engaged in carrying oil from the Caucasus, and seized by them at Batum.

BRANTFORD.—The Township of Onondaga will open a continuation of school Sept. 1. The different sections of the township have amalgamated in an effort to make the scheme a success.

OTTAWA.—Spectacular fire which caused \$75,000 loss to Ritchie Bros. sawmill, Aymer, Que., threatens to repeat disastrous conflagration which destroyed the greater part of the town one year ago.

INGERSOLL.—F. R. Chittick of Dorchester village has been elected a member of the North Dorchester Township Council, succeeding Dr. Neely, who recently resigned and removed to Vancouver, B. C.

GALT.—Indications point to a great improvement in employment conditions in Galt. The city has only 158 men on its pay roll, all working full time, while during the winter there were as many as 430 on a half-time system.

LONDON.—Possible disintegration of the reparations commission is foreshadowed in a Paris dispatch to the Times, which alludes to rumors that the British member of the commission, Sir John Bradbury, is about to resign.

WINDSOR.—There will be no discontinuance of the practice of charging 1 cent for transfers to and from trackless trolley busses in the Border Cities.

Information morning by a telegram from Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the commission.

LOS ANGELES.—Begin trial of Herbert Wilson, former London, Ont., evangelist, on a charge of murdering Herbert Cox, a fellow-prisoner in jail, who was shot and killed while Wilson and Cox were trying to escape from prison. Both were under a sentence for mail robbery.

SARNIA.—A petition, said to be signed by one-third of the storekeepers dealing in meats, groceries and provisions, has been presented to the council asking for the repeal of the early closing bylaw of March, 1920. Such repeal would extend the hour of closing to 7 o'clock.

OTTAWA.—Howard G. Kelley resigns from the board of directors of the Grand Trunk. Ceasing to be a director, Mr. Kelley automatically ceases to be the president of the Canadian National Board. Major Graham Bell, C.M.G., has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Kelley's resignation.

KITCHENER.—A decision of Dominion-wide interest was handed out in the local police court, when Magistrate Weir dismissed the cases against two confectioners who had been summoned for operating plants without taking out manufacturers' licenses. The magistrate decided that the firms concerned, manufacturing for sale in their own establishments, were not manufacturers within the scope of the law.

WATERLOO WILL SELECT CIVIC FLORAL EMBLEM

Citizens to Vote at Horticultural Show For Gladiolus, Peony or Daffodil.

Special to London Advertiser.

WATERLOO, Aug. 16.—From the gladiolus, the peony and the daffodil, the citizens of Waterloo will be asked to pick a flower to be the official emblem of the town, according to an announcement made today by the secretary of the Horticultural Society.

The voting for the choice of a civic flower will take place at the annual exhibition of the society, which will be held on Aug. 30 and 31.

PROVIDE TOURISTS' CAMP AT PRESTON

Special to London Advertiser. GALT, Aug. 16.—The Preston Parks Board is providing a section of Riverside Park, amidst a grove of trees, for the use of touring motorists who have camping outfits.

The location is ideal, with beautiful surroundings and conveniences handy and visitors will be made welcome in the Mineral Springs Town.

WILL MEET TO DISCUSS SOUTH WATERLOO ROADS

Special to London Advertiser. GALT, Aug. 15.—To obtain co-operation among the municipalities, Karl K. Homuth, M.L.A., of Preston, announces that he will call a meeting for next month at Preston to discuss good roads in the riding and map out a program of the work desired to be done and the recommendations forwarded to the minister of highways.

By such system it is expected better results will be obtained in getting the better system of roads in South Waterloo.

CONSTRUCT HUGE PLANT. CALGARY, Alta., Aug. 16.—A \$2,500,000 oil refinery plant will be constructed in Southeast Calgary by the Imperial Oil Company.

KITCHENER SHOWS BUILDING ACTIVITY

Issues 597 Permits With Property Valuation of \$1,716,065 During Year.

Special to London Advertiser.

KITCHENER, Aug. 16.—In a statement presented to the finance commission of the city council here tonight covering building activities in Kitchener for the first seven months of the past year, Building Inspector Zimmerman shows that 136 residences have been constructed in that time at an approximate cost of \$885,500.

Permits were issued for 143 garages, both private and public, at a cost of \$63,388.

Four factory permits were issued totalling \$55,100, and four permits for churches and schools aggregating \$397,000.

There were eighteen permits issued for business buildings at a cost of \$112,250. Permits of a miscellaneous nature total 173, at an approximate cost of \$28,693.

The entire total number of permits is 597, representing a property valuation of \$1,716,065. This is far in excess of any total for the half year in the records of the city.

CHATHAM FARMER HURT WHEN THROWN FROM RIG

Bert Kreiger Forced to Walk Considerable Distance When Horse Bolts.

Special to London Advertiser.

CHATHAM, Aug. 16.—Bert Kreiger, a young farmer of Chatham Township, was hurt when he was thrown out of the buggy he was riding in last evening on his way to the city.

While on the 2nd concession of Chatham Township the horse suddenly bolted, throwing the buggy into the ditch.

The traces released, the horse started on a mad dash on a street of a mile and a half, ending at the corner of Grand avenue and Thames street.

Almost exhausted, the horse permitted itself to be held by a citizen. City police were notified, and an officer took the horse to a livery stable.

Half an hour later Kreiger arrived, told his story to the police, and subsequently took charge of his horse.

SCHOOLS OF KENT WELL SUPPLIED

Special to London Advertiser.

CHATHAM, Aug. 16.—The supply of teachers for the schools in Kent is sufficient for the coming term, stated Inspector W. S. G. Colles today.

The school rooms and premises have all received special attention during the holidays, and will be in good condition when they are officially opened on Tuesday, September 5.

CHILDREN ATTEND BIRTHDAY PARTY

Special to London Advertiser.

CAMLACHIE, Aug. 16.—Sixteen little girls were entertained to a birthday party given by Mrs. William Lockyer for little Freda on Friday afternoon. An excellent time was spent by the kiddies.

The pupils of Mrs. P. McG. Brown participated in a recital at her home on Monday afternoon. After the program a dainty luncheon was served to the pupils and other guests.

The last of the series of games of quarts was played here on Monday evening. Wyoming won first place, Aberdeen second, and Camlachie third.

PREPARES KINGSVILLE HATCHERY FOR SPAWN

KINGSVILLE, Aug. 16.—Samuel Addams, manager of the government fish hatchery at the lake here, is making preparations for the receiving of hundreds of quarts of the white fish and herring spawn to be put into Lake Erie early next spring.

MAY HELP TO MAINTAIN EMPIRE NAVAL DEFENCE

LONDON, Aug. 16.—(By Canadian Press Cable.) In the course of his budget speech today in the New Zealand House of Representatives, Premier Massey said that if the finances permitted, New Zealand would make a contribution next year and annually thereafter of half a million pounds sterling towards the maintenance of the empire naval defence, says a Reuter dispatch from Wellington.

The sum might appear small, but it would be a move in the right direction, and could be improved upon.

EXPLOSION ON LINER CLAIMS SIXTH VICTIM

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The sixth death resulting from the explosion in the hold of the White Star Liner Adriatic last Friday was recorded today when Edward Donnelly of Liverpool, a fireman, died of his injuries at St. Vincent's Hospital, where he was taken when the steamer reached port Sunday night.

Kitchener Citizen Wants Ton of Grapes For His Own Private Use.

Special to London Advertiser.

KITCHENER, Aug. 16.—That there will be a big rush for grapes for wine purposes by Kitchener residents this season is indicated by the fact that the few fruit sellers from Grimsby district that appeared at the local market this morning were deluged with orders for grapes.

One local citizen ordered a ton, stating that he intended to make wine for his own private use.

Wine makers were broken all over the western district, and shingles were blown from the C. P. R. station at West Toronto. Fire department telephones were put out of commission. Several chimneys were blown down, and awnings were sent flying.

Little Heroes of Orphanage Fire Risk Their Lives To Save Charges

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—With the arrival here of the inmates of the Jewish Orphanage at Shawbridge, destroyed last night with a loss of twelve lives, eight boys belonging to the institution and the caretaker and his family, stories of a number of heroic deeds performed by juvenile rescue workers were told.

The boy inmates were divided up into groups under the care of the older lads. Each of the monitors distinguished himself in coolness, but several of the boys risked their lives for their charges.

Sammy Kaufman, a bright little chap of 14, was one of the heroes of the night. When he checked up his charges he found that one of his "little brothers," Sidney Rozenbaum,

was missing. Diving back into the burning building, he grasped the sleeping boy from a bed just as a blanket of flame swept over the bed.

He said: "Gee, it's awful. It's the first time I ever bawled."

Joe Kaufman, 15, Sammy's brother, rivalled his younger brother in heroism. He lost four members of his group after bringing out several boys.

Flames had almost reached the bed of little Benzo Shapiro, aged 7, when his older brother, Joe, 13 years old, ran to him from the older boys' dormitory, and carried him outside in a blanket.

All the burned children were sleeping in a room adjoining Paul Emile Legault, the caretaker, who perished with his whole family.

Would Ban Small Rooming Houses To Give Hotels in Ontario Profits

ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 16.—The Ontario legislative committee investigating the conditions surrounding standard hotels in the province were told by St. Catharines hotel-keepers this afternoon that small rooming-houses with no overhead expenses should be made illegal.

"If the hotel-keeper searched every man that came into his hotel, he would not get many visitors," said Capt. Macdonald, and the committee appeared to agree with him.

CLAIMS BANK PROMISED TO ALLOW OVERDRAFT

Brantford Man Faces Charge of Obtaining Credit Under False Pretences.

Special to London Advertiser.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 16.—W. A. Green in police court today was charged by J. H. Minshall with obtaining credit under false pretences.

The evidence of the plaintiff was to the effect that the defendant issued a check to pay an account, and the check was returned marked "No funds." The defendant claimed that he knew there was no money in the bank at the time, but that he had arranged with the bank manager to have an overdraft of \$250 which would have been more than sufficient to pay the check, which amounted to \$60.

Magistrate Blake adjourned the case for a week, and instructed the defense to get a statement from the bank manager in the meantime regarding the promise of an overdraft.

BRITISH MAILS

The next mail for Great Britain and Europe will close at the local postoffice at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Aug. 17, 1922, to be forwarded via S. S. Victorian, sailing from Montreal on Aug. 18, 1922.

This mail will consist of letters and registered matter only.

Parcel post and newspapers close at 2 p.m., for dispatch via same steamer.

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CHANGE DATES OF WOODSTOCK FAIR

Special to London Advertiser. WOODSTOCK, Aug. 16.—The dates of the Woodstock fair have been changed so as to not clash with the Stratford exhibition. The new dates are Sept. 26, 27, 28 and 29, one week later than the original dates.

The new dates will insure even greater success for the show as the outside competition is reduced to a minimum.

FORMER C. P. R. OFFICIAL, 80 YEARS OLD, PASSES

WINNIPEG, Aug. 16.—William Cross, 80, formerly assistant to the vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, died at his home here today.

Mr. Cross was a native of England, coming to Canada in 1883. He was for many years connected with the mechanical department of the Montreal shops and on his transfer west handled mechanical matters for western lines. After forty years' service with the C. P. R. Mr. Cross was superannuated in 1904.

W. C. CHISHOLM WILL BE G. T. R. LEGAL ADVISER

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—Owing to the death of W. H. Biggar, president and general counsel of the Grand Trunk Railway system, W. C. Chisholm, general solicitor, will assume the duties as head of the legal department, according to a circular just issued from the office of the president of the company.

NEWSPAPERS IN BELGIUM CRITICIZE LLOYD GEORGE

BRUSSELS, Aug. 16.—Belgian political leaders are much depressed over the breakdown of the London conference of allied premiers. The newspapers today reflected considerable public irritation over what was termed Prime Minister Lloyd George's irreconcilable attitude, and questioned whether the British people would ratify "Lloyd George's egoist policy."

OPENS STONE QUARRY.

GALT, Aug. 16.—The Brennan Paving Company which has the contract to pave the Galt-Preston Highway has opened a stone quarry on the McAllister farm, half way between the two municipalities, and is employing a large gang of men.

HOLD GUELPH PIGNONS.

Special to London Advertiser. GALT, Aug. 16.—Soper Park is very popular with Guelph picnickers. Today the members of Guelph Chapter R.A.M., and of Victoria Precinctory, Knights Templar with their wives, held an outing there.

THOUSANDS ATTEND INTER-CITY OUTING

International Picnic of Sarnia and Port Huron Proves Success.

Special to London Advertiser.

SARNIA, Aug. 16.—Sarnia and Port Huron joined today in the international picnic held at Lake Huron Park, under the auspices of the two chambers of commerce.

Although the temperature was in the neighborhood of 96, the cooling shade of the big maples at the park helped considerably the crowd of from five to six thousand people to pass the afternoon in comparative comfort.

The sports program was pulled off without a hitch, and the consensus of opinion is that the picnic was the most successfully-organized outing in which the international cities have participated.

WATERLOO BOOK AGENTS MUST SECURE PERMITS

WATERLOO, Aug. 16.—Waterloo has been troubled with numerous fake magazine and book agents. As a result of continual complaints from citizens who have lost their money, Police Chief McGillivray announced today that in future all magazine and book agents operating in the town would have to secure a permit from him before being allowed to make a house-to-house canvass.

He stated that measure is being taken to protect legitimate agents.

BOWLERS ESCAPE HARM IN CRASH

Special to London Advertiser.

CAYUGA, Aug. 16.—R. H. Davey took a rink of bowlers down to Dunnville in his car on Monday, but was not at the wheel when the driver met

I First Compounded This Remedy For My Own Neighbors

Their praise of this newer form of iron has spread so rapidly that now, after one year, more than 500 people use it annually.

Years ago I began to wonder at the great number of my own friends and neighbors who were always ailing, complaining and doctoring, without ever seeming to get any better. Both working men and their wives were frequently all tired out in the evening, and a great many were nervous and run-down. One had pains in the back and thought he had kidney trouble. Another had pains around the heart, palpitations and dizziness, and was sure he was suffering from heart disease. Still others had severe headaches, fainting spells before the eyes, tender spots along the spine and a great variety of alarming symptoms.

For years I made a special study of this condition, consulting a great number of physicians and chemists. An immense number of investigations by physicians all over the country showed that three people out of every four you meet lack 100 per cent iron in their blood. Lack of iron in the blood is the greatest of all devastating weaknesses. It is the iron in your blood that enables you to get the nourishment out of your food. Without iron, nothing you eat does you any good. Your heart, lungs and kidneys and all your vital organs get their nourishment from the blood stream, and when the blood lacks iron it is thin, pale and watery, and you suffer from the symptoms of a great number of diseases when the real and true cause of all your trouble is a lack of iron in the blood.

