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EARTHQUAKE DESTROYS SEVEN MEXICAN TOWNS

BOLSHEVIKI PLANNING AN ATTACK ON INDIA WITH AID OF AFGHANS; REDS ARE SPREADING PROPAGANDA

Russian Soviet Government Troops Preparing To Penetrate Persia—Bolshevik's Ultimate Purpose in Latest Move Is Believed To Be an Offensive Against the British in India and Persia.

London, Jan. 9.—(Bokhara, capital of the important Khanate of Bokhara, in Central Asia, and less than 200 miles from the Afghan frontier, has been entered by Bolshevik troops, according to war office reports. Further west, soviet troops have occupied Krasnovodsk, on the eastern shore of the Caspian Sea. It is believed that the Russian government is planning to use these troops to secure control of the Caspian Sea, and that they will be able to concentrate important bodies of troops in Turkistan, with a view to carrying out possibly far-reaching plans westward toward Persia and Afghanistan. It is said, Bolshevik authorities have announced their intention to penetrate Persia by way of Khorasan as soon as they could secure control of the Caspian Sea, and recent reports have indicated that soviet garrisons along the Khorasan frontier had been heavily reinforced. The Bolsheviks have as their ultimate purpose an offensive against the British and plan to use the Russian troops in the direction of India in conjunction with the Afghans and other peoples who might be influenced by pan-Islamic aspirations. It is asserted. For this purpose, swarms of propaganda agents are said to be undergoing intensive training, and many have been sent into Persia and the Caucasus, being provided with large supplies of forged English money. It is reported 1,500 soviet agents have gone into Persia from Georgia and Azerbaijan, and anti-Bolshevik authorities have taken steps to put a stop to this movement.

HEAVY SNOWSTORM DELAYS TRAINS ON EASTWARD TRACKS

Not So Bad West of This City.

PLOWS OUT ON STREETS
Car Lines and Sidewalks Have To Be Cleared For Traffic.

The second heavy snowstorm of the winter hit London early this morning and by two o'clock this afternoon over six inches of "the beautiful" had fallen. The London Street Railway was not seriously affected by the storm, but trains coming in on the G. T. R. and C. P. R. were delayed considerably. There is a much heavier snowfall to the east of London than in the city, according to the railways, but to the west the snowfall is not nearly as heavy.

The street railway snowplows were busy on the tracks at noon, but according to officials of the Company, there were no tracks blocked and traffic was maintained during the busy noon-hour rush. The city snowplows were at work on the sidewalks this afternoon. While no serious delays were reported, the local officials were rather pessimistic regarding the chances of the morning train on the London and North Western getting through and put on an extra train. The snowplows were at work on the sidewalks this afternoon. While no serious delays were reported, the local officials were rather pessimistic regarding the chances of the morning train on the London and North Western getting through and put on an extra train.

MANY IMPORTANT CHANGES IN ARMY REORGANIZATION

Program Outlined for French Soldiers Includes Decided Improvements.

Paris, Jan. 9.—Plans for the reorganization of the French army which will soon be laid before parliament will include preparations for the mobilization of factory workers at the same time that fighting units are sent to the colors, according to La Victoire. The program contemplates the physical education of soldiers, gathering of soldiers for short periods of instruction which would, in effect, be a hearing of mobilization and the increasing of the number of officers and troops protecting the frontiers of France. It is said the probable length of the period of military service will be one year.

DECLARES FRANCE MAKING READY FOR A NEW WAR

Madrid, Jan. 9.—The newspaper A. B. C. discussing the league of nations, declares that France is preparing for the next war. "We think, like Carlyle, to obtain peace in Europe it is necessary to reduce France to a third-class power," says the newspaper.

What's Doing Tonight?

THEATRES.
Grand—Fiddlers Three.
Majestic—Alice Brady in "Marie, Marie."
Patricia—Florence Vidor in "The Other Half," and vaudeville.

OTHER EVENTS.
Richard Cœur de Lion Preceptory No. 4—Meets in Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m.
St. John's Lodge, Masonic, A. F. and A. M.—Meets in Masonic Hall at 7:30 p.m.
Royal Arcanum, London Council, 253—Meets in K. of P. Hall, Dundas street, 8 p.m.
Candy and Biscuit Workers—Meet in Foresters' Hall, 7:45 p.m.

PROPOSAL OF TWO PARLIAMENTS FOR IRELAND WILL NOT SATISFY PEOPLE

Union Form of Government Is Believed To Be Only Satisfactory Plan.

CLAIM IRISH UNIONISTS

Unhappy State of Country Is Attributed to the British Govt. Maladministration.

London, Jan. 9.—By Canadian Press Cable.—The Irish Unionist executive meeting in Dublin yesterday, passed a resolution recognizing that the prime minister has made an honest endeavor to settle the Irish problem on fair and reasonable lines, according to English ideas, but felt bound to inform him his proposals, instead of bringing peace and contentment to Ireland would simply still further accentuate and embitter the present difficulties between various sections of the Irish people and put a dangerous weapon into the hands of the declared enemies of the empire. The resolution further declared that the proposals were condemned by every section of the Irish people and asserted that the present unhappy state of the country is simply the natural result of many years of maladministration and finally announced that the Union form of Government is the only one under which Ireland could be saved from civil war and anarchy. Nevertheless, it may be recalled that in other quarters there is the least appreciation of the fact that to adopt at once an utterly non-committal attitude would gravely compromise the credit of any disputants. The resolution also stated that the Unionists are ready to wait until the bill is in print before condemning the proposals out of hand.

Father Lawless of Dundalk wrote to the Dublin Evening Telegraph that the constant stream of innuendoes upon the prime minister and, indeed upon the whole people of Great Britain indicates neither sanity nor a generous heart in Ireland. The Evening Telegraph, which has taken the place of the suppressed Freeman's Journal, also prints a letter from John McArthur, a Dublin surgeon, who condemns the proposals because they are alleged to simply secure a permanent partition of Ireland and endow her with a veto on the west of Ireland. However, this letter, say the editors, is a "typical specimen of the kind of work we should seek amendments. There may be the germ of real and lasting freedom in the highly circumstantial statement of the prime minister, but until the printed bill before us Nationalists we would be unwise to refuse it our full consideration."

Inspector-General Suspended.
Meanwhile there comes the news today that the Irish Government has suspended General Sir Joseph Byrne as Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary. Some reports indicate that Sir Joseph has been summarily dismissed. Sir Joseph is an Irishman and a Catholic, and it seems his dismissal comes as a complete surprise to him.

The Westminster Gazette says that if the general impression of the grounds of dismissal is correct the step taken by the Government to dismiss Sir Joseph is a further illustration of the fact that the Irish Government is not only a Unionist but a Unionist. The Gazette adds that the dismissal of Byrne is in the nature of a calamity and it is difficult to take any other view.

COMPROMISE EFFECTED IN KINGSTON CHAIRMANSHIPS

Kingston, Jan. 9.—In view of the possibility of a deadlock between the old and new members of the city council, a conference of the entire twenty-one members was held last night when a compromise was effected, in which the new members were to be sworn in as chairmen of the various committees.

HAMILTON PLUMBERS SERVE NOTICE OF 40-HOUR WEEK

Ninety Cents an Hour Demanded After March 1.

Hamilton, Jan. 9.—The plumbers' union of Hamilton today served notice on employers that, beginning at once, a 40-hour week will go into effect, and that any work done tomorrow morning must be paid for at the rate of time and a half. The plumbers have been working 44 hours a week and are demanding 70 cents an hour. Beginning in March they are demanding 90 cents an hour.

NOVA SCOTIA VETERANS TO SUPPORT ORGANIZED LABOR

Halifax, Jan. 9.—A resolution is in process of preparation by the Nova Scotia executive of the Great War Veterans' Association, now holding sessions here, representing to the Dominion command that the provincial branch will stand behind organized labor as long as it proceeds along constitutional lines and asking that this policy be adopted for the members of the Great War Veterans' Association throughout Canada by the Dominion command.

Graceful Dancers Despite Loss of Arms and Legs



Dancing having been found to be a most helpful recreation for soldiers with artificial limbs, maimed heroes of the battlefields are being daily instructed in the art in London. The photo shows Mr. Jas. Caslane, a noted stage dancer, instructing a class of officers.

POLES TO TAKE REGION VACATED BY BOLSHEVIKI

Area At Present Is Infested by Bands of Plunderers.

Paris, Thursday, Jan. 8.—The whole of the Kamensk-Podolsk-Proskuryev starostatinsky railway line is now in the hands of the Poles, according to advices from Warsaw. The advices declare that the Polish high command intends to proceed with the occupation of all the region evacuated by General Dymowski, and not yet invaded by the Bolsheviks.

OFFICIAL HANGMAN WANTS NO HELP TO EXECUTE FIVE MEN

Fate of Five Foreigners At Peterboro To Be Decided Today.

(Special to The Advertiser.)
Ottawa, Jan. 9.—The fate of five foreigners charged to hang on Tuesday next at Peterboro by complicity in the murder of Philip Yarnoff, will be decided this afternoon. The five are: Thomas Konek, who, according to the evidence, fired the shot which killed Yarnoff in his bunk; Michael Buhli, Alex. Martineau, Philip Kounski and John Zaluski, who were all in the room at the time.

STEEL WORKERS ARE OFFICIALLY TOLD OF END OF BIG STRIKE

Walkout That Went Into Effect On September 22 Comes To Finish.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 9.—Organizers, field workers and international union heads interested in the nation-wide strike of steel workers, which went into effect on September 22, were in receipt of an official order today from the national committee calling off the strike. This action was taken by the committee here last night.

60,000 Cases of Scotch Whiskey Brought Over On Steamer Saturnia

Halifax, Jan. 9.—The steamer Saturnia, which arrived in port this morning from Glasgow and will dock at the south terminal, has in her hold a large consignment of whiskey, said to total 60,000 cases for Montreal.

Hundreds Killed in Earthquake That Destroys Seven Towns in Mexico, Volcano Becomes Active

WHITE TERROR IN HUNGARY HAS CLAIMED 5,000 VICTIMS

Wild Reaction Reported To Be Raging Throughout Country.

15,000 UNDER ARREST
Peace Conference Is Asked To Intervene in Effort To Ameliorate Conditions.

Berne, Jan. 9.—The Socialist Tagewacht prints a letter written by a Hungarian communist leader who declares that wild reaction rages throughout Hungary. The writer says that while during the red terror of last spring only 254 persons were killed the existing white terror has a death list of more than 5,000. In addition to some 15,000 persons arrested, 4,000 Socialist families are being kept in the notorious concentration camps, which constantly are ravaged by epidemics. The author of the letter asks that the peace conference intervene.

MEMORIAL CROSSES READY FOR MOTHERS AND WIVES OF VETS.

Received Here For Distribution to the Bereaved.

Memorial crosses, which are to be given to the mothers and widows of the Canadian soldiers, who died in the services of their country, as a memento of personal loss and of their devotion, are ready to be issued. This information was received Thursday by the local branch of the Canadian Legion, which is in charge of the distribution of the crosses. The crosses are described as a cross patonce in silver suspended by a purple ribbon, fastened to the end of the upright, a crown at the foot of the upright, and at the end of either arm a maple leaf. In the centre of the cross within a wreath of laurel, the royal cipher, G. R. I. will be engraved. The name, number and rank of the soldier commemorated will be on the back of the cross.

FAITHFUL BULLDOG SAVES CHILD'S LIFE

Drags 18-Month-Old Baby From Sick Bed in Burning Home.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 9.—A faithful bulldog, the pet of the 18-month-old son of Stanley Alekziech, rescued his young master from his burning home Thursday morning. The child's mother had accompanied the father into police court to explain the presence of a whiskey still in the home. Two elder children and the baby, who had been seriously ill, were left alone.

VANCOUVER ELECTS MAYOR GALE AGAIN

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 8.—Returns in the civic election here gave Mayor Gale a majority of 1,356 over Ald. T. Kirk. In ward seven, Ald. Woodside, for nine consecutive years a member of the council, has been defeated by James Reid former liquor license inspector, by a majority of 1,000. In ward six, Ald. McKee has up to the present time a handsome lead. Indications point to proportional representation being carried.

TORONTO PROOFREADER DIES

Toronto, Jan. 9.—Henry Charles Bell, 78, chief proofreader for many years of the Toronto Daily Star, died this morning after an illness of one week.

Seismic Disturbance South of Jalapa Takes Heavy Toll of Lives—Panic-Stricken People Sleep With Doors Open, Fearing New Shocks At Any Time—One Town With All Its Inhabitants Vanishes From Face of Earth—Scenes of Indescribable Terror Are Common.

Mexico City, Jan. 9.—Seven towns near Teocelo, south of Jalapa, have been overwhelmed by earth disturbances, and a great lake is covering this area, according to messages received this morning through Vera Cruz. Thirty-four bodies had been recovered when the message was filed at Teocelo.

Among the places which reports say were totally destroyed are Coutland, with 1,000 dead and as many more injured; Barra-grande, where 300 are dead; Coscomatepec, with 30 killed; Chihluahatepa, which has vanished with its 200 inhabitants; Camusapa, Xeonotli, Acatlan, Teocelo, where 30 were killed; Los Simones, Chichola, Saltillo, Lafragua, Ocotepala, Plata, Chichiguita, Tenezapa, Ayah, Quimistlan and Alotlanito, where 200 persons perished.

Reports that a new crater had opened on Mount Orizaba were confirmed late last night by Capt. J. S. Nicolas, who has just arrived from Cordoba, while smoke was issuing from the crater when he left the city, he said. Capt. Nicolas declared scenes of indescribable terror were common in Cordoba, with the inhabitants sleeping with their doors open and leaving their homes panic-stricken at the slightest alarm.

