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HEAVY REFERENDUM VOTE BEING CAST

LONDONERS FLOCK TO POLLS TO CAST REFERENDUM BALLOT; BOTH CAMPS ARE CONFIDENT

Many Citizens Have Hard Time Finding Out Where They Vote — "Wets" and "Drys" Working Overtime — Women Scrutineers Keeping Watchful Eyes On Polling Booths.

Today will decide whether Ontario will go "wet" or "dry." In London there is distinctly more interest being taken in the referendum than there was in October, 1919, when the last vote was taken. The fact that on this occasion the issue is more clearly defined, and is better understood by the people, may account for the fact that popular lethargy is conspicuous by its absence, and that the taking of the vote is the most fruitful topic of conversation around the city today. On street cars, on the street itself, in workshops, and in offices, the chances of the respective parties are eagerly discussed.

One feature of these conversations is that citizens as a rule do not commit themselves in giving an opinion as to how the vote will go, but the man in the street, with a wisd and far away look in his eye, seems to visualize a dry spell of indefinite duration.

On the other hand, those whose tastes in regard to the weather lie in the direction of a "Scotch mist," have an air of confidence which may possibly be born of faith, but is, as far as can be judged, more probably founded on hope.

If the Spracklin meeting on Sunday night is to be taken as a criterion of public opinion on this atmosphere, the atmosphere of today ought to be sufficient to "dry up every little stream" that trickles from the hills, as a prominent citizen recently expressed it. For undoubtedly at the Spracklin meeting the optimistic spirit was distinctly in the ascendant. But, all the same, the other side cannot bring themselves to believe that the weather is showing more or less spasmodic, which have kept their little outlook on life from becoming an arid, but will be forever cut off at their source.

Then, again, there is the citizen who, like that famous Irishman, the late Paul Pry, carries his umbrella of indifference, and does not care whether the prospects are "wet or dry."

At the headquarters of the opposing camps the utmost animation has prevailed since the opening hour in the morning. A visit to the offices of the referendum committee in the Bank of Toronto Chambers at once demonstrated that the staff were having all their telephone calls, and good many citizens seem to be quite at sea

regarding their polling subdivisions, and the location of these does not seem to have been sufficiently advertised. The result has been that one of the most frequent causes of inquiry arises from this source.

Numerous calls. City Clerk Baker and his staff have had to answer innumerable telephone calls in connection with today's voting, and so persistent did these inquiries become at the city hall that the mayor's phone was placed at the disposal of the referendum offices if they were prepared to send someone to the city hall to answer the calls.

Both Rev. T. D. McCullough, the secretary of the London referendum committee, and J. E. Pack, secretary of the county of Middlesex association, have been on duty since an early hour directing the work within their respective territories.

Also busy. At the offices of the Citizens' Liberty League one of the officials was told off to answer the phone and the most casual observer could see that his job was no means a sinecure. Inquiries as to the whereabouts of the polling places were pouring in from all directions, and as the man at the phone explained he had got had time to the amount of interest that is being taken in getting things right, as far as information is concerned, the partisans of the Liberty League feel sure that the vote in their favor is bound to be a large one.

At the various polling places the scenes are of quite a lively nature, and the lady scrutineers attached to the organization of the referendum committee are being kept on the alert all the time. It is already evident that the vote will be of considerable dimensions, but it is generally conceded that if information regarding the position of the polling places had been more widely supplied the percentage of voters who exercised their privilege would have been much greater.

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11,000,000 TONS OF SHORTAGE IS DUE TO STRIKE

Every Effort Being Made To Make Supplies Last.

TRAIN SERVICE CUT

Campaign Is Inaugurated to Provide Financial Aid to Miners.

LONDON, April 18.—Government authorities were anxious today to reopen negotiations between the miners and the owners of collieries throughout the United Kingdom with the hope of bringing about a permanent settlement of the wage question which caused the strike of miners on April 1 and came near involving Great Britain last week in an epochal industrial crisis. There seemed little probability, however, that members of the miners' federation of Great Britain would take any steps to meet Government officials or mine owners before next Friday when representatives of British miners will confer on the situation in this city.

In the meantime Great Britain is facing a serious shortage and every effort is being made to eke out present stocks until some adjustment of the situation can be made. Beginning today train services were curtailed and steps taken to bring to the people a realization that the coal shortage was really serious.

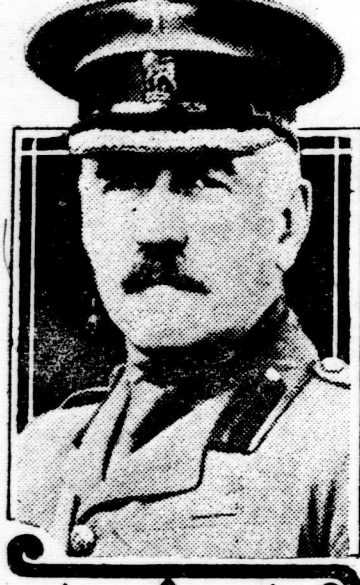
Coal Porters' Decision. A mass meeting of the members of the Coal Porters' Union was held in Canningtown, a suburb of London and yesterday resolutions were adopted stating that, in view of importation of United States and German coal, the union would refuse from tomorrow to bunker any fuel loads and also would decline to tranship imported coal. The first decision was taken because since the beginning of the coal strike vessels have been hunkered only for outward voyages taking in foreign coal for their return trips.

The meeting adopted resolutions of sympathy for the miners, but it is noteworthy in this connection that the coal porters belong to the National Union of Dock Laborers, the secretary of which, James Sexton, member of Parliament, ridiculed in an interview yesterday talk about the miners having been "betrayed." He declared the

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MAJ.-GEN. MEWBURN



Appointed chairman of the parliamentary committee to investigate Government railways and mercantile marine.

Drops Babies From Second Story Into Policeman's Arms

New York, April 18.—Mrs. Nicol saved her three babies from possible death by fire today by dropping them, one by one, from the second story of her blazing bedroom in Brooklyn, into the arms of a policeman standing nearby. The mother then came down the fire escape just as a spurt of flame shot through the window where she had been standing.

UNKNOWN INDIVIDUAL MAY BE MISSING JEW

Rudolphe Schoen Disappeared From City Four Weeks Ago.

That the unknown individual found at Gull Lake about 40 miles from Verona, might be Rudolphe Schoen of this city who so mysteriously disappeared four weeks ago today, is the opinion of several of the missing man's friends here. The unidentified man found at Gull Lake is supposed to bear a likeness to A. J. Small. Mr. Schoen's friends in this city claim that Schoen bore a resemblance to A. J. Small.

Samuel Wilson of 216 Richmond street with whom Mrs. Schoen stayed while organizing a Jewish mission here says that he has written to the authorities at Verona sending a picture



The original sword and breastplate used by the Immortal Joan of Arc, shown by the owner, who now resides in England.

IMPERATIVE TO TAKE FURTHER ACTION TO ENFORCE GERMANY TO COMPLY WITH THE TREATY

Lloyd George in House of Commons Announces That the Germans Are Showing No Inclination To Carry Out Obligations With Respect to Reparations, Disarmament or Trial of War Criminals.

LONDON, April 18.—The German Government, said Premier Lloyd George in the House of Commons today, is still in default with regard to reparations, the trial of persons accused of offences against the laws of war, and disarmament.

The Germans, continued the prime minister, have not thus far shown any inclination to advance practical proposals for carrying out the treaty of Versailles in these respects. Therefore, it was imperative for the Allies to confer with regard to the further steps which might be necessary to enforce compliance with the treaty.

Mr. Lloyd George's statement was in answer to a question by Commander Kenworthy, Independent Liberal member from Hull, as to whether the prime minister's attention had been called to the pronouncement of Premier Briand of France that France, as the questioner construed it, intended to use force against Germany after May 1, and whether the British troops should be involved in a new demonstration.

TROOPS MISTAKE COMRADES FOR SINN FEINERS; TWO SHOT

Limerick, April 18.—Two members of the crown forces were killed and one wounded in a hotel at Castle Connell, County Limerick, last evening, when soldiers mistaking the position of their comrades in civilian clothes already at the hotel for Sinn Feiners and began firing.

600 ARRESTED IN N. Y. FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROHIBITION ACT

New York, April 18.—Ten days of police activity in enforcement of the new state prohibition laws have resulted in more than 600 arrests in Manhattan, or enough time if each prisoner is indicted and given trial by jury, to occupy the court of general sessions for two years. Chief Assistant District Attorney J. H. Barton declared today.

The court of general sessions, before which the position of the indicted persons must be given trial, normally handles only 200 jury cases a year, Mr. Barton said.

CIVIL POPULATION IN ASIA MINOR IS ARMED

Constantinople, April 18.—Greek forces in Asia Minor appear to be divided into three groups, none of which is able to communicate with the others, except by sea. These groups are located at Ushak, east of Smyrna; Behram, near the shore of the Sea of Marmora; and Ismid, almost directly east of this city.

Official statements issued from Turkish and Greek headquarters indicate considerable fighting is in progress, but for the most part small units are engaged. Each side is reported to be arming the civil population, instigating the burning of villages and planning ambushes.

BURIAL AT AYLMER

Springfield, Ont., April 18.—The funeral took place from the family residence here to Aylmer Cemetery this afternoon of Wm. G. Lindsay, aged 81. R. H. Lindsay of Aylmer is a brother.

CHURCHILL TO RECEIVE DEPUTATION

LONDON, April 18.—Winston Churchill, colonial secretary, has announced his willingness to receive a deputation urging cheaper press cable rates between Great Britain and Canada.

One Million Ontario Voters Are Expected to Go to Polls Today; Both Sides Are Working Hard

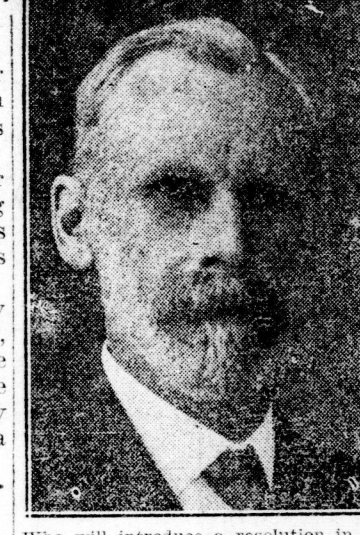
FRANCE CALLS OUT CLASSES OF 1918, 1919

Preparations Are Made For Expected Advance Into Ruhr Region.