In the old days people often took metallic iron, which some physicians claim is not absorbed at all, in compounding Nuxated Iron I use the newer form of iron, which is like the iron in your blood and like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples. Unlike the older forms of iron, it will not injure the teeth nor disturb the stomach, and it is ready for almost immediate absorption and assimilation by the blood. It is the people whose blood is rich in iron who possess great strength, force and energy. If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test:

See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Then take two 5-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times a day after meals for two weeks—then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. An astonishing number of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the while, but greatly improved their health and increased their strength, energy and endurance simply by taking this newer form of iron. For sale in this city by Standard Drug Co., Ltd., also by any good drug store.—Adv.

WILL RENOVATE KENT COURT BUILDINGS

Special to London Advertiser. CHATHAM, Aug. 16.—Arrangements have been made to thoroughly renovate the Kent County Jail, the courthouse and the governor's residence.

The repairs will consist chiefly of the piping, roofing and a certain amount of painting. An effort will be made to have the work completed before the fall session.

SCHOOL REPORTS

The following pupils were successful at the Middle School examinations in Mount Brydges:

Normal Entrance and Junior Matriculation, passed complete 12 subjects—Eva Wonnacott, Lenna Runnalls; 11 subjects, Howard Runnalls; 9 subjects, Wesley Wyatt; 7 subjects, Helen Runnalls; 6 subjects, Nellie Jarman; 5 subjects, Ila Buchanan.

Complete Matriculation—Kenneth Clark.

Normal Entrance, passed complete 8 subjects—May Dingman, Harold Wilton; 7 subjects, Caroline Campbell; 6 subjects, Hildegard Webb; 5 subjects, Jean MacGregor; 3 subjects, Arley Lipsit.

BUILD MANY HOUSES.

GALT, Aug. 16.—Since the beginning of the year building permits to the value of \$220,000 have been issued in Preston. Most of these were for residences.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—Arrived, Canopic: Liverpool; sailed, Melita, Southampton.

HARMLESS MEANS OF REDUCING FAT

Many fat people fear ordinary means for reducing their weight. Here is an extraordinary method. Extraordinary because while perfectly harmless no dieting or exercise are necessary. Marmola's Prescription Tablets are made exactly in accordance with the famous Marmola's Prescription. You reduce steadily and easily, with no ill effects. Procure them from your druggist at one dollar for a case or send price direct to the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.—Adv.

To Make Hairs Vanish From Face, Neck or Arms

(Beauty Culture.)

Keep a little powdered delatone handy and when hairy growths appear make a paste with some of the powder and a little water, then spread over hairy surface. After 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and it will be entirely free from hair or blemish. This simple treatment is unfailing, but care should be exercised to be sure and get genuine delatone otherwise you may be disappointed.—Adv.

with an accident at the sharp turn near the railway crossings on the highway.

It is not known exactly what occurred, but the car skidded off the road and escaped upsetting by striking a telephone post.

GRANTS \$100 TO G. W. V. A. BAND

City Assists to Defray Expense of Trip to Toronto.

McCormick's Request for Fire Alarm Refused by Council

Members of the Great War Veterans' Association Band, who will take part in the Canadian brass band competition, for which a silver shield and cash prizes will be awarded at the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto this month, will be allowed a grant of \$100 by the city to defray portion of their expenses.

This grant was authorized at a meeting of No. 1 committee of the city council held Wednesday night. When the sum of \$100 was suggested, Ald. E. R. Watkinson asserted that it was not sufficient, as the band expenses will total \$400.

"Let them go to those factories in the annex, Fred," replied Ald. H. B. Ashplant. "This money comes from the homes of the city. Are you in that way?"

Alarm Request Refused.

A request from the McCormick Manufacturing Company, H. J. Jones, limited, and Middlesex Mills for a fire alarm box near their factories was granted, subject to these firms paying the cost of installation, which will amount to \$250. Fire Chief John Atken declared that Hunt's Flour Mill had paid for such an alarm box last year.

"They are in the annexed district and contributing nothing to the thing they ask for," said Ald. Ashplant. "Let them pay the expense. There is business side to this thing."

Ald. Watkinson opposed such a proposal, but Ald. Childs pointed out that there were no funds available for the purpose, and that apparently there were no telephones in that district for use to summon the firemen in case of emergency.

Fire Chief John Atken was authorized to attend the Dominion Association of Fire Chiefs' convention to be staged at Chatham Aug. 18, 29, 30, 31.

Reply to Request.

During the meeting a communication from G. W. Grant, secretary to Premier Dunning, was read, stating that the city council's request for redistribution of seats in the legislative assembly on a basis of representation by population, had been received and would be considered.

"We will get it no doubt," commented H. J. Childs, the committee chairman.

"No doubt," replied Mayor Wilson, after the next election.

The committee decided to investigate the number of hucksters operating on the city market, and halt their operations if possible.

It was reported at the meeting that the city has paid out \$8,087.50 this year on mothers' pensions, and that \$354 is owed the provincial authorities on them. In July last \$4,733.50 was paid out. An estimate of \$20,000 for the year has been made for mothers' pensions here.

The committee recommended to the city council that the offer of the Middlesex County council to provide a site for the new city registry office in the court house grounds be accepted, and that the city solicitor be instructed to enter into an agreement with the county solicitor on the matter of transfer of land.

HARMACEUTISTS ELECT OFFICERS AT FT. WILLIAM

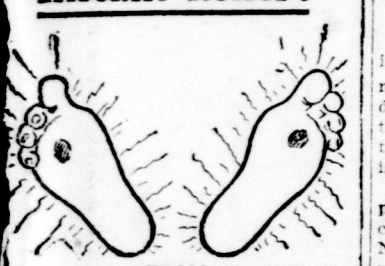
Fort William, Ont., Aug. 18.—The election of officers of the Canadian pharmaceutical Association was held last night, the following being the results:

President—W. J. McMillan, of Kew-berst, Sask.

Vice-President—Burwell Griffin, of Hamilton, president Ontario College of Pharmacy.

Recommendation has been made by the council that Toronto be chosen as the 1923 convention city.

Instant Relief!



SORE FEET CORNS-BUNIONS CALLOUSES

Torturing, joy-killing Corns and Bunions and sore tenders, "puffed up" feet that hurt with every step—now all forgotten by folks who know the "magic touch" of Geese Wormwood Balm.

This famous Wormwood Treatment rubs right in. Cools, soothes and comforts instantly! Kills pain. Reduces inflammation and softens hardened, calloused spots. If you want feet as fresh and comfortable as those of a barefoot child, try Geese Wormwood Balm tonight!

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Reports All But Four Pine Lawn Houses Sold.

ONLY four dwellings erected by the London Housing Commission on Pine Lawn survey remain to be sold. J. W. Cunliffe, salesman for that body, said Thursday. This means that 38 houses on this survey have been sold by the commission, and includes all the larger-sized residences. The unsold quarter are four-roomed houses.

In addition to the success on Pine Lawn Commissioner Cunliffe reports that citizens have purchased ten homes built by the commission on Garfield avenue, and that seven remain to be sold, making a total of eleven houses out of 43 left on the commission's hands.

BLAMES UTILITIES FOR BAD LIGHTING

Ald. Cunningham Defends Council Against Statement by E. V. Eucharan.

Taking exception to the statement of E. V. Eucharan, general manager of the public utilities commission, that London's street lighting is controlled by the city council, which body is responsible for its "awful" condition, Ald. O. I. Cunningham declares that the onus is on the public utilities commission.

"Some years ago, when the city obtained light from the London Electric Company, hydro came along, and we were promised a better and cheaper lighting system," declared Ald. Cunningham. "We took their word for it, and gave them their chance. The lighting has been poor ever since."

"The London Electric Company cleaned their lamps every second day, and now the globes are covered with dust and dirt, and are not giving efficiency."

"Is that because the public utilities commission manager was in Scotland?" asked Ald. H. J. Childs, who was present.

"No, it's because he is Scotch," said Mayor Wilson, with a smile.

"It used to be that when a light was out for a night, the London Electric Company was docked, and the city obtained a rebate," concluded Ald. Cunningham. "Now the lights may be out several nights, but the city pays just the same."

DISMISSES CHARGE OF ABUSIVE TALK

Magistrate Advises Plaintiff and Defendant to Have Accounts Audited.

"You had better get an auditor to audit your accounts," Magistrate Graydon told John Bowker, colored, and James Sinclair in police court Thursday morning.

Bowker appeared charged with threatening and abusive language towards Sinclair. The latter alleged that on a certain recent date he had gone to Bowker's place on an errand and Bowker had seized his horse and buggy and told him after he had driven into Bowker's grounds "to get out and stay out."

Bowker's evidence, however, was to the effect that Sinclair owed him \$15.00 and that he had asked for it when Sinclair drove up. Upon Sinclair's responding that he didn't know when he could pay it, Bowker said to him that he "had a notion to keep the horse." Sinclair at this left his horse and buggy with Bowker. Such was Bowker's deposition.

The money matters involved Sinclair's alleged debt of \$15.00 from Bowker, while Bowker was drunk and also the paying of \$15.00 by Bowker for a debt of Sinclair's.

The magistrate said he could find no basis for the charge and dismissed it.

PREDICTS BREAKING UP OF REPARATIONS COMMISSION

Dispatch States Sir John Bradbury To Resign Post in November.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Possible disintegration of the reparations commission is foreshadowed in a Paris dispatch to the Times, which alludes to rumors that the British member of the commission, Sir John Bradbury, is about to resign.

It is common property, says the dispatch, that Sir John will cease his connection with the commission in November, and he may not easily be persuaded to remain. In such case, it is added, there probably will be other resignations, and it will be impossible to keep the commission in existence very long.

Difference in Census Causes Worry

Over Loss of 3,000 School Kiddies

Because Assessment Commissioner made. Stephen Grant reports that there are 5,551 children in London attending public school, while the board of education declares that there are approximately 8,000, future citizens here, city officials are working out a puzzle at the city hall in an effort to find the odd 3,000 lost kiddies.

Mr. Grant will be instructed to compare his figures with those of the board of education and find just where the mistake, if any, has been made.

SMITH ADDRESSES T. AND L. COUNCIL

Chairman of Education Board Says Adolescent Act Hits Poor Man.

Edwin Smith, chairman of the board of education, made clear his stand in opposition to the Ontario adolescent school act to the Trades and Labor Council on Thursday night. Smith had been invited to the council to discuss the matter after he had placed himself on record as being opposed to certain phases of the act.

In speaking to the labor men, he said he spoke not from the viewpoint of his official position, but from the attitude of a private individual. He, as chairman of the board, would be the last man to ignore the adolescent act, because as chairman of the board it was incumbent upon him to see that it was enforced.

He was not opposed to the adolescent act in its present operation. What he opposed was the compulsory attendance of children from 16 to 18 years, effective in towns of 5,000 or over, the part which requires children from 16 to 18 to give over 320 hours a year to education and receive it in an efficient school.

In reference to the exemption from attendance of children who had received their junior matriculation from attending, whether they were between the ages of 16 and 18 or not, Smith declared: "If a child has not received his junior matriculation at 16 or 17, then he will never get it."

It was the workingman who had the children—the wealthy didn't have them—who would be hit, stated Mr. Smith, and "What is he going to do?"

In his opinion he couldn't clothe his children with the present cost of living and send them to school until they reached the age of 18.

"Most of our critics who want to send the children to school till 18 are people without children," said Mr. Smith.

After these remarks a general discussion followed among the members, at the conclusion of which Delegate William Tite spoke at some length.

The reason he spoke at the provincial legislature of Ontario had passed the adolescent act.

Town Topics.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Ask and it shall be given you; seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you.—Matthew vii:7.

OURSELVES are easily provided for; it is nothing but the circumstantialities of life that cost so much.—Alexander Pope.

SPARKS FROM THE CHIMNEY

caused a minor roof fire at the residence of Mrs. Able, 326 Hill street between ten and eleven o'clock Thursday morning. A call was sent in to the Central Fire Station and the fire put out without serious difficulty. Damage is estimated at \$5.

REV. J. FLOYD MAINE, former

Londoner, educated at Western University, will address the Kiwanis noon luncheon meeting in the Tecumseh House on Friday, on "The Education of the Boy," dealing with the subject from a scientific point of view. W. A. Gough of the People's Loan and Savings Company will be the booster.

URGE PRAIRIE FARMERS TO PLANT RUSSIAN POPLARS

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Evidence that the farmers of the Prairie Provinces have a means of guarding to some extent against fuel shortages by growing fuel on their own farms, is supplied in a report received here from the Dominion Forest Nursery at Indian Head, Sask. On a patch of soil measuring a little more than one acre, 18 cords of fair firewood have been grown in eight years from Russian poplar cuttings. The plantation averaged a little over two cords per acre per annum, which, valued at \$8 per cord, would give a revenue of \$16 per acre for every year the trees were left growing.

Setting forth these facts, the Canadian Forestry Association remarks that much western wheat land is not producing \$16 per acre annually, and that by liberal tree planting prairie farmers can both transform their home conditions and increase farm profits.

Canadians Bar Association Make Recommendation at Convention.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 17.—By the Canadian Press.—An interesting discussion on legal ethics and a recommendation that every prospective law student in Canada be required to pass an examination equivalent to that of a student in the second year of law at an arts degree in any standard university, featured yesterday's session of the seventh annual convention of the Canadian Bar Association here.

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Assistant Jail Matron Makes Prisoner of Self

20 YEARS IN BUILDING.

It is not within the memory of anyone at the Middlesex County court and jail building, when Assistant Jail Matron Miss Boyle either left the jail building or the court house grounds, for any reason whatsoever. For over forty years, Miss Boyle had been assistant matron of the county jail, and during the last twenty years of her four-decade service she has never left the jail building for vacation.

She has lived practically the life of a prisoner, for while she has not actually been in a cell or anything of that order, yet she has never left the grounds, and as most of the small-term prisoners have the privilege of working around the grounds, so that her life there has been little better than that of a prisoner.

She has seen all classes of prisoners come and go from the jail while she has remained on the longest term that was ever served in the county jail, and one that has been served with an entirely free will.

GLADIOLI FEATURE M'CLARY SHOW

Employees Welfare Association Stages Successful Exhibition of Flowers.

A very successful flower show was held in the York street dining-room of the McClary Manufacturing Company on Tuesday evening, August 15. The exhibits were all the products of the employees' home gardens.

The variety and profusion of bloom was a revelation to the large crowd that attended. Interest centered mainly in the gladioli section, for there competition was keenest. Sweet peas and asters also had a section of their own. In spite of being a little late for the former and early for the latter, there were a large number of entries. In the seasonal bloom class, the variety was great and the colors beautiful.