OPENING OF NEW VOLCANO CRATER TERRORIZES MEXICANS

Mexico City, Jan. 9.—Intense excitement and panic reign among the inhabitants of the cities of Cordoba and Orizaba, in the western part of the states of Vera Cruz, because of the opening of a new crater of the volcano of Orizaba, 15 miles to the northwest. The new crater is emitting smoke, according to information received last night at the offices of the presidential military staff from army officers in the earthquake district.

GERMANY MUST PUT UP ALL COSTS FOR OCCUPATION ARMY

Supreme Council Reaches This Decision At Session This Morning.

DISCUSS FIUME ISSUE

Date For First Meeting of the League Will Be Set

Paris, Jan. 9.—The Fiume problem was taken up at a meeting held in private by the premiers and other Allied statesmen assembled here for conferences. The meeting was attended by Premiers Lloyd George of Great Britain, Nitti of Italy and Clemenceau of France; Earl Curzon, the British foreign secretary; Vittorio Sella, the Italian foreign minister; Andreu Borneo, the French foreign minister; Hugh C. Wallace, the American ambassador to France; Baron Matsui, the Japanese ambassador; Paul Dasta, general secretary of the peace conference; and Philip Berthelot, official director of the French foreign office.

OPERATIONS TO BE CARRIED OUT UNDER SUPERVISION OF THE DANISH POLICE

Copenhagen, Jan. 9.—Undesirables deported from the United States will be landed here and trans-shipped to Danzig, according to reports. The supervision of the Danish police, it is said, and the radicals will not be permitted to come in contact with the population of the Danish metropolis. Each ship bringing deportees will bear 600 persons.

LENINE APPEALS TO SOCIALISTS NOT TO AID IN REVOLUTION

Rome, Jan. 9.—The Epoca says that Nicolai Lenin has written another letter to the directors of the Socialist party, imploring them not to participate in any revolutionary movement, which in the present conditions would have no probability of success.

MARY GARDEN HAS NO OBJECTION TO BEING PRESIDENT

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Mary Garden, the prima donna, said today that she will become the impresario of the Chicago Grand Opera Company if she is asked. "Why shouldn't a woman run this opera company?" she asked. "Women are running everything else. Before long we will have a woman president in the White House."

"Would you be a candidate for that?" "Perhaps. I'd like to try it, anyway," said Mary.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, Jan. 9—5 a.m. Forecast.

Today—Strong northeast winds, with snow.

Saturday—Westerly winds; fair and moderately cold.

Temperatures.

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Vancouver	40	36	Cloudy
Winnipeg	10	8	Cloudy
Sault Ste. Marie	20	14	Clear
St. John's	34	24	Cloudy
Kingston	38	10	Cloudy
Ottawa	34	16	Cloudy
Montreal	34	19	Cloudy
Quebec	32	2	Cloudy
Halifax	30	6	Cloudy
Minus (—) means below zero.			

Weather Notes.

The disturbance which was north of the Gulf of Mexico yesterday is centred this morning south of Lake Erie. The weather is moderately cold in Ontario and Quebec, and comparatively mild in the Western Provinces. Light local snowfalls have occurred in Southwestern Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

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SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed With Sulphur It Brings Back Its Beautiful Lustre at Once.

Grey hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns grey and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay grey! Look young! Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a bottle of "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing the liquid through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the grey hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored, and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

"SYRUP OF FIGS" IS LAXATIVE FOR CHILD

Look at Tongue! Remove Poisons From Stomach, Liver and Bowels.



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruit taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."

JAIL PLACED FOR COUNTY INSPECTOR M'CALLUM DECLARES

Prisoners Should Be Made To Earn Money.

COULD KEEP FAMILIES

At Present Offenders, Wives and Children All Are Expense.

A change in the county's jail system is badly needed in the opinion of Inspector J. W. McCallum. This opinion has been strengthened by the situation which has arisen from the sentencing to four months in jail of Leonard Pryor, colored, for violation of the Ontario Temperance Act. Pryor's wife and two children are left without support, and have already applied to the city for help.

It was reported that Mr. McCallum had given Mrs. Pryor \$25 dollars to buy groceries. He pointed out that while this was true he had also supplied her with coal. He thought he had given her as much as was justifiable.

Quick Work.—The man was sentenced at noon, and the woman applied the same afternoon for relief. If the man was a bootlegger he certainly could not have made much of the family would have had enough money to see them through one meal.

Farms Are Best.—Mr. McCallum said he realized that there was a strong objection to prison labor competing with workmen who must make a living. "Surely there is some useful occupation which could be given them, in which they would not be taking the bread from another man's mouth," he said. "They might be put on a prison farm, where they could help to take care of the live stock. I question whether the average workman would be able to compete in form of competition as he does from having to support life prisoners in jail, and in favor of one of them, while the breadwinner is imprisoned."

U. F. O. CANDIDATE TO BE N RUNNING FOR WARDENSHIP

Stanley Shaw Named As a Probability.

It is considered probable that a newcomer will be in the field for warden of Middlesex when the county council meets the latter part of this month. The U. F. O. members of the council, who are in the majority, are believed to be in favor of one of their own organization for the wardenhip, and the name of Stanley Shaw, recently elected reeve of North Dorchester, is spoken of as a possible candidate for the office.

STANDARDIZED PAPERS FOR UNIVERSAL EXAMS.

The department of education for Ontario has announced that an arrangement has been made by the University of Toronto, Queen's University, McMaster University, the Western University and the department of education to have the same question papers for the subjects of common question papers shall be the same (1) in the case of the middle school and the high school examinations, and (2) in the case of the upper school, and the honor and scholarship matriculation examinations.

An arrangement has also been made by the department of education, the University of Toronto, Queen's University, McMaster University, and the department of education, whereby for the year 1920, where the question papers shall be the same (1) in the case of the middle school and the high school examinations, and (2) in the case of the upper school, and the honor and scholarship matriculation examinations.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

The death of Thomas Stephenson occurred this morning in Victoria Hospital. Mr. Stephenson, who had been in ill-health for some time, had resided in this city for the past year, conducting a sheet metal and tin-smithing business. He is survived by his wife, one son, William E. three daughters, Mrs. E. G. Thomas and Miss Dorothy of this city and Miss M. of Detroit; three sisters, Mrs. Robert Oliver, Mrs. James Clark, both of this city and Mrs. Anne Stephenson of the latter city. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon from his residence, 186 Simcoe street, at 2 o'clock. The Rev. W. J. Ashton will conduct the services.

BOYS SHOOTING LIGHTS OFF; CARRYING REVOLVER

Complaints have been made by citizens who reside in the north end of the city that boys are in the habit of carrying revolvers to the north branch of the river and there indulging in target practice.

Special targets for the would-be gunners are the lights that are installed from time to time by the street railway at the Broughditch station. The lights have to be replaced often by the company, as they are being continually shot away by the boys.

SOME POLL CLERKS STILL ARE CHASING THEIR EUSIVE PAY

It's Here, But Trouble Is To Get It.

TIMES ARE AWKWARD

Deputies Must Get Money and Cannot Afford To Leave Work.

"Now you see it, and now you don't!" That is the slogan of local citizens who acted as poll clerks during the provincial elections and referendum vote taken here on October 20 last. After months of inquiry as to when they would receive pay for their services on this day, word finally was received that the effect that W. C. Fitzgerald, returning officer for this city, had received authority to pay off the poll clerks.

Took Time Off.—Accordingly, as Mr. Fitzgerald could not be located in his office at noon, after or after working hours, the local poll clerk took leave of absence from his place of employment to journey in quest of his wages. Upon receiving the office of the returning officer he explained his mission, and was informed that he certainly could not have under whom he worked election day would pay him for his work.

Being a returned soldier, the poll clerk in question swore under his breath, and then visited the local deputy returning officer still searching for the elusive kale. He was then informed that the money was not in the hands of the returning officer, but that it was in the hands of the deputy returning officer, who would do so when the time permitted, he said. And the poor old poll clerk left yesterday that two hours' pay was deducted from his week's wages for the time consumed in the fruitless quest of W. C. Fitzgerald. It is a cruel world.

ONE DRUNK.—One drunk paid the usual fine and costs in police court this morning.

MAIL FOR BRITAIN.—A full mail for Great Britain will be closed at 1 p.m. on Saturday, and was announced at the postoffice today.

GIRL GUIDES' MEETING.—On Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock all the Girl Guides in the city will meet at the Croydon Memorial Church to hear an address by Miss Harcourt, Dominion of Women's Health Service.

REMOVED FOR WEEK.—Thomas Bell, who was arrested by I. C. Sidney on Thursday night, on a charge of vagrancy, appeared in police court this morning and was removed to the Reformatory for a week.

STOOD FOURTH IN EXAMS.—S. J. Weir, son of Dr. George S. Weir, of the Street Baptist Church on Monday. Three special speakers, Rev. W. A. Cameron of Toronto, Rev. J. B. McCallum of Brantford and Albert Matthews of Toronto, will give addresses. Rev. Thomas Roy will preside. The service will be held at 8 p.m. on Monday.

PAGE HARRY ANDREWS.—The soldier, who was arrested by I. C. Sidney on Thursday night, on a charge of vagrancy, appeared in police court this morning and was removed to the Reformatory for a week.

BLUNDERING DEPRIVED SOME CITIZENS OF VOTE

They Are Annoyed, and Do Not Hesitate to Say So.

Several local ratepayers, including a few in ward three, were very greatly surprised, and waxed indignant on Monday, when they presented themselves at city polling booths to vote and learned that their names were not on the voters' list. One citizen, in ward one, who has voted for years, was included with the unfortunate names when he presented himself at the Alexandra school. Thinking his name may have been switched, he visited the other polling booth in the ward with similar results.

EFFORTS WILL BE MADE TO HAVE ACT REVISED

Labor Leaders Have the Question Under Consideration.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—(By Canadian Press).—Immediate investigation, aiming to secure revision of the industrial disputes act (Lemieux act) will result from the conference between leaders of organized labor and representatives of the federal government yesterday. In reply to the labor men's request for a complete revision of the act, the Government indicated its willingness to consider amendments. As the complaints center chiefly around the compulsory clauses of the act, it is pointed out that, instead of amendments, the reconstruction will be urged. The question of revision will likely be submitted to the special committee on industrial relations at the national industrial conference.

SIXTY APPOINTED TO SELL MOTOR LICENSES

Toronto, Jan. 9.—Hon. F. C. Biggs has appointed sixty persons to positions selling motor car licenses in this province. Eighteen of them are returned soldiers.

Let the cook strike says Bobby

what do care, as long as I can have my

BIG "WET" CARGO INTENDED FOR WINDSOR FALLS INTO HANDS OF LONDON POLICE

Alert City Constables Make Rich Haul in Taxi Bound From Toronto With Thirst-Quencher Consigned to the Border City.

Gerald Nicholson and Hyman Ellich were arraigned in police court this morning on a charge of having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling, and after the former had pleaded guilty, the latter had said that he was not ready to proceed with the case, it was adjourned until this afternoon.

Five floor sacks, each containing somewhere in the neighborhood of 24 bottles, which are believed to contain something more potent than "two-and-a-half," constituted the haul made early this morning by two alert members of the local police force.

The wet goods were in transit between Toronto and Windsor, when they fell into the hands of London police. They were stowed away in the bottom of a taxi, and carefully covered with straw. The driver of the machine stated that he was hired in Toronto to take the cargo, of the nature of which he refused to be inquisitorial. He said he was to receive \$50 for the trip, but that up to the present he had received only half of that amount.

After loading up in a lane in Toronto, the westward journey was commenced about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, according to the taxi driver, having left his home in Toronto. The driver was not a policeman, Constable Lewis MacCaughy was the officer employed to make the search. The information, and the fact that the two men in the car left the vehicle some distance from the police station, aroused his suspicion.

Constable Roy Brammer was called to the scene, and the two men were decided to make investigation of the taxi. As they approached the taxi, they saw the driver, who was then shot and arrested, turning east on King street and north on Queen street. The taxi was then driven to the police station, where the occupants of the taxi were arrested.

The driver's claim to be a Toronto taxi man was verified by his driver's and cab licenses, and papers in the car. The taxi was then driven to the police station, where the occupants of the taxi were arrested.

BAPTIST CONVENTION WILL BE HELD HERE ON MONDAY

The Baptists of Lambton and Middlesex will hold their annual convention at the Street Baptist Church on Monday. Three special speakers, Rev. W. A. Cameron of Toronto, Rev. J. B. McCallum of Brantford and Albert Matthews of Toronto, will give addresses. Rev. Thomas Roy will preside. The service will be held at 8 p.m. on Monday.

BRANTFORD PRICES STILL ADVANCING

Brantford, Jan. 9.—The local grocers announced this morning that following advances in the price of sugar, sugar would retail at six pence for a dollar, or a charge of four cents more on the dollar's worth than the government maximum allows. It is noteworthy that though the price of flour was advanced by the grocers the day before, it was not advanced by the millers. The wheat board announced the increase of 50 cents per bushel for wheat, but the millers have not yet advanced the price until their flour stocks are exhausted. The increase of 50 cents per bushel will be in effect on Monday next, however.

DE VALERA SAYS VETERANS STRONG FOR "REPUBLIC"

Declares Statements to Contrary Are Without Foundation.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Men of Ireland who enlisted and fought in the world war under the British flag "are among the most devoted and patriotic of the Irish people," said the Irish republican leader, Eamon de Valera, president of the provisional Irish republic, declared in a statement here today. He said the statement attributed to Capt. St. Walter the power of London, which had been started in the "Irish Times" in the United States to the effect that the republicans of Ireland were hostile to the British soldiers, was not only untrue, but untrue.

BRITISH RAILWAYMEN EXPECTED TO REJECT GOVERNMENT PROPOSALS

London, Jan. 9.—The opinion prevailed at the headquarters of the Union of Railwaymen today that the proposals that the union representatives, who have been deliberating on the Government proposals, will likely be rejected.