Paris, April 18.—Orders calling to the colors the military classes of 1918 and 1919 have been received in Lille, says a report from that city. This step was forecast last week, when steps to be taken by France against Germany, in case the Berlin Government refused to meet reparation payments, were discussed. Men belonging to the first army corps will undergo a period of training before being called upon to advance into the Ruhr district of Germany, should such a drastic step be finally decided upon by this country.

The National Veterans' Union held a meeting yesterday, at which were passed resolutions exhorting young men called to the colors to "respond as valiantly as did their elders in 1914."

R. A. FOWLER, M. P. P.



Who will introduce a resolution in the Legislature asking that the Dominion Government be requested to prevent the admission of the Hearst publications into Canada.

PARLIAMENT SUMMARY

TODAY IN PARLIAMENT. Ottawa, April 18.—Today is private members' day, and resolutions standing in the names of private members will be discussed when the House meets at 3 o'clock. Afterwards, if private resolutions are disposed of, the House is expected to continue discussion of estimates of the various departments. The Senate is adjourned until Tuesday evening.

Sinn Feiners to Make Another 'Touch' in U.S.

Convention Is Opening in Chicago Today.

Chicago, April 18.—Sinn Fein sympathizers from all sections of the United States were here today for the opening of the First National Convention of the American Association for the recognition of the Irish Republic. Leaders in the movement to spread Sinn Fein propaganda in the United States were on the program of the two days' assemblage.

Harry J. Boland, chief resident propagandist, in discussing the plans for the conference forecasts another Sinn Fein "touch," declaring they might require one hundred million dollars.

D'ANNUNZIO WILL RETURN TO FIUME ON ELECTION ISSUE

Rome, April 18.—Captain Gabriele D'Annunzio plans to return to Fiume for one day for the purpose of giving out a proclamation to all Italians, setting forth the poet's views regarding the impending general elections in Italy, says Tempo.

RACING MEETS CANCELLED

LONDON, April 18.—(Canadian Associated Press).—Racing, by governmental order, has been abandoned until further notice. This decision has been reached on account of the labor trouble.

Good Weather Conditions Will Aid in Bringing Out Voters—Women's Ballots Will Be Big Factor in Today's Result—If Majority Vote "Yes" Importation Will Be Forbidden and Sandy Bill To Prevent "Short Circuiting" in Province Will Be Enforced.

Toronto, April 18.—From almost every point in Ontario came the report of "fair and mild" weather today for the referendum voting. In the country districts in the southern parts of the province the roads are sloppy. It is rather "hard sledding" for the motors of the modern farmer. However, on the whole, the weather throughout the province, in town, city and country, is one that should bring out a big vote of "Old Man Ontario," and his wife and sisters—and the wife and sisters are expected to be a big factor in today's result.

The vote is definitely and entirely on the question of importation of liquor into the province. If the majority vote is "yes," the Dominion act forbidding importation will become operative on the proclamation of the governor-general, and the provincial measure, known as the "Sandy bill," preventing delivery within the province of liquor manufactured in the province, will also become law. The sale of intoxicating liquor within the province is already illegal, so that the effect of today's balloting will be for a "bona dry" Ontario or with a "no" vote for conditions of importation as they are at present.

3 WINDSOR MEN PAY \$2,500 FOR CARRYING BOOZE

Austin Moran and Tim Hogan Each Fined \$1,000. JAY JUNE ASSESSED \$500.

W. H. Furlong, Counsel for Defence, Maintains Ship-ment Legal.

Austin Moran, Timothy Hogan, two of the carriers of 100 cases of whiskey, which were destined for Windsor, were each fined \$1,000 and costs of six months in jail by Magistrate J. H. Graydon in police court this morning. Jay June was fined \$500, with the option of spending three months in jail, and Fred Bennett was allowed to go free. The fines were paid. The liquor was ordered confiscated.

W. H. Furlong of Windsor was present in court this morning, representing the owner of shipment. He said that the liquor had been acquired in a legal manner, and that the men could not have possessed the shipment as it was not the property of the owner. He charged under section 41 of the Ontario temperance act, which forbids one having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling.

Much Cheaper. It was said that the liquor was sold to the owner, whose name was said to have been Anderson, wanted the liquor as soon as possible as he thought that the referendum result might prevent him from getting it.

R. G. Fisher, who was prosecuting, said that every opportunity was given to the prisoners to present their case, and that if it was opened, he would enter a serious objection to this kind which stirred up the feeling that led to the referendum, the court told the prisoners. There could be no reason for the men being charged under section 41 of the Ontario temperance act, which forbids one having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling.

ONLY CAPTIVE GORILLA IN U. S. SUCUMB TO ATTACK OF PNEUMONIA

New York, April 18.—"John Daniel," the only gorilla in captivity in the United States, died yesterday of pneumonia in his private room at Madison Square Garden, where he was appearing with a circus.

Physicians and medical men did all in their power to save the animal's life, giving him hot drinks, applying hot cloths and administering quinine, but to no purpose.

EMERGENCY TARIFF BILL NOW BEFORE SENATE

Washington, April 18.—The emergency tariff bill, passed by the House last week, began its course in the Senate today. Chairman Penrose stated that the measure probably would not be reported out before late in the week, although it is hoped to press it to final action before the end of next week.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 32; lowest, 28.

NO DAMAGE DONE TO FRUIT BUDS

Fruit Growers of the District Spend Anxious Week-End, However. SEVEN DEGREES OF FROST Genial Rays of Sun Dispersing Sloppy Condition of Streets.

The snowfall and drop in temperature which occurred in the London district during the week-end and on Sunday does not seem to have done any serious damage to the fruit trees, or to have affected to any appreciable extent the prospects of the crop.

The total fall of snow on Sunday was from four to six inches, and for the 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning, the lowest temperature was 25, giving 7 degrees of frost.

This temperature, low as it is, has, as far as can be ascertained, not been severe enough to harm the buds at the present stage of development. The blossoms of the earliest varieties of fruit trees to come to maturity in this district are not yet fully expanded, and therefore the vital part of the blossom has not been exposed. Had the storm come a few days later, the results might have been disastrous so far as early fruits are concerned.

One grower, out Springbank way, collected specimens of all the various blossoms, and on examination of these could not discover signs of any injury beyond a slight brown discoloration of the outer petals of those of the Japanese plum, but not sufficient to injure the quality of the bud.

As for the ordinary field crops, the fall of snow has acted as a protection from the frost, and no detrimental results are anticipated. Had the drop in temperature come a week or so later, the reports as to the effects might have been altogether different. As it is, both fruit men and farmers are congratulating themselves that they have escaped so well, because while the storm lasted and speculation as to what damage it might do, was uncertain, a considerable amount of anxiety prevailed.

So far as the effects of the snow-storm in the city are concerned, "The evening news" for the greater part of Sunday, and in the morning particularly, early church-goers experienced a considerable amount of discomfort, but as the day advanced conditions became more tolerable and today the genial rays of the sun are dispersing not only the snow but the fruit-growers' but the sloppy conditions which have caused the pedestrian to long for the real advent of summer.

ACCEPT CUT IN WAGES.

Montreal, April 18.—The local Longshoremen's Union have agreed to accept a contract from the Shipping Federation for this season which calls for a five per cent cut in wages on last year for day work and a corresponding increase for night work.

MORE INCOMES TO BE TAXED BY THE CITY THIS YEAR

Taxes To Be Paid On Four Million Dollars, Is Prediction. ASSESSMENT DEPT.

Million and a Half More Than Last Year's Figure, States Official.

A million and a half dollars more of incomes will be taxed by the city this year than at any time previously, according to those in close touch with the assessment situation. There has been a decided tightening up in the city assessment department's machinery for dealing with this class of taxation and the results have been greater than expected.

Judging incomes which escaped taxation before are being noted by the assessors this year. An additional clerk in the offices gives her whole time to checking up the income returns, and the work is being much more thoroughly done than when it was handled by wards with real estate taxation.

Previously, incomes to the extent of about two and a half million dollars were taxed each year. It is confidently predicted that taxes will be paid on four million dollars this year. Changes in the assessment act, whereby income from mercantile concerns is taxed, have added somewhat in increasing the tax. This gain has been offset, to some extent, however, by the increase in exemptions. Incomes of single persons are now exempt from city taxation up to \$1,000 instead of \$700, while the incomes of married persons are exempt from the first \$1,700. In addition, there is a further exemption of \$200 for each child in the family.

All the assessment work is going steadily ahead. Most of the outside work in ward 4 has been completed, but there is much compilation to be done yet, and returns for the council will not be ready until the usual date, the 1st of June.

DRURY VOTES "DRY". Ontario Premier Casts Ballot in Home Town.

Toronto, April 18.—A special dispatch to the Star from Barrie, Ont., says: "Premier Drury helped to make Ontario bone dry over the week-end. His addresses a week ago in the three small churches at Dalston, Crown Hill and Edgar created such a good impression that he was invited last evening to speak in Collier Street Methodist Church.

The premier spent the Sabbath at his farm at Crown Hill and before leaving for Toronto today voted to prohibit importation of liquor into the province."

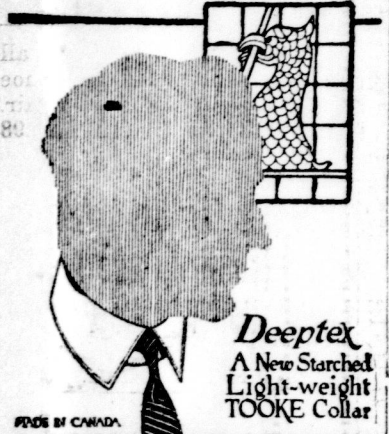
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10,000 HAVE NO CHURCH

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Dr. D. L. McCrae exhorted the con-
gregation at the First Presbyterian
Church on Sunday morning to help to
fulfill the belief coming from secular
sources, that the church would save the
world from its present turmoil. The



Can You Tell a Good
Shoe By Looking at It?

Of course, you can't, and neither
can anyone else, unless they have
had a thorough training in the
making of shoes. Now, this is
where this store protects you
against inferior footwear. Our
buyer has had years of experience
in the manufacturing shoe busi-
ness, and no shoe enters our stock
that is not A1 in every particular.
You can thus shop here with con-
fidence of getting shoes that wear.

Cook's Shoe Store

world had challenged the church to
save it, and it was up to the members
to heed the challenge.

Deeper consecration was needed.
"Hereafter consecration must mean
something real, not mere sentimentality
or emotion," said Dr. McCrae. "It must
mean the surrendering of ourselves to
the almighty and loving Christ."
During the war more money had been
spent to establish peace and good-
will than all the Christian countries had
spent in the centuries previous, a high
authority was quoted as stating
A New World Begun.

