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A FORMER LONDONER

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It also developed that Mr. and Mrs. Jones lived in this city six years ago. They took up their residence on William street south after coming here from Toledo, Ohio, he being then employed by the London Rolling Mills.

Mr. Jones was not aware of the rash act of his wife until he was met at the station and informed by Coroner Dr. MacLaren. He was visibly affected, but a little later proceeded to Ferguson's undertaking parlors and identified the remains officially.

The Husband's Story.

"My wife left home Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock on the Grand Trunk," he told The Advertiser as he left the train. "She had her ticket through to Detroit, and intended to purchase her fare on the interurban from that point to Toledo, where my son, David, keeps a hotel. Elizabeth had been in her usual good spirits, but was returning to Toledo to undergo an operation for the removal of a cataract from her eye. The same surgeon had treated her when we lived in Toledo."

He stated that she had never been morose or melancholy, and never intimated to him that she contemplated taking her life. Mr. Jones stated that he is in poor financial circumstances, and told the railway officials that he had to borrow the money to come to London in response to the telegram sent Tuesday evening.

The body will be taken on to Cleveland, where the family burial plot is located.

The Inquest.

The jury, which convened at Ferguson's at noon to view the body, adjourned to meet at the Carling street police station tomorrow evening. The jurors are Ed. Lowe (foreman), James Ryan, Charles Fish, John Barnd, William McKeough, Leonard Walker, Elmer Lortie, James S. Brown, and John Taylor.

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EYE WAS INJURED BY EXPLODING BULB

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There will be no overdraft in No. 3 committee. It is not likely that there will be much in the treasury to their credit at the end of the year, but there will be a little in any event.

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Richard Evans, of London Township, was Tuesday committed for trial by Squire Chittick, on a charge of theft. It is alleged by the plaintiff, William H. Gilmore, that Evans stole a road scraper and parts of a harness, together with other small articles, the property of the late Jas. H. Gilmore. The alleged theft, the plaintiff claims, was committed some time in October or November last.

Evans appeared before Judge Macbeth this morning and elected trial by jury. He was allowed bail on his own security for \$200 and two others, Richard G. Perkins and Josiah Rumball, for \$100 each. He will appear on the first Tuesday in June, 1912. Mr. F. H. Greenlee appeared this morning for the defendant.

BELLEVILLE MAN
IDENTIFIES BODY

Woman Who Cut Her Throat on Tuesday Died in Victoria Hospital.

A FORMER LONDONER

David G. Jones and Mrs. Jones at One Time Resided on William Street South, This City.

David G. Jones, of Belleville, a man well advanced in years, arrived in London from his home on No. 1 express on the Grand Trunk at noon today, and identified, before the coroner's jury, the body of the woman who on Tuesday slashed her throat at the Grand Trunk depot, as that of his wife, Elizabeth Jones.

It also developed that Mr. and Mrs. Jones lived in this city six years ago. They took up their residence on William street south after coming here from Toledo, Ohio, he being then employed by the London Rolling Mills.

Mr. Jones was not aware of the rash act of his wife until he was met at the station and informed by Coroner Dr. MacLaren. He was visibly affected, but a little later proceeded to Ferguson's undertaking parlors and identified the remains officially.

The Husband's Story.

"My wife left home Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock on the Grand Trunk," he told The Advertiser as he left the train. "She had her ticket through to Detroit, and intended to purchase her fare on the interurban from that point to Toledo, where my son, David, keeps a hotel. Elizabeth had been in her usual good spirits, but was returning to Toledo to undergo an operation for the removal of a cataract from her eye. The same surgeon had treated her when we lived in Toledo."

He stated that she had never been morose or melancholy, and never intimated to him that she contemplated taking her life. Mr. Jones stated that he is in poor financial circumstances, and told the railway officials that he had to borrow the money to come to London in response to the telegram sent Tuesday evening.

The body will be taken on to Cleveland, where the family burial plot is located.

The Inquest.

The jury, which convened at Ferguson's at noon to view the body, adjourned to meet at the Carling street police station tomorrow evening. The jurors are Ed. Lowe (foreman), James Ryan, Charles Fish, John Barnes, William McKee, Leonard Walker, Elmer Lortie, James S. Brown, and John Taylor.

Mrs. Jones' baggage, which was checked through to Detroit yesterday, was returned to London today, and searched for means of identification before the arrival of the husband in this city. It contained only a few articles of clothing and three pairs of spectacles, which Mrs. Jones had used under different conditions.

Died at Night.

The wounds inflicted by Mrs. Jones on herself left little doubt as to the cause of death. It was discovered at noon in the office of the stationmaster at the depot.

The knife had been jabbed into her throat in three places, and she was pulseless through loss of blood when the physician arrived. She was unable to communicate with any person at that time, but later at the hospital she rallied sufficiently to tell her name in almost inaudible tones.

BUILDING PERMITS
ARE IN DEMAND

Total for December Thus Far Is Over \$50,000—Prospects Bright.

Building is booming in London at the present time, the fine weather giving an impetus to construction work generally. As a result permits are moving rapidly, the total for the year so far exceeding \$50,000.

Among the permits already issued in December are those to T. E. Mara, for a store on Dundas street, to cost \$20,000; T. F. Kingmill, store on Dundas street, \$22,000; McGaw & Winnett, alterations to Tecumseh House, \$3,500; Lawson & Jones, sprinkling system, \$1,900; W. T. Brown, residence on Colborne, \$1,600; G. T. R. brick building, Eglar street, \$1,500; and W. J. Blakie, residence on Chesapeake, \$2,500. These total over \$50,000, and together with many permits issued for smaller amounts bring the amount to nearly \$60,000.

EYE WAS INJURED
BY EXPLODING BULB

L. Graeme Suffered a Painful Accident in a Local Printing Office This Morning.

L. Graeme, a compositor employed at A. Tulbot & Co.'s, had his right eye severely injured this morning, when an electric light bulb on the case before which he was working exploded. Eighteen minute pieces of glass entered the eye, and the ball was cut. He was taken to the office of a physician. He may lose the sight of his eye.

News from Western Ontario

FLAMES RAGED ALL NIGHT LONG

The Great Owen Sound Elevator Fire Was Most Spectacular Sight.

SHOWER OF LIVE COALS

Ships in Harbor and Nearby Dwellings Were in Constant Danger of Conflagration.

Owen Sound, Dec. 12.—The spectacular features of the burning of the Canadian Pacific Railway elevator did not end until noon today, when only a great mound of discolored grain, with charred portions of the top, remained of the two buildings. The elevator, in which there was only about 60,000 bushels of grain, little remains. The wharf for about two hundred feet is a total wreck, blackened timbers stretching across at intervals remain only of an assistant's construction as wood could make. Between Elevators A and B the new steel tower for the inner range lights for the harbor is a twisted and warped wreck, the house carrying the powerful lamp and being having been an easy prey to the flames. The lantern was a valuable piece of the most modern construction, and with the tower represents a total loss to the Government. It was erected only two winters ago. Over to the east is the mountain of oats, barley and wheat, which represents the contents of elevator B. At the foot of the mountain, the grain, which had a capacity of 80,000 bushels of wheat, were built of the best two-inch pine planks, laid flat upon each other, making a solid wall around each bin of eight inches. As one after another of these walls were burned through the grain poured out like an avalanche, smothering the flames, but leaving the tops of the bins to the flames, which found a new fuel, shot skyward, lighting the country for miles around.

Shower of Coals. The officers and crew of the steamships Keweenaw, Crowe and Matthews had a busy night, sweeping the decks of live coals, which dropped upon them from the second and third floors in constant danger, and two or three additional configurations were narrowly averted.

Today Superintendent Jas. Osborne, Divisional Superintendent W. K. Thompson, of Toronto, with Mr. Dunlop, general line manager of the company, came up.

Mr. Richardson, of Kingston, who had the larger portion of grain in the elevators, also arrived in Owen Sound. He began an investigation as to the cause, which so far is not known, though from the first location of the blaze is thought to have been the result of some careless smoker in throwing a lighted cigar stub between the planking of the wharf, the fire spreading to the wooden walls of elevator A alongside.

The Insurance. The losses of the various insurance companies involved in the Owen Sound fire were yesterday stated to be as follows: British-American, \$5,000; Employers' Liability, \$5,000; German-American, \$5,000; Hartford, \$5,000; London and Lancashire, \$5,000; National, \$5,000; New York Underwriters' Agency, \$10,000; Royal Exchange, \$5,000; Springfield, \$5,000; Western, \$5,000.

The loss of Parrish & Heimbecker is heavy. They lost 100,000 bushels of grain. Against this loss is the insurance, distributed as follows: Employers' Liability, \$5,000; Royal Exchange, \$5,000; Hartford, \$10,000; British-American, \$5,000; Springfield, \$5,000.