FIELD-MARSHAL HAIG MAY GET POST OF CONSTABLE OF TOWER

Likely to Succeed to Position Made Vacant by Sir Evelyn Wood's Death.

London, Jan. 9.—Rumor has it that Field Marshal Earl Haig will be appointed to the decorative post of "constable of the Tower of London," which has become vacant through the death of Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood. This position dates from the reign of Henry the Fifth, and is one of the most magnificent and showy in the kingdom.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION PROPOSED.—The Dominion Mounted Rifle Association were made at a meeting of the Ottawa branch of the 8th M. R. held last night. The question developed out of the steps taken by some of the branches to allow any mounted rifleman to be served with the 8th M. R. or to any other unit, to join the association, and the meeting generally favored a Dominion-wide organization to which all former members of the Mounted Rifles would be eligible.

CANVASSERS OUT TO FIND WORK FOR THE SOLDIER UNEMPLOYED

One Here and One in Windsor Appointed.

WILL WATCH FACTORIES

Help Is Needed, Many Being Unable To Finance Homes.

To facilitate the finding of employment for the unemployed returned men of the district, and to enable the department to keep in touch with the employed, a special canvasser has been appointed here and one in Windsor, to investigate the needs of the unemployed, and to secure the information and service of the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment. Capt. Andrew Kell has received the appointment in this city.

This step is a necessary one because of the large number of unemployed in the city, and because of the strained circumstances, which are forced upon the Federal loan to the unemployed, and the service of the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment. Capt. Andrew Kell has received the appointment in this city.

A number of needy cases have received assistance, according to the officials of the department. There have been many attempts also to secure assistance by men who are not in need of it. In several cases men in the city have been paying jobs in order to receive assistance from the department. In one such case a man is known to have given up a job which was paying him 35 cents an hour.

But they found it necessary to replenish their stock of "juice" before going to work, and the police department decided to make investigation of the taxi. As they approached the taxi, they saw the driver, who was then shot and arrested, turning east on King street and north on Queen street. The taxi was then driven to the police station, where the occupants of the taxi were arrested.

TEACHER LEAVING FOR PORT ARTHUR

W. J. Judd To Get \$1,800 a Year.

W. J. Judd, male assistant at St. George's School, has tendered his resignation to the board of trustees of the school, and is shortly to leave for Port Arthur, where he will be paid \$1,800 a year.

SLEEPING SICKNESS FOLLOWS INFLUENZA

Italian Professor Claims Disease Not Same as in Tropics.

Rome, Jan. 9.—Giuseppe Sanarelli, professor of experimental hygiene at the University of Bologna, discussing today the disease known as sleeping sickness, said that the disease in Europe, North America and Australia, he asserted, was not the same as the disease in the tropics, where the mortality varied from 20 to 50 per cent.

PUBLISHER ARRAIGNED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE

London, Jan. 9.—Charles Diamond, proprietor of the London Catholic Herald, was arraigned at the Mansion House today, charged with the publication of an article in which he was alleged to have said that "killing is not murder."

BUFFALO FIREMAN FATALITY INJURED

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 8.—One fireman was fatally injured and the lives of 75 employees of the Sturtz Automobile Manufacturing Company were endangered in a fire which destroyed the four-story brick building at No. 145-157 Seneca street today. The loss was placed at \$350,000.

ITALY GIVEN MANDATE

Demand for Annexation of Lagosta Island Is Refused.

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 9.—A memorandum recently presented by Great Britain, France and the United States to the Italian foreign minister states that conceding the Italian character of Flume, complete sovereignty will be granted it under the League of Nations. The memorandum gives Italy full sovereignty over the city of Flume, and complete sovereignty over the island of Lagosta, which is demanded by Italy for annexation of the island of Lagosta is refused. According to a correspondent of the Italian press, the memorandum demonstrates clearly a leaning toward the ideas of President Wilson. He said that the Italian government has renounced some of Italy's rights recognized in the treaty of London.

MARRIED AT KINGSTON.

Kingston, Jan. 9.—A pretty romance between Miss M. Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell of Kingston, who has been starting in the "Tiger" in London, England, was married to John Gordon MacKenzie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon MacKenzie of 31 Walmer road. The couple have known each other for years, and when Miss Campbell went to England she was followed soon afterwards by Mr. MacKenzie. The marriage took place at St. Paul's Cathedral.

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LOCAL G. W. V. A. TO DISCUSS DISPOSITION OF CANTEN FUNDS

Seems Inclined To Favor Having Money in Canada.

Probably the most important question that is to come up for discussion at the general meeting of the local command of the G. W. V. A., which is to be held on Tuesday night, is the disposition of three million dollars which is to be allotted to Canada as the Canadian soldiers' share of the profits obtained by the Navy and Army Canteen Board during the war. The question has already been discussed by several other commands throughout the province.

It is pointed out that there is an agitation in London, England, to have the money spent in building and endowing a club house to be known as the G. W. V. A. Club, London, England. This idea is not the liking of the association in Canada, and so several branches have drawn up resolutions asking the government to secure the money and invest it so that the veterans of the war in Canada and their children will be directly benefited.

Recommend Victory Bonds.—The Peterboro Command has drawn up a resolution that will form a basis of the discussion by the local command on Tuesday night. A copy of the resolution has been forwarded here. It recommends that the money be secured and invested in long term Victory bonds. If this is done the income will amount to \$150,000 per annum. This should be expended for the benefit of the C. E. F. soldiers' children only. It is recommended that two hundred Canadian expeditionary force per capita scholarships in any university should be given for a period of four years' duration, valued at \$200, be given. This should be confined to the children of all Canadian citizens.

Bar Enemies.—It is also suggested that the children of enemy aliens be barred for a period of 50 years, at the expiration of that time the scholarships should be thrown open to the children of all Canadian citizens.

Must Watch Results.—"Until they have completed several contracts under the new system, they will not know this positively, as most of their men have never worked under regulation, and they will have to see how they turn out before they will be able to make as close tenders for contracts as previously."

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Honest Work of the Past Will Pass Easily.

FUEL CONTROL BOARD NO LONGER NEEDED

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—(By Canadian Press).—In view of the resumption, on the 15th of December, of the coal supply in the United States, the Canadian Fuel Control Board, which has been controlling fuel since the recent stoppage of supplies to Canada, will be discontinued.

MURDER BEING INVESTIGATED.

Calro, Jan. 9.—Authorities here have begun an investigation of the killing of an Italian musician by a British soldier on January 4. Feeling is running high among Italians and Egyptian nationalists, the latter seeking to make capital out of the incident.

CONVENTION PROGRAM OUT.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—Canadian Press.—The department of labor is in receipt of a cable from the International Labor Office in Paris, January 2. This meeting will be attended by F. A. Ackland, deputy minister of labor, as Canadian Government representative, and by Tom Moore, president of the Allied Trades and Labor Congress, as employees' delegate.

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There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring, use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

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Four hundred dozen one-finger Muleskin Gloves. Regular 75c and \$1.00. \$43c

Horseshide unlined Gauntlets \$1 to \$4

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Lined Mitts 60c to \$3

Unlined Gloves 75c to \$3

Unlined Mitts 40c to \$3

Lined Gloves with gauntlet or wool cuffs \$1.25 to \$3.50

Pullovers 50c to \$3

Cotton Gloves 15c per pair

Jersey Gloves and Mitts, seconds. Regular 40c

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HARRY HAYMAN WAS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

Elected by Unanimous Ballot At Inaugural Meeting.

COMMITTEES CHOSEN

T. G. Meredith, K.C., Appointed Solicitor To the 1920 Board.

Harry Hayman was elected to the chairmanship of the board of education on a unanimous ballot at the inaugural meeting of that body last night. New regulations of the board require that the chairman be elected by ballot instead of open nomination, as in the past. In order to comply with this technical requirement Trustee A. A. Langford cast a ballot naming the chairman and, by consent of the remainder of the board, this was recorded as a unanimous vote.

On Mr. Hayman assuming the chair, to which he was escorted by Trustee Langford, the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. Quintin Warner. This service was acknowledged in a motion made by Trustee Mrs. Williams, and Mr. Warner replied by congratulating the newly-elected members and wishing the whole board a prosperous year.

The first business of the year was the appointment of a solicitor. T. G. Meredith, K.C., was selected for the position.

Following this the striking committee, consisting of Trustees Mrs. Williams, A. A. Langford and A. N. Udy withdrew. On returning they recommended that No. 1 committee consist of Trustees Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Edwards, Rowe, Coleridge and Wright, and that No. 2 committee consist of Trustees Mrs. Harris, Tanner, Edwin Smith, Udy, Eggett and Langford. The recommendations were adopted.

The committees.

No. 1 committee elected Trustee Thomas Coleridge as its chairman; Trustee Thomas Rowe as a member of No. 3 committee and Trustee Mrs. Edwards as a member of the audit committee.

No. 2 committee elected Trustee Smith to its chairmanship, Trustee Mrs. Harris to No. 1 committee, and Trustee Udy to the audit committee.

No. 3 committee consists of the chairman and nominees from Nos. 1 and 2 committees. The members of this committee will therefore be Trustee Rowe, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Coleridge, Dr. Tillmann and Dr. Claude Brown. This committee elected Trustee Rowe chairman and Trustee Brown as its representative on the audit committee.

The audit committee will consist of Trustees Coleridge, Smith, Rowe, Edwards, Udy and Brown, with Trustee Udy as chairman.

Trustees Udy, Williams, Edwards, Wright, Tillmann and Langford were appointed to the industrial advisory committee. Trustee Rowe pointed out that it was usual for the chairman of the board to be a member of this committee. The chairman stated that he would attend as frequently as possible, but as his other duties would be heavy he did not wish to prevent any other member being on this committee who might be more regular in attendance.

Ray Lawson was appointed to the committee as a representative of employers of labor and James Hussey as a representative of employees. Trustee Eggett moved an amendment to appoint Aid. Harry Wheatcroft to the latter position, but this was not seconded.

To the commercial advisory committee were appointed Trustees Brown, Eggett, Tanner and Langford. The board and John Lecheud and Major A. Calder as outside representatives. W. H. Winnett was reappointed as the representative on the library board.

Mrs. Williams moved the appointment of J. S. Barnard, the 1919 chairman, but other members stated that he would not be willing to accept the appointment.

For the Fair Board.

Mrs. A. T. Edwards and Chairman Hayman were appointed the board's representatives to the Western Fair Association.

A communication from the Social Service Council requested that a representative of the Board of Education be appointed. This was complied with by the appointment of Mrs. Harris.

As usual the chairman was appointed a director of the Penny Bank.

The salary question came to the fore immediately following the appointments. Public school teachers in a letter asked the 1920 board to give favorable consideration to their former request for a \$300 increase in 1920 and \$200 in 1921 as submitted to the 1919 board in December.

High school teachers also asked the board to reconsider granting them a twenty per cent increase this year and a ten per cent increase next year. Both the high school and public school teachers were given a \$100 bonus by the 1919 board in lieu of compliance with their request.

The public school teachers suggested that in the event of a new salary schedule being considered the teachers be consulted and given an opportunity to express their views.

Major W. Gregory, late of the 135th Battalion, made application to be reinstated as physical director of the high school. He held that position for thirteen years, and resigned to go overseas.

Increased Attendance.

Increased attendance at the collegiate and public schools during the month of December was reported by Principal W. H. T. Mooney and Inspector B. Edwards.

During the past month the high schools had a roll of 847 pupils, compared to a roll of 825 in the general school, compared to a roll of 825 and 761 average attendance of 713.

The commercial course was 225, with an average attendance of 209, compared to a roll of 200 in 1919. There was an increase of 136 last year. There was an increase of 77 in the roll, and 78 in the average attendance for the whole day school over December 1919.

Commercial evening classes showed a decrease, with only 38 on the roll, compared to 57 in December 1919, while the general school had 35, compared to 32 last year.

Inspector Edwards reported a public school roll in December of 7,074 pupils, compared with 7,007 in 1919. There was an average attendance of 6,329, compared to 5,392, an increase of 937. The kindergarten had a roll of 717, compared to 645, an increase of 72, and an average attendance of 561, compared to 474, an increase of 87.

There was a decrease of six in the roll of the primary kindergarten, there being 200 children in December, compared to 211 in 1919; with a decrease of 166, compared to 174.

These figures make a total school roll of 7,966 with an average attendance of 7,066, compared to a roll of 7,663 and an average attendance of 6,840 last year, an increase of 133 in the roll and 416 in the average attendance.

In the manual training classes, 895 were enrolled with an average attendance of 809. In the domestic science classes 344 were enrolled, with an average attendance of 845.

Nineteen hundred inspections were made in December by the school nursing department. Defective breathing was found in 104 cases, and defective vision in 76 cases.

SMALL ATTENDANCE AT 142ND COMRADES CLUB

Because of the small number of members who attended the meeting of the 142nd Comrades Club, held in the club rooms of the Army and Navy Veterans last night, the meeting was adjourned without any business being brought up for discussion. Only six men turned out for the meeting.

The reason given for the small attendance was that the meeting place was changed from the rooms of the board on Queen's street to the rooms of the Army and Navy Veterans with little notification of the change having been given to the members.

THRILLING STORY OF LIFE IN ODESSA AT TIME OF REVOLUTION

Madame Pantazzi Speaks Before Women's Canadian Club.

FASCINATING SPEAKER

Tells How Canadian Officer Drops From Sky To Rescue Rumanian Prisoners.

Bolshevism in all the horror and uncertainty of its rule was brought vividly but sanely before a large audience of the Women's Canadian Club last night in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium, when Madame Pantazzi recounted her experiences in Southern Russia during the revolution. Madame Pantazzi is a young woman, although her hair is snow white. As she spoke, scarcely raising her voice above a conversational tone during the whole evening, she thrilled her audience with the vividness of her story and won them over to a strong feeling of sympathy for the little country of Rumania and an active interest in the Rumanian Day Nursery, for which the proceeds of the evening were given.