A new world had begun since the
world war, and it depended on Christian
people whether it would be a bad one
or a good one.
The preacher said that never before
had he seen the newspapers take so
much interest in religion. Every paper
except one man's paper in Canada
printed an average of an editorial a
week on the question.
Dr. McCrae declared that a man who
knew the city like a book had said
that there were 10,000 people in London
who were not influenced by the church.
The late Rev. W. J. Knox had said that
50 per cent of the young men of the
city lacked religious education. "Is it
any wonder that we breed criminals?"
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Calling to Church.
The whole secular world was calling
for the aid of the church. It was im-
portant that strong, brainy men offer
themselves for the ministry. Too many
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Sensational Stuff.
God as a reality was needed in hu-
man lives. People were losing the
present, personal God. People were go-
ing to hear all kinds of sensational
stuff that had not "enough power in
it to convert an ox."
The speaker had no use for a "long-
face" religion, but wanted one that
would make boys manly and girls wo-
manly.

A little faith in a great God would
fill the churches, he said.
He believed that the world was on
the eve of a great awakening. "To
me the outlook is most encouraging,"
he opined. At the end of the turmoil
would come the Kingdom of God, he
believed.

LONDON WOMAN DIES
AT AGE OF 94 YEARS

Funeral of Mrs. Henrietta Campbell
On Tuesday To Wyoming.

Mrs. Henrietta Campbell, 94 years
old, and a resident of London for many
years, died suddenly at the residence
of her son-in-law, S. Wilson, 216 Rich-
mond street. She is survived by one
son, John R. Campbell of Winnipeg,
and two daughters, Mrs. Wilson and
Mrs. James Anderson of this city. The
funeral will be held on Tuesday at
Wyoming, Ont.

SAYS THAT QUEBEC
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Argument Against Prohibition
That of Murderer and Rob-
ber, Adds Mr. Morris.

TELLS STORY IN DETAIL

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CAPTAINS CHOSEN
FOR BIG CAMPAIGN
OF WELFARE FUND

Dinner For All Workers Will
Be Held Before Drive
Opens.

Captains for the travelers' part in
the local United Welfare Fund Associa-
tion campaign, which will be conducted
in this city from May 8 to 14, were
chosen at the special meeting of the
travelers on Saturday afternoon. The
captains that piloted the teams last
year will be asked to do so this year,
but there will be exceptions, as some
have moved from the city.
Chairman Ald. F. E. Harley an-
nounced that there would be a dinner
for all the workers given at the Te-
cumseh House the Saturday the
travelers go out. Final instruction,
both to captains and their workers
will be given. Efforts will be made
to make every traveler realize that the
campaign is for him to take part in.
All will be asked to assist.
A meeting of the captains will be held
at the clubrooms next Saturday after-
noon, when they will be given districts.
This will leave three weeks for them
to organize their teams.

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Divine Command Upheld
Fighting Pastor in His
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Denounced Traffic.
Rev. Mr. Spracklin spoke for more
than one hour and a half on the refer-
endum liquor fight in general. He
did not mince his words as he told of
the conditions as he knew them to
exist at the border. He revealed the
sins and degradations of the roadhouses
and blindpits, and told in detail the
story of the rum-runners. His denun-
ciation of the traffic and his appeals were
greeted by outbursts of applause time
and again. At no time was he inter-
rupted.

God With Him.
During his introductory he contrasted
his position of last night to many nights
during the fall and winter, when
alone he waited on dark roads for
whiskey-runners. It was easy enough,
he said, to go on fighting when one is
surrounded by friends, but when one
was alone it was so different. Many
times in his work he was borne up only
by the voice of God saying: "Go on,
Spracklin; I am with you."

Had Not Lost Weight.
Despite all his troubles and the hard-
ships, he claimed that he had not lost
weight or sleep, except while on all-
night hunts. He said that it might
please his friends to know that he
weighed 25 pounds more than he did
one year ago. He thanked the people
of London for the loyalty that they had
shown towards him and his fight.
Many there were, he said, who had
claimed that Spracklin had given the
Border Cities a black eye. "It was not
I who did it," he continued, "but the
rum-runners and the liquor elements. I
only turned the spotlight on them, and
they did not like it." He also said that
he had been accused of making capital
and money out of his notoriety. This
was absolutely untrue, for at the present
time he was more than \$50 in arrears,
and that he would do well if he finished
the referendum campaign by breaking
even.

No Use Shaming.
"Some might have criticized a Chris-
tian for going out and coping with the
terrible conditions as I have," he con-
tinued, "but I say to you that I am
not fighting the devil in sham
battles on Sunday and then let him have
his way during the week. There is no
use trying to move water from a floor
without first turning off the tap."
He prophesied that the temperance
forces would win when John Barley-
corn, whom he termed a pirate, bandit,
slayer and a thief, would be tried at
the polls today. It was not a question,
he said, of who would win, but of how
big the majority would be.

League For Damnation.
He denounced the Liberty League and
its propaganda in no uncertain tones,
even going as far as to say that among
other things it stood for damnation.
The league, with its cry for moderation
and its plea for government control or
rather sale, was but trying to cloud
the issue. The question to be settled
today, he said, was not a question of
government control, but whether the
importation was to be stopped. Govern-
ment control, he said, was settled in
1919, when it was defeated by a 240,000
majority. He belittled the assertions
and promises of the members of the
Liberty League that they would send
a memorandum to the government asking
it to control liquor selling.

He used the reception which "Pussy-
foot" Johnston received in Windsor as
a weapon against the league. The
members of this organization took away
from him the freedom of speech, the
first and dearest of an Englishman's
personal rights, he said.
Windle Insulted Province.
His denunciation of the league for
bringing Windle into this country was
met with a storm of applause. It was
an insult to the people of Ontario, he
declared. "A prominent member of the
organization apologized by saying they
didn't know his character, and yet just
because two of my men double-crossed
me, they claimed I should have investi-
gated their characters before they were
hired."

After dealing for some time with the
illicit traffic at the border with its ac-
companying debauchery, he turned to
the ethical and the economical side of
whiskey selling. He gave statistics to
prove that instead of providing revenue
for a government it increased the bur-
den. He blamed much of the existing
insanity, the crime and poverty on
liquor.

Menace to World.
In time he said he believed that so-
ciety would place a whiskey drinker in
the same category as a drug fiend.
They were both a menace to the world.
Special music was provided by the
choir, assisted by Misses Dorothy and
Gertrude Cahill with the violin.

HIKING FROM TORONTO
TO SAN FRANCISCO

S. R. Siegel and Harry Rosenberg To
Make Trip in Four Months.

Carrying a letter of introduction from
Mayor T. L. Church of Toronto, Samuel
Richard Siegel and Harry Rosenberg,
walking from the Quebec City to San
Francisco, arrived in London Sunday
evening, and will remain here until Wed-
nesday. They expect to reach the
Golden Gate in four months' time. They
left Toronto Wednesday morning and
reached Hamilton that night. They left
Brantford Saturday midnight, taking 18
hours for the hike to London, but resting
a few hours at a farmhouse on the way.
En route to San Francisco they will
pay their expenses by selling souvenir
postcards. They are making the trip
purely in the interests of sport, they
state, and along the way are boasting
the Actors' Equity Association, of which
they were formerly members. They
walked from Miami, Florida, to New
York City last summer.

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What could be smarter than the Tuxedo Model, which may be
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We have just received a shipment of Ladies' and Children's Sweater Coats, Blazers and
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are very popular. In our assortment
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all-wool, knitted in plain or fancy stitch;
colors of turquoise, rose, strawberry, Ori-
ental, flamingo, sea green, Kelly, Ameri-
can Beauty, mist, lavender, purple and
heather, also black and white. Prices
ranging from \$6.50 to \$15.00

**Ladies' All-Wool Sweater
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tiest and brightest colors of tango trim-
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also black and white. Prices ranging from
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Blazers and Jumpers
We are showing very smart novelties in
All-Wool Blazers and Jumpers, in fine
Jersey weaves or fancy knit, made with
kimono or set-in sleeves, finished at waist
with fancy belt or braided girdle; colors
of Kelly, purple, gold, flamingo, orange,
Oriental, rose and turquoise, also black
and white. Prices ranging from
\$6.00 to \$11.60

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The above name stands for all that
is reliable in silverware.

This week an expert from the fac-
tory will be in our Silverware De-
partment to show and demonstrate
the different stages in the process of
manufacture and how to take care of
same.

Samples of all patterns will be
shown, including Old Colony, Crom-
well and Louvain.

Visit Silverware Counter this week,
Main Floor.



Exhibition and Sale of
Oriental Rugs Tomorrow

L. Babayan, the well-known importer of Oriental Rugs, will exhibit a wonderful
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in our Carpet Section tomorrow, the sale to continue all this week.

Prices of Oriental Rugs are much reduced now, and intending purchasers will find
this a real opportunity to make selection for such an assortment as will be dis-
played here this week. Out-of-town customers may be assured that they will have
no trouble in finding just the rugs wanted here this week, and will be repaid for
coming a distance to attend this sale. Tuesday to Saturday this week only. Don't
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TWO GENERATIONS
AGO WOMEN WERE
BURNED AS WITCHES

World Is Making Some Pro-
gress, Says Rev. D. C.
MacGregor.

"The King's Highway" was the sub-
ject of a fine address delivered at St.
Andrew's Presbyterian Church on
Sunday morning by Rev. D. C. Mac-
Gregor. He chose his text from the
37th chapter of Isaiah, verses 8 and 10.
"The Jews were in exile," he asserted
in his opening remarks. "Three
things prevented them coming home to
Jerusalem. They were captives of the
wilderness. The road was not safe to
travel on. The prophet came to them
in their despair and told them that
they shall get their freedom; the wil-
derness will be transformed, and a
highway shall be built along which
they can return to their beloved home.
Is Progress Being Made?
"This vision is not yet realized. God
has provided a way to himself in
Jesus. But he has left it to us to make
any progress in this work? Are we
gaining a victory over the forces that
kill and destroy? At first sight we
might feel the world could scarcely be
in a worse condition than it is at
present. But to get the true answer
we must glance at the pages of his-
tory. Here we shall see that the
enemies of mankind are one by one
being destroyed. Medicine is making
progress in the destruction of disease.
Only a few centuries ago plagues peri-
odically swept over England and took
70,000 lives. Science is destroying
superstition. Only a generation or two
ago witches were burned at the stake,
and many innocent people were put to
death.

LONDON I. L. P. WANTS
HOMUTH TO EXPLAIN

Decides To Ask Provincial Executive
To Call Him To Account.