The next show is to be a combined flower and vegetable exhibition during Fair Week, to which the public is to be invited, and it is expected that this will surpass any previous show held by the Employees' Welfare Association.

The following are names of prize winners:

Section 1—Display of seasonal Blooms—1, S. J. Kenny; 2, W. Calver; 3, C. Mawson.

Section 2—Display of gladioli (not to exceed twelve spikes, four vases, any variety)—1, A. Suter; 2, F. J. Delaney; 3, S. L. Gunn.

Section 3—Best display of gladioli (twelve spikes, four varieties, three of each)—1, S. J. Kenny; 2, A. Suter; 3, F. H. Westbury.

Section 4—Display of sweet peas (five varieties, twelve of each)—1, J. Wakereil.

Section 6—Display of asters (four varieties, three of each)—1, C. Mawson.

Section 7—Best display of asters—1, S. L. Gunn; 2, A. E. Dunn; 3, C. Mawson.

C. Mawson was the winner of the sweepstakes for points, the prize being a Boston fern.

Other exhibitors were W. B. Pope, E. Brand, Charles Phillips, George Moll, Mrs. M. Bowyer, and Mrs. R. McDonald.

WOULD ASK BANKS TO HELP FARMERS

Premier Dunning Wants Means to Enable Growers to Hold Grain.

Regina, Sask., Aug. 17.—The federal government might assist farmers by calling a conference of bankers to devise ways and means to enable farmers to hold their grain long enough to prevent the usual fall glut of the market, with its consequent flattening of prices. This effect is the suggestion yielded yesterday by Premier Dunning to Premier King in reply to the latter's telegram offering the co-operation of the federal government in the provision of measures as a substitute for the wheat board.

At the same time, Mr. Dunning announced that he would call another conference this fall of creditor classes other than bankers, with a view to securing their co-operation by extending leniency to farmer debtors. Mr. Dunning pointed out, however, that the banks come within federal jurisdiction, and to come to any agreement with the bankers would entail mediation by Dominion authorities.

ADVISE TWO YEARS IN ARTS FOR LAW

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RUSH TROOPS TO NOVA SCOTIA PITS

Largest Coal Shaft in World in Danger of Destruction.

Quebec, Aug. 17.—Two hundred and fifty soldiers left this morning for Sydney. There were 125 officers and men from Quebec, and a similar quota from Montreal.

IN DANGER OF DESTRUCTION.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 17.—Ngon of the third day of the coal miners' strike in Cape Breton brought no grounds for hope that the dispute would be settled at an early date. Neither did it bring news of any violence of a serious nature, in spite of the presence of armed troops. In the meantime, however, water is steadily rising in pits numbers 2, 4, 10, 22 and 23. No. 2, the largest coal shaft in the world, is in danger of complete destruction.

Another cause for grave concern is the growing shortage of coal. Old-timers are predicting a long, drawn out fight, with consequent hardship to all concerned. Dan Livingstone, new United Mine Workers' president, was expected to have arrived in the strike area this morning, but had not reported at the United Mine Workers' headquarters at noon.

Coal is being held continuously to decide upon various lines of policy, but so far there has been no decision to allow the pumpmen and firemen to return to work, and unless the meeting, to be held on the arrival of President-Elect Livingstone, decides otherwise, the mines will be allowed to flood, so far as the strikers are concerned.

The pumps are now idle. Since the rough handling of the carload of relief workers sent down to No. 2 from Sydney last night, no further attempts to place relief operators at the pumps and fans have been made. The troops so far have not exercised their authority. Minor hostilities have occurred between strikers and would-be strike breakers.

COMPLY WITH LAW.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—"The troops which have gone to Cape Breton," said Hon. C. P. Graham, minister of militia, in compliance with the law, militia, this morning, "have been Under the militia act, the local authorities may request the assistance of the militia, and in that case the department is bound to send them. Their duty is to assist the local authorities in the protection of property."

AWAIT FIGURES IN LABELLE ELECTION

Both Parties in Quebec Attach Importance to Result.

Papineauville, Que., Aug. 17.—The provincial by-election in Labelle County, voting in which takes place today, has been featured by the vigorous attack by the Conservatives, led by Arthur Sauve, and by the not less vigorous counter-attack of the Liberals, who have thrown a whole battery of speakers, including Premier Taschereau and all his cabinet ministers, save two, into the constituency.

The importance of the election lies in the fact that the winning of the seat by the Conservatives or even the reduction of the previous Liberal majority of 803 votes, would be a considerable fillip to the Conservative morale, and would much strengthen their prospects in other by-elections slated to follow Labelle, such as Sherbrooke and St. Jean d'Ivelville. Further, the probability of general provincial elections is looming ever nearer, and a government defeat or near defeat in Labelle would likely result in the government going to the province before the Conservatives could make too much use of their victory.

Figures of the results will be awaited feverishly tonight by both sides, and even more by the heads of the two parties than perhaps by Lahe and J. Langlois, the respective Liberal and Conservative candidates.

The vacancy to be filled in the legislature was due to Mr. Achim accepting a government appointment.

RELIEVES MAGISTRATE OF FURTHER DUTIES

Toronto, Aug. 17.—Failure to reply to a request of Attorney-General Raney for an explanation of certain statements attributed to him in connection with the garden party of the Orange Order at Port Credit, Magistrate George W. Gordon has been removed from office. Notification to this effect was received by Mr. Gordon in a letter on Monday last, according to a statement made today by Mr. Raney.

BLAST DAMAGES STREET CAR BRIDGE AT NIAGARA

Police, Without Clue, Believe Dynamite Cause of Explosion.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The International Railway Company's bridge over Gilt Creek, in this city, was slightly damaged by an explosion early today. The west retaining wall was cracked, and the car tracks raised about two inches. It is believed that dynamite was used. The police have no clue.

The damage was not sufficient to interfere with the operation of cars over the Interurban line between Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

A heavy chain was stretched across the International tracks at Twenty-Second street, and had to be raised by the crew of the first car run over the line this morning.

Mercury Soars to Record Height for Month of August.

THREE degrees higher than the record temperature of 92 for August, 1921, the temperature of the city Wednesday reached 95 degrees and by 10 o'clock Thursday morning, registering 88 degrees, was well on the way to another scorching day.

The heat record has by no means been reached, but the weather is made more unbearably warm by the fact that there is entire absence of any breeze, making it particularly hot in the downtown districts. Storms are expected within 24 hours, which should do something toward relieving conditions.

ASK SUGGESTIONS ON EMPLOYMENT

Minister of Labor Will Lay Memorials Before Conference.

A request has been received by Mayor Cameron Wilson from James Murdock, minister of labor, for the city of London to forward any suggestions and memorials desirable for presentation to the Dominion conference on unemployment, which will be held at Ottawa, September 5.

While no representation has been requested from the city of London, in view of the fact that a delegate from every municipality in Canada would make the conference unwieldy, it is pointed out that the Forest City will have a voice in the proceedings through J. Franklin White, M.P.

All suggestions and memorials which may tend to a solution of a possible unemployment problem in the Dominion next winter must be in the hands of the minister of labor by August 26, and the city is urged to draft any proposals which may prove feasible for the conference.

Mayor Cameron Wilson informed The Advertiser Thursday that the letter will be dealt with by the city council and the requested suggestions, if tangible, will be sent on to Ottawa.

DENIES COURSE LIMITED TO 15

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would be bound to be favored in the select fifteen.

However, Dr. Neville has set all alarm at rest by correcting this erroneous statement, and all qualified to enter the study of medicine at Western may do so with the knowledge that they will have an opportunity to achieve their ambition, and that "any weeding out" later will depend on their devotion to study.

Local doctors resent the statement that physicians are becoming too numerous in Canada, and declare that there are myriads of communities where capable young medical men may serve upon graduation.

Of the fifty students to be accepted in medicine at Western this year five have enrolled.

BANK CLEARINGS for the past week amounted to \$2,265,047. For the same week in 1921 they were \$2,449,467.

Claims City Gas Company Not Hit by Strike.

ALTHOUGH other cities in the province are in danger of a gas famine, owing to the coal shortage produced by the miners' strike, Manager Colin Duffield of the City Gas Company, stated Thursday morning that the situation in London is normal, and that his company can supply all the gas the consumers require.

"We have all the coal that we need," said Manager Duffield, "and despite the fact that many of our customers are using much gas preserving fruit, and in summer cooking, we are prepared to maintain the supply just as when there was no strike. We have all the gas that the consumers require, and there will be no shortage."

Will Ask Street Railway to Carry Legless Veterans Free of Charge

Provided that the recommendation of No. 1 committee of the city council meets with the approval of the London Street Railway Company all returned soldiers who have lost limbs as a result of war service, will be carried free of charge in city street cars.

The Canadian Amputation Association, whose members consist of former soldiers who have lost limbs on war service, has written to No. 1 committee, urging that body to prevail upon the London Street Railway Company and obtain free rides for such veterans.

The communication received pointed out that there are about thirty amputation cases among returned

SHRINERS PLAN FOR BIG PICNIC

Mocha Temple Members to Entertain "Sunny Jim" McCandless.

"Come by train, come by auto, but come if you have to walk," is the urgent appeal that has been broadcasted to some 1,500 or 2,000 knights of the Mystic Shrine in every part of Western Ontario during the past week in an endeavor to make the welcome to James S. ("Sunny Jim") McCandless of Honolulu, imperial potentate, who will visit the city Thursday and Friday, one of the outstanding Shriner celebrations of recent years.

Will Stage Special Program Friday at Port Stanley.

Mocha Temple, A. A. O. Nobles of the Mystic Shrine will stage an elaborate entertainment on the occasion of the visit of Mr. and Mrs. McCandless in the city Thursday night and Friday morning, and at Port Stanley Friday afternoon and night.

"Sunny Jim," who earned his title through his remarkable personality and sunny disposition in both the northern and southern hemispheres, will be met as he steps from the Michigan Central train at St. Thomas by members of the nobility, the Arab Patrol and the Mocha Temple Band. He will be taken by motor to London, where an informal reception will be tendered him in the Masonic Temple.

Make Tour of City.

Friday morning the Imperial Potentate will be taken on an automobile tour through the city. The party will be shown the Shrine, the War Memorial, the Children's Hospital by Col. W. M. Gartshore, and a visit will also be made to the parks and Byron Sanatorium.

At a banquet in the Tecum

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Back To Work.

THE FACT that miners in bituminous pits are going back to work is so much to the good. The first thing in getting anything started is to make a start.

The idea of getting back to work spreads just the same as the idea of quitting work in the first place.

It is hard to see where much has been gained by either operators or men. The miners go back at the same wages they received when they went out. At that time they asked for a stiff increase, but this may have been in order to prevent a decrease.

The check-off system is still saddled on the companies, by which the company collects union dues from the men's wages and turns the amount over to the union. The companies do not do this because they want to, but because they have to.

The close of the miners' strike in the soft coal areas witnesses the conclusion of one of the greatest exhibitions of positive waste and determined interference with the business of the country that has been witnessed for years. With all the protesting that has been done into the coal business by United States commissions, and there have been many of them, it has never been shown that the coal barons were starving, and the suspicion has always remained that they made their big money out of an interlocking ownership of mines and railroads that routed coal at high freight rates over lines owned by the same interests.

Raising Real Sheep.

JUST NOW Western Ontario is demonstrating its premier position in a striking way. Here we have J. H. PATRICK & SON of Ilderton making selections and forwarding shipments of sheep to the order of the Japanese government. These sheep are being bought in order that good breeds may be introduced into Japan.

It remained for the PATRICK farm to bring this trade to Canada. For years the United States has been getting the cream of it, and it is nice business to handle, too. The PATRICK farm sent exhibits to the largest of the American shows; they went up against the best there and won. In this way they were brought to the attention of the Japanese officials, and a trade connection was soon established, which has promise of developing into a worth-while proposition.

There is nothing mysterious about the plans followed by PATRICK & SON. Other breeders who have succeeded have achieved success. They know the type of animal that is true to requirement, and they aim to produce it. "The best" might be tacked up as the motto of the stock farms that are succeeding. These places are not losing markets in the way the Canadian bacon trade is losing the British market. Instead, they are going out and finding new and better places in which to dispose of their stock, knowing that when they ship they will not have to attach any apologies to the bill of lading.

The fact that Ontario has sheep farms that are supplying the best and most particular trade in the world is something that is well worth mentioning once in a while.

London's School Outlook.

NOW that the customary mid-summer lull has been noted in the fighting between the members of the board of education and the city council, it should be quite in order to grasp the opportunity afforded by this breathing spell to check up roughly and determine, if at all possible, just what's what and why.

In short, let us regard for a moment what is generally accepted as the leading issue of the day—more classroom accommodation for Southeast London—and estimate, if we can, just what has been accomplished since Jan. 1 last that had not already been achieved by the school trustees in the dying hours of the 1921 administration.

Briefly, here was the situation just prior to the last municipal election. The trustees owned a tract of land in the district named, subsequently known to every taxpayer as the far-famed "Dakin street site," while plans for the construction of a school thereon were actually prepared and considered last November.

What is the situation today? The school board still owns this property, but is moving to secure another site, suggested as more suitable by Mayor CAMERON WILSON and his associates in the city council. Incidentally, the school architect has undertaken to prepare once again another set of plans for the contemplated structure.

While ratepayers and school trustees as early as the spring of 1921 entertained fond hopes that a building to relieve the congested classes at the Ealing and Chesley avenue public schools would be ready for occupation January, 1922, the same trustees now extend the assurance that Easter, 1923, will more than likely witness the completion of the proposed edifice. That is, they hasten to add, with the assumption that all goes smoothly from now on, and the mayor and his aldermen do

not further "hamper their movements."

Who is accountable for the obvious hitch in the proceedings these many months? The trustees thrust the burden of responsibility squarely upon the shoulders of the city councillors. The aldermen in civic political parlance "pass the buck" back to the trustees, retorting that the latter are so divided and changeable in their views that a majority of them cannot herd themselves together on one fixed idea over night.

In the meanwhile, the provincial department of education at regular intervals emits a roar of disapproval, and the trustees, faced with the inevitable prospect of the grand reopening of the schools less than three weeks hence, are still engaged in a frantic and seemingly hopeless search for adequate temporary accommodation.

While all this is in progress, Mr. Average Ratepayer, bored and disgusted, grits his teeth and awaits with growing impatience the next civic polling day, when no doubt school trustees and aldermen alike, in long-winded and stirring harangues, will announce to the expectant electorate just why they did or did not oppose the Dakin street site.

Take Your Choice.

A NEW YORK policeman, just retired, during his long term of service acquired a knowledge of twelve different languages, was able to do almost anything around the police department, and had a most unusual experience in many ways.