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A Canadian From the Sky.

Then came her story of how one day in the midst of all their misery and hopelessness, a Canadian officer dropped from the sky to help them. He was Col. Boyle of Woodstock, and had flown over the enemy lines, being fired at by friend and foe alike, because neither knew who he was. On his arrival in Odessa, he immediately set out to try and effect an exchange of Bolshevik prisoners, and the Rumanian refugees in Odessa. The treachery shown by the Bolsheviks, even after he had been ordered the release of the Rumanian prisoners, was all most graphically told. The speaker pictured how the Russian Reds marched instantaneously to the point of the bayonet, after the dauntless Canadian had tried method after method to prevent it; how finally he voluntarily crossed the gangplank to accompany them; how by his alertness, he was able to rescue them on a ship, the German admiral, who had by that time taken the town and finally secured permission from him, for the return of Col. Boyle, which ultimately ended in the exchange of the prisoners.

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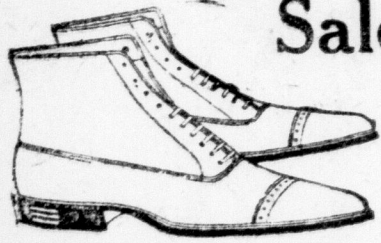
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DOMINION BUREAU OF EDUCATION.
Dr. Vincent's remark that the lack of a Dominion Commissioner of Education makes the distribution of the Rockefeller grant to Canadian medical colleges more difficult, reminds us that in Canada education is purely a provincial matter, while in the United States, though the state legislatures control, there is also a Bureau of Education at Washington under the department of the interior and a commissioner as its chief officer. Do we not need something like that in Canada?

The United States Bureau of Education collects and publishes general information on its large and complex subject, and is thus enabled to place before any part of the community the experience of every other part. This must make for educational advancement. The bureau also supervises agricultural colleges and schools for the mechanical arts. Statistics for the whole of the United States are compiled, reports on organization, school management and methods are issued. The commissioner presents an annual report to Congress. In various ways an authoritative stimulus is provided for educational progress all over the republic, a standard of excellence is set up, which tends to level, harmonize and unite. Some very distinguished educationists have filled the office of commissioner since its establishment in 1867.

Canada has now a labor department, and recently a federal Bureau of Public Health. Would not a tactful Bureau of Education at Ottawa tend to draw the provinces together in their educational programs? Canada needs that more than even the United States. If Agriculture is the better for a director at Ottawa as well as in provincial governments, may it not also be an advantage for rural education to have, as in the United States, a federal centre? Some years ago the Dominion Government appointed a commission on technical education which made a valuable report. The United States has in its Bureau a permanent leadership for technical advance. Now that a question comes up of distributing a huge sum of money among the institutions of medical study all over Canada, Dr. Vincent gives us a good hint. The business of a permanent, non-political official would be not administrative but informational. From his statistics and reports a fair view of the various colleges' needs and deserts could be arrived at. His office would be a beaconlight in all controversy on educational legislation in Canada.

JAPAN AND SIBERIA.

Far East cables report Japan hurrying large bodies of troops to the aid of Admiral Kolchak, who is being hard pressed by the eastward driving forces of the Bolsheviks. It is probably the intention to hold the Balkan line, reorganize the broken armies of the anti-Bolsheviks under Kolchak and Semenov, and through these leaders secure control of Siberia. London, Paris and some American papers are criticizing Japan's military activities in Siberia, but the criticism appears unjust in view of the fact that the Allies have remained inactive in Eastern Russia and have withdrawn their troops from all other fronts. The Americans have a small force guarding some sections of the trans-Siberian system, but Washington shows no inclination to seriously oppose the advance of the Bolsheviks. Japan would suffer directly and heavily should the Red warriors overrun Siberia and reach the coast. It is quite possible the present situation may end in a Japanese dictatorship of Siberia, operating through Kolchak or Semenov, the Cossack leader. Nobody imagines that Japan is not taking advantage of the situation to secure a powerful grip on Siberia for purposes of trade as well as safety, but the danger is sufficiently real and immediate to head off any official protest the other powers may feel inclined to make. Just now it looks as if Japan would draw a rich prize out of the Russian muddle through some sort of a overlordship that may result from stopping the Bolsheviks. She will be the only Allied nation to get anything out of Russian intervention, save a sad if illuminating experience, and abuse.

COLLEGE RE-ESTABLISHMENT.

Most of the Canadian colleges established and maintained by the churches were financed before the war on the expectation that a certain part of the necessary expenditure would be met by students' fees. After the 4th of August, 1914, the students began to go into khaki, and for four years the theological colleges, in particular, were practically empty. It was necessary to maintain the classes to pay the staffs, and in many cases to increase salaries to match the high cost of living. At the same time, the outlays for maintenance grew rapidly. The item for coal alone was important. Readily, it can be understood that the result was a series of deficits. In some cases, these were covered by special donations from friends of the colleges, but it is clear to all associated with these important institutions that a general enlargement of endowment funds is urgently required. The colleges of Canada have done excellent work since their establishment through the toil and sacrifice of pioneer Canadians. There is no prouder page in the annals of the churches of Canada than that which records their constant interest in higher education. The colleges have educated the clergy who have positions of leadership in the Dominion, and

the missionaries who are giving their lives in ardent toil the world over. They must be maintained as centres of inspiration for coming generations.

One of the aims of the Forward Movement, now engaging the attention of five Christian communities in Canada is to put the colleges on a solid financial foundation. It is an object that must commend itself to every patriotic citizen whether he be an active churchman or not. Education is the mainstay of democracy.

CLEMENCEAU FOR PRESIDENT.

"Tiger" Clemenceau is likely to be the next president of the French republic. Poincare is about to step out, and as both the Legislative bodies are favorable to putting Clemenceau in the position, there is every likelihood that he will become head of the nation by acclamation. The honor is well deserved and will be a fitting climax to his long career in French political life. At various times he has been a member of both the French legislative houses, and during a part of 1907-1908 was premier. Suddenly, through a political crisis, he once more secured the premiership and became France's man of the hour, and saved the nation at its darkest hour of the war. He broke his country out of a lethargy of despair, broke up the secessionist conspiracy and pushing the campaign to the limit, transformed the black horizons of defeat and disaster into the rosy ones of victory. His tremendous energy, determination and courage put France on its feet at a moment of great exhaustion. Probably outside of Lloyd George, he did more than any one man, not connected directly with military operations, to win the war. The whole world of Allied peoples will approve and applaud the supreme honor France contemplates for Clemenceau.

CITY MARKETS AND THE COST OF LIVING.

The operation of the city produces markets is regarded as having a close bearing on the cost of living in the towns and cities. With a view evidently of bringing out the best systems of conducting city markets, the Agricultural Gazette of Canada, published by the department of agriculture at Ottawa, has brought together, in the December number, the systems by which markets are handled in eighteen of the larger cities in Canada. The statements provided by city mayors, city clerks and superintendents of markets show clearly that there does not exist in Canada any uniform system of city market administration. Each city has its own special rules and regulations. In some instances the market is subject to a sort of publican who buys from the city the privilege to collect tolls or fees from those who bring produce to the market. In other cases, as in Regina, we find a women's organization efficiently conducting the city market on a business basis, while many public markets are directly managed by a committee appointed by the city council. The Hamilton Board of Trade has established a whole-some relationship between its urban and rural peoples by creating a farmers' section of the board. The friendly co-operation and exchange of views between the two sections results in a better understanding of conditions, consequently the Hamilton market is highly esteemed by growers and buyers. It serves the interest of both. Special features adopted by various market administrations are giving excellent results, for example, the system adopted at Port Arthur for the selling of consignments of produce by the market manager on a commission basis. Besides securing to the purchasers fresh supplies of food at a cost, usually below the prices charged in the stores, these markets bring to the producer considerably higher prices than if the produce were compelled to pass through several hands, each taking their necessary toll.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Union Government is drifting, as Mr. King points out. It is to be hoped that it will drift on the rocks before it has time to guide the country into the rocks.

Muslims of the Near East and India are threatening trouble if the Turkish settlement does not suit them. The old way was to take up the torch and the knife and declare a holy war. Now, however, they propose to have revenge by refusing to trade in or use British-made goods. They have discovered that the boycott is mightier than the sword.

When the Manitoba Grain Growers demand the abolition of the Board of Commerce, is it that they think the price of wheat insufficiently raised, or that they consider the board's doings a heap of clumsy and expensive humbug? If the former interpretation be correct and the Ontario Farmers sympathize, we may despair of checks on the profiteers in this province. Let us hope that the latter interpretation, which is fairly plausible, is the right one.

AN UNMARKED FESTIVAL.

[Alice Meynell.]
There is a feast undated yet:
Both our true lives hold it fast—
The first day we ever met.
What a great day came and passed—
Unknown then, but known at last.

And we meet: You knew not me,
Mistress of your joys and fears:
Held my hand that held the key
Of the treasure of your years,
Of the fountain of your tears.

For you knew not it was I,
And I knew not it was you.
We have learnt as days went by:
But a flower struck root and grew
Underground, and no one knew.

Day of days! Unmarked it rose,
In whose hours we were to meet:
And forgotten passed, who knew,
Was earth cold or sunny sweet
At the coming of your feet?

One mere day, we thought: the measure
Of such days the year fulfills.
Now how dearly would we treasure
Something from its fields, its hills,
And its memorable hills.

But one leaf of oak or lime,
Or one blossom from its bowers,
No one gathered at the time.
Oh! to keep that day of ours
By one relic of its flowers.

THE OLD MEN'S WORK.

[Buffalo News.]

Sir William Osler lived to see men of 60 years and more jump into harness in the war emergency and keep the wheels of industry humming; when youth was called to the colors. They proved their worth then, the oldsters, beyond question. Without them in the factories and the fields, the armies could not have carried on to victory.

From Here and There

TWO LOVERS.
[George Eliot.]

Two lovers by a moss-grown spring:
They leaned soft cheeks together there,
Mingle the dark and sunny hair;
They heard the wooing thrushes sing,
O budding time! O love's best prime!

Two wedded from the portal step:
The bells made happy carolings,
The air was soft with daisies' wings,
White petals upon the ivy sprang,
O pure-eyed bride! O tender pride!

Two faces o'er a cradle bent:
Two hands above the head were locked;
These pressed each other while they rocked,
These watched a life that love had sent,
O solemn hour! O hidden power!

Two parents by the evening fire:
The red light fell about their knees,
On heads that rose by slow degrees
Like buds upon the ivy sprang,
O patient life! O tender strife!

The two still sat together there,
The red light shone about their knees:
But all the heads by slow degrees
Had gone and left that lonely pair,
O voyage fast! O vanished past!

The red light shone upon the floor
And made the space between them wide,
They drew their chairs up side by side,
Their pale cheeks joined, and said "Once more!"
O memory! O past that is!

"THE WOMAN WITH—"
[London Express.]

Mayfair is awailing with keen impatience and no little anxiety the appearance of Mrs. Asquith's new book in London. The book is now in the hands of the publishers, Messrs. Butterworth, an American firm, who, it is understood, are paying the authoress a sum down understood to be between \$5,000 and \$10,000.

Nobody is to be spared in this book, which is to be entitled "The Autobiography of Margaret Asquith" and Mrs. Asquith's enemies are trembling at the prospect of seeing hitherto hidden portions of their lives in print. The authoress has shown no mercy to anyone, for, as she says in her preface, "I might just as well be open for a sheep as a lamb." The book is looked forward to by the reading public of England and America, and is anticipated as one of the most agreeably shocking collections of memoirs that have been written in recent years.

HERE'S HOPING.
[Quebec Mercury.]

A Toronto parson is fighting his wealthy parishioners for the right of free speech in the pulpit. He'll have a long and a hard fight, for wealthy contributors have a way of getting made-to-order sermons by stopping contributions. It's an age-long system, and here's hoping the parson wins out.

SPOILED.
[Peterborough Examiner.]

The "boosa" trains from Montreal are spoiling the joke that Ontario would be so dry this winter that the cold would not be felt.

THE LADDER OF GOLD.
[Jean Hewitt.]

Each day that comes to us
With dawn of rose,
Each common day filled full
Of common toil,
A ladder is, let down
By one who knows
Our passionate desire
To rise above
The littleness of life,
The lack of love,
The grime, the greed, the strife,
The sordid fear—
To find the higher way,
The vision clear.

A ladder stretching from
The Hills of Gold
To this old world, which
Men call the world,
The topos rung held fast
In God's right hand,
The lowest at our feet,
That we may climb by rounds
Of broken prayer,
By self-forgetfulness
And pure desire,
And lowly labors grandly done,
A little nearer heaven
Each setting sun.

TRANSPLANTING EARLY CROPS FROM THE HOTBED.
[Selected.]

Two things are very necessary in this work: one, that the plants get as much air as possible and kept as cool as possible, in this way getting them used to night temperatures, so that when set in the field they will be able to withstand a considerable degree of cold. The other is that of withholding water as much as possible; this has two direct effects on the plant. One, that of enlarging the fiber root system, the other that of suffering the wall cells of the plant, making them more suited to withstand outside conditions. On many occasions it has been proved that a plant which has only had the water required for its actual growth came through a rather severe cold spell in good shape, while the softer, more frequently watered specimen froze.

IRELAND'S MATERIAL CONDITION.
[Literary Digest.]

Hints have been heard from time to time in the past few years that Ireland is now a land of plenty. While England was on short rations during the war, Ireland was not. The old contrast between merry England and starving Ireland no longer exists. In fact, of the two, perhaps Ireland is now living a bit better.