Joseph Richardson & Son are chiefly interested in the loss of grain through the fire. They had \$25,000 bushels destroyed, but the grain was covered by \$300,000 insurance.

James Carruthers & Co. lost a big supply of grain, but the loss is covered by insurance. It is estimated that the value of the grain in the elevator when burned was \$450,000.

Distress From Indigestion

TRIED IN VAIN TO GET A CURE—ALL MEDICINES FAILED.

OLD TROUBLE DISAPPEARED WHEN THE LIVER AND BOWELS WERE SET RIGHT BY

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

You cannot make a greater mistake than to think that indigestion is confined to the stomach. It is a disease of the liver and bowels, and it is only by getting these organs healthy and active that you can ever hope to cure chronic indigestion.

Here are two cases reported by Mr. Skinner which tell of continued failure to cure indigestion by dosing the stomach. Both were cured thoroughly by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Mr. A. C. Skinner, Atlantic street, Hardwoodville, Sydney, C. B., writes: "My wife was troubled with indigestion and tried all sorts of medicines in vain. Hearing about Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, I got her to try them, and to our great delight she was cured. We would not think of being without them in the house for when the liver and bowels become sluggish."

I told a friend about them and gave him a box. He had suffered from indigestion for years, and tried most everything he could get. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were also successful in his case, and he says they beat any medicine he ever came across."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, five a box, at all dealers. Dr. Edman, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

EVERY STORE CLOSED

Funeral of W. Little Lucknow Was Largely Attended.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Lucknow, Dec. 12.—The funeral of W. Little, held from the home of his son, W. J. Little, was very largely attended. Deceased was in his 81st year, and one of the oldest and best known residents of this town. Every place of business in town closed during the funeral, as a mark of respect.

Mr. Little settled in Lucknow in 1871, and prior to that time lived in Port Hope. Besides his wife he leaves four daughters and two sons.

HURT AT STRATFORD

Hugh McEwen Fell Against Saw and Was Badly Cut.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Dec. 12.—Hugh McEwen, a carpenter, was very painfully injured today, while shingling a verandah, he lost his balance and fell against a saw, a number of stitches were required to sew up a wound in his hand.

George Jackson, an employee at the Whyte-Paking Company's planing mill, blood-poisoning as a result of having his right arm caught in a meat-hook recently.

FATALLY SCALDED

Preston Workman Fell Into Big Vat of Boiling Water.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Preston, Dec. 12.—John Gitz, an employee at Clare Bros' foundry was probably fatally scalded today when as he was sitting on the edge of a vat of boiling water his foot suddenly slipped and he fell backwards into the vat. He was taken out in a few seconds but so badly scalded that little hope is held out for his recovery.

BODY ON BEACH

Remains of an Unknown Man Washed Up at Port Colborne.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Port Colborne, Dec. 12.—The body of an unknown man was found on the beach here today by Mr. Augustine. There was nothing by which the remains could be identified, and after they had been viewed by the coroner a funeral was held to Oakwood Cemetery.

Navigation through the Welland Canal is practically finished for the season. The two largest steamers on Canadian waters, the Midland Prince and the Empress, are lying in the harbor here with wheat for the new Maple Leaf mills.

The steamer John Sharples is on her way to Port Huron drydock for repairs. She went on the rocks on lower Lake Ontario last winter, and was abandoned by her owners.

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Man Wanted For Assault Thought To Have Skipped.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Guelph, Dec. 12.—John Doyle, arrested for assaulting Conductor Triets on the Grand Trunk passenger train near Weston some months ago, was to have been tried today at Brampton. Mr. W. E. Bowyer, of this city, was to have been a witness, but when he arrived at Brampton he found that Doyle had jumped his bail of \$1,200 and could not be located.

WOMEN WERE AFRAID

No One Would Testify Against Man Held at Berlin.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Berlin, Dec. 12.—Alfred Anderson, who was arrested on suspicion of being a "Jack the Ripper" when he was found peeping into the windows of a local convent, was discharged today, because no woman would testify against him. Many were insulted on the street by a man, but no one would come forward and offer evidence against Anderson. The court, in letting him go, advised Anderson to leave town immediately.

SEAFORTH ELECTIONS

Mayor McCallum Will Not Seek a Third Term.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Seaford, Dec. 12.—Mayor McCallum, who is just completing his second term, has decided to retire at the close of the year, and will not be a candidate for municipal honors.

Reeve, J. C. Greig and Councillor J. P. Daly are in the field for mayor, and Councillor John Cluff has announced his intention of running for the reeve.

Miss Harriet Mason, milliner, of Somber, is home for the holidays.

The Seaford Club are sending out invitations for their Christmas dance on the evening of Dec. 24.

Mr. James L. Broadfoot, the lumber king, has sold his interests in the south, and left today for Moosejaw, where he will spend Christmas with his brothers. After the holidays he will proceed to British Columbia, where he intends locating.

Mr. William O'Connor has returned from the west.

BRUCEFIELD.

Brucefield, Dec. 12.—Mr. Neil Ross, of Vancouver, B. C., son of Mr. Alex. Ross, of this village, is visiting relatives in this vicinity after an absence of fifteen years.

Mr. Walter McEwen has returned from the west, where he has been for the past three months.

Mrs. Thomas Boyce and friend, Mrs. Kernell, of Goderich, have returned home after visiting relatives and friends for the past two weeks.

Rev. Mr. Argue, of London, preached here last Sunday. Rev. Mr. Barber, of Stouffville, will occupy the pulpit on Sunday next.

Mr. Dan Ross, who is engaged in building a new flax mill at Drayton, came home recently for a short visit.

Miss May Beattie, of Pond Mills, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Scott.

Mr. Andrew Swan and James Boyce are visiting friends in Toronto this week.

Five carloads of fat cattle were shipped from here on Saturday. Mr. Hugh McGregor has a couple of good yearlings for the show.

George McCartney, Mill road, is home again after being in the west the past six weeks. He says there is any amount of spoiled wheat out there this year and that farmers find it impossible to get enough cars to ship what they have threshed.

Mr. Alex. Ross is very sick at present, with an attack of pneumonia. Considering his advanced age he is in a critical condition.

Mr. Hugh Ross, Clifford, is here at present at the bedside of his brother, who is critically ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Hugh McGregor, who went down to Toronto to the fat stock show, was successful in getting first and second prizes, \$15 and \$10, respectively.

MAYBERRY HAS A MAJORITY OF 203

Member for South Oxford Is Well Pleased With Result.

Ingersoll, Dec. 12.—A slight reduction in Mr. Mayberry's majority was announced today after the returns from the riding had been carefully gone over. Election night his majority was placed at 228. This afternoon when a revision of the figures was made it was reduced to 203, and very little fluctuation, if any, is expected when the official count is made. The majority is probably larger than many of his staunch supporters were willing to concede, because of the result in the riding in September and the determined efforts of the Conservatives to again carry it. Speaking of the result, Mr. Mayberry stated that he was perfectly satisfied. He expressed keen appreciation of the good work done by his friends among whom he counted many Conservatives. One pleasant feature of the campaign, he said, was that not an unkind word had passed between Mr. McGhee and himself.

"The White Plague," the dread of the twentieth century, was the subject of a lecture by Mr. Jos. B. Watson, field secretary of the Muskoka and Western Hospital for Consumptives, in the town hall tonight. The speaker devoted much time to explaining the danger to which people are exposed by reason of the rapid spread of consumption, and the efforts that are being made to stamp out the disease. Many interesting pictures were shown, and, altogether, the lecture was of a very instructive nature.

HARRISTON ELECTIONS

Municipal Contest This Year Will Be Unusually Keen.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Harriston, Dec. 12.—One of the keenest municipal contests in years is looked for at the coming elections. Dec. 22 has been set for nomination day, and already a large number of local men have announced that they will run.

Mr. R. J. Barton is suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

Mr. Wm. Blackwood is home from Toronto after a few days.

Charles Brown was home from Waterloo a few days recently.

Mr. Wally Brerley, of New York, is visiting with his parents here.

A large number of Harristons attended the funeral of John Anderson at Arthur yesterday.

Mr. John Mundy has taken up residence in the Reid house on Webb street.

A meeting of the Laymen's Missionary Society will be held in the Guthrie Church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

FOUND DEAD

R. J. Smith Lay on Floor in Berlin Hotel.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Berlin, Dec. 12.—R. J. Smith, aged 65, a furniture designer, was found lying dead on the floor of his room at the Grand Central Hotel here. He came from Toronto on Saturday to work in a local factory. Heart failure is given as the cause of death.

GUN EXPLODED

Douglas Ferguson, of Dorchester, Was Painfully Hurt While Shooting.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Hartsville, Dec. 11.—Douglas Ferguson is laid up at his home here with a badly lacerated arm as a result of a gun bursting when he was out shooting squirrels recently.