The paragraphs have had their little fling at this chap, and they have stated that even with his fine accomplishment as a linguist he couldn't talk to a third of the people in New York.

Yet the fact remains that here was a police officer who saw in the first place that he could increase his usefulness a great deal by becoming acquainted with the language of the people who came to police court, and, seeing the need and the opportunity, he did not hesitate to apply himself to the job in hand.

In so doing he was strengthening his own position, and making it more necessary that his services should be at the disposal of the police department.

The young man starts in a business establishment. He sees that a knowledge of shorthand, a knowledge of French, or a training in business law is going to put him in a more favorable position.

Or he learns his trade as a mechanic, and finds that he needs more arithmetic, more drafting or more something else that he does not possess.

Now any of these people can do one of two things: (1) go ahead and get the further training, or (2) let it slide and go along as well as can be done under the handicap.

And it is right at these turning points that successes or failures are made.

Foreigners in Jail.

LOOKING OVER the record of crime for the Dominion, BAC. GEN. W. S. HUGHES estimates that 80 per cent of the inmates of Canadian penitentiaries are of foreign origin.

That may mean several things: (1) that we have had the gates at our frontiers too wide open at some past date, or (2) as Canadians we are doing little or nothing toward making Canadian citizens out of the foreigners we have taken into this country.

We cannot get away from the fact that there was a time when we went to Europe and asked these people to come, and encouraged them to come.

What have we done for them since they came here? It's a very easy matter to ask such a question, and it's the easiest thing in the world for every man of us to wash his hands of any responsibility in the matter.

Against that there is the bare fact that these people since coming to Canada have formed the major part of our penitentiary population.

It is likewise a fact hard to dispute that we have done very little for these people except to lock them up when they went wrong.

No Politics Here.

THE INTIMATION of the premier that it might be necessary to go outside of Canada to get the right man to manage the National Railway calls forth the following comment from the *Toronto Mail and Empire*:

"PREMIER KING seems to think he can make a political hit by bringing in a non-Canadian as head of our National Railway system. Canada has as big and efficient railway systems as any in the world, and has plenty of railway men entirely capable of handling the big job. They also have first-class local knowledge of every section of the country. The head of the National system should be a Canadian."

rest in the hands of a man who knows railroading from the ground up, and who is a genius on organization. If Canada has that man within its boundaries the KING government will get him; if it is necessary to look in other fields, then the other fields will be invaded.

The Value of Milk.

MILK is the most valuable single article of diet to mankind. All medical authorities are agreed on this point. It is the most perfectly balanced diet that we have, constituting a perfect food in itself for the infant, and for the developing boy or girl.

One reason for the fact that milk is so valuable as a food is the presence in it of vitamins, those mysterious essentials to perfect health which are naturally bound up in several of our foods. In addition to reinforcing the vitamins, in other foods, milk drinking is the most economical way by which man can obtain the supply of lime salts necessary to his well-being.

These lime salts are most essential in the developing child, being utilized in the formation of new bone, and more particularly in the growth of teeth. The vitamins are exceptionally valuable in the prevention of scurvy, which is disease of malnutrition.

Despite all these health-producing advantages of milk, statistics for London show a lamentably low consumption in city homes. This is not because of a shortage of the product, nor is it due to ignorance of its value, as members of the medical profession of London have constantly co-operated with the board of health and similar organizations to impress upon their patients the advantages of a daily drink of milk.

The cost cannot be quoted as a sufficient drawback to milk consumption in London, and it cannot be said that the young people dislike it. Usually the boy or girl of the house must be warned several times each week to keep away from the milk jug, or told that there is water in the tap for them if thirsty.

But water, while of much value to the body, does not possess the health-giving qualities of milk.

The real reason that milk consumption is comparatively low in London is undoubtedly due to the carelessness of parents, who do not consider seriously the problem of providing the fundamentals upon which they themselves, and their children base their health.

LITTLE 'TISERS

Hailstones split watermelons open in North Carolina. Up here it takes the best part of a dollar to split one open.

Government geologists exist for the purpose of assuring Ontario that there's no chance of finding coal in this province.

LLOYD GEORGE, in writing his memoirs, is probably seized with the idea of saying it himself instead of letting historians guess at it.

They claim the ballot paper in Missouri primary election is about six feet long. Certainly it will be a case of stuffing the ballot box.

Scientists are off to some remote island to see an eclipse of the sun. We've got plenty of people who get up about 10 in the morning, thus witnessing a total eclipse for about five hours every day.

Some bright young man came out with a story that they were going to grow macaroni in Canada. Yes, walking on the stubble of macaroni after they'd taken a crop off would be hard on the bare feet.

One Portland doctor removed his own tonsils, while another is said to have operated on himself for appendicitis. Yes, and after that both probably had to call the wife to put in cuff links and see that the neck was clean at the back.

MATHILDE MCCORMICK, aged 16 or 17, is now issuing public statements as to when she will be married, and to the effect that she has gone away for a while to rest her nerves. A pot of money certainly plays the deuce with some people.

A barrel of whiskey containing 42 gallons has been found in the bull-rushes along the river at Wallaceburg. And since then there has been such a searching and digging in anything that looks like a bullrush patch that this form of vegetation has been smothered out of existence.

Says Bunko



IF the automobile industry keeps up at the rate it's going, pretty soon the game of horseshoes will be extinct.

Suppose that means usin' your nose-skids for quoits.

READ YOUR CHARACTER

By Digby Phillips.

NO. 298—THIRD ANALYSIS.
Here is another chance for you to see what you can do in the way of reading character from handwriting. Suppose you are examining a letter, and one of the first things that strikes you is the fact that the words are rather unevenly placed, as well as the lines, and that the cross-stroke of the letter "t" is a weak little scratch. Looking again, you make note of the fact that the letters "a," "o," "d" and "s" are well closed at the top. There is a peculiarity about the letter "o" which you also notice. The down stroke of this letter descends below the line.

Again you make a note that the writing is backhand, large and crowded, as well as uneven.

Now what kind of a character would you say that indicated?

It's the kind of character you probably have often met, especially among girls, young ones as a rule. They often get over it as they get older. It is the kind of disposition that is uncommunicative and reticent, vacillating, but willful in the whim of the moment, and running through it all a rather pronounced degree of selfishness.

Tomorrow—Fourth Analysis.
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Our Own Country

EXTRADITION TREATIES.
Q.—How many extradition treaties of Great Britain apply to Canada?

A.—Forty-two treaties of Great Britain dealing with extradition apply to Canada.

CANADIAN CENSUS OF 1921.
Q.—What staff was required to take the Canadian census of 1921?

A.—It took 13,000 enumerators to take the Dominion census of 1921, working under 247 commissioners and having 400 compiling clerks to arrange the returns.

CANADA'S TRADE.
Q.—What was Canada's trade during the calendar year of 1921?

A.—Canada's total trade during the calendar year 1921 was \$1,602,094,418, a considerable reduction over the fiscal year 1920, which was \$2,450,587,000.

TEST

WILLING.
A railroad detective making his early morning round in the yard came across three negroes near some partially loaded freight cars. Their presence was suspicious. The detective pulled out his gun and placing it against the ribs of the nearest negro, belted, "Say, where ya goin'?" "Boss," was the reply, "any place ya says—any place ya says."

THRIFT.
Little Jimmy (boastfully)—My pa got a new set of teeth yesterday.
Little Ethel—What's he going to do with the old ones?

Little Jimmy—Oh, I suppose ma is going to make them over for me like she does with his pants.

DIFFICULT FEAT.
Doctor—Deep breathing, you understand destroys microbes.

Patient—But, doctor, how can I force them to breathe deeply?

DESCRIPTIVE.
A small Glenwood avenue boy went with his mother to see the nature picture called "The Four Seasons."

In the "Spring" section was shown a handsome buck which had just lost one of its antlers.

"Oh, lookie, maw," the boy cried, "that deer has got only one hatrack."

REPRISALS.
Wife—Where might I ask have you been till this hour of the morning?

Husband—W—why, round at the c—club, of course, c—considering of a strike.

Wife—Well, you go back to your club and consider it a lockout.

Talking machine records of the voices of leading men are being made on copper discs, said to last 10,000 years, and stored in the Prussian state library.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

HERE WE HAVE ITEMS OF LOCAL AND DISTRICT INTEREST AS RECORDED IN THE ADVERTISER OF 1897.

AUGUST 17, 1897.
Two of the leading Windsor hotels are about to change hands, George Nicholson of the Grant-Lottridge-Brown Company, London, is in negotiation with D. Appleton for the purchase of the Manning House, and John Garvey, wholesale grocer and liquor dealer of Hamilton, is taking up the mortgages on the Detroit Exchange, kept by John Allison.

Mr. Edward Barnes of Elizabeth street, East London, will leave shortly for the Klondike settlement.

All the dining-halls on the fair grounds, with one exception, were sold yesterday by J. W. Jones, auctioneer. The dining-hall in the north end of the grandstand was sold to the Hamilton Road Methodist Church for \$150, the centre one to the Southern Congregational Church for \$175, and the south one to Colborne Street.

DR. BISHOP'S ADVICE

GERMS ON YOUR HANDS

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

VERY time I see someone moistening his fingers in his mouth when sorting papers or counting currency, I wonder how long it will be before he falls ill.

It is important to remember that at all times your fingers are literally plastered with germs, unless just washed. There may be no disease germs among them, but how are you to know?

Do you realize how many things you touch with your hands during the day? The dirty hand-rail or strap-hanger on the street car, door knobs, soiled paper money, library books, dogs or other pets that often

TERRIFIC STORM DESTROYS FRUIT

Hamilton's Power Supply Cut Off As Hurricane Sweeps Central Ontario.

Rain and Wind Beat Crops To Ground, Causing Severe Losses.

HAMILTON, Aug. 16.—Serious damage resulted tonight when a severe electrical windstorm swept the district east of Burlington. Hamilton's Cataract power supply was interfered with, and as a result the street car service was interrupted. Lights in Hamilton residences were also off for some time.

Officials of the Cataract reported that in addition to their lines being blown down by the wind, serious loss had been sustained by the Bell Telephone Company. Scores of its poles were strewn along the road, and a branch known as the Walker Line, was completely demolished. Rain fell in torrents and crops were beaten to the ground. Growers, while unable to estimate the extent of the loss, declare that the storm was one of the most disastrous for years. It occurred when the fruit was practically ready for marketing, and the fact that the crop was a bumper one made the loss particularly regrettable.

The first delay of the power service early tonight was due to line eight of the Hamilton-Burlington division being put out of commission. The trouble on the high tension wires caused a transformer at Decew Falls to ignite at 8:30 o'clock. No report of the loss at the Falls was obtainable at the local office, and could not say whether or not the trouble is of a serious nature.

LIGHTNING HITS CAR.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.—Toronto seemed to have been the hub of a rain and windstorm which swept over Central Ontario this afternoon and caused heavy damages to buildings and crops.

Lightning struck a car of the Metropolitan Radial Line on North Yonge street, Toronto, and caused a fire, but the passengers escaped with a bad scare.

Telephone and electrical power lines in the vicinity of Hamilton were badly damaged and communication between towns was entirely cut off. Users of Cataract power in Hamilton were without a service for some time owing to a break in the trunk line.

Milton reports heavy destruction by the storm, especially to crops and buildings and service poles and trees blocked nearly every street in Belleville after the storm passed. The loss in the fruit belt around the west end of Lake Ontario, where the laden trees of apples, pears and peaches were stripped of branches, and in many cases blown down, is reported to be very heavy.

ONE CASE REPORTED.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 16.—Dr. W. L. Hutton, medical officer of health, stated today that one new case of infantile paralysis has been reported to the health department of the city. This is the only case in the city which is under quarantine, the other four cases having been released a few days ago.

HARVESTERS' EXCURSIONS VIA CANADIAN NATIONAL-GRAND TRUNK.

A flat rate of \$15 to Winnipeg and half a cent a mile beyond is fare of all harvesters' excursions to the west by Canadian-National-Grand Trunk trains run through to Winnipeg without change. New convertibles (berth) Colonist cars will add to the comfort of the journey, and restaurant cars will be attached to the trains, serving meals and lunches at reasonable prices. Special cars will be provided for women. Full information re fares, train service, etc., apply to nearest Canadian National-Grand Trunk agent. A.7.10.14.17

Methodist Church for \$150. The W. C. T. U. will, of course, have their own. Six other booths in the north end were sold at a somewhat better than \$20 each. Mr. James H. Brown will be on the grounds every day from 9 to 10 o'clock to locate the parties desiring booths.

Lieut. George Stacey has returned to St. Thomas, having taken a three weeks' course at the Wolseley Barracks. He will be promoted to the rank of captain.

The bicycle races which preceded the ball game yesterday afternoon at Tecumseh Park were well contested, and included four interesting events.

The first, one mile open, was won by James Crouch in 2:26 4-5, with Fred Dealey a close second, and A. McLean of Petrolia, third. William Verney and Frank Hobbs were also entered.

ROCHESTER HEARS HANOVER PASTOR

HANOVER, Aug. 16.—Rev. H. Twietmeyer of Hanover was the special speaker at Concordia Lutheran Church, Rochester, N.Y., on the occasion of the 40th anniversary of

Rev. C. N. Conrad's pastorate there. This was his first and only church, the congregation having been organized 45 years ago.

Concordia Church has 1,800 members, and has the largest membership of any church in Rochester.

During his pastorate there from July 1882, to July, 1922, Rev. Mr. Conrad performed 5,151 baptisms, 1,848 marriages, 3,456 confirmations, 2,780 burials, and 75,000 communions. Rev. W. Hoffman, a former Hanoverian, also spoke at the reception the following day.

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DRURY EXPECTS NO BREAK WITH J. J. MORRISON

Declares U. F. O. Was Not
Organized Merely For
Political Operations.

ISSUE DIVIDES FARMERS

STRATFORD, Aug. 16.—"I do not apprehend that the present situation will mean any break between myself personally and Mr. Morrison," declared Premier Drury today. "It should not. The United Farmers of Ontario was not constituted a political organization, was not built for a political organization, and the securing in a political way of the cooperation of our supporters in towns and cities does not mean the U. F. O. organization would be deluded or its work in any sense curtailed or nullified. In my opinion no one should object to allowing our urban supporters an opportunity to co-operate with the rural people politically."

Premier Drury referred at some length to the political situation and the broadening out idea at his meeting at Grand Bend in Huron county Wednesday afternoon.

BACKS MORRISON.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 16.—With Drury's "broadening out" program being discussed by practically every farmer organization throughout the province, the Brantford organization farmers are strongly against Drury's plan, according to Peter Porter, president of the Brant County U. F. O.