Even in a hasty, self-conducted trip through Ireland, writes an American professor, A. L. P. Dennis of the University of Wisconsin, "there are impressions of life and social conditions which come with peculiar interest to one who has been chiefly interested in varied affairs which for the most part have been remote from Ireland. Therefore, I think that the first impression is one of a surprising economic prosperity. It is a situation so vastly different from that familiar in Europe."

"Ireland is a fat country with enormous material prospects. There have been practically no food restrictions in Ireland during the war, and Ireland has food in abundance. A second impression of Ireland is that it has been largely untouched by the war. Of course, Irish soldiers from both north and south have engraved a splendid record, and the very economic prosperity of Ireland is partly due to the war. Yet Ireland remains curiously aloof from the great struggle; she seems less intimately touched than almost any other country in Europe."

THE JOY OF THE WORKING.
[Springfield Republican.]

A man's pride in his work is not connected with a hope of being some time more than he is. It is, or should be, pride in work done well for its own sake. An engineer or conductor forty-five or fifty years old knows that he has small chance of being advanced into any more lucrative or responsible position. And, even with the younger men, hope of promotion beyond a certain point is highly illusory, though it may buoy up the spirits of many. This does not mean that the work is less important. Indeed, as the natural evolution of society brings into general recognition the right of every honest workman to a wage that shall enable him and his family to live in comfort, it will be more necessary to insist that the man is not working for the wage alone; he is working also because his labor is useful to the community, and because his best reward for doing it is doing it well.

CHINESE DEATH RATE BOOSTS HAIR NETS.
[Kington British Whig.]

Add to list of fashions that of hair nets. Stores handling this feminine necessity are almost down to the last net, and there's no relief in sight. According to wholesalers, the shortage is caused by the decline in the death rate in China. Nets sold in America are virtually all made from Chinese hair, the bulk of which is obtained from the heads of dead Chinese. The big shortage is in dark brown and black nets. Women have been forced to buy white or grey hair nets and dye them.

The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

LOVE FOR LOVE'S SAKE.
(By Vincent G. Perry.)


It is a bit old-fashioned to write under a non-de-plume, but for a certain reason Bart Bennett had allowed his work to become famous under the pen-name of Gertrude Antonette. Story after story, all successful ones, for three years was a record, but that length of time without a vacation is bound to tell on anyone, so finally he was confronted with a failure—not from a financial standpoint, for his non-de-plume story was enough to assure the return of a substantial check, but when he read the story in one of the leading magazines of the day he could not help feeling that it was below his standard. The illustrations were just as poor as the story—that was his big surprise, for the art work was done by Charles Connell, the illustrator, who had helped make Bart's stories famous. Charles seemed to know the characters as well as Bart knew them—their ideas of people and places seemed to coincide exactly.

They both needed a vacation, Bart put it down to the head he had never met Connell, but somehow he seemed to know him—he was the one man he would like to meet who had something to say. There was only one place where he had ever really enjoyed himself on vacation, and that was a summer hotel a number of miles away. A summer hotel in winter! One story writer had laid the scene of a famous book at the same time. He could get his illustrator to go with him and there they could form a foundation for the friendship he had often dreamed of.

"Delighted," John told him at Bayview Inn, Wayside, Thursday. An old haunt of mine, come an answer from a telegram Bart had dispatched to Connell. So Connell was familiar with Wayside, too. No wonder he had known just how to illustrate the stories that had found their way there. Bart thought, "Did he know Nora Ellison? Bold! There he was thinking of her again, Bart caught himself just in time. A storm was blowing when Bart landed in Wayside. He lost no time in making for the inn, after the agent had told him the key had been called for. Most likely Connell had a fire burning by that time. Sure enough, Bart found himself before the fire, and started through the building in search of him, stepped into a bedroom on the second floor, and bang! The door closed after him and he heard the lock turn.

"What's the joke?" Bart called out, startled, but the rattling of keys was the only answer he got. Women's feet on stairways. Bart's nostrils were stung and gasped. It had all happened so suddenly and was so uncanny, he did not know what to think. Who was the woman? Whose was Connell? He himself, no doubt. Locked in a room like this, he was sure that when the door opened, the shutters would be closed and the door would be nailed for the time being. Heavens! He was

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eyes. The welcome was enough for the constable, he beat a retreat. He made a hurried examination of the articles on the dresser. A diary appealed to him at once. The writing was Nora's. He cried out in surprise. The first word his eyes lighted upon caused him to read on and on. There was the account of their love affair, from the first glorious days to the days when they had started to quarrel. Nora had not missed a point of it. So she had thought of his ambitions that he did of her, that was just what he thought about her. "Art comes first," she had written. The final quarrel was there in detail. She had told him that his ambitions along literary lines came first and he had told her she thought more of her art than she did of him. How well he remembered and how well she told it! He had told her that she cared more to make her name famous than she did to make her life happy, and she had cried "dido" promptly. It had been a genuine battle, worthy of real lovers while it lasted, but unfortunately they had taken it too seriously. They had parted, each resolved that neither would be the other that their work would be for art's sake and not for fame.

HE DARKENED HIS GREY HAIR

TELLS HOW HE DID IT

Mr. J. A. McCrea, a well-known resident of San Francisco, who was called Daddy and Grandpa on account of his white hair, and who darkened it with a home-made mixture, recently made the following statement: "Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home that will darken grey hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Orleum Compound and 4 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. It does not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

"We are accustomed to a few 'Presidential Bees,' but from the look of things this year somebody must have kicked over a hive."—Columbia Record.

What Will Happen When The Railroads Go Back?

Will lower wages, the present scale, or even higher wages, be paid to employees? Will freight and passenger rates be increased? Will the public enjoy better service? These are a few of the questions that are current in the minds of the American public since the announcement of President Wilson that the railroads will be returned to their owners on March 1.

THE LITERARY DIGEST in its leading article in the issue of January 10, presents a comprehensive survey of the railroad question. It gives the arguments pro and con for private control, for government ownership, for the installation of the Plumb plan, etc. The article is graphically illustrated with pertinent cartoons on various phases of the situation.

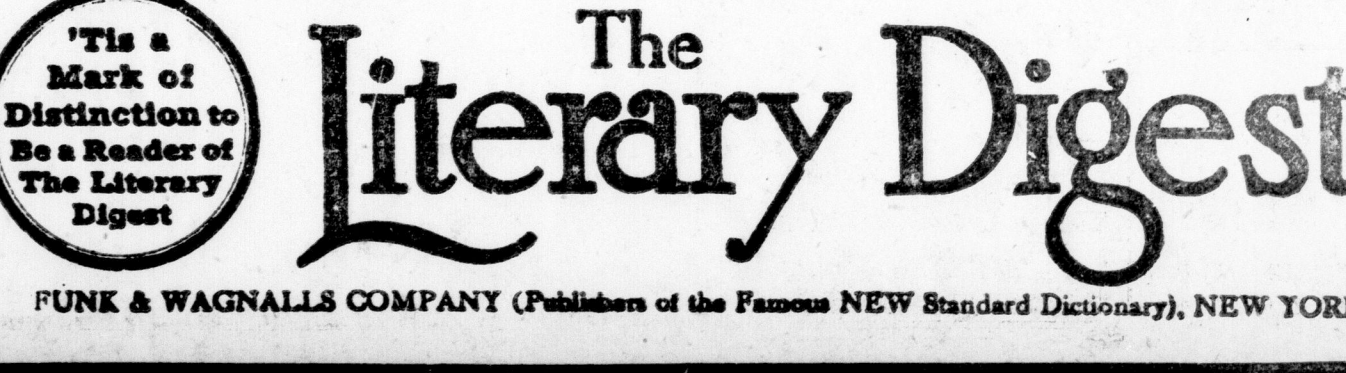
Other enlightening news-articles in this number of the Digest are:

- Palmer's Panacea For Profiteers**
A Presentation of Conflicting Opinions on the Attorney-General's Latest Manoeuvre to Lower the High Cost of Living.
- A National Court for Labor**
Murder by Wood-Alcohol
How the New Irish Plan Is Sized Up Here
Is There Profiteering in Sugar?
Another Huge Rockefeller Gift
Japan to Keep On Fighting Lenine
Armenia's Chance With Turkey
Swedish Methods With Alcohol
Spitzenbergen Staked off to Norway
To Foil Telephone Eavesdroppers
Japan Gives Us the Princess Tree
Shall We Wear Nightcaps Again?
Depersonalizing Industry
Farming for Camphor
- Palestine—The Motherland of the Jews—Close-up of Palestine Today—Favorable Influences—A Map of the Country**
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A Pittsburg Quixote
The Church Pageant
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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

A LARGE AUDIENCE APPEARS TO HEAR NORWEGIAN PROGRAM

Women's Music Club Holds Another Successful Afternoon Meeting.

It was a delightful and fascinating program rendered at the Women's Music Club yesterday afternoon in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium, and it was expected to be something exceptional might be judged from the splendid audience which gathered there. The weird, half-barbaric music of the Norwegian, Grieg, was delightfully supplemented with songs by women composers, the whole program having been mapped out under the supervision of Mrs. Harris Elliott.

One delightful feature of the afternoon was the appearance on the program of W. A. Bluthner, one of the London's foremost musicians, who has not been heard here publicly in solo work for several years. He received a most enthusiastic welcome as the division of the "Norwegian Bridal Procession" (Grieg), and was forced to play an encore.

The opening selection of the afternoon was Grieg's Sonata in C Minor for piano and violin. Miss P. and Mr. Bluthner, who has an artistic appreciation which is rare, Miss Elliott, who has a voice of velvet, and Miss K. who has a deep-toned contralto voice, rendered a second group, including "Boat Song" by H. W. and "Rest, Rest, Dear Heart" by Ed. Grieg.

For the next music club meeting on the evening of January 22, the orchestra accompaniment, in the other, was a brilliant piece of work, and of itself was worth coming out to hear.

ON THE SCANT DRESS OF TODAY

ELSPETH WILSON.

According to press reports, the coming fashions in women's dress will show shorter skirts, no sleeves, no hose and sandals. In other words, the garments will be sleeveless, stockinged, shoes and practically skirtless. Add to this the wildest waists of today, and where are we?

It is small wonder that a French priest sent home one bride-elect to dress in proper clothes, refusing to wear the marriage service as long as she was dressed as she was. We have also read of the Pope's denunciation in the uncertain tones of the innkeeper of modern women.

After five years of war, sacrifice and heartache, one would expect the women of these free lands to be a little more living, beginning with dress, and how their heads in shame that it remains for men—the pope and the innkeeper—to protect the girls of today from this unbecoming exposure, and make such a comment as the following impossible, it was made after a holiday last week, when a mother inquired of her son: "Was the music good, Billy?" "Fine mother," was his reply. "Were the girls' dresses pretty?" "What there was of them." Several forgot to wear them. Are the Canadian girls of today willing to be thought of in this manner?

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Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

There's a woman like a dewdrop, she's so pure, she's so pure, And her noble heart's the noblest, yes, and her sure faith's the surest. And her eyes are dark and humid, like the depth of depth of lustre. Hid in the harebell, while her tresses, sunnier than the wild, grape cluster, Gush in golden-tinted plenty down her neck's rose-misted marble: Then her voice's music call it the well's bubbling, the bird's warble!

—Robert Browning.

A Beautiful Poem.
Dear Miss Grey—I am coming to you for some help. I have a verse here which I clipped from a paper. Here are the first and last two lines of it:

Laddie, beloved laddie,
How soon we cease to weep.
Over the hills of God, laddie,
The beautiful hills of home.

There is more to this verse and I was just wondering if there was more to it and if you could find out for me. Would you mind publishing it for me in your column?

Hope you are not asking too much and thanking you kindly. I will sign myself BETH.

Send your name and address.
Beth, and I'll send you a copy of this lovely poem. It appeared in the Advertiser in the third column of the Editorial Page a few weeks ago. It was from a book of poems, called "Over the Hills of Home," by Lillian Leveridge, a Toronto writer. You'll love the entire poem and I'll be glad to send it to you.

Wears Them Out Fast.
Dear Miss Grey—Inclosed you will find a stamped, addressed envelope. I wrote my last letter, but I thought you had it. I know I sent it in some time ago, and I have not changed my name. Now, Miss Grey, if it is not asking too much, when that little pattern comes to the Mail-Box will you please send it to me? My husband can wear out a pair of mitts faster than anyone else I know. That mitt-making will save us a few dollars.

ENGLISH BUTTERCUP.
Dear Miss Grey—Am pleased to mail you pattern for mitts. Hope it will prove useful for your destructive "hubby."

Minicameat Rolls.
Dear Miss Grey—I am sending a remedy for the mother of the children with whooping cough. I forgot her pen name. I used it myself last year for my little daughter with great success. I enjoy the Mail-Box very much. I made my Christmas cake from Lily of the Valley's recipe and it was lovely. (thanks Lily). I wonder if you'll ever try a minicameat roll, pudding. It is very nice. Make a suet dough roll out and spread with minicameat, roll up and tie in a floured cloth and boil two hours. I will sign myself.

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welcome. Wishing all a happy and prosperous New Year. G. B. Ans.—There are, no doubt, many good remedies in your letter, G. B., and we are very grateful for your trouble in copying them.

A Poem for a Poem.
Dear Miss Grey—I thought perhaps I could help you a little, so copied out a song "Poor Babe in the Woods," which I thought might be the one asked for by "New Member of Your Interesting Family."

I also am a new member and have received much help from your interesting page, and would like very much if you could have a copy of "Bairnes Cuddle Doon at Night." Thanking you in advance. PEGGOTTY.

P. S. I am sending stamped envelopes for poem.
Ans.—Your pen name carries us back to "David Copperfield" memories. Peggotty. Glad you wrote to us and am pleased to be able to supply the poem you ask for. Will New Member please send in her name and address on a stamped envelope for copy of "Bairnes in the Woods?" Am sorry not to be able to locate this information in our family list.