Mr. Ferguson had just shot at a squirrel when the gun exploded with great force. It is supposed that in some way either snow or dirt got in the barrel and choked it tightly.

BURGLARS AT GUELPH

Men Calmly Walked Into the Home of Mrs. Tracy.

Guelph, Dec. 12.—Two unknown men put forth the home of Mrs. Tracy here today when Miss Hanlon, a young woman who resides with Mrs. Tracy, appeared. The men immediately ran out of the house and made good their escape before the police could be called. Seven similar cases have occurred in Guelph recently.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

owe their singular effectiveness in curing the blood the uric acid (the product of waste matter) which gets into the joints and muscles and causes these painful diseases. Over half a century of constant use has proved conclusively that Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills strengthen weak kidneys and

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When we planned this store we made sure that it would first of all be fireproof, safe and comfortable. There isn't a "pocket" or closed end aisle in it. One can just keep merrily ahead and avoid the elbowing or meeting a returning line. Its elevator service is ample, comfortable and helpfully arranged—four large fast running safety elevators reaching all floors, two on the east and two on the west side, directly opposite the wide cross centre aisle.

But so it should be, for Smallman & Ingram's is more than a store, it is an institution, and is visited by most everybody who keeps up with the times. Its vast

stocks are the selection of practical experts, who traverse the markets of the world and the out-of-the-way places where anything of utility, adornment and interest is produced.

The Smallman & Ingram Toy-Store, called TOY-TOWN (in Basement), is the most interesting spot in London for children and for those who would make children happy. Known all over Western Ontario as Santa Claus' headquarters, and when we have made everyone realize that this store is more than simply a place of barter we shall have brought about a fuller appreciation of this great institution.

Social Events

These must not be forgotten in the Christmas rush, for no sooner will Christmas be over than your secretaries will be strewn with invitations. The date for the military ball, the big event of the season, has been set for Jan. 1st (New Year's night), with more to follow during the month. We would also remind you that this week we are taking orders for party dresses at special prices. \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00 making, now made for \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. See the pretty styles made for \$8.00.

Dressmaking—Fifth Floor.

In Toy-Town

—SHOP EARLY—

\$2.75 Dolls' Houses, \$2.00

Two only of these first-class Houses, nicely decorated inside and out, with verandah and balcony. These have been handled a good deal, and will be cleared out now at.....\$2.00

FURNISHED HOME, \$4.75—Only one 3-room home, with bay window, verandah, flowers, furniture, etc. Only one left. Price.....\$4.75

WHEELBARROWS—These are going fast; have what you want reserved. Iron body and wheel, each.....15¢ and 65¢ Hand-made, wooden.....15¢ and 65¢

DOLLS' GO-CARTS—Strong and compact and will hold large doll.....65¢, \$1.25 to \$4.00

DOLLS' CARRIAGES, with dainty parasol.....95¢ and \$2.00 Without parasol, each.....25¢

BOYS, what about a sidewalk sulky? They go whizzing. Two-wheeled, rubber-tired, long curved handle; can't upset and very light running. Price.....\$1.50

Many are Taking Wooden Wagons

Big wooden box and wheels, iron tired.....75¢ Iron sides, steel wheels and gear nicely painted.....\$1.00 and \$1.50

TOOLS—Imagine finding a whole chest of tools Christmas morning! We have splendid sets in wooden chests.....65¢, 85¢, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.75

Pick now and have your Toys reserved. See our beautiful Dressed Dolls in Doll City, Toy-Town. Basement.

Come Down In The Morning

Lunch in the Restaurant, Fourth Floor, and make a day of it.

ASK ABOUT COUPONS AT GLOVE COUNTER.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

SHOP IN THE MORNING. SHOP WITH A TRANSFER CARD.

JAMES McDONALD DIES AT STRATFORD

Was a Brother of Postmaster Doctor McDonald of London.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Dec. 12.—James McDonald, a brother of Postmaster Dr. McDonald, of London, is dead at his home here after a long illness. Deceased was 80 years old, and came to Canada from Inverness-shire, Scotland. When a young man he settled in Huron County. In 1876 he founded the McDonald Thresher Company,

which is now managed by his sons, John and Peter.

Besides his wife, Mr. McDonald is survived by three sons and four daughters, Mrs. S. Cameron, of Syracuse, N. Y.; James A., former M. P. P., and Liberal leader in the British Columbia Legislature, now chief justice of the British Columbia Court of Appeal; Margaret, Stratford; Peter, Stratford; Mrs. W. J. Hamilton, Syracuse, N. Y.; John R., past president of the Stratford Board of Trade; Nellie, Stratford; Lily, for some time teacher at Southampton, now at home.

Your friends will not forget if you give them a handbag or a nice solid leather club bag or a suitcase. We can purchase anything in leather or travelling goods at cost price from W. B. Lawson, 198 Dundas street. The stock is the largest in the city, but it must be cleared by Christmas, as Mr. Lawson is retiring from business.

MICHIGAN CEN. MEN WANT ARBITRATION

Station Agents and Operators Apply to the Government For an Investigation.

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—Three thousand men in Western Ontario are deeply interested in an application which was received at the department of labor yesterday morning.

It came from the station agents, telephone and telegraph operators of the Michigan Central Railway, who ask for a board of arbitration under the labor disputes investigation act, to take up matters connected with their working conditions and rates of pay. They also desire a new schedule of rules.

BROKE JAIL

Woodstock, Dec. 12.—Norman Page, a youth who was placed under arrest here yesterday by the labor department, as it applied to a company of whom the principal officers are not citizens of Canada, but live in the United States.

Page was held in the jail here for a day, but was released on a \$100 bond, and the outside was unlocked, quickly gained his freedom. The police have been on a hunt for Page all day, but without success. An escape in a similar manner was effected from the lock-up some months ago.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13.

SIR EDWARD GREY UNDER FIRE.

The critics of Sir Edward Grey have
not been silenced by his formal de-
fence of his course of action in the
Moroccan affair. In the House of
Lords, they have found an influential
opponent in Lord Courtney, a vet-
eran Liberal. The Manchester Guard-
ian and London News, the two fore-
most Liberal dailies, are wholly
dissatisfied with Sir Edward Grey's
explanation. They contrast his "chill
and uncompromising tone" toward
Germany with the pleas of Mr. Bonar
Law and Lord Lansdowne, the Union-
ist leaders, for a conciliatory policy
toward Germany. The Nation says
that Mr. Law "spoke with the meas-
ure and wisdom, the sympathy and
justice of appreciation, which every
statesman who knows his business
uses when he addresses one of the
great historic communities of the
world." Lord Lansdowne, who as
foreign minister negotiated the Anglo-
French entente, expressly described
that agreement as "a first effort in a
general policy of appeasement," and
was not intended to exclude the possi-
bility of agreement with other powers.
The main current of British opinion,
he said, was favorable to friendship
with Germany, and the French entente
was no obstacle.

Sir Edward Grey defended the
entente on the ground that unless
Great Britain made friends on the
continent the continental nations
"would be drawn into the orbit of a
single diplomacy from which we
should be excluded." To this the Na-
tion retorts sagaciously:

"Germany is the great Grey bogey
—the power which is always to be
feared always suspected. Against
the single orbit of her power a hos-
tile combination, by land and sea,
must continually be sought and
maintained. With this fatal clue the
course of our Moroccan diplomacy
becomes clear. Sir Edward's eyes
are fixed on Germany, and the great
dancer of relaxing the alliance
with France was that it would
draw her as a satellite into the
revolving error which haunts the
foreign secretary's dreams. No price
can therefore be too high to pay for
assurance against the German dan-
ger. Nationalities may be crushed,
invaded or abandoned. Treaties may
be torn up and a violent course of
intrigue and military aggression as-
sisted by British diplomacy, may
bring British ships and men, drawn up
in the background. No French demand
can be resisted lest France should
whisper a reconciling hint in Ger-
man ears. Morocco is to be overrun
and annexed, but let Germany, restless
under failure and rebuff, and with
her own fingers to pluck, send a
gunboat to anchor in a Moroccan port,
and the situation becomes 'important
and anxious,' and unspecified
British interests appear, and new
situations develop, and public opin-
ion is mobilized" (by Sir Edward
Grey in the Times), and Mr. Lloyd
George commissions to hunt deli-
cately at Germany, lest we cease to
exist "as a great nation." Such pre-
occupations exclude all large, peace-
ful, calm and rational views of state
life."

Sir Edward Grey faces a formidable
revolt in his own party, and, even
stranger, the Unionist party, which
a short time ago was working up a
German panic, is now disposed to ex-
tend a reconciling hand to Germany.
The situation is given a sharper edge
by the Russian raid on Persia. The
British people sympathize with Persia,
but in the present state of Anglo-Ger-
man relations the British Government
cannot afford to quarrel with Russia.