Although Mr. Porter has been known to be an exceptionally strong Drury supporter, he is not behind the Drury government, as

Lord Northcliffe To Rest in Church Cemetery At Finchley.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Viscount Northcliffe will be buried tomorrow in the cemetery of Old Marylebone Church in Finchley, a northwest suburb of London. The funeral procession will wind its way for five miles through London's streets to the little cemetery after funeral services at noon in Westminster Abbey.

Simple funeral rites have been arranged by the Rev. William Hartley Carnegie, chaplain of the House of Commons and rector of Westminster.

he claims that the maintenance of the former character of the party was the very life of the organization.

"Brantford organized farmers have put themselves strongly on record as being in favor of keeping the old party as a strictly farmer party, and I see no reason why they should change this attitude," he said. The Brant U. F. O. president stated that he was looking forward with great interest—although he made no comment on the matter—to Miss MacPhail's visit to the Brant U. F. O. picnic next week, when the consensus of the farmers of the district will likely be secured.

OXFORD DIVIDED.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 16.—The Drury-Morrison controversy regarding the letters sent out by the premier on the broadening-out policy is not creating much interest among the U. F. O. political parties in Oxford as yet. There has been a certain amount of discussion on the matter, and from all accounts there is a strong division of opinion amongst the farmers on the matter.

President Thompson of the North Oxford U. F. O. is of the opinion that the policy of either Drury or Morrison might be carried too far, and favors the calling of a "get together" convention.

Morrison's party is too narrow, thinks Mr. Thompson, while Drury is more broadening, the president favors Drury.

D. M. Ross, M. L. A. for Oxford, stands solidly behind Premier Drury. Many people in the city have been seeking the help of the Drury government, and the premier simply wants to give them a chance, said Mr. Ross today.

Morrison's idea may be right if he wishes to keep the U. F. O. as a purely farmers' organization, said Mr. Ross, whose brother, John Ross, was editor of the Farmers' Sun until recently, and whose separation from the U. F. O. organ has been placed at the door of J. J. Morrison.

Mrs. J. S. Amos, president of the U. F. W. O., in an interview, said: "Premier Drury wants to change the U. F. O. into Progressive party; a fight is coming sure, and then we will find out those who will stick to their principles."

A. T. Walker, M.L.A. for South Oxford, is of the opinion that the newspapers are making far too much of the controversy between Drury and Morrison. He refused to express any opinion on the subject until he had more information from the proper source.

ESSEX LAUDS DRURY.

WINDSOR, Aug. 16.—Varying opinions, but most of them in favor of some sort of "broadening out," were expressed today by U. F. O. leaders in Essex County in regard to Premier Drury's suggestion that the U. F. O. should drop some part of its former aspect and widen its scope considerably in accordance with Progressive ideals.

Naturally, there is considerable hesitancy to adopt any plan that might cause danger of the U. F. O. control passing out of the hands of the farmers, and some of the movement's heads seem to hold the opinion that this danger would exist, were precautions not taken to prevent any such state of affairs.

"The matter," said B. A. Smith of Kingsville, secretary of the Essex U. F. O., "has been spoken of unofficially in our organization for some time past. There seems to be a growing opinion that the scope of the movement should be broadened, and I may say that I am in favor of a broadening out."

Always Danger.

"However, there is always the danger that the old parties would seize such an opportunity to inject some of their men into a new organization such as is proposed, with the result that control of the U. F. O. might in time pass out of the hands of the farmers, whom it is intended to serve."

"There is no doubt that the farmers, widely scattered as they are, are hard to hold together, and it is here that the danger lies. The U. F. O. was formed primarily to promote good government, and there is no doubt that a broadening out might be beneficial, as it might probably bring in people who, though not bona fide farmers are just as interested in good government as we are."

WARSHIPS FIND WATERY GRAVE

Britain Using Men-o'-War As
Targets for Remaining
Ships of Fleet.

Admiralty Conducting Experiments to Prevent Flash Firing of Magazines.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Having found no buyers for the great group of battleships which the Washington conference decreed should be scrapped, Great Britain is using the monsters as targets for the gunners of the royal navy and the bombers of the royal air force. Like the United States and France, this country has a dozen or more specially fine cruisers and one-time dreadnoughts which must be relegated to the ignominious junk pile.

Thunderer, Monarch, Conqueror, Colossus, Lion, Ajax, Centurion, King George V., Princess Royal, Erin and Orion, monsters of 20,000 or more tons, once the pride of the seven seas, are all doomed. Costing more than \$15,000,000 originally, junk dealers have offered the government only \$20,000 apiece for them.

The navy is now engaged in a series of target tests on the famous battleships Agamemnon and Superb, which, like their sister ships, are to find their graves in the ocean at the hands of the gunners and jack tarts that once manned them. The admiralty is trying by these tests to determine how a direct hit can be prevented from passing from the turret down the ammunition tube.

In the battle of Jutland, Invincible, Indefatigable and Queen Mary blew up because of a flash passing from the ammunition tube to the magazines below. So Superb is now in the English Channel and is being shelled at punishing ranges to see whether or not the flash of explosion passes down to the powder and shell magazines under given conditions.

Agamemnon, too, may soon need a successor. She is a moving target, more difficult to hit than Superb, which is stationary. She is propelled by oil. The supply of oil is turned on, her engines are started, and the engineers flee from her before she gathers too much headway. Her speed as well as her steering apparatus are controlled by wireless in another ship.

The most exciting part of these tests is that played by the sloop Snadragon. She is responsible for taking accurate motion pictures of what happens to the target as the result of the shots. At times she runs the risk of being hit by the monster armor-piercing projectiles as well as being rammed by the 20,000-ton Agamemnon.

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FORMER MARKET CLERK PASSES AT WOODSTOCK

John S. Kenny, 60 Years Old, Prominent Mason, Dies After Long Illness.

Special to London Advertiser. WOODSTOCK, Aug. 16.—The death occurred last night of John S. Kenny,

aged 60 years, one of the city's best-known citizens. Death followed a long illness which resulted from a paralytic stroke 15 years ago. Mr. Kenny was born in Halton County, and came to Woodstock 35 years ago. For two years he was city market clerk, and was a past master of King Solomon's Lodge, A. F. and A. M. He is survived by his widow, one son and one daughter.

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While the maturing bonds will carry interest to 1st December, 1922, the new bonds will commence to earn interest from 1st November, 1922, GIVING A BONUS OF A FULL MONTH'S INTEREST TO THOSE AVAILING THEMSELVES OF THE CONVERSION PRIVILEGE.

This offer is made to holders of the maturing bonds and is not open to other investors. The bonds to be issued under this proposal will be substantially of the same character as those which are maturing, except that the exemption from taxation does not apply to the new issue.

Holders of the maturing bonds who wish to avail themselves of this conversion privilege should take their bonds AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 30th, to a Branch of any Chartered Bank in Canada and receive in exchange an official receipt for the bonds surrendered, containing an undertaking to deliver the corresponding bonds of the new issue.

Holders of maturing fully registered bonds, interest payable by cheque from Ottawa, will receive their December 1 interest cheque as usual. Holders of coupon bonds will detach and retain the last unmatured coupon before surrendering the bond itself for conversion purposes.

The surrendered bonds will be forwarded by banks to the Minister of Finance at Ottawa, where they will be exchanged for bonds of the new issue, in fully registered, or coupon registered or coupon bearer form carrying interest payable 1st May and 1st November of each year of the duration of the loan, the first interest payment accruing and payable 1st May, 1923. Bonds of the new issue will be sent to the banks for delivery immediately after the receipt of the surrendered bonds.

The bonds of the maturing issue which are not converted under this proposal will be paid off in cash on the 1st December, 1922.

W. S. FIELDING,
Minister of Finance.

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.

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at		at	
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BALBRIGGAN COMBINATIONS	95c and \$1.10
PENMAN'S BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS and DRAWERS	62½c
PENMAN'S BALBRIGGAN COMBINATIONS	\$1.40
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NECKWEAR.

\$1.00 Silk Ties	43c	\$1.50 Silk Ties	69c	\$2.00 Silk Ties	95c
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COLLARS.

Odd lines Soft Collars	2 for 25c	50c Soft Collars	25c
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WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

Hundred Attend Annual Picnic Held by St. Lawrence Mothers' Club

An event in which the whole school section participated Wednesday, was the picnic held by St. Lawrence Mothers' Club at the farm home of Mr. Thomas White, Adelaide street north. Shortly after two o'clock, more than a hundred people, including the members, their families and friends, had gathered on the beautiful lawn and received a most cordial welcome from the host and the president of the club, Mrs. Violet Box.

Keen interest was taken by the school trustees, Messrs. W. Liley, T. Patterson and Arthur Youton, who, with Miss Helen Woollett, teacher, acted as a sports committee.

The program of closely contested races and other events created much amusement, occupying the greater part of the afternoon. Tables, artistically decorated with summer flowers and laden with goodies were spread beneath the trees and tea served at six o'clock. Baseball matches for girls and boys teams followed, every one voting the first annual picnic a huge success. The following were the prize winners in the sports:

Race, girls and boys, 5 to 7—Prizes for every one.

Girls, 7 to 10—Lorene Patterson, Margaret Davidson, Eva Madge.

Boys, 7 to 10—Stanley Barker, George Brown, Robbie Grayson.

Girls, 10 to 12—Margaret Waide, Winifred Barker.

Boys, 10 to 12—Norman Box, Frank Madge.

Girls, 12 to 14—Hazel Liley, Isabel Brown.

Boys, 12 to 14—Ernest Granger, Norman Box.

Girls, 14 to 16—Alma Brown, Hazel Liley.

Boys, 14 to 16—Johnnie Johnston, Arthur Box.

Single ladies' race—Eloise Brown, Myrtle Liley.

Throwing the ball—Hazel Liley, Alma Brown.

Ballon race for little tots—Prizes for all.

Thread and needle race—Arthur Box and Alma Brown, Geraldine Pennington and Isabel Brown.

Soda biscuit race—Robert Youton, Eloise Brown.

Elophment race—Alma Brown and Johnnie Johnston, Wilbert Johnston and Margaret Euston.

Potato race—Norman Box, Frank Madge.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Rio Brown, Mrs. Harvey Hill.

Relay race—Alma Brown and Hazel Liley, Johnnie Johnston and Harold Simpson.

Trustees race—Liley, Youton, Patterson.

Consolation race—James May, Thomas White.

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Personals

Miss Shaw-Wood is visiting in Oakville.

Miss Gladys Noyes is visiting at Grand Bend, the guest of Mrs. C. W. Nicholls.

Mrs. J. Dundas has returned home after a delightful visit with friends in Stratford.

Mrs. Wm. Brent of Kerwood has returned home after visiting Mrs. J. Dundas, Maple street.

Miss Lenore Westman of Ottawa, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Violet Box, Adelaide street north.

Mrs. H. C. McBride is in Ottawa visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. S. Clarke and Miss Mutchmore.

Mrs. M. C. Adair of Detroit is visiting at the home of her brother, Neil McLachlan, Talbot street.

Mrs. A. Williams, 755 Adelaide street, has returned after spending an enjoyable time at Port Stanley.

Mrs. John Hodgson of Stratford spent a very pleasant day with her brother, Mr. A. B. Jury, Maple street.

Miss Annie Munson, Miss L. Lawson and the Misses Dunn have left for a two-weeks' vacation at Fox Point, Lake of Bays, Muskoka.

Mrs. J. S. Niven, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Beadmore of Toronto, is spending several weeks at Britannia, Lake of Bays.

A hostess of this week was Mrs. J. Dundas, Maple street, who entertained a few friends at a pleasantly informal little evening party.

Miss Mary Donohue, 178 Sydenham street, has returned home after spending two weeks at the home of Miss Loretta Wheeler, Lucan.

Miss Eva McLachlan, Talbot street and the Misses Thorne and Mitchell have gone on a boat trip down the St. Lawrence to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sauve, Miss McGuire and Mrs. La Tourette of Wallaceburg are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McGuire of Glebe street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Russell Elliott have returned to Lansing, Michigan, after a little visit in town with Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Elliott, Elmwood avenue.

Miss Doris Belton returned home Tuesday from Prescott and is going on to Forest Nook, Magnetawan River, where she will be the guest of Miss Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Currie and children of Ohio are visiting in the city, guests in the home of Mrs. Currie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rogers, Rectory street.

Misses Lillian and Jessie Summers, 45 Regina street, have returned home after a pleasant fortnight's visit in Hamilton with their sister, Mrs. Charles Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross, Lorne avenue, accompanied by their two sons, left on a motor trip to Hamilton, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Sangster of Windsor are holidaying in the city, guests at present in the home of Mr. Sangster's father, Mr. J. F. Sangster, Oxford street.

Mrs. White of Vancouver, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald, 293 King street, is receiving a very warm welcome from old friends in town.

Mrs. W. H. Stallard and daughter, Miss Mabel, 433 Ontario street, have returned home after a month's visit in Toronto, where they were guests in the homes of Mrs. Garnet Arthur and Mrs. Richard Wright.

Misses Margaret and Hallie Elliott of Lansing, Michigan, who have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Elliott, Elmwood avenue, are leaving for Toronto, where they will be guests of their cousin, Mrs. Clarence Kemp.

Cards received in the city by friends tell of a delightful trip which Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johnston, son, Dr. Johnston, and daughter, Miss Shirley, are enjoying in the British Isles. They have been staying recently at Oxford, following visits to Glasgow, Ayr, Edinburgh, Stratford-on-Avon (Shakespeare's birthplace) and Liverpool.

A happy event for members of the London Women's Labor Party, their husbands and families, was the informal picnic held Wednesday afternoon at Springbank Park. Notwithstanding the heat, a number assembled at the pump-house at 3 o'clock, according to schedule, and strolled along the shady walks to an ideal location for the picnic tea, chosen near the pavilion. Without a formal program, the affair was an enjoyable "go-as-you-please" event, with exceptionally good opportunities afforded those of similar interests for getting acquainted.

The London Hunt Ladies' Golf Club has received notification of the Canadian championship tournament to be held in Toronto in September, and it is probable half a dozen or more members of the club will go down for the event. For the first time in the seventeen years' history of the Canadian championship tournament, this year is to see a Canadian closed championship for women.

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WITH THE BRIDES

HEIT-CLUTHE.

Nuptials of wide interest were solemnized in St. Mary's Church, Kitchener, Tuesday, Aug. 15, when Miss Anne Cluthe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cluthe, became the bride of Mr. Leo Heit of Toronto.

Rev. S. Hinchberger performed the ceremony. The couple were attended by Miss Augusta Cluthe, sister of the bride, and Mr. Clayton Heit, brother of the groom. Following a honeymoon to Atlantic City Mr. and Mrs. Heit will reside in Toronto.

SCHERER-MARTIN.