Referred To Boxes.
Dear Miss Grey—I received the song which I asked for and many thanks. I also want to thank Elizabeth. I received it the same day I was going away and did not have time to answer that morning. Miss Grey you will find inclosed a three-cent stamp which I owe you and sometime when you have room in your column would like to have the words of "That Dark Girl Dressed in Blue" also "The Old Maid Shawl." Hope this name you are asking too much and any time I can help you will be glad to do so. A STRANGER.

Ans.—Pleased to put your requests before the Boxes.

A New Member.
Dear Miss Grey—As I am a new member in your Mail-Box, I would like to ask any of your readers to what would be a suitable name for a new member. I would like to know the meanings of the following names: Lillian, Almee, Grace and Annie. Hoping I am not taking up too much room in your paper. I will sign myself now as HONEYCOMB.

Ans.—Don't you like the name you have chosen quite well enough? Lillian, a lily; Almee, beloved; Grace, favor; Annie, Grace. Glad to welcome a new member.

A Few Hints.
Dear Miss Grey—Here I am again. I will send a few hints:
To Remove Scorching—Wet with water and lay in sun.
To Clean Silverware—Soak in butter-milk for two days if real dandruff.
Now for a little help. Could anyone make me the song entitled "That Wonderful Mother I Am" and "The Aspiring Dishwasher." I received that song, Miss Grey, and thanks ever so much for it. Well, I guess I had better ring off for now. Will help the Mail-Box whenever I'm able.

A COUNTRY MAID.
Ans.—If you send me your name and address I can supply reading you want from the Mail-Box. I have a "Country Maid" on my family list, but not in the postoffice in your letter. Thank you very much for the useful hints.

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TALKS ON HEALTH

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

(Noted Physician and Author)

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

The Conservation of So-Called Liver Pills.

Constipation in most instances is due to carelessness and neglect of regular habits. Natural laxation is due to lack of daily exercise, and the careless use of physic. I might almost join the chorus of voices raised against the anemic state of life we lead on nowadays. I might say some hard things about refined white flour and the bread made from it. I don't like this colorless, denatured, refined white flour bread in not. "In passing"—as though the reader were too dull to realize that I am passing—hat brown bread, graham flour bread, contains vitamins, iron, mineral salts and other valuable elements which are wanting in refined white flour bread. Graham bread is laxative, refined white flour bread is not.

Wheat bran is not merely roughage. The human digestive tract can assimilate some nourishment out of bran. Wheat bran contains considerable assimilable fat. It is perhaps

cups wheat bran, 1 1/2 cups graham flour, tablespoonful salt.
Scald the milk and add to blood temperature. Make a smooth paste of the molasses, lard, yeast and lukewarm water, and add the paste to the lukewarm milk. Then add the flour to make a sponge. Beat the sponge five minutes, cover, and set in a warm place until it rises to about double its original bulk. Now add the salt and bran, and give the thing a wicked beating. Stir five minutes. A bowl of making bread is fine exercise for reducing or developing the bust. Half fill with the dough a well-greased bread tin, and lightly massage the dough in the tin with lard, let it stand a warm place until it rises to the top of the tin. Then bake one hour, taking pains not to let the dough will go flat.

If desired, from one-half to one cup of raisins may be added when the bread is added. The raisins should be soaked a few minutes in scalding water and then dried. Or one-half in a cupful of walnut meats may be added if preferred. The meats should be chopped in the shape of the raisins, and warranted to bring the slave of the house home in time for supper.

Bran Cookies.
One cup wheat bran, 1 cup white flour

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Boys' \$13.50 Suits	\$8.98	Boys' \$20.00 Suits	\$14.98
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PARLIAMENT WILL OPEN FEBRUARY 26 IN NEW BUILDING

Hume Cronyn, Member For London, Expected To Move Reply to Throne Speech.

SESSION TO BE SHORT

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King Will Take Place As Liberal Leader.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—(By Canadian Press.)—Sir George Foster, acting prime minister, at 4 o'clock this afternoon made the definite announcement through the Canadian Press that Parliament will meet for the transaction of business on Thursday, February 26.

He stated that in all probability the address to the speech from the throne, to be made by the first business of Parliament, will probably be moved by Hume Cronyn, M.P., London, Ont., and seconded by Alexander McGregor, member for Pictou. The acting prime minister also stated that the session will be a short one, and that the session will be a short one, and that the session will be a short one.

It is regarded as altogether likely that the debate on the address will occupy several days. It will afford Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King his first opportunity as Liberal leader in the Commons to deal with political questions in a general way. It will be recalled that when Mr. King entered the Commons towards the close of the special session he did not replace Mr. D. D. McKenzie as Liberal leader in the House, but in the absence of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux occupied the member's seat until the end of the session.

Apart entirely from the somewhat complex political situation more than ordinary interest will attach to the coming opening of Parliament, because of the fact that the Commons and the Senate will return to Parliament Hill and occupy the new Parliament Buildings. The new buildings still lack the main tower, and the Senate side, to the east of the hall of fame, is far from completed. The

TO MOVE REPLY TO THRONE SPEECH



HUME CRONYN, M. P.

senators will have to be content for the coming session with the railway committee room which is spacious if not ornate, and the sound of hammer and trowel on the Senate side will be heard up by a boarding between the two wings.

To Be Well Accommodated.

The Commons will be well accommodated both as to the chamber and to private rooms. The chamber is almost awe-inspiring in its loftiness, and unless the acoustics are excellent, small-voiced men will have difficulty in being heard.

The architects, however, are confident that the acoustics are perfect. In distinction to the old Commons chamber the light of day shines in from both sides, and artificial lighting will not be necessary.

The restaurant, which gives a splendid view to the Chaudier and the Galt House, will be open for business.

It will be years yet before carvings, decorations, paintings, etc., have been completed. Six million dollars have so far been spent. Several millions more will be spent before the last hammer has been heard.

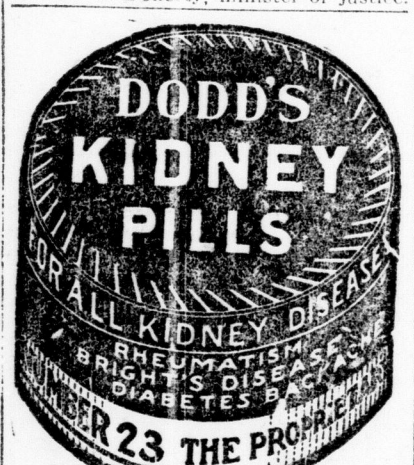
Three to Four Months.

The general expectation is that the House will be in session from three to four months, and that Sir Robert Borden will not return to Ottawa until after prorogation. The Evening Citizen today states that there is a growing impression that Sir Robert Borden will not return to Ottawa until after prorogation. The Evening Citizen today states that there is a growing impression that Sir Robert Borden will not return to Ottawa until after prorogation.

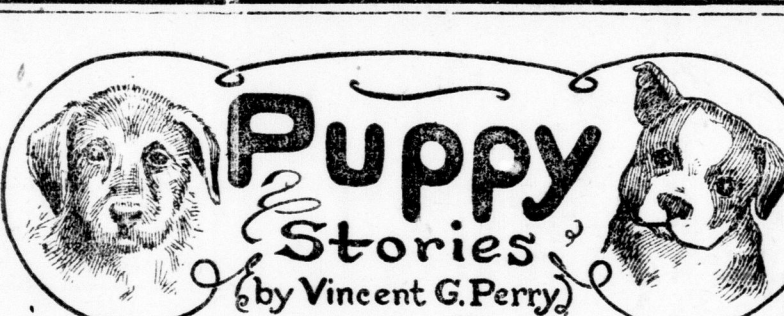
The impression is growing that if the Admiral Jellicoe Naval Mission proceeds to South Africa, Sir Robert will accompany the admiral on his flag-ship.

There is considerable doubt as to the amount of legislation that will be called for in the speech from the throne. Provision is almost certain to be made for a new federal election act, but there is less certainty as to a naval bill. General estimates will probably be large because of the steadily increasing cost of administration but the vote for "war purposes" will be comparatively small. It is not probable that there will be legislation dealing with shipbuilding and labor. Tariff changes are likely to be few because of the Government's decision that the time is not opportune for a general revision of the tariff, and the request made by the Government to people interested to send in their views to the minister of finance in writing. A Unionist caucus will be held

shortly after the opening of the session to consider the Government policy during the session, and to select a House leader to assist Sir George Foster. The choice is expected to fall upon Hon. C. F. Doherty, minister of justice.



DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS



PUPPY STORIES by Vincent G. Perry

BOBS AND THE GREY SQUIRREL—PART I.

Bobs was a very sick little squirrel when he first came, for he had been shot in the leg, and the wound was not healed; but with careful care Harry brought him back to health. At first Bristles had been afraid of his new friends, but he soon learned that Harry and his boy friends meant him no harm. Very soon the little squirrel learned to hunt for nuts in Harry's pockets. It was then that Bobs had first felt jealous, for he did not like to see his young master so happy over another pet's pranks.

All one morning Bobs sat in front of his hole on the wall of the back shed, the grey squirrel's cage was empty.

What to do. You see, Bobs was not a bad-tempered puppy, and he did not wish to do the little squirrel harm, but he could not get rid of Bristles, the intruder.

It isn't fair that he should have such an easy life in that warm place when he has to sleep out in the cold, and Bobs said to himself, and then the night came to him. He would chase Mr. Squirrel right out of his cage and force him to come back. But before Bobs could come out, the door of the cage would have to be opened, and on where he stood it looked like a bad task. Bobs took one great jump, and fastened his teeth in the button that locked Bristles in. Off came the button, and then like a flash out jumped Bristles, and away he went. He chattered something to Bobs as he went, but Bobs did not hear what it was. He thought most likely Bristles was crying out in fright when Bobs was just popping up in front of him.

Time passed so quickly, and Bobs grew up so fast, he had almost forgotten about Bristles the squirrel. The big adventure of his life happened one day. Harry, like most little boys, to go for hikes to the mountain for they lived very near some mountains. It was the first nice spring, and although the snow

and ice had not melted, Harry started off with Bobs and some of the boys for the first hike of the year. All went well, until Bobs spied a rabbit, and he was off after it at top speed. The rabbit had a good start and before Bobs caught up to it, it had disappeared down a hole. Bobs did not give up, but started to dig for all he was worth to see if he could dig Mr. Rabbit out of his hole.

It happened all at once. The first thing Bobs knew, a great roar sounded close by, and then a big crash came, and he was buried under tons and tons of ice and snow. He was stunned for a long time, and then when he did open his eyes, he could not move his body, for he was fastened down by the ice and snow. Bobs knew that the ice was coming down from the mountains, and that he was buried away out of sight. What was he to do?

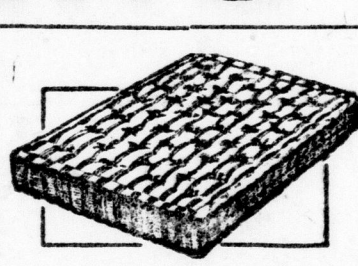
The rabbit hole was still in front of him, but it was much too small for Bobs to crawl through, even if he had been able to move. Just when he was giving up hope, he heard a little sound, and there, looking out of the rabbit hole, was his old enemy, Bristles, the grey squirrel.

(More about Bristles and Bobs tomorrow.)

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Professor H. Strauss, M.D., of the Royal Victoria Hospital, says: "The cause for an attack of gout, rheumatism, lumbago, is supplied by the increase of uric acid in the blood serum, the result of various causes, the most frequent of which is renal. Before an attack, one suffers sometimes from headache, neuralgia, twinges of pain here and there."

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead, when the back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you have rheumatic pains or lumbago, gout, sciatica, obtain at your nearest drug store "Anuric" (anti-uric-acid).

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Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package.

"FIDDLERS THREE" AT THE GRAND TONIGHT AND TWICE TOMORROW

One of the most remarkable women in the theatrical world is Miss Tavia Biele, who comes to the Grand Opera House for the engagement of two nights, not one matinee, commencing tonight at 8:15, in John Cort's sparkling production of the musical play "Fiddlers Three." Miss Biele, whose work as prima donna of the Antwerp Opera House ended with the coming of the German army, is but a little over a year in this country. Forced out of her beloved Belgium by the Hun, she traveled through Canada and gave her voice for suffering millions she had seen toiling in misery, but through the perception of Mr. Cort, she was placed in the leading role of "Fiddlers Three." The sensation created by her voice, her beauty and her dramatic fire, is now theatrical history, and it is something out of the ordinary for a new singer to make theatrical history in these swift moving days of Jazz. Made into ripples of melody, the story of the violin maker of Cremona, who discovered a way of making the most beautiful fiddle in all Italy "Fiddlers Three" has become during its one year of life, a musical comedy classic. The cast is a large one and includes Tom Conroy, whose baritone voice has been a feature of the New York Hippodrome, Tom Dingle, whose eccentric dancing has made him one of the most imitated of jaspers; Gilbert Clayton, who, as Paganini, the satirical violinist, presents a startling picture; Horace Sinclair, the vivacious Edna Morn, a dancer, and one of the most beautiful choruses of recent years. The production of "Fiddlers Three" is one of John Cort's greatest achievements. Secure your seats now.

"FRIENDLY ENEMIES" COMING TO GRAND MONDAY NIGHT

Millions of people have already seen "Friendly Enemies," the international comedy success which A. H. Woods

will present at the Grand Opera House on Monday evening at 8:15, and millions more will see it before the phenomenal run of the piece is brought to a close. It is safe to assume that when the history of "Friendly Enemies" is written, it will be found that more than three-fourths of the present generation of English speaking playgoers had seen the play. Not only does "Friendly Enemies" embody the timeliest problem of today, but

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it presents that problem in so moving and dramatic a story, with so deft a mixture of humor and pathos, of jest and gravity, of fun and seriousness, that it has proved irresistible. It has appealed to men and women and children of all classes and conditions, not only in the United States, but in England and Australia. In these three sensational and equally unprecedented stories its success has been equally sensational and equally unprecedented. Its story is too familiar to theatre-goers, the clash of two lovable, big-hearted and eccentric German-American men, the one a loyalist to the American cause, the other a still in sympathy with the German traditions and the incidents and play of character that permeates the story, are adequately described here. The play will be presented here with a notable company, including members selected from the New York and Chicago companies. Seats now on sale.