THE NAVY AGAIN.

The Hon. Mr. Pelletier, postmaster-
general, who came into national prom-
inence after the federal election by
threatening Mr. Borden with the loss
of his Quebec support unless he con-
sented to a naval referendum, was
dined and wine by his friends at the
Chateau Frontenac the other evening,
and talked of the upmost question
in his own province.

Mr. Pelletier said that Mr. Borden's
public declarations contained a clear
and formal promise to refer to the
people any policy framed by the Gov-
ernment. His assertion that the Gov-
ernment was under no obligation to
consult the people before abolishing
the Laurier naval law is one with
which Liberals will not quarrel, as
Mr. Borden denounced the law in his
canvass, though it was not the domi-
nant issue outside of Quebec. What
is still undisclosed is whether the Gov-
ernment will unite in advocating any
definite project, and in urging the
country with one voice to support it,
or whether several options will be sub-
mitted in a plebiscite, the members of
the Government reserving the right to
take different positions until a particu-

lar policy is ratified by the electors.
The former course would be constitu-
tional though it would be cowardly if
the Government refused to stand or
fall by its own proposals. The other
expedient would be neither constitu-
tional nor courageous. In either event,
a plebiscite would be indecisive, be-
cause there are many shades of opin-
ion in the country. The consistent
course, the mainly method, the British
way of handling the problem, was
that adopted by the Laurier Govern-
ment, which framed a policy to the
last detail, asked Parliament to pass
it, and took the consequences, namely,
a furious attack in Quebec on the
ground that the naval law enslaved
Canada to Great Britain, and an on-
slaught in the English provinces on
the ground that the navy was a "sep-
aralist" design, useless to the mother
country. We shall see whether the
coalition government can steer its
naval policy between Scylla and
Charybdis.

THE HYPER-SUPER-DREAD-
NOUGHT.

The keels are about to be laid of the
five armored ships on the British pro-
gramme of 1911-12.
It is common knowledge that the
original Dreadnought was the forerun-
ner of the super-Dreadnought, of which
the Orion and the King George are
types, but it will perhaps be necessary
to call the ships of the present financial
year hyper-super-Dreadnoughts. They
will certainly be, as their great pre-
decessors were, the most powerful ves-
sels in the world.

The ships now in hand, and to be
completed early in 1913, will carry ten
13.5-inch guns in five turrets on the
keel line, four of them firing right
ahead, four right astern, and the whole
of them on either broadside. The
Dreadnought, with her ten 12-inch
guns, throws a total weight of metal
of 8,500 pounds, but the King George
ship, with a broadside fire of 12,500
pounds from the big guns alone.

Progress in armament, however, is
restless, and further advances are be-
ing made. The guns for the ships of
1910-11, which are to be mounted as in
the King George, will be of a still
more powerful type. The weight of
the shells will be increased from 1,250
pounds to 1,400 pounds, giving a total
weight of discharge of 14,000 pounds.
The supplementary armament is also
to be improved. The Dreadnought
carries twelve-pounders, but all the
later ships have 4-inch guns. Now the
6-inch type is coming. These guns are
purely for anti-torpedo purposes, and
are not likely to be used in battles.

The new guns are so finely balanced
and mounted that the 6-inch may be
manhandled almost as easily as the
12-pounder. The new ships will also
have a larger torpedo armament. In
all respects they will far-outdistance
those of other powers.

The Dreadnoughts have not ren-
dered superfluous the cruisers of other
types. There will be always work for
the smaller and faster ships in time
of war in protecting commerce and
trade routes. The cruisers of the
Dreadnought type ordered by the late Can-
adian Government would have served
this purpose admirably.

Mr. Rowell has done so well that
our local contemporary wants him to
resign the leadership.

The Conservative Toronto World is
after the scarp of Dr. Pyne. The
World will have the moral support of
the teaching profession.

Sir James Whitney was shrewd in
not allowing the Legislature to live its
natural life. The Opposition would
have done still better if it had had six
months' more of recuperation and re-
organization.

"Agriculture must be reconstructed
from the top down," says the Toronto
World in its comment on the election.
The Hon. James Duff is at the top, but
how is he to be reconstructed? Better
abolish him and begin anew.

The House of Lords has rejected an
important Government bill, which will
be hung up for at least two years. This
is quite as much power as should be
allowed a non-elective second cham-
ber with a permanent bias against one
party.

Mr. Armand Lavergne, the chief
speaker at the Pelletier banquet, next
to the guest of honor, accused Sir Wil-
frid Laurier of importing 600,000 im-
migrants, "in order to drown the
French-Canadian element." Four cabi-
net ministers—Messrs. Pelletier, Nan-
tel, Hughes and Burrell—heard the
sentiment applauded and sanctioned
it by their presence. This is the sort
of stuff in which the coalition Govern-
ment is trading in Quebec.

any leisure time to myself." "Can't get
along with boys." "Was vestryman for
a year, let someone else do the work
now." "Am only a one-talent man; I
cannot do more." "Believe in resting in
the summer." "Give my money, and
that is all I can do at present."
Gentlemen, are you a non-church-
goer? Do you find your excuse in the
list? If not, what is the great impelling
force that steers you clear of a church
door?

A WOMAN'S WAY.
[Dramatic Express.]
Ask a woman what she wants for a
Christmas or a birthday, and you will
find she will tell you, and if you fail to
get it then she will tell you again.

WISE DAUGHTER.
[Boston Transcript.]
Mrs. Lemoire (to small daugh-
ter)—My darling, I want to tell you a
secret. Your mother is going to be
married again next week.

A QUEENLY EXAMPLE.
[Ottawa Journal.]
Queen Mary of England has shown
on several occasions recently that she
approves of economy in dress. It has
been noticed that she has appeared at
different functions wearing the same
hat and gown. For years the Queen of
England has been commended for the
economy in her dress, and by showing a
desire to depart from a needless ex-
travagance she is setting a good ex-
ample to many of her feminine
subjects.

If ladies would follow the example
of the Queen and the duchess in the
matter of dress they would earn the
blessing of many a struggling hus-
band, and prevent a great deal of worry
and trouble for which the extravagance
of dress is the cause.

NOT PECULIAR TO LABOR.
[Woodstock Sentinel.]
It is a great misfortune to organ-
ized labor that such crimes are com-
mitted in its name. The peculiar in this
respect. The best causes the world has ever
known have suffered in a similar
way.

WAKING UP.
[Chatham News.]
Those western governors do not
say so in their speeches, but the under-
standing of the primary purpose of
their continental trip is to counter-
act the effect of the operations of the
immigration agents of the Canadian
Government. No one in this country
and other land boomers who have
been so successfully "working" the
United States in recent years.

AN IMPERTINENT TRAIN.
[Toronto News.]
Peter MacArthur has been struck
by a train. He is not seriously injured,
but he has a broken leg. The train
was carrying a heavy load of iron
ore, and the engine was moving at a
high speed.

THEY ALL KNOW.
[Cumberland News.]
Smart fellow says: "The prettiest
thing in the world is a woman, who
doesn't realize that she is." Which is
to say that there isn't any prettiest
thing in the world.

TOOK HIM AT A DISADVANTAGE.
[White Star Line.]
While Bernard Smith was making
his speech at the last Sunday morn-
ing prior to going to church, a pet dog
belonging to the family ran in and bit
him four times.

NOT MUCH USE TO HIM.
[The Smart Set.]
"Has he any strength of charac-
ter?"
"Yes, but he's too weak to assert it."

FINDING IT OUT.
[Vancouver Sun.]
England, the tap-root of the British
Empire, is finding out from Earl Grey
and a few other Englishmen what
mental horizon Canada has widened
and this country is not disloyal and
that there are not half a dozen annex-
ationists in Halifax and Van-
couver, not counting cranks and
American in Canada, of course. They
have been saying that Canada is a
really nice place in which to live, that
the country is prosperous, that the
people are kind and that a job be-
comes a job. They are saying that Can-
ada is an accessible, developed, and that it
is a perfectly safe place for English-
men to invest their money. This kind
of thing may stop some of the "cranks"
who have been going on in the
English papers for a long time now.
And perhaps the English papers will
print fewer of the indigo-blue letters
sent to the Hon. Earl Grey, and the
Hon. Earl Grey will have more time
to devote to his country.

IN NEW YORK.
[Chicago Record-Herald.]
New York has a kind of all-night
all-night saloons and all-night restau-
rants. We are informed that the
churches continue to close early.