London branch of the Independent
Labor party decided Sunday afternoon
to ask the provincial executive to re-
quire an explanation from Carl Ho-
muth, M.L.A., Waterloo County, for
his attitude on the gas question. A
discussion over the resolution which
was finally carried occupied the greater
part of the meeting.

It was decided to meet, commencing
with May, only every second Sunday.

Harry Kerwin, organizer for the Ma-
chinists' Union, addressed the labor
forum Sunday evening in the Labor
Temple. He emphasized the need of
the labor party, and said that thou-
sands of trades unionists did not real-
ize the need for a strong political party.
He complained of a lack of stability in
the labor movement. There was, for
one thing, too great a tendency for
labor men to cry "agitator" whenever
one of their numbers advocated politi-
cal organization and activity.

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WETS AND DRIES CLAIM VICTORY AT TODAY'S POLL

Large Sums of Money Spent Throughout Province by Both Parties.

TORONTO, April 17.—At the conclusion tonight of one of the hardest fought battles on the prohibition question ever engaged in the Province of Ontario, both "wets" and "drys" claimed a victory in prospect at the polls tomorrow. Throughout the province an exceptionally active campaign has been carried on by both the Ontario referendum committee and the Citizens' Liberty League. Large sums of money have been spent by both sides in advertising in the daily press and in the printing and distribution of circulars, pamphlets and handbills and instructions as to how to vote.

In the matter of big billboard advertising in this city the Liberty League seems to have scored over the referendum committee, as injunctions to vote "No" and declarations to the effect that no real man would observe a prohibition law have been starting out from billboards in letters large enough to be read almost half a block away. Intimations by the league in its advertising matter that if the "No's" carry the day it will mean the institution of government control of liquor have been met day after day by the referendum committee's vigorous denial of government control being an issue in the vote tomorrow, and the declaration that the only question at issue is: "Shall the importation, sale and bringing of intoxicating liquors into the province be forbidden?"

Great Mass Meetings. The campaign has been marked by numerous "mass" meetings, both for and against prohibition, and in Toronto, the wind-up came today by prohibition meetings in Massey Hall and Cook's Presbyterian Church, and by big meetings in the arena under the auspices of the Citizens' Liberty League. At the prohibition meeting the chief speaker was Dr. C. W. Saleeby, F.R.S., chairman of the national birthing commission, London, Eng., and chairman of the executive of the World League Against Alcoholism, who represented Great Britain at a meeting of the executive of the World League in New York last week. The Liberty League speakers in the arena were Sergeant Major McNamara, M.L.A., Riverdale, Toronto, and J. Harry Flynn, organizer of the Grand Army of United Veterans.

EXPECT HEAVY POLL.

WOODSTOCK, April 17.—A heavy vote is predicted tomorrow on the referendum question. The temperance forces have a well-organized force ready to get out their vote, while those in favor of importation, while not organized, claim a heavy vote will be polled by the "wets." The opinion seems to be that the city will go "wet" with the urban centres more or less off-setting this with a big majority in favor of "home dry." Tonight the temperance forces closed their big rally in the opera house, at which the Hon. L. D. Dickinson, ex-governor of Michigan, was the principal speaker. Alex. Donald, M.C., of this city, was the second speaker.

SARNIA, April 17.—Little interest was shown in the referendum vote at the special poll for railwaymen, sailors and travelers, and it is reported that

few votes had been cast when the poll closed on Saturday night.

Today the majority of the local preachers used temperance subjects for their sermons, which wound up the referendum fight in this city. Little interest is shown in the election on the part of the "wets," and a last-minute rally failed to rouse the followers of the Liberty League.

HELD MASS MEETING. INGERSOLL, April 17.—Under the auspices of the referendum committee a mass meeting, which completely filled the Mason Theatre, was held this afternoon and presided over by J. A. Coulter.

MEETING AT MASSEY HALL. TORONTO, April 17.—Dr. C. W. Saleeby, F.R.S., chairman of the National birthing commission, London, Eng., and chairman of the executive of the World League Against Alcoholism, addressed a large gathering in Massey Hall this afternoon, also a gathering in Cook Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance. Admission to Massey Hall was by ticket. The meeting was fairly quiet, but there was an occasional interruption from some "wets" in the audience. Pleading for the future of Canada, Dr. Saleeby said there were two great enemies to fear—alcoholism and venereal disease—poisons that would reduce the most virile race to idleness in one generation. The disease was an accompaniment of alcohol. It was for the people of Ontario to decide on Monday whether they were going to keep these racial poisons out of the country. The British people were watching with great concern the result of the vote on the referendum, Dr. Saleeby said.

ONE LONE HECKLER.

TORONTO, April 17.—Winding up the referendum campaign for the "drys" the Citizens' Liberty League and Grand Army of United Veterans held a joint mass meeting in the arena tonight, when about 7,000 persons were present. One lone heckler, who was removing the building by a policeman; otherwise the meeting was quiet and orderly.

I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., president of the Liberty League, and chairman of the meeting, said the league's slogan was "Moderation." The soldiers, he said, had fought to preserve the liberties of the "anemics," who were now trying to take the liquor from them. He did not regard this as fair play, he said. Mr. Hellmuth intimated that if the prohibitionists won on Monday they would next attack tobacco, dancing, racing and every innocent form of Sunday recreation. He characterized prohibition as "wicked and unchristian."

Addresses were given by Sergeant Major Joseph MacNamara, M. L. A., Riverdale, Toronto, and Sergeant J. Harry Flynn, organizer of the Grand Army of United Veterans.

BOY HIT BY AUTO IS SERIOUSLY HURT

BRANTFORD, April 17.—Eugene Dewey, a 10-year-old lad, whose home is at 60 Arthur street, was struck by an automobile Saturday noon and had his chest crushed. The machine was driven by Henry Storey, House of Refuge superintendent. The accident occurred in front of the Y. M. C. A. The boy was taken to his home in the ambulance, and is suffering considerably. An auto truck, owned by Edward Gillard, was badly turned this morning when gasoline in the engine caught fire while the machine was standing outside a garage at the corner of Clarence and Dalhousie streets.

Chief Green of Paris reports that Maud Bridge, a 17-year-old girl of that town, has been missing since Thursday night. It is thought that the girl is somewhere in Brantford.

Patetic Scene As William Pays Last Tribute to Dead

Contrast Between Former Glory and Present Humiliation of Great Over Lord Never More Marked Than At Funeral Ceremonies.

DOORN, April 17.—Never was contrast between former glory and present state of humiliation more accentuated than when Wilhelm, the former German emperor, followed the body of his wife, former Empress Augusta Victoria, to the railroad station at Maarn, where he intrusted the body of his faithful companion of his grandeur and his sorrow to his sons and friends to take back to the fatherland.

The emperor that was and the ex-crown prince and the other sons present were attired in full uniform of the Prussian Guard, their helmets crepe covered.

The funeral procession arrived at the little station at Maarn in darkness only broken by the lights from a few lamps on the railway embankment. First came a huge car covered with flowers, followed by servants, who loaded the wreaths into the railway carriage. About ten minutes later the hearse arrived, flashing powerful searchlights. It was draped with black cloth with white cross and border. From the next car Chaplain Dryander alighted, wearing black robes.

Sees Seclusion. Immediately behind came an automobile carrying the former emperor and his daughter, Princess Louise, which drove on until it reached a shelter of shrubs, hiding it from view.

Frederick William, the former crown prince, and Prince Adalbert, in long grey mantles, walked briskly forward, and other members of the family alighted from their cars—Prince Oscar, the Duke of Brunswick, Prince Fiersteinberg, General von Conrad, the king of Sweden and a number of Dutch officials closed the procession.

A Brief Oration. When all had collected around the coffin the court chaplain, Dr. Dryander, who took the text of his sermon from the tenth verse of the second chapter of Revelations, "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life."

Princess Louise entered and remained for a few moments. Then the emperor led the way to the cars in which the other members of the party were to sleep tonight and remain during their journey. He thanked them all and took leave of them. For a brief period Wilhelm became dimly visible to those who had gathered to watch the ceremony, his figure that of a man broken by sorrow. Princess Louise entered the automobile with her father, the door closed and the car glided on, carrying the exile back to confinement at Doorn, to face his fate without the loving wife who until now had shared his humiliation.

Soon after the departure of the former emperor, the ex-crown prince left the station precincts and returned to the castle, with the Duke of Brunswick and others who are staying in Holland. The last farewell visit to the funeral car will be paid tomorrow morning before it proceeds to Potsdam. Those who remained on the train to accompany the body included Prince Adalbert and his wife, Prince Oscar, Prince Fiersteinberg, Countess von Keller, Countess von Rantzen and Baron von Spitzenberg.

EX-EMPEROR SOBS DURING FUNERAL SERVICES AT DOORN

DOORN, Holland, April 18.—A service in mourning for the former German Emperor Augusta Victoria was held in Doorn Castle this morning, attended by all the members of the former imperial household, some of its most intimate friends and several officials of the Dutch Government.

The service was an affecting one. The progress of the funeral was frequently sobbed, and at one point seemed at the verge of a breakdown. Former Crown Prince Frederick William, his brothers Adalbert and Oscar and others of the mourning party were visibly moved as they knelt before the catafalque bearing the coffin in which lay the body.

The service was conducted by Dr. Dryander, the former court chaplain, who took the text of his sermon from the tenth verse of the second chapter of Revelations, "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life."

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LIVED FOR 24 DAYS WITH BROKEN BACK

Dr. J. Lancaster, Tillsonburg, Succumbed Sunday To Injuries Received March 24.

TILLSONBURG, April 17.—Dr. J. Lancaster died this afternoon, 24 days after having his back broken when his car was struck by an M. C. R. express at the town crossing on North Broadway on March 24, despite the efforts of some of the most eminent specialists in the country to save his life.

Deceased was a well-known and highly-esteemed citizen of the town and district, and as a physician was making wonderful progress. He was born at Colodien and first practiced at Mount Elgin, later coming to Tillsonburg, and after a few years moved to St. Thomas, where he later moved to City. On completing his post-graduate course in that city he returned to Tillsonburg and purchased the Dr. McDonald estate, Harvey street, and enjoyed a large practice.

A prominent in local lodges, being the medical officer for Otter Lodge, No. 50, I. O. O. F., and a member of King Hiram Lodge, A. F. and A. M. In February, 1919, he was elected Liberal and politics he was a staunch Liberal and a keen supporter of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He is survived by his wife, one sister, Mrs. Staples of Woodstock, and three brothers, Drs. W. Blake and Robert, all in Dakota. Deceased was in his 48th year. The funeral services will be held from his late residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. to the Mount Elgin Cemetery for interment.

INCREASED RATES CUT RAILWAY'S BUSINESS

British Railways Greatly Depressed Since Adoption of New Rates.