Miss Mary Ann Martin, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Martin, was quietly married to Mr. Addison Scherer in St. Mary's Church, Kitchener, Tuesday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. L. Zinger, pastor of the church. The attending couple being Miss Clara Martin, sister of the bride, and Mr. Alex. Schmidt of Midway. After a wedding trip the couple will reside in Kitchener.

GRAY-JACKSON.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the King Street Presbyterian manse, when Edna Mae Jackson, niece of Mr. H. English, Dundas street, was married to William A. Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gray, Colborne street, Rev. W. R. McIntosh officiating. The bride wore a becoming gown of light brown tulle, with a velvet hat to match, and her corsage was of sunset roses. The groom's gift to the bride was a string of pearls. Mr. and Mrs. Gray left on a honeymoon to Windsor and Detroit, and upon their return will live on Rattle street.

BULLIS-BROWN.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 9, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Thomas E. Brown, High street south, when her second daughter, Irah A., was united in marriage to Mr. Sydney E. Bullis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bullis of Weyburn, Sask.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Stuart E. Brown of Fergus, Ont., wore a beautiful gown of navy roshanara crepe, with a corsage of Ophelia roses. Miss Elsie Brown was her sister's bridesmaid, wearing a gown of navy satin, with a corsage of Killarney roses. Mr. Roy Purdy of St. Catharines, uncle of the bride, was best man.

Rev. G. T. Watts of the Wellington Street Methodist Church performed the ceremony. Miss Ruby Scott played the wedding march, and during the signing of the register Mrs. F. Anstett sang "The Crown."

After a dainty buffet luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Bullis left on a honeymoon to Toronto and Northern Ontario. Mr. and Mrs. Bullis will reside in London on their return.

ARNOLD-MASSEL.

A pretty house wedding took place Wednesday, when Eva Lorraine, daughter of Alderman and Mrs. C. Massel of Kitchener, became the bride of Henry W. Arnold of New Hamburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Arnold of Kitchener. Rev. Gibbard officiating. The rooms were prettily decorated with pink and yellow crepe streamers and gladioli. The bride wore a gown of white satin, and carried a shower bouquet of roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Esther Massel, who wore a dress of green organdy, and carried a bouquet of gladioli. Mr. Ernest Arnold, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Little Pearl Shoemaker, cousin of the bride, made a dainty flower girl in a frock of pale yellow organdy. Master Jack Massel, brother of the bride, was ring bearer.

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Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Dear Miss Grey,—May I come into your cosy corner for a little chat? This is my first appearance, although I am a constant reader, and enjoy reading the letters very much. I notice where Dad's Brown-Eyed Housekeeper, also Dictionary, Dile No

THE RED HOUSE MYSTERY

by A. MILNE

(Continued From Our Last Issue.)

And then Antony's sudden appearance. Here was a complication, and Antony suggesting that they should try the window! Why, the window was just what he wanted to avoid. No wonder he seemed dazed at first.

And here at last was the explanation why they had gone the longest way round—and yet run. It was Cayley's only chance of getting a start on Antony, of getting to the windows first, of working them open somehow before Antony caught him up. Even if he should get there first, he must get there first, just to make sure.

So he had run. But Antony had kept up with him. They had broken in the window together, and gone into the office. But Cayley was not done yet. There was the dressing room window! But quietly, quietly, Antony mustn't hear.

And Antony didn't hear. Indeed, he had played up to Cayley splendidly. Not only had he called attention to the open window, but he had carefully explained to Cayley why Mark had chosen this particular window. And Cayley had agreed that probably that was the reason. How he must have chuckled to himself!

They were outside on the lawn again now, Bill and Antony, and Bill was listening open-mouthed to his friend's theory of yesterday's happenings. It only gave them another mystery to solve.

"What's that?" said Antony.

"Mark. Where's Mark? If he never went into the office at all, then where is he now?"

"I don't say that he never went into the office. In fact, he must have gone. Else he heard him. He heard him—at least she says she did. But if he was there, he came out again by the door."

"Well, but where does that lead you?"

"Where it led Mark. The passage."

"Do you mean that he's been hiding there all the time?"

Antony was silent until Bill had repeated his question, and then with an effort he came out of his thoughts and answered him.

"We'd better make certain. Could you be a sleuth-hound, Bill—one of those that travel on their stomachs very noisily? I mean, could you get near enough to the pond to make sure that Cayley is still there, without letting him see you?"

"Rather!" he got up eagerly.

"You wait."

Antony's head shot up suddenly.

"Why, that was what Mark said," he cried.

"Mark?"

"Yes. What else heard him say?"

"Oh, that."

"Yes. I suppose she couldn't have made a mistake, Bill? She did hear him?"

"She couldn't have mistaken his voice, if that's what you mean."

"Oh?"

"Mark had an extraordinary characteristic voice."

"Oh?"

"Rather high-pitched, you know, and—well, one can't explain, but—"

"Yes?"

"Well, rather like this, you know, or even more so, if anything." He rattled these words off in Mark's rather monotonous, high-pitched voice, and then laughed, and added

in his natural voice. "I say, that was really rather good."

Antony nodded quickly. "That was like it?" he said.

"Exactly."

"Yes. He got up and squeezed Bill's arm. 'Well just go and see about Cayley, and then we'll get moving. I shall be in the library.'"

"Right."

Bill nodded and walked off in the direction of the pond. This was glorious fun; this was life. The immediate program could hardly be bettered.

To Antony, who was older and who realized into what deep waters they were getting, it did not seem fun. But it was amazingly interesting. It was like looking at an opal, and discovering with every movement of it some new color, some new gleam of light reflected, and yet never really seeing the opal as a whole. His brain could not get hold of it.

But there were moments when he almost had it. . . . and then turned away from it. He had seen more of life than Bill, but he had never seen murder before, and this which was in his mind now, and to which he was afraid to listen, was not just the hot-blooded killing which any man may come to if he lose control. It was something much more horrible.

"GOOD LORD!" SAID BILL, TURNING ROUND WITH A START. "CAYLEY!"

Bill had come back, and had reported, rather breathless, that Cayley was still at the pond.

They stood in front of the row of windows. Antony took down the Rev. Theodore Usher's famous volume, and felt for the spring. Bill pulled. The shelves swung open toward them.

"By Jove!" said Bill, "it is a narrow way."

There was an opening about a yard square in front of them, which had something the look of a brick fireplace, a fireplace raised about two feet from the ground. But, save for one row of bricks in front, the floor of it was empty. Antony took a torch from his pocket and flashed it down into the blackness.

"Look!" he whispered to the eager Bill. "The steps begin down there, five feet down."

He flashed his torch up again. There was a handhold of iron, a sort of large iron staple, in the bricks in front of them.

"You swing off from there," said Bill. "At least, I suppose you do. I wonder how Ruth Norris liked doing it."

"Cayley helped her. I should think."

"Shall I go first?" asked Bill, obviously looking to do so.

Antony shook his head with a smile.

"I think I will, if you don't mind very much, Bill."

"Right!" he said. "Go on."

"Well, we'll just make sure we can get back again, first. It really wouldn't be fair on the inspector if we got stuck down here for the rest of our lives. He's got enough to do trying to find Mark, but if he has to find you and me as well—"

Antony sat down on the ledge of the fireplace, and Bill followed him.

"What's the book?" said Cayley, coming up to him. Out of the corner of his eye he glanced at the shelf of books, and saw that Bill saw that glance and wondered. Was there anything there to give away the secret?

"I was just looking up a quotation," he drawled. "Tony and I had a bet about it. You know that thing about water—water everywhere, and—er—not a drop to drink." (But what on earth, he wondered to himself, were they betting about?)

"Nor any drop to drink" to be accurate."

Bill looked at him in surprise. Then a happy smile came on his face.

"Quite sure?" he said.

"Of course."

"Then you've saved me a lot of trouble. That's what the bet was about." He closed the book with a slam, put it back in its shelf, and began to feel for his pipe and tobacco.

"I was a fool to bet with Tony," he added. "He always knows that sort of thing."

So far, so good. But here was Cayley still in the library, and there was Antony, all unsuspecting, in the passage. When Antony came back he would not be surprised to find the door closed, because the whole object of his going had been to see if he could open it easily from the inside. At any moment, then, the bookshelf might swing back and show Antony's head in the gap. A nice surprise for Cayley!

(Continued in Our Next Issue.)

JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES



LITTLE JACK HAD OFTEN WONDERED WHY THE MYSTERIOUS OLD MAN WHO NEVER AFRAID TO STAY OUT IN THE OPEN COULD THERE MUST BE WILD ANIMALS HERE, THOUGH JACK, SO HE ASKED ABOUT IT.



MAIL-BOX RULES.

1. Write on one side of paper only.
2. Write name and address.
3. Inclose stamped envelope for recipes, patterns, etc.

RETURNS BABY CLOTHES.

Dear Miss Grey—Inclosed find self-addressed and stamped envelope for the address of Geranium as she said she would send some slips of Pertunias to any one sending postage. Please let me have her address as I am starting slips and would like to get some petunias, any kind. I have fifteen nice slips started and they are doing fine. Would also like Moss Rose's address as I have a few long clothes which I did not shorten for my wee girls. She can have them, and is welcome to them. There are two dresses, two petticoats, two baroquets and a couple of little sweaters, if they are any use to her, as they are only lying idle in the trunk. Also saw in yesterday's paper where she said she sent me a parcel. Well, I never got it, unless she uses two pen

bricks, swung his feet over, and sat there for a moment, his legs dangling. He flashed his torch into the darkness again, so as to make sure where the steps began, then returned it to his pocket, seized the staple in front of him and swung himself down. His feet touched the steps beneath him, and he let go.

"Is it all right?" said Bill anxiously.

"All right. I'll just go down to the bottom of the steps and back. Stay there."

The light shone down by his feet. His head began to disappear. For a little while Bill, craning down the opening, could still see faint splashes of light, and could hear low uncertain footsteps. For a little longer he could fancy that he saw and heard them; then he was alone. . . . Well, not quite alone. There was a sudden voice in the hall outside.

"Good Lord!" said Bill, turning round with a start. "Cayley!"

If he was not so quick in thought as Antony he was quick enough in action. To close the secret door safely but noiselessly, to make sure that the books were in the right places, to move away to another row of shelves—the difficulty was not to decide what to do, but to do it in five seconds' time. He did it.

"Ah, there you are," said Cayley from the doorway.

"Halloo!" said Bill, in surprise, looking up from the fourth volume of "The Life and Works of Samuel Taylor Coleridge." "Have they finished what?"

"The pond," said Bill, wondering why he was reading Coleridge on such a fine afternoon. Desperately he tried to think of a good reason for verifying a quotation—an argument with Antony—that would do. But what quotation?

"Oh, no. They're still at it. Where's Gillingham?"

"The Ancient Mariner"—water, water, everywhere—or was that something else? And where was Gillingham? Water, water everywhere—

"Tony? Oh, he's about somewhere. They aren't finding anything at the pond, are they?"

"No. But they like doing it. Something off their minds when they can say they've done it." Bill, deep in his book, looked up and said: "Yes," and went back to it again. He was just getting to the place.

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Bill looked at him in surprise. Then a happy smile came on his face.

"Quite sure?" he said.

"Of course."

"Then you've saved me a lot of trouble. That's what the bet was about." He closed the book with a slam, put it back in its shelf, and began to feel for his pipe and tobacco.

"I was a fool to bet with Tony," he added. "He always knows that sort of thing."

So far, so good. But here was Cayley still in the library, and there was Antony, all unsuspecting, in the passage. When Antony came back he would not be surprised to find the door closed, because the whole object of his going had been to see if he could open it easily from the inside. At any moment, then, the bookshelf might swing back and show Antony's head in the gap. A nice surprise for Cayley!

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AND SURE ENOUGH, SHORTLY AFTER THE OLD MAN SHOUTED A STEADY DEER APPEARED IN THE DISTANCE AND CAME RUNNING RAPIDLY TO WHERE THEY WERE STANDING. NOW WE'LL CALL A WOLF, SAID THE OLD FELLOW.

JACK WAS A BIT FRIGHTENED WHEN THE WOLF CAME, BUT THE ANIMAL ONLY LICKED HIS HANDS. TOMORROW THE OLD MAN'LL CALL AN ELEPHANT AND HE CAN TAKE YOU PART WAY ALONG ON YOUR TREASURE HUNT.

going to leave the cook book entirely in her hands, and if she is as good a manager as Tip I will not regret doing so. Why don't you and some of the Boxites from Old London start taking hikes? I think it would be most interesting. I read an article recently on the great walks there are in England, but that they had much better facilities for doing so there than we have in this country. Is this true? Am mailing you Geranium's address.

ENJOYS FAMILY LETTERS.

Dear Miss Grey and Boxites,—I am at home while school is closed and so get time to read the family letters. I see in today's paper where Geranium has different colored petunias. Now, as mother is busy, she asked me to write and ask for some slips of petunias (different color), also geraniums, or any slips she has to spare. Now for her recitations. I do a good deal of reciting and would like her recitations. Will copy and return to Mail-Box. Will inclose a self-addressed envelope for recitations, also for slips, which mother will be very thankful for. Sending also a mite for poor kiddies.

GRANDMOTHER'S GIRL.

I am sending you Geranium's address and you can write to her personally re the slips and recitations. Thank you for remembering our fund for the War Memorial Hospital. I am still living in hopes that we will raise \$11,000 for a cot. The Boxites are very generous, but we will have to make a strenuous effort to make up the balance. We have already turned in \$220 to the treasurer.

HER THIRD LETTER.

Dear Miss Grey,—This is my third letter to you by Mail-Box. Both of my other letters were answered, so I thought I would try again. I wrote the last time asking for a romper pattern, but you failed to find my address in letter, so I got one in the meantime from a friend of mine, so I didn't bother sending my address again. I saw in today's paper, where Geranium was offering double petunia slips to anyone sending postage, so please send my address to her, and in return I will send her a white premium slip, as I see where hers died. I would like a slip of the three kinds she is offering, as I do love petunias. Am inclosing a mite for hospital.

HOPEFUL NO. 2.

I have mailed your address to Geranium, and I hope in return you will receive some nice slips. She will be delighted to receive the white geranium slip, I know. Thank you, Hopeful, for remembering our hospital fund. This is hardly a letter which comes to the Mail-Box now that doesn't contain a mite, however tiny. They are all going towards our cot.

IS VERY GRATEFUL.