THE CHRYSANTHEMUM.
[Washington Star.]
Once more it comes. In glad array
Each blossom is a vision gay
Which unto fancy can must recall
A splendid scented paragon.
It flaunts above the autumn scene
With perfume that's a cross between
A drug store and a motor car.
When all and gas commingled are;
And yet we love the sturdy grace
They seem to bring into each place,
Where they make us feel, happy crowd,
Where botany laughs out aloud.

THE CAMPFIRE!
[Kansas City Star.]
Assistant Editor—Here is an ar-
ticle submitted by a convict in the
penitentiary who signs it merely with
his prison number. The Editor—
Editor—Doubtless that's the "pen"
name.

CRAFTY VEGETARIAN.
[New York Sun.]
Nebuchadnezzar went on all-fours.
"Men are mistaken for deer, even
when they walk upright," he con-
tended himself.

PEEVISH PATIENT.
[Washington Herald.]
"You are unreasonable," declared
the physician.
"Why so, Doc?"
"You stuff yourself with twenty
kinds of rich food, then kick be-
cause you have to take two kinds of
medicine."

A Few Lines of
Most Anything

Street car motormen
are commencing to
find the crossings
once again. It done
frozen up some last
night. One lucky thing
for Chatham is that
they have few trolleys
there.

REPORTED MISSING.
The Emperor of China.
Charley Ross,
Dorothy Arnold,
William Gray,
The Link.

The sun is thoroughly democratic.
It will shine on any man who gets up
in time.

The fact that persons in a cataleptic
state have an attraction for the pub-
lic is supported by the sight of crowds
around a hypnotized man in a store
window on Tuesday, and by the re-
collection of the Whitney cabinet.

"Ah want to get one of those mush-
room pipes for my old dad," said a
sprightly young man of color in a
cigar store after a long look at the
Christmas line of meerschaums.

Our Village.
Aleck Marks, of the w-k Marks
Brothers, was in our midst yesterday.
Aleck can play villain, double in brass
or hang up the paper. Hope you put
on "Jerry the Tramp," Aleck.
Some of our prom. young men have
been getting put under by the hyp.
this week. He can make you see fair-
ies or sing or put you to sleep for a
week. Some of our p. c. may see him
about the latter. No offence, offi-
cers.

Some of the folks are blaming R.
Matthews for the four-cent egg after
what was said about him in this col.
Come back at us in your weekly pal-
ladium, Dick.

The chief of police recently sent out
one of his limbs of the law to see if
there was art in the moving pictures.
The p. c. thought the chief meant
the chief of art and couldn't find
him. No offence, sergeant.

Somebody had best chain up the
town pump or the council will be
standing in the street for a week.
The electric and other folk at
fairs were the principal topics of con-
versation in this burg the last few
days.

A New York writer says New York
people think there is no such place as
the outside world. Well, New York
isn't the smallest place that cherishes
such a delusion.

Apparently fashions were invented
To keep good folks from being con-
tented.

Every hill you climb has its going-
down side.

A Blowout at Winterbourne.
[Berlin Telegraph.]
A number from here attended the
fowl supper at Winterbourne on St.
Andrew's Night. All report having a
good time.

Now, isn't This a Tough Name?
[Berlin Telegraph.]
Mr. Noah Good, of Alberta, was a
visitor here last week.

Must Be a Dizzy Height.
[Chatham Planet.]
The work on the new town hall is
progressing rapidly. The new men
work on the tower today.—Thamesville
correspondence.

FORMER TILBURY MAN
DIES AT VANCOUVER

Matthew Morris Was a Prom-
inent Manufacturer for
Many Years.

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Tilbury, Dec. 12.—John W. Morris has
received a telegram announcing the death
of his father, Matthew Morris, who
died in Vancouver yesterday of his
father, Matthew Morris, at the age of 85.
For fifteen years Mr. Morris manufactured
furniture in Tilbury, and eight years ago
he went to Tilbury, where he remained
for four years, and then went
to Vancouver to make his home with his
daughter, Mrs. Harman. He leaves six
children: Mrs. Harman and Mrs. Harmon,
Vancouver; Mrs. James Brown, Niagara
Falls; Mrs. Nicholas, Mount Vernon; Wil-
liam, St. Thomas, and John W., in Til-
bury.

Mrs. Wm. Ward has returned from a
visit with her son, Wilfred, in Hamilton.
Mrs. Ernest Sharvin and her sister,
Miss Torrine, have returned from an ex-
tended visit in Saskatoon.
Mrs. Tinkley has returned from a six
weeks' visit with relatives in London.
Miss Marie Stover, of Vienna, is the
guest of Mrs. E. G. Odette.

Miss Laura Adams, of Fletcher, under-
went a successful operation for appendi-
citis this week in the public general hos-
pital, Chatham.
Mrs. Phillips, of Sarnia, is visiting her
sister, Mrs. H. Mailbox, Queen street.

RUSSIA GIVES PERSIA
EIGHT DAYS MORE

Advance of Troops Towards
Teheran City Has Been
Halted.

[Canadian Press.]
St. Petersburg, Dec. 12.—The Russian
which generally reflects the intentions
of the ministry, says that the Rus-
sian troops, now concentrated at Kas-
san, in Persia, will not advance until
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less extraordinary events cause the
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OCCUPATION AS A BEAUTIFIER

(By Cynthia Grey.)
A woman with an occupation is always more attractive than the idle woman. I do not wonder that the wife, the mother, the sister, the friend, the neighbor, the social woman is so much more attractive than the idle woman. Most girls of today are brought up wrong. It is an unfortunate thing for a girl to be born rich; she then has so little object in life. She has all the toys she wants before she grows up—there is nothing new for her; life is over before the day of application is reached.

The young woman is happiest who only can have the dresses she can make herself, for then she finds so much enjoyment in selecting what she wants, and the making up of the beloved dress is of so much importance to her. The hours spent in designing the dress are hours of great consequence to her, and making one dress leads to another. She becomes more economical, saves her bits for future use as sleeve trimmings, etc. She observes everything in the shops, not with envy, but with ambition to get the same effect out of some left-over bits of trimming that she has saved.

Girls who are brought up to economize in this way make good wives and housekeepers, as they apply what they learn by experience to their households.

There are many occupations for home women. Painting is a delightful occupation if one has talent. Of course, singing and the mastering of the piano or harp are accomplishments that are always fascinating and give girls much to talk about besides ways of providing an entertainment for friends.

I am sure that the girls who give themselves an occupation are always more attractive to the opposite sex, as they have more to talk about. They are more independent, and although girls are born to marry, they will think before taking the step if they have some possible way of taking care of themselves and earning a living.

A woman should do things, have resources of hand and mind; then she will find the time passes too quickly to bring the lines of worry and discontent to her beautiful face.

Remember: Occupy your mind with useful things, and the cares of life will pass lightly over you.

Cynthia Grey's Correspondence

Dear Miss Grey: Will you please answer the following questions: 1. What will take the stain out of a Willam rug, caused by rubbing a small stain with gasoline? It is a light-colored rug, and the stain was only from a small ring as big as a plate. 2. Give recipe for a good Christmas cake without molasses. 3. Can you give me a recipe for dandruff? Give good recipe for dandruff cure. 4. Should a little girl 2½ years old wear a ribbon on her hair? 5. For a front hall with a doorway what is best for the floor? Would linoleum be nice? 6. What will keep soot from running out of pipes? 7. Are white vests fashionable on men now? Thanking you in advance, I remain, yours truly,
A. A. SUBSCRIBER.

A—1. Make a thick paste of fuller's earth with cold rain water, and spread thinly upon the stain. When thoroughly dry, rub off with a clean cloth, using only a solution of 1 teaspoonful ammonia to a pint of warm soft water. A second application should quite remove the stain. 2. 1 pound butter, 1 pound brown sugar, 1 pound flour, 6 eggs, 2 cups sour cream, 1 grated nutmeg, 1 teaspoonful powdered cinnamon, 1 cup rose water, 1 pound mixed peel, 1 pound raisins, 1 pound currants, 1 teaspoonful soda dissolved in the cream, and added last. Bake in a slow oven. 3. When the scalp is coated with dandruff it retards the growth of new hair, and makes the old weak and unhealthy. This mixture will act both as a tonic and dandruff cure: Resorcin, 2 drams; tincture cantharides, 1 ounce; oil ricini, 4 drams; oil rosemary, 10 drops; v. rum, add sufficient to make 8 ounces. 4. Yes, if desired. 5. Linoleum is extremely serviceable and comes in many pretty designs and colors. 6. Look to your growth if full of dandruff? Give good recipe for dandruff cure. 7. Not at this season, excepting for dress occasions.

Dear Miss Grey: Would you please answer through your columns a cure for dandruff in the hair? and oblige, A. A. A CONSTANT READER.

A—Kindly refer to Answer No. 3 for "A Subscriber."