LONDON, April 17.—The statement of the receipts and expenditures of British railways for the month of February shows a greater adverse balance than for the month of January. While the inability of the railways to make a satisfactory showing here may be accounted for by the general depression in trade, there is in some quarters a belief that the increased rates have helped to develop business depression and incidentally to accentuate difficulties of the railways.

In some quarters it is being urged that the railways would find it remunerative to lower rates, and at the same time make conditions more favorable for a business revival.

NO REASONABLE HOPE OF UNITED ACTION. LONDON, April 17.—At the close of a two-hour session of the Triple Alliance executives at Unity House this morning, Robert Williams, secretary of the Transport Workers Federation, is said to have declared that the railwaymen had been compelled to cancel their proposed strike in sympathy with the miners because "No reasonable hope remained of securing the spontaneous united action of the three bodies, which was so essential to give the miners' federation the assistance they sought."

A partial sympathetic strike would have been ineffective, the statement points out. Up to Thursday evening, it continues, there was every hope of a tremendous display of workingclass solidarity, but circumstances destroyed the firm ground on which the strike call was based.

The Triple Alliance conference, added Mr. Williams, profoundly regretted the changed situation.

FOURTEEN INCHES OF SNOW. DENVER, Col., April 17.—The Rocky Mountain region Saturday was slowly recovering from the effects of the worst storm of the winter, which Friday covered the district with a snow covering ranging from 11 to 14 inches, blocked railroads and paralyzed wire communication in most directions from Denver.

MEIGHEN SEEKS TO PLACE BLAME 20 YEARS BACK

Declares That Many Railways in Dominion Are Premature by 30 Years.

BLAMES OPPOSITION

Premier Asserts That Majority Rule Is Going To Prevail.

TORONTO, April 17.—Premier Arthur Meighen had a busy time in Toronto on Saturday. He arrived here Saturday morning, accompanied by his ten-year-old daughter Lillian, and Senator Smear White, Montreal; W. H. Sharpe, Winnipeg, and Col. Harold Daly, acting private secretary to the prime minister, and left late Saturday night for Ottawa. Mrs. Meighen, who had been visiting in Toronto a couple of days, returned with her husband to the capital. Deputations and callers were received by the premier at the King Edward Hotel Saturday morning; a luncheon at the Albany Club at noon was followed by conferences with prominent local Conservatives; a reception to Premier and Mrs. Meighen was given in the afternoon at the Women's Liberal-Conservative Association of Toronto; in the evening Premier Meighen addressed a memorial tablet in the armories, and Saturday night he addressed a large audience under the auspices of the Conservative Club.

In his speech Saturday night, Mr. Meighen discussed the difficulties which confront the country during the present period of reconstruction and readjustment, the transportation problem; the problem of the mercantile marine, and the fiscal policy of the Government.

Alleges Obstruction. Incidentally, he referred to the alleged obstructive tactics of the opposition, saying that the Government had no trouble in passing its measures through the House of Commons, and he announced that the business of the country would be put through with all possible dispatch and without any undue waste of time.

"In a word," he said, amid applause, "the Government intends that the majority in the House is going to rule, and that the rule of the majority shall prevail." The Government, he added, was not going to be thwarted by the tactics of Opposition, no matter who might compose the Opposition.

Referring to the present unsettled conditions in the world, Premier Meighen contrasted Canada's position favorably with that of other countries, and said that the unemployment question was worse in other countries than in the Dominion. The transportation was one of Canada's greatest problems at the present time, the premier said. The problem, he said, was all the greater because of the tremendous error the country committed thirteen and twenty years ago.

Premature Railways.

Beyond all question the country was led astray at that time, he asserted. He pointed out that at the time of the construction of the lines from Moncton to Winnipeg and from Winnipeg to the Pacific Coast, there was no reasonable traffic to be expected for thirty years. They had railways through the Dominion now which were premature to the extent of thirty years, and the cost of construction, although it had been colossal, was only one of the elements

under which the country was now laboring. The other element was the question of operation. The lines having been constructed, the Government could not now desert either the commerce or the population affected. The burden of both was now upon the country. Premier Meighen outlined the steps which had led to the Government taking over control of the Grand Trunk Railway system, and the present arbitration proceedings, which he said caused disadvantageous circumstances for the operation of the railway and declared that the Government was determined to handle the system to the best advantage.

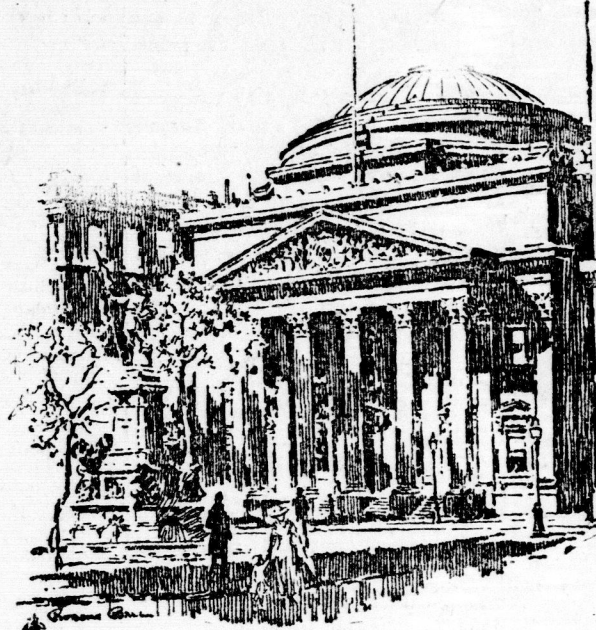
Blames the Opposition. The events leading up to the establishment of the Government mercantile marine were described by Premier Meighen. In this connection he referred to the obstructive tactics of the Opposition in Parliament, and said that of the \$8,300,000 asked for by the Government \$5,000,000 was voted for by members of the Opposition last year, yet the Opposition devoted to vote for it again.

Premier Meighen devoted some attention to the Government's fiscal policy and set forth reasons why a protective policy should be maintained.

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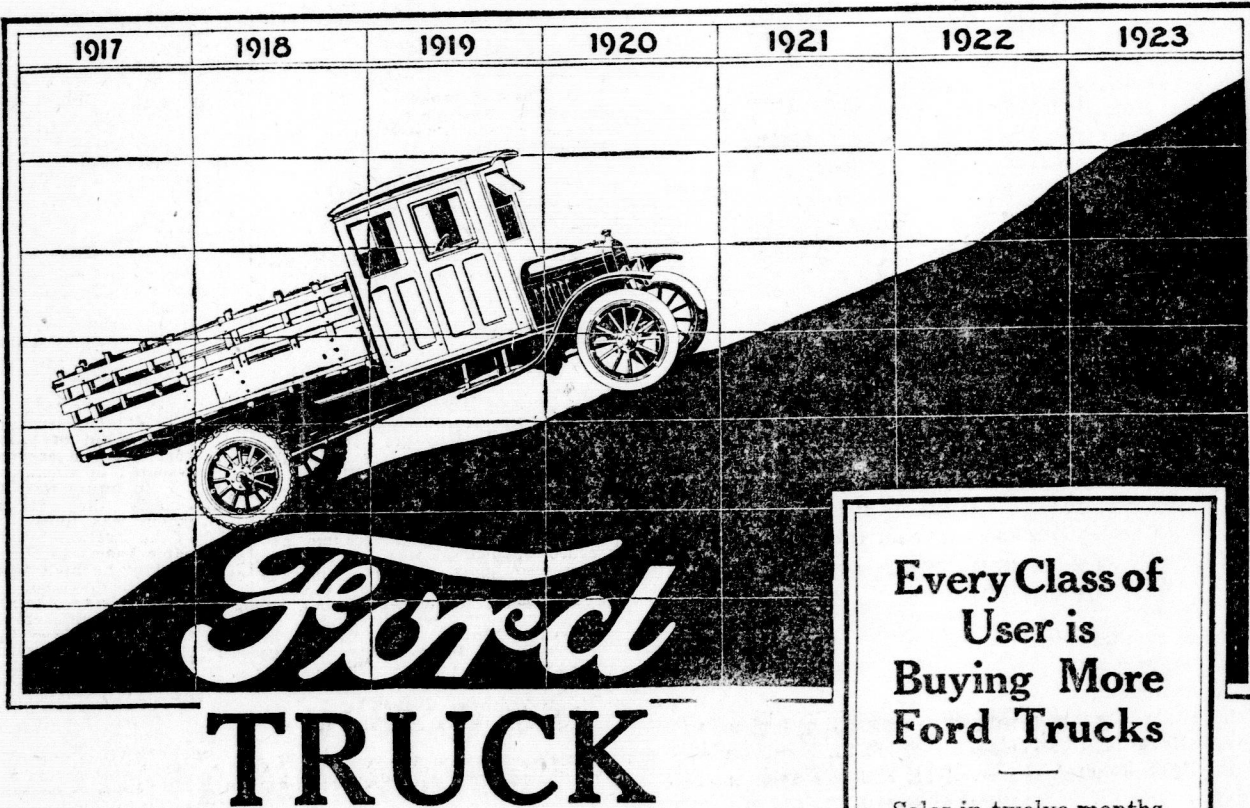
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PAGE OF INTERESTS TO WOMEN

THE BEST WAY TO KEEP UNIVERSITY WOMEN IN CANADA

Address To University Women's Club On "Vocational Guidance."

"Vocational Guidance" or "The Best Way To Keep University Women in Canada" was the subject of a vasty interesting address delivered on Saturday night before the University Women's Club by Miss Elsinore MacPherson of Toronto, convenor of the committee on vocations, National Federation of University Women, who has spent two years in research work on this subject. Her address included an

estimation of the salaries, training and extent to which the university women have entered professions in Canada, the difficulties which confront them as women, and the machinery which exists for their putting them in touch with positions.

"The vocations committee has undertaken a new scheme for the placing of university women in Canada," she declared. "This scheme there will be one representative of that committee in each city of Canada, who will be responsible for the placing of university women in that city, and who will be the head of a local sub-committee to undertake that work. As the plan runs, a university woman wishing to seek employment in London, for example, will be referred to the local committee here for advice as to what positions may be open to her in London. At the end of three years the vocations committee expects to take its results to the Government and encourage the body to open professional employment bureaux in the province."

Trained Workers. The speaker emphasized the great necessity of trained workers. "There are many occupations open to women today if they have the technical training necessary to fill them," she said. Of these occupations, the speaker mentioned teaching, university work, lecturing, medicine, law, all kinds of social work in industrial houses, along the lines of health, town planning, housing, mothers' pension administration, etc.; nursing, journalism, scientific work, library work, stocks and bonds, insurance, etc.