Dear Miss Grey,—I received the box from Sunflower No. 2, and everything was so nice, dainty and very useful. I am more than grateful to her, and I wish, with all my heart, I could do something for her. I do hope her little boy will get over his whooping cough soon, for it is very trying on children. I will inclose a stamped, addressed envelope if you will please let me have her address, and I will write to her. I will close wishing you and all the boxites the best of luck. Here is a remedy for Sunflower No. 2 for her children:

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To solve this Movie Puzzle, all you are required to do is to re-arrange the letters, so that they will spell the correct actor's or actress' name. No. 10 is Charlie Chaplin. If you can guess all twelve names, you will win the LAND Automobile or \$1,000.

WE GOT NO. 1 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 2 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 3 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 4 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 5 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 6 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 7 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 8 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 9 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 10 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 11 I KNOW HE'S GONE WE GOT NO. 12 I KNOW HE'S GONE

Can You Answer This Puzzle? 25 Prizes Given

Probably you know the names of most of the famous "stars," but just to refresh your memory, we mention below the names of a few of the most popular "movie" players.

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BASEBALL and LATE SPORTING NEWS

TECS LOSE LAST TO BRANTS 4--2

Same Listless and Full of Un-earned Runs.

The Tecumseh cohorts closed their long day at home yesterday by losing 4 to 2 to the Brants men in a game full of listlessness and unearned runs. Buzz played the most unattractive line-up he has yet presented to the fans. With Blake zone to Port Huron, Jack Schaefer moved into second base, and Gadsby of St. Thomas, a reminder of old Canadian League days and London's infamous 1919 team, filled in at short. Reis and Cogan were used in the outfield along with Stimpson.

The Brants hooked Carmen for nine hits, and they came in useful mainly to drive in runs, stationed on the bags through errors. There was no question about the last run the Brants collected in the 9th, as Heston had to turn a double to second while the Tecumseh right was well placed. This outburst came after Carmen had just wanted to go to the outfield and was left to go to the outfield.

The Londoners got all the tallies they were to get by third inning, though they missed several good opportunities afterwards. Butler's walk and Donnelly's error in the first two counts in the first frame, and in the third, after Stimpson had walked and scored on Gadsby's good single to left. Gadsby stretched his advance. Donnelly's error to third, by heady base-running, single to second while they were after Gadsby, he was pegged out.

Stimpson had dropped Edgren's fly to start the third, and the Brant pitcher advanced on Heston's hit and scored on Stimpson's sacrifice fly.

In the 5th they tied up the count in the sun and it bounced into the weeds and became lost long enough for the Brants to mount a comeback. Gadsby threw wild on Dawson's grounder to start the 6th, and Heston's error to first was a fortunate one to count it in as a run in the shape of Donnelly's double, his first real hit of the series.

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Giants Suspend "Shuffling Phil" Douglas For "Crooked" Letter.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 16.—"Shuffling Phil" Douglas, premier pitcher of the New York Giants, was placed on his permanent ineligible list in a statement issued by the club here today. Douglas is charged with writing a letter to a competing team offering to make it worth his while.

Douglas does not deny he wrote the letter. We went through with this at the solicitation of Mr. Heydler, president of the National League.

The New York club is to be heartily commended for its prompt action," said President Heydler, in commenting upon the incident which stirred the Giants and baseball community when it became known just before the game of the Pittsburgh team this afternoon.

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SAINTS TAKE TWO FROM WOLF PACK

Winters Allows But Four Hits—Glazier Only Four.

PORT HURON, Aug. 16.—Port Huron copped both the morning and afternoon games from the Bay City Wolves, 12 to 0 and 9 to 1. Winters, who was knocked out Tuesday, came back in the morning game and pitched a four-hitter. Winters' home being the only run made off him. In the afternoon game, Jack Glazier, former Tiger, pitched his second consecutive shut-out and allowed only four hits. One man reached third base. In his two last games Glazier has allowed only six hits.

Kaylor with five hits for seven bases, and Walsh with four for seven bases, were the hitting stars. In the two games the Saints hammered out 27 hits and 21 runs. The scores:

Bay City A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
Hegedorn, s.s. 3 0 0 1 3 0
Knoll, c.f. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Harris, i.f. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Whaley, i.f. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Simon, 2b. 3 0 0 0 6 1
Koeber, 2b. 3 0 0 0 6 1
Wire, 1b. 3 1 2 0 1 0
Guest, c. 3 0 1 0 1 0
Matuzak, p. 3 0 1 0 1 0

Totals 30 1 4 21 12 9
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Phillies Or Giants, Plays Just the Same



ARTHUR FLETCHER.

TO be picked right out of the brightest group in the National League firmament, the New York constellation, and transferred to the gloomy obscurity of the Phillies group, away down in the inconspicuous place on the horizon, is pretty severe on a baseball star.

But it happens to all of them. The star twinkles for just about so long, but once it begins to fade—

What You Are. Well, to drop metaphor, with McGraw and his Giants, it isn't what you are but what you are.

Thus it was that Arthur Fletcher took his departure, in due season from the Polo Grounds, just as many players had done before him.

Next we find him with the Philadelphia Phillies, just as many players had done before him.

Unlike many men of his profession, Fletcher neither sulked nor loafed on the

PESTS' 7TH FRAME COMEBACK WINS

Leafs Had Tied It Up in the Sixth.

JERSEY CITY, Aug. 16.—Jersey City defeated Toronto today by 7 to 3. Toronto tied the game in the sixth, but the Siskaters broke loose in the seventh with six hits for four runs, and an easy victory.

The score: R.H.E.
Toronto..... 000 012 000—3 9 0
Jersey City..... 012 000 400—7 13 0
Ensmann and Vincent, Hanson, Caruthers and Dean.

READING'S SECOND.
READING, Aug. 16.—Reading took two straight from Syracuse by defeating the Stars by 6 to 5 in a five-inning contest today. Bunching hits in the first and fourth innings was responsible for five of the tribes' runs.

The score: R.H.E.
Syracuse..... 000 011—5 2 2
Reading..... 000 011—6 5 3
Called on account of rain.
Dyer, Montgomery and Niebergall; Vick, Martin and Traggner.

BISONS AND BEARS SPLIT.
NEWARK, Aug. 16.—The Newark Bears broke even in a double-header here today with Buffalo, losing the first game by 5 to 2 and winning the second by 7 to 5.

The score: R.H.E.
First game: Newark..... 010 001 030—12 0 0
Buffalo..... 000 200 000—5 2 2
Fisher and Urban; Fleschetter and Devine.
Second game: R.H.E.
Buffalo..... 000 114 000—10 2 0
Newark..... 040 101 017—12 1 1
Llewellyn, Mohart, Werre and Hill; Urban, Wanner, Baynes and Devine.

BENTLEY AS IRON MAN.
BALTIMORE, Aug. 16.—Jack Bentley pulled the iron-man stunt today and twirled the Orioles to victory in a double-header over Rochester, 8 to 7 and 7 to 4. Baltimore came from behind to win in both games.

The score: R.H.E.
First game: Baltimore..... 000 003 030—11 0 2
Rochester..... 000 003 011—8 7 2
Wisner, Hughes and Lake; Ogden, Bentley and Styles, McAvoy.
Second game: R.H.E.
Rochester..... 050 000 1—6 7 5
Baltimore..... 040 101 017—12 1 1
Cox, Gordonier and Sanberg; Thomas, Bentley and McAvoy.

ROUND THE KITTY
Tommy Loveless and W. Resler with three wins and a plus of 25 won the Scotch doubles of the London Bowling Club yesterday afternoon. Sprout and partner of Seaford were second with a plus of 24, and W. Resler and partner were third with a plus of 23.

The weather was hot, but the shade, which is a feature of the grounds, greens, helped out in that respect. Twenty-eight pairs were entered.

The L. R. C. will hold another Scotch doubles in two weeks.

L. R. C. bowlers are busy planning their big Labor Day tourney, and arrangements will be published shortly.

Elmwood Doubles.
H. A. Kompass with R. Hackett as lead won the doubles at the Elmwood yesterday with four wins and a plus of 24. McCandless and Jack Buchanan of Thales were next with a plus of 23. Reid and Speiran, another home pair, were third with a plus of 6, and T. Ray, home and Dr. Jarvis fourth with three wins, plus 22. Some keen games were fought in the latter stages. Twenty-four pairs were entered.

SARATOGA RESULTS.
First race, 7 furlongs, 3 years and up: Routledge, 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, won; Well Finder, 2 to 1, even, 2nd; Muskajlonge, 4 to 5, 3rd; Time, 1:24 2-5.
Second race, 1 1/4 miles, 3 years and up: Elected II, and Mercury also ran. Racer, 3 to 2, 1 to 2, 1 to 5, won; Bitt of Black, 5 to 2, even, 2nd; Violent, even, 3rd. Time, 1:38 2-5.
Third race, 1 1/4 miles, 3 years and up: Brigadier, Yankee Star and Maryland Belle also ran.
Fourth race, 3 years, selling: Excelsior, 2 to 1, 1 to 5, won; Double Cross, 5 to 1, 2 to 1, 2nd; Overtake, even, 3rd. Time, 1:38 1-5.
Fifth race, 1 1/4 miles, 3 years and up: Rebel and Lehigh also ran, but were disqualified for foul. Rebuke won and Lehigh second.
Sixth race, 3 years and up: Grab Bag handicap, 2 years: Messenger, 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 2nd; won; Double Flower, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, 2nd; Domes, even, 3rd. Time, 1:11 3-5.
Seventh race, 1 mile, 3 years and up: McKee, Bright Tomorrow, Spot Cash, Prince Regent, Bunelis, Mark Twain, Metric and Doughoregan also ran.
Eighth race, 3 years and up: Surf Rider, 3 to 1, 1 to 2, won; Thimble, 4 to 5, out, 2nd; Smoke Screen, out, 3rd. Time, 1:38.
Ninth race, 3 years and up: Maiden allowance: Great Luck, 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even, won; Moonraker, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, 2nd; Boys Believe Me, 1 to 2, 3rd. Time, 1:06 1-5.
Tenth race, 3 years and up: Maiden allowance: The Clown, Aspiration, Felside, Droghda, Monardella, Majority, Lumist, Vanderburg also ran.
Eleventh race, 3 years and up: Maiden allowance: Cash 114, Pittston 114, Noel 114, Great Lady 111, Cheapo 111, Flagstaff 111, Pettifogger 114, Satellite 114, Better Times 114.
Twelfth race, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs, handicap: High Cloud 115, Toll 99, Routledge 109, Good Times 108, Exodas 124, Little Chief 112, Knobbie 127, Branded 117, Knor 108, Dimmesdale 120, Fourth, 3 years, maiden allowance: Widener 107, Duxce Cap 107, Mado 111, Xostigan 95, Nose Dive 101, Tangerine 101, Bill and Co 101.
Thirteenth race, 3 years and up, mile: Irish Braggier 110, Nancy Shanks 115, Scotland Yet 108, Gallant Man 120, John Paul Jones 113, Lucky Antoine 103, Sixth, 2-year-old maidens, 5 furlongs: Cape Cary 114, Saikhe 114, Stony Point 114, Lady Rose 111, Eldorado 111, Humboldt 114, Curie 114, Bow Wow 111, Prince Titi 114.
Weather clear; track fast.
X—Apprentice allowance claimed.

WINDSOR ENTRIES.
First race, 3 years, selling, 3 years and up, 1 mile: Sir Clarence 112, Yorkist 110, Keltie 109, Witherflower 109, Silvio 107, Rex Gaiety 104, Xdelham 104, Troubler 99, Affection 99.
Second race, 3 years and up, mile and an eighth: Inoc 109, Sister Pine 115, Katherine Rankin 108, June Fly 104, Honolulu Boy 111, Walk Up 108, Ferguson 102, Louise 115.
Third race, 3 years and up, 1 mile: 3-year-olds, 6 furlongs: Pevalance 115, Rocky Mountain 113, Xcitium 104, Pote 113, Colorado 107, Moss Fox 11, 109, Lunge 106, Brilliant Ray 106, Cuba Enz 104, Dore 111, Devonte 104.
Fourth, 3-year-olds, allowance, 3-

Spain's Net Team



MEMBERS of the Spanish tennis team which has just arrived in America to play for the Davis Cup.

Count de Gomar (top), Manuel Alonso (center) and Jose M. Alonso, captain.

KERWOOD. Aug. 16.—Miss Bella Coulter of Toronto is visiting friends in the vicinity.

Miss Erma Wright of Melbourne is spending her vacation with her parents here.

Billy Hicks is holidaying at his grandfather's home in Parkhill.

Miss Margaret Rogers of Detroit is spending a few days with her parents.

Dr. Weir, wife and family of Auburn visited friends in the village and vicinity.

Mrs. Miriam Kimball of Inwood has returned home after spending a few days with relatives here.

Alton Oliver left for Manitoba on the harvesters' excursion last Monday.

Mrs. Emily Brandreth spent a couple of weeks recently with her son, Dr. O. E. Brandreth, Strathroy.

Miss Pearl Shrier of Arkona is visiting her cousin, Miss Mattie Dowling.

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HAMILTON SHOT LEADS FIRST STAGE

Victoria Rifles and Queen's Own Rifles Second and Third.

OTTAWA, Aug. 16.—(Canadian Press.)—Staff-Sergeant E. Paddock of Royal Hamilton Rifles led the riflemen at the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association shoot in the first step of the Governor-General's match, 150 competitors in which shoot on Friday for the money prizes.

Sergeant Paddock made a score of 99, and by this win secured a score of 300, silver medal for the high score in the first stage. The jubilee cup for teams is also decided on the first stage of this match, the conditions of the cup having been changed. The cup is now given to the highest team of ten men from a province, five of whom must be tyros.

Lieut. J. Boia of the Victoria Rifles, Montreal, put on a fine 99 for second place, and Sergeant Lucas of the Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto, who had just put the MacDonald "Brier" to his credit, came along with a score of 97.

The scores, while not extraordinary, were generally considered to be very good considering a variable light wind that developed during the latest shooting of the afternoon.

The Whitney cadet aggregate, which was also posted, was a win for Ottawa. Cadet H. Davison leading with a score of 206, being three points over the best of the Hamilton boys and four ahead of the Toronto champion.

The possible score for the aggregate was 225, and the scores made show that the boys justified their admission in competition among the older shots, as they have shown prominently in all the competitions, several of them having gathered in over \$20 in the first two days' shooting.

The Hamilton boys, however, had revenge in the cadet team prize, they scored over the Ottawa team, with Nova Scotia in third position.

The MacDonald "Brier", shot during the day at 200 and 600 yards, showed some fine scoring, with Toronto, Hamilton, Ottawa and Montreal finishing for the first places in the order named.