Dear Miss Grey: Would you please tell me through your correspondence how to make pineapple sherbet? Thanking you in advance, READER.

A—One can slice pineapples; cut the slices in very small pieces, and cook until soft. Add the juice of 4 lemons (strained), and 1 cup sugar; cook, and add ½ pound candied cherries cut in pieces, with enough water to make the mixture three quarts. Beat the whites of 4 eggs very stiff and mix with the sherbet just before freezing. Freeze at once. This amount will serve 20 persons.

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"How does the docket for the next term of court stand?" he inquired.
"Pretty fair, sir," said Mr. Quintard. "Any litigation of unusual interest in prospect?" The judge was fitting his glasses to the generous arch of his nose, a feature which nicely indexed its owner's habits.
"No, sir, just the ordinary run of cases."
"I hoped to hear you say different," suggested Mr. Saul.
"In one of the eastern counties, but my inclination has never been toward the judiciary. My temperament, sir, is distinctly aggressive, and each one according to the gifts with which God has graciously pleased to endow me, I am frank to say, however, that my decisions have received their meed of praise from many a thoughtful citizen to speak on such matters." He was turning the leaves of the letter as he spoke. Suddenly the movement of his hand was arrested.
"Found it," said Mr. Saul. But the judge gave him no answer, absorbed and aloof he was staring down at the open page of the book. "Found the entry," repeated Mr. Saul.
"What's that?" "No," he answered, peered to hesitate. "Who is this man Quintard?" The question cost him an effort, that was plain.
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"Is he a resident of the county?" he asked at length.
"No, he lives back yonder in North Carolina."
"A hundred thousand acres!" the judge muttered thoughtfully.
"There are thousands—yes, sir."
"Who has charge of the land?"
"Colonel Pentress," he said. General War's law partner, I've heard it was the general who got this man Quintard to make the investment, but that was before my time in these parts."
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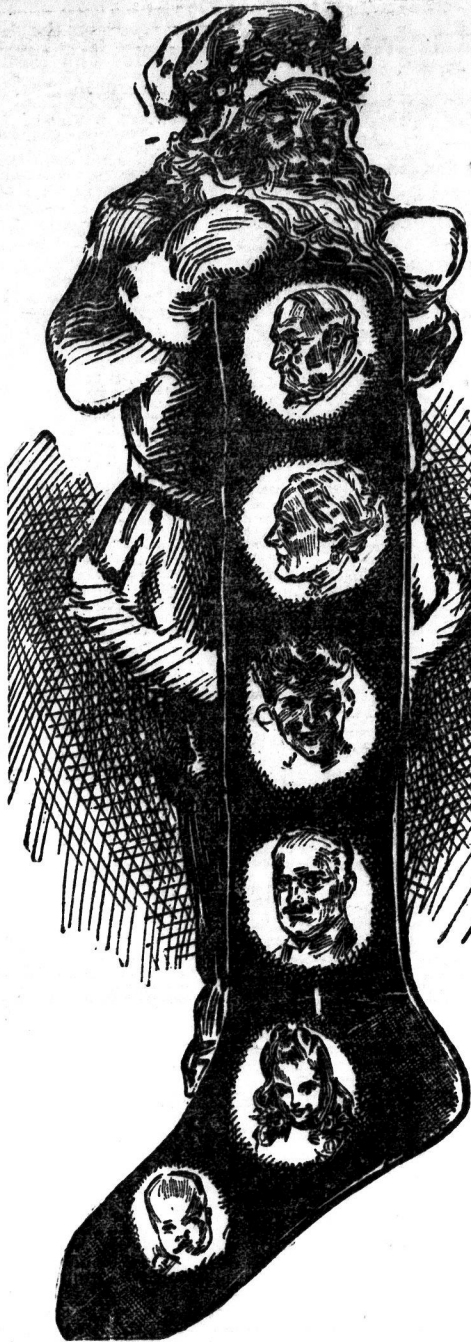
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"Perfect freedom, sir, if you pick and choose your topic," responded the judge.

"Humph!" ejaculated the judge.

"Now, you might talk to me with all the freedom you like, but I'd recommend to you to be cautious with strangers. There have been those who talked freely that have been advised to keep still or have come of it."

"And did harm come of it?" asked the judge.

"They always kept still."

"What do you mean by talking freely?" "Asking how so and so got the money to buy his last batch of niggers," explained Mr. Saul, rather vaguely.

"And Colonel Pentress is one of those who has affairs it is best not to show to too much curiosity?"

"He is, decidedly. His friends appear to set a heap by him. Another of his particular intimates, came within range of his vision, and the dingy white letters on their black ground spelled themselves out.

The words seemed to carry some message, for the judge, with his eyes fixed on the sign as on some beacon of hope, plunged across the dusty road and entered the shop.

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PAPER BAG COOKERY

Tomato and Eggs.
Half pint thick tomato sauce.
One rounding tablespoon butter.
Four eggs.

Butter bag thickly, put in catsup and butter, cook in hot oven for 10 minutes. Cut a square from centre of bag and break in eggs one by one. Cook 3 to 4 minutes. Cut away top of bag only and serve at once.

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Here is a list comprised of the most suggestive items from our Christmas stock, so arranged as to be an aid to you in checking over your buying lists. All these lines are now complete and unbroken, most of them will be kept so till the last moment. Nevertheless shop early and avoid disappointment

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English Walking Gloves, light or dark tan, pr. \$1.00.

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Fancy colors, with side pleated jabots, lace trimmed, in box 50c.

Fancy Lace Collars in all latest styles, boxed. 35c.

Fancy Collars, all beautifully trimmed, in all colors 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

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Straight Jabots, net and lace trimmed, also real Irish crochet 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

HOSIERY—

Best Black Silk Hose, at pair \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Black Lisle Hose, silk ankle, at pair 50c.

Black Lisle Embroidered Hose, at pair 50c.

Black Cashmere Hose, two lines. 3 pairs for \$1.00.

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BELTS—

Fancy Colored Elastic Belts, with pretty buckles to match 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Plain Elastic Belts, in navy, green, brown, white, gray and red 50c.

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READY-TO-WEARS—

Corset Covers, all styles. 25c, 50c and 65c.

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White Marseilles Spreads, at from \$1.75 to \$4.50.

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WOOL BLANKETS—

White and Gray Wool Blankets of all qualities, at from, pair \$2.98 to \$7.00.

Comforters, cotton-filled, each. \$1.35 to \$4.00.

TABLE LINENS—

Table Napkins, at from, dozen. 75c to \$4.50.

Table Cloths, all qualities, at from \$1.49 to \$5.00.

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Dates, Cream, Cereal, Bacon and Eggs, Toast, Coffee.

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Fried Oysters, Baked Apples, Cocoa.

DINNER.

Stock Tomato Soup, Cold Goose, Apple Sauce, French Fried Potatoes, Chocolate Pudding, Cafe Noir.

Fried Oysters.—Drain large oysters separately, dip in beaten egg, then in cracker crumbs rolled fine; fry in hot butter, turning each one separately as it browns. To cook well and carefully they should not be crowded while frying. Serve on a hot platter.

WORTH KNOWING.

A tape loop on the apron band is a convenience and will save the apron from being torn if hung on a hook. Sew the loop on the "wrong" side of the band.

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THE ENGLISH SPIES GIVEN LONG TERMS

**Schulz Gets Seven Years and
Companion Twelve From
German Court.**

[Canadian Press.]
Lefzig, Germany, Dec. 13.—Seven punishments were meted out today to the English spies arrested at Hamburg on March 18, and who have been on trial behind closed doors before the imperial court for several days.

Max Schulz, an English shipbroker, was sentenced to seven years penal servitude. One of his associates, an Englishman named Hupich, was condemned to twelve years in jail, and another engineer, named Wolf, was sentenced to two years.

A merchant, Von Manek, and Max Schulz's housekeeper received three years.

**RIGID RULES MADE
FOR BOILER INSPECTING**

**The Railway Commission Makes
Rigid Rules to Prevent Acci-
dents to Locomotives.**

[Canadian Press.]
Ottawa, Dec. 12.—After Jan. 1, 1912, the inspection and testing of locomotives by the railway commission will be governed by the jurisdiction of the railway commission of Canada will be governed by new and rigid rules, which the board has issued to every road affected.

The new rules, which followed careful consideration and discussion of the subject are designed for the safety and protection of the public, fixing as they do the responsibility for accidents caused by defective boilers or a competent mechanical engineer under his supervision; that the mechanical officer in charge at each point where boiler work is done will be held responsible for the inspection and repair of all locomotive boilers.

Rules governing every detail of this inspection are then given, and it is ordered that not less than once each month, or fifteen days after inspection a report of such inspection is to be filed with the chief operating official of the board for each locomotive used.