"CHU CHIN CHOW" COMING TO GRAND WEEK OF JANUARY 19

In the big spectacle of ancient Bagdad, "Chu Chin Chow" which F. Ray Comstock and Morris Gest will present at the Grand week of January 19, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

A fashion display of the styles of a thousand years ago is part of this display and arouses gasps of amazement and admiration, especially from feminine spectators. The fashion display of this big oriental musical extravaganza, comes in the harem scene, where Mahbubah, the shrewish and penniless wife of Ali Baba, comes to buy new dresses with the gold which her husband has found in the robbers' cave. The shopkeeper parades twenty of the most beautiful costumes before her, worn by twenty beautiful girls and the display of colors and the eccentric costumes is said to be unparalleled.

One of the most striking costumes is an oriental dress with trousers and an enormous turban head-dress, which is not less than five feet in diameter. It is almost as large as a sausage balloon. It is built on wires, festooned with silks and satins, and is worn by one of the prettiest of the girls in the matinee parade. The girl enters to the music of the orchestra, and the gigantic head-dress stays in rhythm with the music as she dances across the stage.

There are many other wonderful costumes in "Chu Chin Chow," and it is asserted that more than 500 costumes were imported from London by Messrs. F. Ray Comstock and Morris Gest for these scenes. "Chu Chin Chow" is a recreation, a friend of ancient Bagdad in fourteen big scenes and it ran an entire season in New York at the Century theatre.



HAROLD LLOYD, appearing in his third million-dollar comedy, "Hand to Mouth," showing at the Patricia today and Saturday.



DOROTHY GISH, in "Penny Pally," a special matinee feature on the big double bill at the Majestic Theatre, on Saturday afternoon only.

READ GOOD BOOKS TO ACQUIRE EDUCATION, ADVISES DR. M'CRAE

Retiring Chairman of Library Board Says They Are Mighty Influence.

A plea for the extension of the habit of reading good books was made by Rev. Dr. McCrae last evening in his retiring address as chairman of the public library board.

"The reading of a good book," he said, "not only gives pleasure; it is an inspiration, a recreation, a friend, a companion, an educating influence and a mighty influence in molding character."

Dr. McCrae emphasized the usefulness of the public library to the masses. Only 10 per cent of the young people gained a university education, but with the abundant library resources that were available today there was no reason why young men and women should go through life uneducated. The public library, he said, should be dealing with every department of knowledge and it was possible to advance by study in any line. Dr. McCrae referred to the career of Canada's second prime minister, Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, who worked hard every day as a stone-mason while he educated himself by the reading of books.

"The laboring man," said Dr. McCrae, "should be the very best and most enthusiastic friend of the public library."

In the course of his remarks the retiring chairman drew attention to the fact that the circulation of books from the library, which last year was well over the quarter million mark, had this year, for the first time, gone well over

the 300,000 mark. The east branch had a circulation during the year of over \$2,000, while the south branch went over the 20,000 mark.

On motion of R. C. McCann, seconded by Thomas Gillen, a hearty vote of thanks was moved to Dr. McCrae for his services during the year.

COMMITTEE IS NAMED TO SELECT AERODROME SITE

Aviation Club Delegates To Confer With Civic Bodies on Matter.

Though held on very short notice there was a good attendance at last night's meeting of the London Aviation Club in the Tecumseh House. A discussion on the establishment of an aerodrome in the city resulted in a

committee being appointed to lay the proposition before the city council and other local organizations. The committee is composed of Capt. Smith, Capt. Ashton and Lieut. Perry. Immediate steps will be taken to formulate plans and decide on a proper location. Several sites have been offered for the aerodrome and the committee will decide upon the one most advantageous for flying purposes.

It was also decided to call the local organization the London Aviation Club. Membership is open to everyone interested in aviation. Secretary Selk reported that since the last meeting several new members had joined and communications had been received from many outside fliers in which they expressed their intention of enrolling with the club.

An effort will be made to hold four meetings in the Armours. The club will be represented at the Aero Club banquet in Toronto this evening. The next meeting of the Aviation Club will be held on Tuesday, January 20, Coleridge and D. H. Tennent were

C. G. JARVIS PRESIDENT OF MIDDLESEX LAW ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting Was Held in Court House on Thursday.

The fortieth annual meeting of the Middlesex Law Association was held at the law library in the courthouse on Thursday afternoon, the retiring president, T. H. Purdon, K.C., being in the chair. The reports of the librarian, secretary and treasurer showed a membership of 60 and a total of 5,557 books in the library, 135 having been added during the year 1919. The following were elected trustees: V. Cronyn, K.C., F. P. Betts, K.C., T. G. Meredith, K.C., Judge Macbeth, A. O. Jeffery, K.C., Judge Judd, J. P. Moore, K.C., C. G. Jarvis, F. E. Perrin, C. H. Ivey, W. R. Meredith and Alex. Purdon; T. Coleridge and D. H. Tennent were

named as auditors; and officers were elected for the current year as follows: President C. G. Jarvis; vice-president and treasurer, J. P. Moore; G. H. Tennent, secretary. The association has an annual income of about \$2,000, a cash balance of \$125 and no debts.

REGRET COMPROMISE. London, Jan. 8.—Members of the Iron Molders' Union, who have been on strike for wage increases since September 20, have rejected the compromise offer of employers by a vote of 16,718 to 9,631. It was announced here today.

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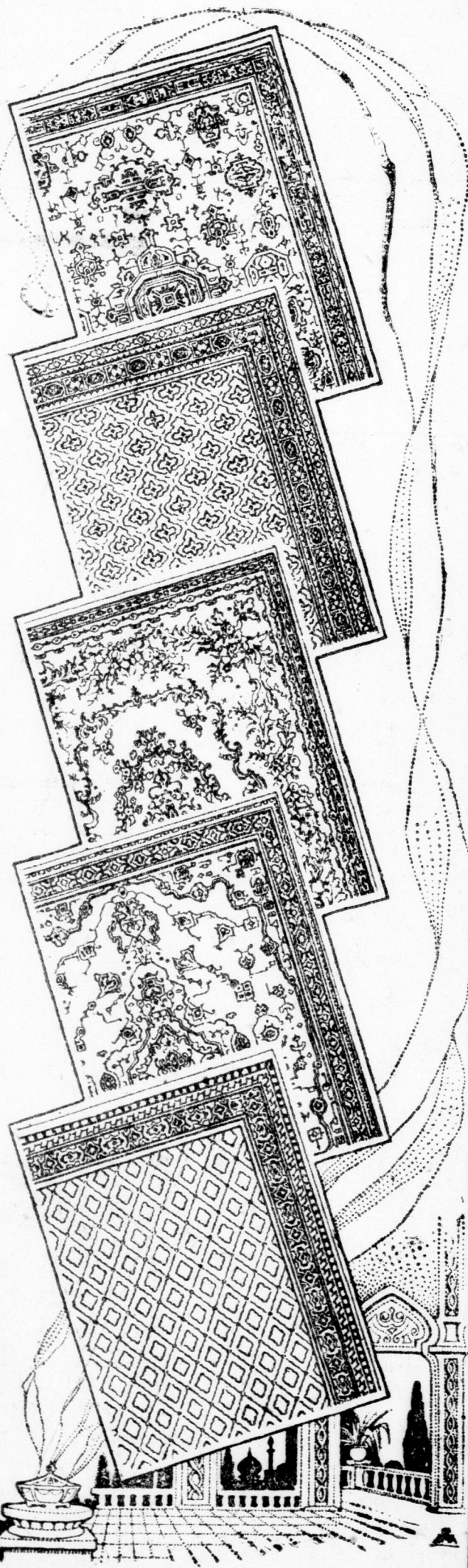
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LABOR REQUEST TO HAVE GOVT. CONSIDERATION

Ottawa Cabinet Hears of
Minimum Wage and Eight-
Hour Day.

TRADES OFFICIALS WATCH

Will Wait To See What Legis-
lation Follows Sug-
gestions.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—(By Canadian Press, Limited).—The executive of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress and other Canadian labor officials had a three-hour conference with members of the cabinet, during which they presented their memorandum asking that legislation be enacted along the lines which labor in Canada is seeking. The labor men were given a sympathetic hearing, and the various questions brought up were freely discussed by both sides.

At the close of the conference Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress, said their suggestions had been given a friendly reception, and they had been promised that careful consideration would be given to the demands of the labor men. However, he said that labor men would wait and see what legislation was forthcoming along the lines of the department had suggested, as a result of the discussions. Labor's ideas had been fairly placed before the Government as a basis for future action.

The eight-hour day and 44-hour week for Canada was one of the chief reforms urged upon the Government by the labor men. They asked also a minimum wage adequate to insure a fair standard of living. Labor's memorandum urged that the eight-hour day be recognized by the peace conference, and by the international labor conference at Washington, Canada. It was stated was better able to carry out this desire than some of the other countries, and therefore labor in this country asked for the weekly half-holiday, giving a 44-hour week.

The labor men pointed out that now that peace was finally signed, labor would look forward to the carrying out of many improvements which had been deferred until the end of the war period.

Members of the cabinet seen after the conference stated that there had been a frank and cordial discussion of all the questions presented to them by the labor men and that the whole matter would be given over to the Minister of Labor. The labor department was received by Sir George Foster, acting premier, and the other members of the cabinet.

**FLAY GOVT. FOR
IMPROPER USE
OF CENSORSHIP**

United Farmers of Manitoba
Claim Office Made Tool of
Autocracy.

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Resolution Demands That
Citizens Should Have
Right of Hearing.

BRANDON, Man., Jan. 8.—(By Canadian Press, Limited).—“In the near future we will see the farmers of the West, of Ontario and of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces united to make a good Canada for Canadians,” said J. A. Caron of Quebec, a director of the United Farmers of that province, addressing the United Farmers of Manitoba here this afternoon. Mr. Caron said he brought word that the farmers' political movement was making progress in Quebec.

“Especially our young men,” he continued, “are looking to the West for the farmers' movement. Politicians in the East are much afraid of you, and lawyers from the cities are buying farms. You have a man whose popularity is increasing daily in Quebec. That's Mr. Crear.” (Cheers.)

“And one receives hints that Crear is the coming man in the Dominion,” he declared.

These statements were received with great evidence of approval. Mr. Caron said that the farmers of Quebec were to hold a big convention next month.

Compliments meeting.

Rice, Sheppard of Edmonton complimented the decision on the change in name to make it conform with the other farmers organizations. This suggestion that the name be changed to the “United Farmers of Canada” was cheered enthusiastically.

The afternoon session of the annual convention was a busy one and included election of officers and discussion of resolutions on varied subjects. J. L. Brown of Pilot Mount, was re-elected president of the association, and R. G. McKenzie of Brandon, son of R. McKenzie, one of the fathers of the Manitoba Grain Growers, was elected on the second ballot as vice-president.

A resolution was passed demanding Canadian citizenship should not be reported without trial by jury. A resolution was introduced censuring the Federal Government because, in the words of the resolution, they used the censorship to prohibit certain literature exposing the methods of various financiers, especially the publication known as the *His Majesty's Government*.

Criticism of the Government was the theme of the Government was.

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Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Epsom (Double strength). Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Closed nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the middle ear which frequently means total deafness is reduced. Epsom salt used in this way acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system and has a tonic action that helps to obtain the desired results. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh of head noises or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.—Adv.

cheered, and it was decided that the resolution should be broadened and re-introduced.

A resolution dealing with Canadian military establishment was introduced and consideration was deferred after a speech by Lieut.-Col. C. D. McPherson of Portage La Prairie, who found fault with proposals for a Canadian military establishment of 10,000 men. The resolution declared that the military forces should be reduced to a minimum, there should be no compulsory military training, and militia department expenditures should not exceed pre-war periods.

Col. McPherson said there were at Ottawa “a great many of what are called mushy jobs,” and the establishment was too heavy. He thought military training in Canada could be kept in check only by the refusal to grant money for military purposes. He favored physical training in the schools.

Sympathy was expressed “with the legitimate aspirations of labor,” and with returned soldiers in seeking “favorable conditions of re-establishment.” An investigation into the spread in wool prices was demanded.

Mrs. Lloyd George
First Magistrate

CARNARVON, Wales, Jan. 8.—Mrs. David Lloyd George, wife of the prime minister, took her seat today in the first Welsh woman magistrate.

PREDICTS FALL IN PRICES WHEN WORLD HAS MORE SUPPLIES

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Prophecying a fall in prices in the near future, Sir Herbert Holt, president of the Royal Bank of Canada, during the course of his address at the annual meeting of the shareholders was most optimistic regarding the future of Canada. He pointed out that it would be only a matter of time when there would be greater supplies in the world, and the competition keener than at present, and the dollars saved today would have a greater purchasing power. For this reason we must strive to produce to the utmost capacity while the market is high, exercising the most rigid economy to conserve the gains.

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reason we must strive to produce to the utmost capacity while the market is high, exercising the most rigid economy to conserve the gains.

Edison L. Pease, the vice-president and general manager, spoke not only of the great development of the Dominion, as shown through the basic reports, but referred to those of the West Indies, Central and South America as reflected in the growing deposits from these countries, and advised the encouragement of relations with these countries.