In referring to teaching, the speaker declared that on investigation she had found that the high school teachers' salaries in Ontario were as high or higher than the highest salaries in the United States. The profession of nursing had rarely been undertaken by university graduates, she said, and that they were badly needed in that profession for executive heads, here was a wide field for them.

Problems To Meet. Some of the problems which university women meet were equal pay for equal work, which men were beginning to see must come, as women were tending to outbid them for "jobs." Lack of experience and the woman's profession, this difficulty being sometimes overcome by women continuing their profession after marriage; the difference between a man's and a woman's training; the difference between their leisure hours (a man not having to darn his own socks, etc.). These problems would all have to be worked out eventually, she said, and the main thing for university women to do was to secure the proper training for the position which they wished to fill.

Suggested plans for next year's work by the local club were submitted at this meeting to be voted on later, the plans including the study of such interesting subjects as Italy, Russia, and the Balkans.

Advertiser Patterns. Owing to the pattern manufacturer's strike, the price of patterns to us, all patterns advertised from this date will be 15 CENTS EACH.

Tomorrow—A Deep Game. (Copyright, 1921, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

AUSTRIAN EMPRESS AND HER CHILDREN. Unless she gave 24 hours' notice, the beautiful Empress Elizabeth of Austria, consort of the late Emperor Francis Joseph, was forbidden by the iron etiquette of the court to see her own babies.

They were strangers to her practically from the day of their birth, and in his book, "Royal Romances and Tragedies," Charles Kingston tells how once an elderly physician ventured to suggest to the emperor that if Elizabeth saw something of her children, she might awaken out of the melancholy trance into which she had fallen.

For a time Francis Joseph angrily declined to vary the rigid rule which required her to give notice of her intention to the chamberlain.

Even when the visit took place, it was not a case of happy little children welcoming their mother with cries of delight. First the royal governesses had the children dressed in stiff, ceremonial clothes, and then drilled in the way they were to receive their mother. On the appearance of the empress, therefore, the children, who under the Austrian system of education had no chance to be human, simply bowed as though they were elderly courtiers, the such a man had to look at the lowest of the low, and that every man and woman in Ontario should use their vote to drive out the boogeyman and rum runner from the land.

At this meeting an egg shaver was held for the Byron Banatorium, a crate of eggs being contributed.

Miss Mary Ingram, whose marriage takes place this week, was recently presented with a handsome reading lamp by the office staff of the G. T. R. freight office.

Mr. Reginald Martyn, whose marriage to Miss Mary Ingram takes place this week, was the host of a very jolly street party held at his home, Palace street, last Friday.

The Normal School girls' basketball team, which played at the home of the team at Alma College on Saturday afternoon, when the London girls played the Alma College team.

The Nightingale Club hopes to add many more dollars to the share of the Hospital Fund on Friday, April 23, when the members will hold a dance at the Springfield pavilion. Already \$500 has been raised by the club towards this cause.

Mrs. Florence Cunningham, accompanied by her brother, Mr. George Sparkman of Detroit, were week-end guests with Mrs. Arthur Harris, Maitland street, and before returning home will visit Mr. Edward Sparkman, Mount Brydges.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Steele were delightedly surprised on Friday night last, when they were presented with a handsome cut-glass rose basket by the choir of the Chelsea Green Presbyterian Church. The presentation was made by Mr. Frank Aldridge, while Miss Peggy Smith read the address.

Miss Frances Wilson, daughter of Mr. R. Wilson, at one time general secretary for the local Y. M. C. A., and now in Lansing, Michigan, has returned home after completing her three years' training course at Victoria Hospital. Miss Wilson will return to London for the graduation exercises in May, going later to New York, where she will take a post-graduate course in nursing.

LEE-ANGUS. One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place on Thursday, April 14, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ballantyne, when Miss Edith Irene Angus, daughter of Mrs. Ballantyne, became the bride of Mr. Sidney Lee. The bride was dressed in white satin and georgette with veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Gertrude Pau, cousin of the bride, was dressed in pale pink crepe de chine and carried pink roses. Many beautiful gifts were showered upon the young couple, who left immediately after the wedding supper for a brief honeymoon trip. On their return they will reside at 599 Grey street.

STEWART-GIBSON. A pretty wedding took place on April 14 at the Colborne Street Methodist par-

sonage, the Rev. Judson Kelly officiating, when Vera Gibson, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. Gibson, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart, this city.

The bride, who wore a becoming suit of midnight blue tulle, with hat to match, and a corsage bouquet of Sunset roses, was attended by her sister, Miss M. Gibson, and Mr. E. Hewston acted as groomsmen.

After the ceremony, the party repaired to the home of the bride's mother, where a dainty luncheon was served, after which the happy couple left on a short honeymoon trip to Toronto and points east.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will reside in London.

MORRIS-HANDY. A wedding of considerable interest was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Handy, 2401 street, Blenheim, Ont., at 5 o'clock in the afternoon on April 14, when Miss Bernice Genevieve Handy, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Handy, became the bride of William Morris, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris of Leithbridge, Alb.

The Rev. Mr. Jones of the Methodist Church officiating.

The home was prettily decorated with evergreens and streamers. A bridal arch was made of evergreens, pink and white flowers with a large white bell hanging in the centre and a smaller one on each side. As the clock struck 5 Miss Genevieve Handy opened the wedding ceremony by playing the wedding march, and the bride and groom took their places beneath the arch, the bride being given away by her father. Throughout the ceremony Miss Sterling played very softly "The Spring Song." The bride looked very beautiful in a gown of white satin, trimmed with silver lace, and a veil of white net being caught up by sprays of orange blossom, and she carried a bouquet of white roses with streamers of white ribbons.

Miss Annie Winnifred Lawrence, the bridesmaid, looked very charming in a gown of pink silk and georgette, trimmed with gold beads. She carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations.

Miss Helen Knight, the flower girl, looked sweet in dainty white satin and pearl trimmings, and carried the ring in a basket of white roses and sweet peas.

Mr. Percy Niven Morris of Midland, a brother of the groom, acted as best man.

After the ceremony dinner was served. Mrs. Handy, mother of the bride, gave the bride a beautiful black satin. The only near relatives of the groom present were Mr. and Mrs. George Walker and a great-aunt, Mrs. J. C. Morley, who had travelled by motor from Chatham and Toronto, where they will reside, the bride wearing a suit of navy blue tulle, a flowered hat with veil and a fur. Among the many beautiful presents were two handsome checks.

The groom's gift to the bride was a ring, to the flower girl a ring, to the pianist a harp pin, and to the best man a tie pin.

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MARRIED.
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DIED.
CAMPBELL—At the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. S. Wilson, 216 Richmond street, on Sunday, April 17, 1921, Henrietta Campbell, widow of late James F. Campbell, in her 94th year.
Funeral from the above address, on Tuesday, April 19, to G. T. R. station. Services at 10:30 a.m. Friends and acquaintance please accept this intimation. Interment at Wyoming.
KENNEDY—At the family residence, 278 Wharncliffe road north, on Sunday, April 17, 1921, Margaret, dearly beloved wife of Robert Kennedy, aged 74 years.
Funeral private on Tuesday, April 19, 1921, at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30 p.m.
IN MEMORIAM.
BASSETT—In loving memory of Elizabeth, the beloved wife of Henry Bassett, who passed away on April 18, 1920.
Her spirit has fled, all her sufferings are o'er.
At the hearth of our home she will join us no more.
Though her loss we do mourn, we know she is above
Waiting for those who on earth she did love.
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BASSETT—In loving memory of my dear friend, Mrs. Henry Bassett, who passed away one year ago today, April 18, 1920.
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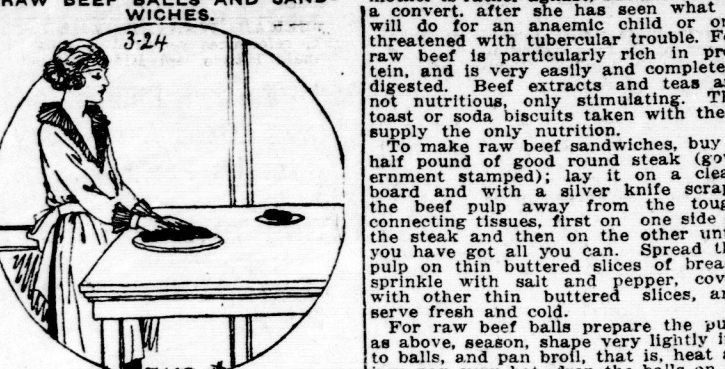
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For raw beef balls prepare the pulp as above, season, shape very lightly in balls, dip in hot oil, then in an iron pan very hot, drop the balls on it, sear them quickly on both sides and serve at once on small rounds of buttered toast. (Copyright, 1921, The Metropolitan Newspaper Service.)

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Is peanut butter a wholesome, nutritious, economical and readily digestible food? How does it compare with butter? Are peanuts all right to feed to children? Are peanuts as desirable as plain roasted peanuts?

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Peanut butter represents about 2,330 calories to the pound. It is not quite so nutritious as an equal weight of butter, yet it is a far more economical spread than butter, and in my judgment, a far better substitute for butter than any kind of margarine.

It is a mistake to consider peanuts as a special indulgence or an extra. It would be more to the point to call peanut butter or bread a special indulgence. A bread made with a mixture of one part peanut flour and three parts wheat flour furnishes an adequate amount of protein or nitrogenous matter and also

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Children are young animals. Any child old enough to eat bread may be given peanuts as a regular or at least a frequent part of the diet, not as a treat.

Mind, I do not say that peanut flour is preferable to wheat flour, or that peanuts can displace wheat in our diet. I do say that a bread made with four parts peanut flour is superior in a nutritive way to the white flour bread most people eat, though not superior to real staff of life made from flour that has not been robbed of its vitamins and its mineral elements in the process of milling.

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BOLSHEVISM DYING,

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Member of the House Saw

Many Signs of Reviving of Business on European Trip.

New York, April 17.—Bolshevism is dying in Europe in the opinion of Representative Walter M. Chandler of the Holland-American Line. He praised the work of the Red Cross and other relief organizations operating on the continent.

"From outward appearances I found affairs about the same as when I went abroad two years ago," said Mr. Chandler. "I found the same depressed currency, the same poverty, misery, commercial stagnation and industrial paralysis. The scars of war are still visible and the graves of the dead are ever present."