**BAKERS WERE FINED
IN LOCAL COURT**

**Short-Weight Cases Heard by Police
Magistrate Love This Morning.**

Police Magistrate Judd this morning heard cases against two London bakers charged with delivering short-weight bread, and imposed fines. Benj. F. Brighton and W. D. Miller were each fined \$5.00 and assessed \$5.00 each with the option of ten days in jail, while a third case against Joseph Johnston was adjourned for one week.

Charles E. Anderson, who is charged with four breaches of the building regulations on the one building, will not appear again for proceedings. In the meantime an effort will be made to arrange a satisfactory completion of the building.

FIGHTING AT PUNKOW.

Pekin, Dec. 12.—Further fighting is reported from Punkow, where a general Chang Shun's rear guard has been routed.

**Cold Sores and Ulcers
are Healed by Zam-Buk**

Cold sores, chapped hands, ulcers, and winter eczema are common troubles just now, and for all these, Zam-Buk will be found the surest and quickest remedy. Sometimes cold sores arise from chilblains on the toes or fingers, and in the former case, where colored socks are worn, there is a danger of blood-poisoning from the dye. Zam-Buk being so powerfully antiseptic removes the danger as soon as applied and quickly heals.

Mrs. W. J. Halliday, of Ash Grove, Ont., says: "I had my little finger frozen, and it cracked at the first joint, causing a bad sore, which discharged freely and would not heal. The pain was very bad, and the whole of my hand became swollen and in bad shape."

"A friend advised me to try Zam-Buk, and I soon found that Zam-Buk was altogether different to any preparation I had ever tried. In a very short time it healed the sore."

Miss Lillie May, of Stoney Creek, Ont., says: "I had my little finger severely frost-bitten, and it cracked at the first joint, causing a bad sore, which discharged freely and would not heal. The pain was very bad, and the whole of my hand became swollen and in bad shape."

Zam-Buk will be found the sure cure for eczema, blood-poison, varicose sores, piles, scalp sores, ringworm, inflamed patches, babies' eruptions, and chapped places, cuts, burns, bruises, and skin injuries, generally. All druggists and stores sell at 50c a box, or post free from Zam-Buk Company, Toronto, on receipt of price. Refuse harmful imitations and substitutes.

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**LAWYERS FOR HEBERT
LEAVE THE COURTROOM**

**Say That Judge's Decision to
Hear Evidence In Famous
Case Is Illegal.**

Montreal, Dec. 13.—Marie Emma Chouart was yesterday allowed by Mr. Justice Chabreau to make proof of the legitimacy of the children born of her union with Eugene Hebert, and of the validity of the marriage, pending a decision as to whether or not the evidence could be legally received before the court.

Thus the whole question of the validity of a marriage between two Catholics performed by a Protestant minister is before the courts under reserve, however, "I am ready to hear this case on its merits," said Mr. Justice Chabreau, after hearing the argument that the evidence should not be heard on the merits after Hebert had withdrawn his opposition to the plaintiff's claim.

At this point the reinforced battery of counsel for the husband, arose abruptly and without a word gathered up their books and papers and left the courtroom hurriedly. Soon afterwards they said they would not take any part in the making of evidence, as the hearing was illegal.

Questioning Motives.
Mr. Paul St. Germain, one of the new counsel, appeared in the case, and said he was not what the wife wanted of counsel for the wife were to insist on the hearing of the case on its merits.

Mr. Arnold Wainwright, one of the counsel for the wife, promptly arose and said he wondered what the learned counsel's intentions were on the other side. Mr. Wainwright said that the case had been dropped by Hebert on the pretext that he had no money, and now he saw additional eminent and learned attorneys appearing for Hebert.

Mr. Justice Chabreau laughed. "I must ask that such an insinuation be withdrawn," said Mr. L. J. Lefebvre, the attorney of record. "I made no insinuation," said Mr. Wainwright.

"I would like all the enlightenment I can get on this case," said Mr. Justice Chabreau, and the incident dropped. The evidence was admitted under reserve so that Mr. Justice Chabreau has two questions to decide. He may say that the evidence could not be legally received, or he may say that it could, and the validity of the marriage is before him for decision.

Rev. Wm. Timberlake was sworn accordingly, and produced the marriage license that Hebert had produced, duly bearing the lieutenant-governor's authority to perform the marriage. He said he performed the marriage in accordance with the laws of the Methodist Church.

**SEEKS TO DESTROY
BIG CORPORATION**

**Federal Government Files Suit
Against United Shoe Machinery
Co., of Boston.**

Boston, Dec. 12.—A suit, asking for the dissolution of the United Shoe Machinery Company, a corporation of world-wide scope, was instituted yesterday afternoon by the Federal Government, which filed a bill in equity in the United States circuit court. The bill is brought against the United Shoe Machinery Corporation of New Jersey, 13 subsidiary corporations and 23 individuals, to restrain the defendants from "maintaining, operating, and using, in commerce, contracts and conspiracies in restraint of interstate and foreign trade and commerce, in violation of the Sherman act, in the manufacture, sale and lease of machines, mechanisms, tool and devices used in the manufacture of boots and shoes."

The court is asked to order the dissolution of the defendant corporations into such parts that no one of them will constitute a monopoly of the shoe business. "If the court should be of the opinion," the bill continues, "that the public interest will be better served by the appointment of a receiver to take possession of all the property, assets, business and affairs of said defendant, and wind up the same."

An injunction against the defendants is also requested. The petition charges, among other things, that the defendants have, by unlawful combinations, contracts and conspiracies among them, by exclusive use and trying provisions which they have made a part of the lease and license agreement between them and the

TO THE PUBLIC

If cough syrups would cure coughs every time it would not be necessary for us to print this information, but there are so many cases of chronic bronchitis in town that have hung on for months and years, we feel that we must tell what we know about it.

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boot and shoe manufacturers for the use of their machines; by the acquisition and control of former competing shoe manufacturers in the petition, acquired and now control more than 18 per cent of the trade and commerce in the United States in shoe machinery.

The bill is brought by United States District Attorney French, acting under the direction of Attorney-General Vickers. The defendants include President Sidney W. Winslow, William Barbour, Wallace F. Robinson, George H. Brown, Edward F. Hurd, John H. Conner, Louis A. Coolidge, Edwin D. Brown, Frank L. Babbott, Henry B. Endicott, Edmund Le B. Gardner, John A. Hannan, Elmer P. Howe, George E. Ketchum and others prominent in the shoe machinery and shoe trade.

President Winslow and other officials of the United Shoe Machinery Company were indicted by the federal grand jury last summer for alleged violation of the Sherman law. The cases have not yet come to trial.

**MAPLE LODGE SHEEP
SWEEP THE PRIZES**

**Middlesex Breeder Was One of
the Heaviest Winners at
Chicago Show.**

One of the most successful exhibitors at the big International Stock Show held recently in Chicago was Mr. A. W. Smith, of Maple Lodge. He won the championship in the Leicester sheep for the best ram of any age, the champion ewe for the best of any age, the first prize for the best flock (consisting of one ram of any age, two ewes of one year and two ewe lambs), first for a pair of lambs bounding of one ram and three ewes, first for the best ram of two years or over, first and second for rams of one year, second for ram lamb, first and third for one-year-old ewe, and second and third for ewe lambs.

**SPLENDID HORSES AT
GUELPH WINTER FAIR**

**Show Indicates That Farmers
Are Giving Horse Raising
Much Attention.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Guelph, Dec. 12.—Today is cattle and dairymen's day at the big winter fair, and thousands of people from all over the province are here to see as fine a lot of animals as have ever been gathered at a Canadian exhibition. This evening the exhibitors will be guests at a luncheon in the city hall.

The judges are very busy with their work. Yesterday was horsemen's day. The horse show this year is an exceptional one, and the quality of the animals shows that horse breeding is receiving great attention in Ontario.

Some Fine Horses.
Clydesdale and heavy-draft horses predominate. While there are some of the best thoroughbreds and standard-breds in the province, they are few in comparison with those of the heavier classes. In one class alone, that of three-year-old Clydesdale stallions, which were judged this afternoon, there were 21 entries, and the judges two hours to decide which were to wear the ribbons.

Canadian-bred Clydesdales were represented by the strongest prize winners. Some of the winners were: Three-year-old Clydesdale stallions—1, Graham, Renfrew County, Toronto; 2, T. H. Hasselwood, Markham; 3, A. Boag & Son, Queensville; 4, Smith & Richardson, Columbus, Ont.

Canadian-bred Clydesdales, stallion—1, David G. Boyd, Kars, Ont.; 2, R. C. Rogerson, Fergus; 3, Pierheller Bros., Mount Elgin.