BASEBALL RESULTS
MINT LEAGUE.
Wen. Lost. P.C.
Hamilton..... 20 14 588
London..... 17 17 550
Bay City..... 17 17 550
Saginaw..... 17 17 550
Port Huron..... 17 17 550
Kitchener..... 17 17 550

Results Yesterday.
Brantford 9, London 3, 2.
Kitchener 9, 2, Hamilton 3, 2.
Port Huron 5, 12, Bay City 1, 0.
Saginaw..... 11 24 314

Games Today.
London at Kitchener.
Hamilton at Brantford.
Detroit at Flint.
Saginaw at Port Huron.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Wen. Lost. P.C.
New York..... 65 45 595
Chicago..... 62 50 554
Cleveland..... 59 50 541
Pittsburgh..... 55 56 486
Philadelphia..... 38 66 365
Boston..... 72 327

Results Yesterday.
New York 7, Pittsburgh 6.
Brooklyn 3, Boston 4.
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1.
Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 1.

Games Today.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Wen. Lost. P.C.
St. Louis..... 67 46 593
New York..... 68 47 584
Chicago..... 65 49 580
Cleveland..... 57 54 513
Washington..... 45 63 405
Philadelphia..... 44 64 407
Boston..... 78 382

Results Yesterday.
St. Louis 7, New York 3.
Detroit 7, Chicago 3.
Philadelphia 9, Cleveland 5.
Chicago 3, Boston 4.
Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 1.

DRAW UP SCHEDULE

City Softballers Will Play Two Games Saturday.

Ten teams are included in the City Softball League's schedule announced last night. Two games open the circuit on Saturday, both at Bottrills' Park, London.

Section No. 1—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Bottrills' Park—Penmans vs. McCormicks; 4 p.m., W.O.R. vs. 12th Battery.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—Y.M.C.A. vs. W.O.R.; 4 p.m., 12th Battery vs. Penmans.

Section No. 2—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—Thames Park vs. West Stars; 4 p.m., Advertiser vs. St. Pauls.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Bottrills' Park—R.C.R. vs. Advertiser; 4 p.m., St. Pauls vs. Thames Park.

Section No. 3—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
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Section No. 4—First Series.
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Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 5—First Series.
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Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 6—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 7—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 8—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 9—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
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Section No. 10—First Series.
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Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 11—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 12—First Series.
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Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 13—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 14—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

Section No. 15—First Series.
Aug. 19, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.
Aug. 26, 2:45 p.m., Thames Park—West Stars vs. St. Pauls; 4 p.m., R.C.R. vs. West Stars.

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The presence of destructive pests in some parts of the county has had a serious effect on the average yield and it is hoped that next year the pests will be eliminated so that the former record of the county can be exceeded.

Sweet clover for pasturing purposes has been reported as being of a very excellent quality. The average of sweet clover is reported to have made a substantial increase over that of last year.

Unless a good rain gives it a much needed assistance, the sugar beet crop will be light this year. The roots so far are stated to have reached a stage of good development, but need more rain.

LAUNCH NEW HISTORICAL SOCIETY AT DURHAM
Residents of District Form Branch of Algonquin Federation of Local Clubs.

DURHAM, Aug. 16.—An enthusiastic meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church here Monday night, when those interested in local history considered the advisability of forming a historical association.

This branch, when organized with

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Palmerston Trims Sound
Second Round Game of N. W. B. A. Produces 14-2 Win.

PALMERSTON, Aug. 16.—The senior N.W.B.A. puller of Palmerston took the Owen Sound first nine into camp here today and thus kept up their record of no losses in the senior series.

It was also the first game of the second round of N.W.B.A. semi-finals. Whether Owen Sound will be off-day in the field or are a weak aggregation, the locals cannot figure out, but both the pitchers of the Northern City were hit hard and often.

Morris for Palmerston has been batting poorly for the day, while Manager Ewert pulled a very spectacular play when he handled a hot line drive which looked entirely impossible to those bases and pegged the runner leading off second base out easily and thus retired the side.

Many fans from the neighboring towns as well as from Warton, Southampton and Guelph attended the game, and the gate receipts were the heaviest received, this season, Owen Sound in an endeavor to break the heavy batting of the locals swung in a new batter in the fourth inning, replacing Ramsay with Lefty Manders, who was but slightly more effective.

Wesley on first for the visitors played good ball. Lawrence for Palmerston in the infield pitched heavily and got himself out of close spots several times. The umpire, Capt. Savage, behind the plate, and Cull Rocker, on bases, gave entire satisfaction. Palmerston's Owen Sound in the latter City on Wednesday next, and Manager Ewert will take his strongest line-up, as the locals feel Owen Sound can play a better class of ball than the exhibition given here today.

CHILD AWAKENS TO SAVE FAMILY AT KITCHENER

Occupants of Mill Street Home Discover Kitchen Enveloped in Flames.

Special to London Advertiser.
KITCHENER, Aug. 16.—Tragedy was narrowly averted at the home of Mrs. Segar, at 60 Mill street, at an early hour this morning, when one of her children awakened and smelling smoke aroused the other members of the family.

Rushing downstairs they found the kitchen enveloped in flames. A pedestrian passing the house at the time noticed the blaze and called the fire department.

The fire is believed to have started as a result of a lighted candle being left in the cellar by the mother, who states that she forgot to bring it out.

DEBT INCREASES.
BERLIN, Aug. 16.—From Aug. 1 to Aug. 10, the floating debt of Germany increased 4,500,000,000 marks, aggregating on the latter date 312,400,000,000 marks.

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INGERSOLL KIWANIS EQUIP BATHING PARK

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INGERSOLL, Aug. 15.—The swimming pools which have been provided in Memorial Park through the effort of the Kiwanis Club have brought delight to the juveniles of the town.

On Friday afternoon members of the Kiwanis Club will gather at the park for the purpose of removing debris from the bottom of the stream in which the children are bathing.

A sand bottom will be provided, the swimming pools, and sandpits will also be placed on the east side of the stream to further add to the enjoyment of the children who gather there.

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The presence of destructive pests in some parts of the county has had a serious effect on the average yield and it is hoped that next year the pests will be eliminated so that the former record of the county can be exceeded.

Sweet clover for pasturing purposes has been reported as being of a very excellent quality. The average of sweet clover is reported to have made a substantial increase over that of last year.

Unless a good rain gives it a much needed assistance, the sugar beet crop will be light this year. The roots so far are stated to have reached a stage of good development, but need more rain.

LAUNCH NEW HISTORICAL SOCIETY AT DURHAM
Residents of District Form Branch of Algonquin Federation of Local Clubs.

DURHAM, Aug. 16.—An enthusiastic meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church here Monday night, when those interested in local history considered the advisability of forming a historical association.

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SITUATION GROWS WORSE

SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 16.—With four collieries reported flooded and two of them reported already damaged, the general strike in Cape Breton tonight was worse than at any time since it started 24 hours ago. Pumping services, which, for 36 hours, were maintained by officials and other volunteers, are failing at some collieries through exhaustion of the men.

Col. Elkins, from Halifax, with 250 troops, has occupied No. 2 colliery, at New Aberdeen, after cars with a party of workers who had been sent from Sydney to man the pumps had been stoned and the workers sent back to Sydney. Military reinforcements are expected here from Quebec.

Reports from Pictou and Cumberland Counties' mainland indicate that all is peaceful there.

Today's record of incidents is as follows:

Stoning Col. Elkins' troop train as it entered New Aberdeen.

Stoning of cars with workers sent from Sydney to man the pumps at New Aberdeen. They were driven back to the city.

Clash between soldier and civilian at No. 2 mine, in which several shots were fired without casualties.

Glance Bay veterans wired federal and provincial authorities demanding withdrawal of troops and plan a demonstration for tomorrow.

New Aberdeen and New Waterford are regarded as the storm centers of the strikes.

EXPECTS SETTLEMENT.

WESTVILLE, N. S., Aug. 16.—Dan Livingstone, president-elect of district 26 of the United Mine Workers of America, stated tonight that he received a message from Secretary J. B. McLachlan, Glace Bay, saying that the retiring district executive wished to give over office immediately. Mr. Livingstone said the new executive was ready to assume office at once if the old officers did not wish to retain office for the ten days allowed by the constitution. Mr. Livingstone will leave for Glace Bay tomorrow.

The president-elect looked for an early settlement of the Nova Scotia mine strike on the basis of 1921 rates of pay, for which the miners have struck. He disapproved of the sending of troops to the strike areas, as he thought it tended toward provocation, but insisted there would be no trouble as far as the miners were concerned. He knew of no disturbances anywhere. It was reported that the New Glasgow-Stellarton-Westville and Trenton tram service might be discontinued tomorrow on account of lack of coal.

Asked if international headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America had taken cognizance of the Nova Scotia strike, the president-elect said the international body were on record as favoring 1921 rates of pay in district 26. A representative would probably be sent to Nova Scotia.

FINDS NO POISON IN CANADIAN CHEESE

Analyst States Product Con-
tained Nothing To Cause
Illness.

OTTAWA, Aug. 16.—(Canadian Press).—The analyst found nothing to indicate that the cheese was the cause of the illness, and the illness itself was not in any case serious.

This statement was made by J. A. Ruddick, dairy commissioner, who is just back from an official trip to Great Britain, in regard to the report that some Canadian cheese had caused the sickness of a number of residents of Dover, England.

Mr. Ruddick said that as soon as he learned of the report he had it thoroughly investigated. "The matter," he said, "apparently attracted more attention in Canada than in the old country. It has done no harm to the trade in Canadian cheese."

Mr. Ruddick has received a copy of the analysis of the sample of the cheese which was made for the British department of health by James Wood, a member of the Society of Public Analysts. The analyst stated

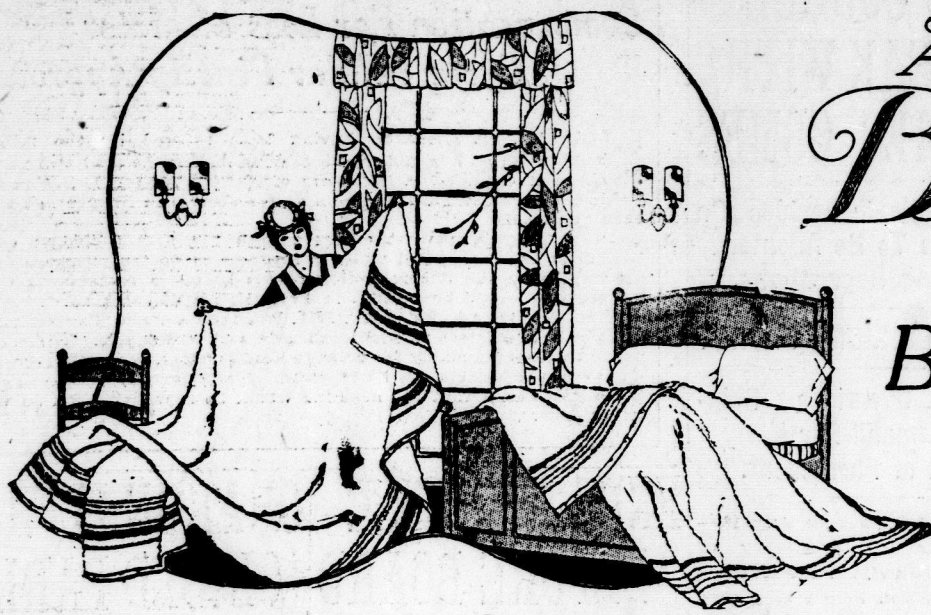
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Cotton Filled Comforters, Large Size. Sale Price \$3.18 Each.

36 only. Cotton-Filled Comforters, large size, 72x72 inches, covered in good-quality silkoline, and filled with pure white cotton, well quilted in attractive color combinations of pink, blue or yellow. August Sale Price \$3.18 each

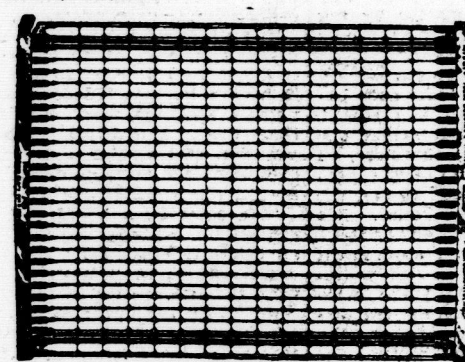
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—FOURTH FLOOR—

BEDROOM SPECIALS For AUGUST SALE

During the August Sale, we will feature Furniture for the bedroom at very attractive prices for the buyer. SIMMONS TWIN BEDS, made of square steel tubing, 1 only, finished in French gray enamel. Price \$17.50. Four only, two walnut and two mahogany finish. Price \$19.75 each. One only, finished old English Ivory, with blue line stripe. Price \$35.00. A full line of Simmons and Mersereau Steel and Brass Beds, in all standard sizes. Priced at \$9.00, \$10.00, \$13.00, \$15.00, and up to \$50.00.



No matter how good the bedstead, one requires a spring that is resilient and that will not sag nor break. It is made on a tubular steel frame. Price \$5.95

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Cozy Plaid Blankets. Sale Price \$4.68 Pair

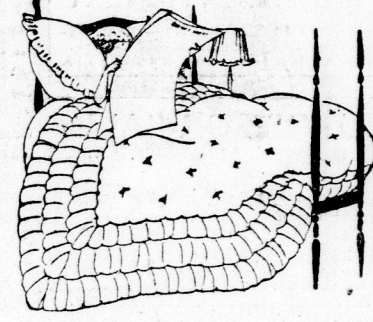
100 pairs Cozy, Plaid Blankets, good weight and size, in beautiful plaids of pink, blue, tan and gray; a very popular blanket, and easily laundered. August Sale Price \$4.68 pair

Pure All Wool Blankets. Sale Price \$8.95 Pair.

Beautiful, Large-Size, All-Wool Blankets, made of fine high-grade wool, lofty fleece, thoroughly scoured and bleached. A very soft blanket that assures you of warmth and service; buy these for the cold nights. August Sale Price \$8.95 pair

Down Filled Comforters. Sale Price \$10.85 Each

Down-Filled Comforters, double-bed size, 66x72 inches, well filled and quilted, coverings in both light and dark grounds, with plain sixteen borders to match color combinations, in rose, blue, green or black. This is a very low price for down-filled comforters. August Sale Price \$10.85 each



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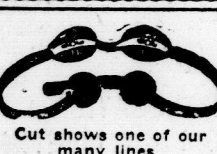
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TORONTO, Aug. 16.—C. R. McGrath and Mr. McCourt, members of the federal fuel advisory committee, will be at the fuel conference between J. A. Ellis and representatives of municipalities and provincial coal dealers at the parliament buildings tomorrow afternoon.

According to Mr. Ellis, "There is hope." He says he can see his way to effect some benefit in the situation if left free to carry out his plans as designed. Among these plans is a proposal that Mr. McCourt be induced to care for the trans-shipment of coal from Montreal to Ontario in case supplies are found to be available from eastern points.



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