"But in the face of all this there are unmistakable signs of improvement, and the dawning of a better day undoubtedly is at hand. The signs of approaching regeneration are more spiritual and intellectual than tangible and material. The great and hopeful sign is the prospect of an early dissolution and disappearance of Bolshevism in its radical form. Leningrad, the high priest, has pronounced the end of ceremonies, and the world is saying amen and joining in the doxology."

"I do not mean to say that radicalism of a dangerous character has passed out, but I do mean to say that Bolshevism of the radical form of two years ago is dead and all good men will rejoice at the thought."

"At various times and places in my travels I remarked the failure of radical propaganda. I was in Paris during the recent by-election for members of the Chamber of Deputies and witnessed the rout of the Red forces and the triumph of the friends of law and order."

"From the galleries of the German Reichstag I listened to the speech of a radical Socialist who loudly proclaimed the doctrine of Bolshevism, but noted with satisfaction that his remarks were greeted by no considerable applause."

"At Revel, about a month ago, the Estonians celebrated the third anniversary of their independence. Parades were the order of the day. The Russian Reds tried to organize a counter-demonstration, but were promptly suppressed by the police of the brave little republic that has refused from the beginning to have anything to do with Bolshevism."

"Again, while I was in London, I witnessed a most interesting proceeding at the foot of Nelson's monument in Trafalgar Square. An anarchist orator waved a red flag and harangued a big crowd for more than thirty minutes. Only shouts of denunciation and derision greeted his remarks. When I suggested to a policeman that the meeting

should be broken up he replied indifferently, 'Oh, no. The city authorities have issued a permit, and it is better to let them blow it off.' Rock-ribbed and conservative England has ceased to fear and apprehension. They regard them more as a nuisance than a menace."

"What I saw in Vienna and Warsaw appalled me. In one hospital in Vienna I saw 250 children from 5 to 10 years of age suffering from rickets as a result of undernourishment. Most of them were deformed and waiting to have their legs broken and reset. The superintendent told me that if all the little ones were discharged as cured he could refill the hospital a dozen times over in a day."

"I learned from Dr. Lorenz, the surgeon, that the average child of Vienna is about four inches below the normal height, and sixteen and one-half pounds below the normal weight. I also learned that it is a distressing fact of frequent occurrence that boys and girls, asking for relief from severe pains in their feet or legs are found to be dragging themselves on broken bones which have seven aching aneurysms which have to be eliminated by the unhealthful condition of emaciated bodies."

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LONDON GREEKS NOT ANXIOUS TO AID CONSTANTINE

Majority Do Not Believe in Present Form of Government.

From information gleaned from among many of the Greek residents of this city it is quite evident that Greece will receive little aid from her sons in this city in her present struggles against the ancient enemy, the Turks. Few local Greeks take seriously on the surface at least, the announcement made in a dispatch emanating from Montreal today, that Greece has recalled for immediate services, all reservists in 1912, 1914, and 1915, which King Constantine might do. Almost without exception the 100 or so Greeks in this city favor a republic with Venizelos at its head. They are prepared to go to any length to assist their country when a popular form of government is established.

Apparently the trouble is not in a lack of patriotism, but seemingly the majority of Greeks here are hostile to King Constantine or anything which King Constantine might do. Almost without exception the 100 or so Greeks in this city favor a republic with Venizelos at its head. They are prepared to go to any length to assist their country when a popular form of government is established.

One Greek interviewed claimed that he had one brother fighting now, and that one was enough.

Two Macedonians were quite eager to prove that they were not Greeks. They were quite desirous to show that they were just as soon be under the rule of Turkey as under the control of Greece. They claimed that they would disregard any call to the colors, for they had no intention of fighting for a foreign country.

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METHODISTS LEAD VAN OF FIGHT FOR FULL PROHIBITION

Baptist Pastor Preaches On "Knocking the 'Whiz' Out of Whiskey."

Today's referendum was the theme of most sermons in city churches Sunday. Clergymen of every denomination exhorted their congregations to exercise their franchise. Addresses ranged all the way from direct appeals to vote "Yes" and stop the importation of liquor to reminders that it was the duty of every citizen to cast a ballot.

The Methodist churches were in the van of the fight for the stopping of importation. The feature of this last rally was the address of Rev. Mr. Spracklin at the Dundas Centre Methodist Church. At Askin Street Church Rev. T. Cosby Morris spoke on "Liberty and The Women's Cause at the Polls." The first Methodist Church held a special musical and temperance praise service in the evening. At Hyatt Avenue Church the pastor, Rev. George McKinley, took as his topic, "Is Your Duty to Vote Yes?" Mrs. Harrison of the W. C. T. U. made a final appeal in support of the prohibition party at Wellington Street Church.

Baptists Are Active.
Baptist churches also took a leading part in appealing for a "Yes" vote. Rev. N. S. McKeechie at the Wortley Road Church spoke on "What Shall We Do on Monday?" Knocking the "Whiz Out of Whiskey" was the topic of Rev. T. S. Roy at the Talbot Street Baptist Church.

Presbyterian ministers made appeals on behalf of the "dry" forces. Rev. D. L. McCrae at Hamilton Road Church prefaced his sermon with an appeal of this kind.

In Other Churches.
Rev. W. R. McIntosh's sermon at King Street Presbyterian Church on "The Unknown Warrior" was centered on democracy and drink. "The Curse of Strong Drink" was the topic of Rev. James McKay's sermon at New St. James' Church.

References to the referendum were made in nearly all the Anglican churches. Rev. Leslie Armistead at St. James' Church, based his entire morning sermon on the question of "Yes or No." At the other churches the matter was dealt with in short addresses preceding the sermons or as part of the sermons themselves.

INGERSOLL VETERANS COMMEMORATE YPRES
Attended Service At Church of Sacred Heart Sunday Morning.
INGERSOLL, April 17.—Death came to Katherine L. Ryan, wife of Hugh Cassidy of St. Thomas, rather suddenly today at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan, of Albert street. Mrs. Cassidy, who was in her 56th year, underwent a rather serious operation a few weeks ago and her complete recovery was expected. Her death came as a great shock. She is survived by her husband and three children.

Members of the local branch of the G. W. A. celebrated the sixth anniversary of the battle of Ypres this morning by attending divine service at the Church of the Sacred Heart. They were escorted to the church by the band of the Salvation Army. An inspiring sermon was preached by Rev. Father Gnam.

DEPUTATION TO URGE HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS

Middlesex and Elgin Municipalities To Send Representatives To Ottawa.

WANT PLANS COMPLETED
Port Stanley Railroad and Village Are At Variance Over Bridge.

At a meeting of representatives of the various municipalities and others interested in the improvement of Port Stanley harbor, held in the London Chamber of Commerce on Saturday, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"That the municipalities and others interested be asked to send a deputation to Ottawa at an early date, provided that an agreement is reached between the London and Port Stanley Railway Board and Port Stanley Village regarding the bridge."

The following were present at the meeting: Representing St. Thomas, Mayor F. L. Brinkman, ex-Mayor E. A. Horton, W. B. Doherty, city clerk, and George Geddes, of the board of trade; representing the London and Port Stanley Railway, Sir Adam Beck, Philip Pocock and J. E. Richards, manager; The chamber of commerce was represented by John M. Moore, F. W. McFarland, W. N. Manning and Gordon Phillips, secretary. Ald. P. J. Watt was present from London City Council.

J. M. Moore presided, and at the outset of the proceedings made a statement regarding the steps which had already been taken in the matter.

Mr. Moore said that last year a joint deputation representing Port Stanley, St. Thomas and London, and Elgin and Middlesex Counties, visited Ottawa, and in conference with the deputy minister of public works, Mr. J. B. Hunter, and the Hon. Dr. Reid, minister of railways, an understanding was arrived at concerning the future development of Port Stanley harbor.

Gradual Improvement.
The program for the gradual improvement of the harbor included the following:

The building of a new east pier making a 175-foot channel between it and the present west pier; the removal of the old and partly submerged east pier, the extension of the east breakwater some 500 feet nearer the shore and the erection of a checkwater outside both the west and east breakwater to protect in some measure the harbor from the heavy waves.

The program also included some improvement to the inner harbor and the reconstruction of the highway bridge near the London and Port Stanley station, including a 50-foot lift span. The chief engineer's report of June 22, 1920, contained details of all these improvements, which were also shown on a blue print furnished by the department.

Bridge Mere Bagatelle.
Last year approximately \$25,000 was expended on construction and repairs, and \$25,000 on dredging, and it was understood that the work of construction would be proceeded with in each succeeding year, but unfortunately there was a difference of opinion regarding the bridge.

The chamber of commerce, finding out that there was no provision made in the main estimates of the Federal House this year for Port Stanley harbor, asked Major Crony to interview the Hon. Mr. McCurdy, the new minister, in the matter. The minister wrote Major Crony that he "would have no question of work on Port Stanley come up for consideration and discussion in connection with the supplementary estimates."

"This meeting," said the chairman, "is called to consider what steps, if any, should be taken to insure the appropriation of a sum of money in the supplementary estimates to be expended towards the recommended program of improvement. We have reason to believe that our chances of receiving any appropriation at this session are not very good unless strong representations are made so as to convince the new minister and the minister of finance of the urgent necessity for the work."

Need Definite Agreement.
At our last meeting the directors of the chamber of commerce discussed the whole matter, and it was unanimously agreed that our chances of securing what we want will be materially lessened if the various municipal bodies and others interested have not definitely agreed upon what they want done. It is hoped that some satisfactory understanding will be reached at this meeting and a decision arrived at as to what steps, if any, should be taken to have some part of the proposed program of construction authorized for completion this year."

The chairman also intimated that a letter had been received from Elgin County Council stating that they had appointed a deputation to meet the minister of public works regarding the bridge. The county of Elgin is granting upwards of \$20,000 in order to induce the federal authorities to build over the bridge, which is now in need of considerable repairs, and convert it into a jack-knife bridge or swing bridge.

Sir Adam Beck pointed out that the city of London had a much greater interest in this project than the local municipalities. What was wanted most urgently was a safe harbor, good for fishing boats, but more so for the ferry boats and train steamers.

The erection of a grain elevator would also be a great boon, as the grain could be brought to Port Stanley and distributed over the London and Port Stanley Railway.

Is Serious Matter.
But the narrowness of the entrance and outlet of the harbor was a serious matter for the larger boats, and they ought to do so as to approach the Government and get the outer harbor improved and repaired. It would be worth spending \$1,000,000 on the project, if necessary. He did not think that more money should be spent in going up the river, where the cost of dredging would amount to a considerable sum. He was of the opinion that the Government should not be asked to assume a greater responsibility, but that they be requested to go on with the plans approved ten years ago.

Ald. Watt pointed out that the present harbor basin was congested, and that the fishing boats must go up the creek. They could not do that without having a bridge that they could pass under.