Canadian-bred Clydesdales, mares—1, Chas. E. Meadows, Markham; 2, Hugh Temple, Hereward, Ont.; 3, R. A. Roe, Hawkestone, Ont.; 4, W. A. Dix, Fergus, Ont.

Shire stallions, yearlings—1, T. Hasselwood, Markham; 2, Porter Bros., Appleby.

Addressed Poultrymen.
At a meeting in the City Building last evening, Professor F. C. Elford, McDonald College, Quebec, in speaking on "Marketing Poultry," denounced severely those who sell old eggs and represent them as fresh. He also criticized the dealers strongly, and told of seeing in the window of a store on Yonge street, Toronto, about 100 dozen eggs labelled "new."

He looked at a thermometer which was in the window, and it showed the temperature to be 70 degrees. He referred to the window as a "poultry incubator." The lecturer constituted a plea for honesty in the poultry industry. The dishonest marketing of eggs was one of the chief reasons why the producers obtained such low prices as compared with prices paid by consumers. "It hurts the market throughout the whole country," said Professor Elford, "and we cannot afford to allow the practice to be continued. The lecturer advocated a campaign of education of the producers as a solution of the problem. The producer should know when his eggs are fresh, and that they were not treated



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MAY LOSE EYESIGHT

Little Son of Walter Gibson, of Lucan, Has Terrible Abscess.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Lucan, Dec. 13.—The little two-year-old son of Mr. Walter Gibson, formerly a well-known baseball player of London, will, it is feared, lose the sight of one of his eyes, in which an abscess has developed. He has been taken to London for treatment, but the attending physician fears that little can be done to save the eye. The abscess developed very unexpectedly a couple of days ago, and causes the boy very great pain.

Any hairdresser can dye old hair young, but he can't make over the old face to match it.

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DISTRICT DRUNKS TOOK UP MAGISTRATE'S TIME

Fines Imposed On Some and Others Sent Out of Town.

Drunks from nearby towns came to celebrate with Londoners Tuesday apparently, for the police gathered in half a dozen, all of whom were brought before Police Magistrate Judd this morning.

Michael O'Mara, who has been down a week on remand charged with vagrancy, came up again today and was given three hours in which to rid London of himself.

Robert Work, who has somewhat of a record, was drunk again, and made excuses. He said he was still able to take care of himself when the officer brought him along. This did not appeal to the court as the point in question. "The least I can give you is \$10, or rather that is the smallest amount you can hand Mr. Moule," was the verdict. He went back for a month.

A Celebration.
Steven Walsh has "done" four years in Kingston. He hails from St. Thomas, and after obtaining a job at the cigar factory he proceeded to celebrate his return to the village where there's no temptation.

A local house-mover was charged with insobriety. He paid \$5, and was let go.

Patrick McDonald, of Dutton, who said he was hostler at the Queen's Hotel there, came to the court to the Guelph chicken show. He had a couple of dollars with him and went to the show.

William McCarthy, another St. Thomas drunk, was told to get back to the bottle in all haste. He said he would.

WORK BEING RUSHED ON NEW WINGHAM SHOP

Houses Are Being Razed for the Big New Foundry in Northern Town.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Wingham, Dec. 13.—Work on the big new extension for the Wingham foundry is being rushed along, and will be completed as soon as possible. A number of residences on the site of the new factory are being razed by Messrs. T. McLean and W. Rintoul, who have the contracts. Owing to the mild weather fine progress is being made with the work. If possible the foundation, which will be of cement, will be laid this year. The building will be 80x100 feet and three stories in height.

Mrs. J. Jefferson, who recently fell and fractured her hip, is in a very critical condition, and it is feared that her death may occur at any time. Owing to her great age, she never recovered from the shock of the accident. She is 83 years of age.

Farmers are very busy with work that was not completed when the snow came. Many are digging turnips and sugar beets. Mr. Vanstone has about 40 acres which he has yet to ship. Many are dug up, but a number remain to be taken out.

Miss T. Mills, of Kincardine, visited today with Miss Phoebe Dinsmore prior to going to Toronto, where she will visit with friends.

Mrs. Thomas Pollock, of Ripley, who was undergoing treatment in the hospital, has returned.

Miss N. Wade, who was in Brantford recently attending her mother, who was seriously ill, has received word that he is much improved.

MAJORITY OF 203

Col. Mayberry Had Fine Lead in Almost Every Division.

[Canadian Press.]
Ingersoll, Dec. 13.—The complete returns are as follows in the recent election:
Ingersoll 452
Tilsonburg 154
Norwich 144
South Norwich 253
North Norwich 255
Derham 290
West Oxford 138
East Oxford 159
North Oxford 159
Total majority for Mayberry, 203.

A FINE RECORD

Editor of the St. John Globe Celebrates His Golden Jubilee.

[Canadian Press.]
St. John, N. B., Dec. 13.—Fifty years ago today, John V. Ellis, now bearing the title of honorable as a member of the Canadian Senate, wrote his first paper as editor of the St. John Globe, and today that first publication is fifty years old. The paper is a daily paper, and in commemoration of the editor's golden jubilee, "A period," as the Globe says, "probably not equalled by any other editor on the daily press of Canada, perhaps not on the continent."

The Globe started as a morning daily in 1868, 53 years ago. Later it was reduced to a tri-weekly, and in 1861 became a daily evening paper, the first in the city. It was bought by Mr. Ellis and Christopher Armstrong in 1861, and they took charge on Dec. 13, Armstrong died in 1877. The business has for some years been conducted by the company with Mr. Ellis, president, and Richard O'Brien, managing director.

Music and Drama

An Oldtime Choir.
A delightful excursion into yesterday was enjoyed by the large audience who were entertained Tuesday evening in the Auditorium by "Ye Olde Time Village Choir" under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Glee Club. The choir consisted of twelve men, who were popular when the grandfathers and grandmothers of today were young. They sang again last night by lending in singing of the choir. The choir members were excellent, and the solo parts were no less well taken.

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"The Quaker's Courtship," by Miss Gladys Reed and Mr. Charles Coles was especially good.

"The Crooked Bawbee" was excellently rendered by Mr. Ed. Webster and Miss Gladys Shaw.

"Matrimonial Sweets" was well presented by Mr. Webster and Mrs. C. B. White.

"Master and Pupil," by Mr. F. L. Willgoose and Miss Ethel Wilson, was one of the best numbers on the programme.

"The Tyrolean Ducks" were extremely funny, Miss Shaw taking the solo part very well. Her rendering of "The Last Rose of Summer" was unusually beautiful.

Other solos were sung by Miss Olive Vivian, "Love's Old Song"; Master Ed. Webster, "Write Me a Letter From Home"; Mr. Ed. Webster, "Heart Bowed Down"; Miss Ethel Wilson, "Comin' Thro' the Rye"; Miss Reed, "Far Away"; and Miss Francis Robinson, "Home, Sweet Home," all of which were well received.

The readings and recitations by Miss Newbury, of the London Conservatory of Music, and Miss Mona Hughes were exceptionally well given. The concert was under the direction of Mr. Willgoose.

TO PLACE A LIGHT ON EVERY STREET POLE

Matter Will Figure in Discussion On Lighting Question This Evening.

At the conference between No. 2 committee of the city council and the water commissioners this evening, Chairman Pocock will take up the question of placing a light on every pole in the city next year.

At the present time the lamps are placed on every alternate pole, and it is the intention of the commissioners to do this work, completing the system in three years' time.

In considering the matter, however, Chairman Pocock is of the opinion that the system should be completed this coming year.

"There is no need of doing this work piecemeal," said Mr. Pocock. "There will always be difficulties in the way if we do a certain number each year. Some sections will demand it, and as a result there will be plenty of room for friction. We go ahead and do the whole work this year, then there will be no chance of an argument. I will take this matter up with the committee tonight."

YOUNG LADIES' MISSION CIRCLE

Interesting Meeting at Which a Fine Programme Was Carried Out.

The regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Methodist Church was held on Tuesday evening, with the president, Mrs. Harward, in the chair. There was a fair attendance and those present enjoyed a very profitable and interesting programme. The third chapter of Mott's "Decisive Hour of Missions" was discussed. This part of the programme was led by Miss Field, who was assisted by Mrs. McPherson and Miss Harvey. Miss Hosack followed with a Bible reading which bore very appropriately on the subject which had just been discussed. Mrs. Harward gave a bright and interesting talk on her recent visit to England during the coronation. She spoke particularly of the children's fete of June 29, when one hundred thousand school children were the guests of the King at the Crystal Palace.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

New York, Dec. 13.—The steamer Lusitania, from Liverpool for New York, was reported 120 miles east of Sandy Hook at midnight, 12th. Dock about 8:30 a.m., Friday.

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Hankow, Dec. 13.—A landing party of blue jackets and marines from the United States gunboat Villalobos, which was sent up the river to Tung-Ting

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