Want Plans Followed.
"But we want the original plans carried out," exclaimed Sir Adam Beck. "They are absolutely essential to the welfare of the city of London. The draught in the outer harbor is so low that it is a danger to shipping, and the harbor is so narrow that there is no room to turn."

W. B. Doherty declared that the county of Elgin was particularly interested in the construction of a swing bridge, and was willing to give \$20,000 to the department of public works if they would take it over. He said that Pocock maintained that the bridge was only a local matter. "What we want," said Mr. Pocock, "is the outer harbor improved. This bridge is a red herring drawn across the trail. The harbor is only 50 feet wide, and is a menace to shipping. As far as the bridge is concerned, it is a mere bagatelle. They want to unload that bridge on us every time."

Mayor Brinkman asserted that they had agreed to have the bridge last year, and that Sir Adam Beck had agreed with London in the matter, but Mr. Pocock would not accept this.

"We have got a lot of money invested in the outer harbor," he said, "and the ferry boats say that they are not safe while it remains as at present," declared Sir Adam.

Mayor Brinkman agreed with this, and said that they had lost the running of the steamer Roosevelt owing to the state of the harbor.

He stated that the authorities of the village of Port Stanley had agreed to improve certain streets if the commission would agree to withdraw the plans for the construction of this bridge.

"We also want to build a new station and freight sheds and do a lot of terminal work," said Sir Adam.

Mr. Horton moved that the municipalities send a deputation to the Government, providing that an agreement is arrived at between the London and Port Stanley Railway and the village of Port Stanley, and this was carried unanimously.

SUICIDE FORBIDDEN FOR YEAR BY COURT

Court Places Man Who Planned Death On Probation.

DETROIT, April 17.—If Harold Charlton kills himself within the next year he will violate one of the terms of probation as laid down for him by Judge Kelan. Charlton is the man whose hand was stayed by policemen just as he was about to end his life of disappointment in love.

When Patrolman Albert Bowie saw Charlton at Twelfth and Spruce streets early one morning, he investigated, and found Charlton had a revolver under his coat. There was one shell in the revolver, and Charlton explained that he was about to shoot himself.

Judge Kelan he was made in love with a woman whom he later learned was married, and that when she informed him all was over between them he decided to kill himself. He was charged with carrying concealed weapons. The terms of the probation are that he report at stated times and refrain from suicide for one year.

When the probation officer began to investigate his case, Charlton learned that for six months he worked alongside the man who is married to the woman with whom he was in love. He said he had suffered other losses besides the loss of his love, and that all things considered, he thought he had best die.

DEATH LIST NOW 83 'MORE THAN 50 HURT'

Damage Caused To Property by Tornado Will Be Very Heavy.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 17.—Incomplete reports from the six states swept late Friday and Saturday by storms showed tonight a death list of 83, with more than 50 hurt.

Damage to property was estimated at \$1,000,000. The extent of property loss cannot be determined for days.

AUSTRIANS FAVOR FUSION WITH GERMANY

Storm Fails To Cool Enthusiasm of Big Crowds.

VIENNA, April 17.—Notwithstanding the formal disapproval of the Government, demonstrations in favor of fusion with Germany were held throughout the country today. Heavy snow storms at Innsbruck in Tyrol failed to chill the enthusiasm of the meetings, which came as a climax to the agitation of the last three days, following the ultimatum of the Entente against the Reichswehr movement.

ST. THOMAS LOOKS FOR RECORD-MAKING REFERENDUM VOTE

Port Burwell Church Celebrates 102nd Anniversary of Its Founding.

TRYING TO HELP MOTHER
But Syracuse Boy Is Sent To Jail For Stealing Ride.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., April 17.—The vote at tomorrow's referendum will be a heavy one, as compared to that cast at the last election and plebiscite. The campaign closed Saturday night with comparatively small interest shown in the results, other than by the friends of prohibition. The wets had no public demonstrations, and the dries confined their activities purely to organization and canvass. Neither side brought in outsiders, and on the whole the campaign was remarkable for the outward indifference of the people as to whether the cellars were filled or not. The vote polled at the last election and plebiscite were 13,302 in favor of rural divisions and 7,414 in St. Thomas. There was a majority throughout the riding then of 25,490 against the four propositions offered, or too many negatives in favor of the dries, and in St. Thomas the majority against the wets was 9,104. These are the combined majorities and do not represent the individual vote as will be given tomorrow.

Church 102 Years Old.
The Baptist Church at Port Burwell completed its 102nd anniversary today, and service marking the occasion will be held in the old church May 19. The officers chosen at the meeting were: J. D. Haines, deacon; W. R. Adams, financial secretary; N. Vansickle, treasurer; Mr. Geo. Fox, clerk.

Given All To Mother.
Allan Starrings, whose father resides in Detroit and mother in Syracuse, was taken to a hospital on the M. & C. R. Friday evening, and he excused himself to the magistrate next morning for his attempt to reach Detroit that he might get money from his father to help his mother. He had given all his money to his mother before leaving Syracuse to assist the family. Starrings was given a week in the county jail to allow him to get in touch with his father.

One-Third Taxes Paid.
Up to Saturday one-third of the entire taxes for the year was paid the city treasury. Over a hundred thousand dollars were handed over the counter and the sum is much in advance of the payments made a year ago. Many property owners preferred paying in advance that they might benefit by the discount of two and a half per cent.

Will Give Needed Support.
The American Women's Hospital Alumnae will ask the graduates of other hospitals who are in active service to join with the alumnae in the deliberations of the members. The alumnae promised to give the associate nurses all necessary support.

Alma College Has 40 Voters on the College Roster.
The Alumni of St. George's Anglican Church, who are leaving the parish to take up missionary work in Northwest Canada, and Mrs. Thorne were remembered by the congregation. Mr. Thorne was presented with a gold watch, and Mrs. Thorne a gold brooch. They wished every happiness and success.

S. S. McDermid, U. F. O. M. P. East Elgin, has presented Port Burwell with a substantial supply of war souvenirs.

Church Society Elections.
The W. M. S. of the Central Methodist Church has organized for the year, and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Henderson; first vice-president, Mrs. McLachlin; second vice-president, Mrs. Anthony; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Fulton; recording secretary, Mrs. Little; treasurer, Mrs. Van-der-voort; superintendent of Christian stewardship, Mrs. James Smith; mite-box superintendent, Mrs. Jefferson; strangers' secretary, Mrs. Kilmer. All of the foregoing were re-elected.

Trinity Ladies' Guild.
At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Guild of Trinity Church, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew was elected honorary president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, first vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, second vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, third vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, fourth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, fifth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, sixth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, seventh vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, eighth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, ninth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, tenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, eleventh vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, twelfth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, thirteenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, fourteenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, fifteenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, sixteenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, seventeenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. Andrew, eighteenth vice-president, Mrs. J. W. J. 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FIRE PROTECTION FOR VILLAGE OF ARKONA
Arkona, April 17.—At the regular meeting of the council the question of fire protection was discussed, and it was decided to take immediate action to secure a fire engine to replace the present hand pump.

The clearing sale of Joseph Welsh on Friday was a great success, over \$3,000 being realized. Six cows brought an average of \$174 each, while six sows averaged \$100 each.

The Arkona baseball team is being reorganized, and expects to take its place in the East Lambton Baseball League.

Tuesday, Joseph Crouse, an old resident here, died at the age of 80 years. His funeral was held on Saturday, service being held in the Bethel Methodist Church, and conducted by Rev. C. L. L. Couzens. Interment was made in the Bethel Cemetery. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Beares, and one son, of Regina.

John McKay has sold his house and lot to Mrs. Wm. Smith. Geo. Sitter has sold his house and lot to Herb Benedict. Arthur Stoner has disposed of his vacant lot on King street to Geo. McPherson.

ARKONA PASTOR IS GOING TO BOLIVIA

ARKONA, April 16.—Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Eastman have been appointed by the Canadian Baptist Foreign Mission Board as missionaries to Bolivia, and expect to sail from New York, June 25 for Arica, on the west coast of South America. From there they will take a La Paz, their destination. Mr. Eastman is graduating in arts this May at McMaster University, Toronto, and Mrs. Eastman is studying at the Baptist Bible College, Toronto. They are members of the Arkona Baptist Church.

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FAKED DIVORCES DELAY WEDDINGS

Hysterical Women Clamor at Offices of District Attorney For Clear Decrees.

SOME HAVE REMARRIED

Activities of Herbert F. Miller Being Traced Through Several Counties of N. Y.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Hysterical divorces, some of whom have been contemplating re-entering the bonds of matrimony, and some of whom already have been married again, descended upon the offices of the district attorneys of virtually every county in and about New York yesterday to ascertain if the divorces they obtained through the services of Herbert F. Miller, missing "attorney," are valid.

In New York County, Jacob H. Bantony, chief assistant district attorney, listened to their tales and referred their woes to Assistant District Attorney J. O. Neil, who he has instructed to act in liaison with District Attorney Lee Parsons Davis of Westchester, who has procured a warrant for Miller's arrest, and has planned to ask his indictment for trafficking in fraudulent divorces.

At White Plains, whence the first stories of Miller's alleged fake divorces emanated, a couple of days ago, the throng of visitors to the prosecutor's office included one young woman whose name was withheld, but who said her plans for a marriage within the next few days had been shattered by the discovery that the court records showed no trace whatever of the divorce Miller had said he obtained for her intended husband. This young woman declared she had seen what purported to be a decree of divorce, and on the strength of it had agreed to the marriage.

"Oh, if I could get that man Miller myself," she sobbed.

Another visitor, who described herself as Mrs. Lillian Loughran, exhibited what had been represented to her as an interlocutory decree divorcing her from Thomas Loughran of this city, and on examining this "decree" clerks who are familiar with the signature of the supreme court justices expressed the opinion that it never had been issued by the court, and that the papers were supposed to have issued it, and that the findings of fact in the case, which also purported to bear the justice's signature, were bogus.

A man who retained Miller to get a divorce told Assistant District Attorney Peris of White Plains that he had been prepared to go to court, but that Miller had said, "You don't have to go to court to get a divorce. I have plenty of influence and I can get you one without that trouble."

A new and interesting discovery in the case was made in Queens County, where it was found Miller had appeared as attorney in four divorce actions recently. In each case the clerks found one interlocutory decree, and one decree on file. The decrees in three of the actions purported to be signed by Supreme Court Justice Leander B. Faber, but the clerks said that the signatures showed such variance that the papers would be submitted to Justice Faber for examination.

Officials said that it probably would take some time to ascertain the truth of the alleged fraudulent divorce opera-

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