STEEL STRIKE HAS ENDED; MEN BACK AT WORK

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 8.—The strike in the steel mills and furnaces, called September 22, and which at its inception involved 267,000 men, was officially called off here tonight by the national committee after an all-day meeting. Announcement that the national committee had decided to proceed no further was contained in a telegram sent to the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor in Washington, to the heads of the international unions interested, and to the organizers and field men in all strike districts.

WORK ON EMPIRE TRADE EXHIBITION

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Work on the biggest empire trade exhibition ever seen in this country, to be held next year under the patronage of the King, will begin shortly. Premier Lloyd George is president of the council, which will include Andrew Bonar Law, Walter Hume Long, Sir Auckland Geddes and the premiers of the dominions.

The exhibition is planned to last six months, but it will possibly be extended over a year or two, with eventual development into a permanent exhibition for imperial commerce.

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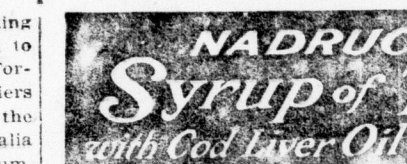
ROME, Tues., Jan. 8.—Commenting today on the memorandum reported to have been handed last month to Foreign Minister Scialoja by Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau on the Adriatic question, the *Corriere d'Italia* today declared that the memorandum, while not an ultimatum was “a very grave document coming from the allied nations to a nation bound to them by a solemn pact.” The memorandum, the newspaper asserts, had for its object the closing of the period of negotiation and the opening of a new one, and recalls to the new Italian negotiators that “the pact of London does not exist any more,” having been destroyed gradually by the former Italian negotiators.

DELAY ARRAIGNMENT OF LLOYD PREVOST

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., Jan. 8.—Arraignment of Lloyd Prevost, charged with the murder of J. Stanley Brown, wealthy young man, who was shot to death two weeks ago on a country road near here, was today postponed until Saturday at the request of his attorneys. It was announced that Prevost would stand mute and demand an examination at which he stated, they expected to show their client had no part in killing Brown, his former close friend.

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DIED.
GEORGE—At Clonaboy, on Thursday
morning, Allice, beloved wife of Her-
bert George.
Funeral (private) at her mother's
residence, at 2 p.m. Saturday. Ser-
vice in Methodist Church at 2:30 p.m.
Interment at St. James'. Friends
please accept intimation.

STEPHENSON—At Victoria Hospital, on
Friday, Jan. 9, 1920, Thomas Stephen-
son, dearly beloved husband of Annie
L. Stephenson.
Funeral (private) from the family
residence, 156 Simcoe street, on Sun-
day, January 11, at 3 o'clock. Services
at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Mount
Pleasant Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM.
SHEIKH—In loving memory of our
son, Lloyd, who passed to his eternal
home January 9, 1919:
A year in heaven for him:
What is he learning of holy things,
Of things divine and true?
What glorious visions they are still
unfolding
Which he never knew:
A year for us without his presence,
A year of loneliness and grief and pain:
But still we smile amid our tears in
thinking
Our little boy has his gain.
—Father, Mother, Wife and Son.

MEETINGS
AT THE CITY MISSION SUNDAY
Evening, Jan. 10, 7 o'clock. Rev.
George Stone will preach on the king-
dom of the Prince of Peace. Come
early. Seats free.

REGULAR ASSEMBLY—RICHARD
Coeur de Lion Preceptory, No. 4,
Knights Templar quarters, Masonic
Hall, 415 (Friday) evening, 8 o'clock.
Frank E. Harley, W. P. Harry J.
Bennett, registrar, 775 Waterloo
street.

EMERGENCY MEETING ST.
John's Lodge, 292a, A. P. and
M. W. will be held at the
Temple this (Friday) evening
at 7:30 o'clock. First degree. Visitors
welcome. Harry Bell, W. M.; J. J.
Kearney, secretary.

Annual General Meeting Child-
ren's Aid Society of London
and Middlesex County.
On Monday, January 12, at 3:15 p.m.,
in the County Council Chamber, County
Buildings, Ridout street.

A cordial invitation is extended to
everyone interested in the welfare of
neglected and dependent children.

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL
Arcanum, meets tonight, 8 o'clock, K.
P. Hall, corner Dundas and Clar-
ence streets. Samuel M. Jepson, sec-
retary.

CANDY AND BISCUIT WORKERS.
Local 234 will hold their regular
meeting in Foresters' Hall, Friday,
Jan. 9, at 7:45. All members cor-
dially invited to discuss important
business. Bro. Walsh, the organizer,
will preside over the chair. C. Rawson,
secretary.

OFFICE GIRL WANTED—APPLY RE-
TAYLOR 7 and 8, Grigg House, 210
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Apply Military Hotel, York and Clar-
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Eighteen to thirty-five years of age.
Good health, good character and at
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ternship. Salary paid while training.
Circular of information and applica-
tion blank furnished upon request to
the superintendent. Apply Miss
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sylvania. 2n

HOUSEMAID WANTED FOR STRATH-
ROY General Hospital. Apply 312
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correctly, must be experienced. Apply
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first-class condition; also solid
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oak sideboard, in good repair, 1065
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for barn buildings, sawn to order,
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Tull, Secretary-Treasurer, Ontario,
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suit of clothes, sideboard, sewing ma-
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15 months old, registered, \$10; Flem-
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White Leghorn cockerels, Ferris
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MANITOBA ELECTIONS SET FOR NEXT JULY

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 8.—Hon. Edward
Brown, provincial treasurer, stated that
the Manitoba provincial elections will
probably take place the third week of
next July. The term of the Provincial
Government automatically expires
August 6, 1920.

HAMILTON TEACHERS RECEIVE INCREASES

Hamilton, Jan. 8.—Increases of \$200
over last year's salaries were voted to
the women teachers in the public
schools of this city by the board of
education tonight. This ended a threat-
ened fight between the women teachers
and the board on the salary question.

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MAUD POWELL, NOTED VIOLINIST, IS DEAD

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Jan. 8.—Maude
Powell, American violinist of interna-
tional repute, died here today follow-
ing a seizure last night while playing
in a local theatre.

Miss Powell was 32 years old, and
is equally well known in Canada and
the United States. She ranked with
the world's greatest violinists.

WANT NO CHARITY; VETERANS OPPOSED TO GOVERNMENT'S PLANS

Major J. C. Tolmie, M.P.P.,
Criticizes Distribution of
\$40,000,000 Scheme.

WINDSOR, Jan. 8.—"I am absolutely
against this grant in any manner, shape
or form. It looks too much to me like
a form of charity which is being dol-

out to returned men. We do not want
charity. If there is any money coming
to us let us have it. If there is no
money coming to us, then we will do
without it."

In these words Major T. C. Tolmie,
M.P.P., spoke to Windsor veterans at a
meeting here last night called to dis-
cuss the proposed method of dis-
tribution of the Dominion Government's
\$40,000,000 to disabled and unemployed
soldiers.

Capt. Dobson, Peacock, secretary of
the local branch of the veterans' or-
ganization, told how he had been be-
sieged by men from all parts of the
country who came here expecting to
get some of the "easy money" the
Government was handing out.

The meeting decided to endorse the
resolution of the Fort William com-
mand asking the Government to ap-
point a committee made up of ex-
soldiers and members of the patriotic
committee to supervise the distribution
of the fund.

RECENT EARTHQUAKE CAUSE OF VOLCANIC ERUPTION IN MEXICO

Mexico City, Jan. 8.—A violent vol-
canic eruption has been caused by the
recent earthquake near Cordoba, where
Cerro de San Miguel, a small and ap-
parently extinct volcano, has been burst
in twain. The new crater is throwing
out smoke, ashes and flame, while lava
is overflowing the nearby territory in a
stream more than two hundred yards
wide, resulting in not less than two
hundred deaths.

Dispatches from Vera Cruz give some
details of this catastrophe. Every near-
by eminence in this district has been
levelled. Scores of worshippers in the
churches at Ahuahuixtla and Tresaguas
were buried beneath the ruins. Great
gaps in the earth appeared at San Fran-

cisco de la Penas, San Carlos and Agos-
tadero.

Vera Cruz confirms the earlier report
that the village of Ixhuatlan was com-
pletely destroyed.

BUILDERS ELECT OFFICERS.
STRATFORD, Jan. 8.—At the annual
meeting tonight of the Stratford
Builders' Exchange, the following of-
ficers were elected: President, Frank
Ingram; first vice-president, John
Reyes; second vice-president, Frank
Scott; secretary, H. McLeod; directors,
Col. Young, D. Eason, H. Wheatley,
C. R. Myers, E. Etherington; auditors,
J. M. Lillow and R. Marson; delegates
to the Provincial Builders' Exchange,
F. Ingram and C. Young, with J. M.
Lillow as alternate.

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Sorosis Shoes
WHILE THEY LAST **\$3.48**

CHILDREN'S SHOES **98c TO \$3.48**

We are very sorry we could not wait on all the people
on our opening day. Many went away who could not be
served. We are adding more salesmen, and hope you will
come again, as these values will not be obtainable again for
years.

SPATS

100 PAIRS WOMEN'S SPATS, **\$1.39**
in fawn and grey cloth

PUMPS

72 PAIRS WOMEN'S \$5.00 and \$6.00 **\$3.98**
PUMPS, turn soles, covered heels.

Shoes For the Whole Family At Less
Than Cost Price---Come In and See!

---At Old Store---
Johnston & Murray 198 Dundas St.

SELAKE-ORTH "on the corner" Dundas & Clarence Sts **SELAKE-ORTH**

Startling Sale of Men's Suits, Overcoats and Furnishings

Many Lines Half Price. You Win Saturday---We Lose All Profits for One Day's Selling. We Advise You to Get Here at 8:30

Clearance of All Our \$40

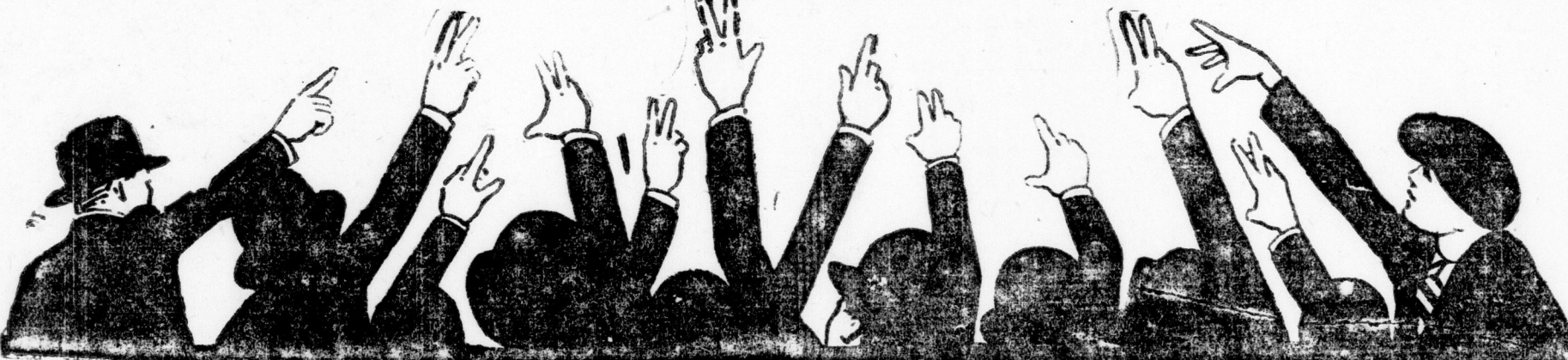
SUITS

\$28.75

Includes Irish Serges, English All-Wool
Tweeds and Worsted Suits. We have forgotten
the cost---out they go, all stylish suits, sizes 34
to 44, at.....\$28.75

Ten Suits To Go at
\$19.00

Canadian tweed cloths in tweed mixtures,
sizes 35 to 39. A quick deal.....\$19.00



\$38.75 For \$50 Guaranteed INDIGO
BLUE SERGE SUITS

We bought this serge cloth in 1917---yes, two and one-half years ago---and just this week we have had it made into
Men's Suits to offer YOU at less by 45 per cent than today's price, and we have 56 suits to offer Saturday morning.
The styles are in the new form-fitting, slant-pocket, two-button, wide-lapel and in three-button conservative models.
Sizes 34 to 42. **\$38.75**

OVERCOATS

ALL LINES WORTH TO \$40.00 AT

\$28.75

Campbell and Sovereign brands, waist-seam
and better models. Quick clearance price. \$28.75

Ten Coats To Go at

\$19.00

These are Harris Tweeds, and the business
man who wants a slip-on coat had better see
these. They are hand-finished throughout. Cost
us \$27.00. Only ten coats. Yours at.....\$19.00

PENMAN'S NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS AT \$1.19 GARMENT.

\$2.50 PER SUIT.
Back to old pre-war days and prices. We have
50 suits, shirts and drawers, chiefly in sizes 38, 40,
and 42. Plenty of 34 and 36 drawers. Do you want
a bargain? Get here for some early
\$1.19 per garment, \$2.50 per suit

WOOL GLOVES AT 50c PER PAIR.

Yes, All-wool Gloves, for one day's selling only.
regular \$1.00 50c

CLEARANCE OF MEN'S CAPS, 95c.

Some with fur bands; others new, dressy Caps,
worth \$3.00, at 95c

MEN'S GREY SUEDE GLOVES AT \$1.69

PER PAIR.

Best \$2.50 lines, dressy, unlined grey Suede
Gloves, sizes 7 to 8½. A snap at \$1.69 pair

MEN'S LINEN COLLARS AT 5c EACH.

Also some soft collars in the lot, chiefly the
stand-up, with turn corners, and straight stand-up
collars in the lot, sizes 13½ to 17, all at 5c

Did you know that Linen Collars were selling at
35c today?

PENMAN'S, WATSON'S AND STAN

FIELD'S COMBINATIONS AT

\$2.98 PER SUIT.

Every weight and grade in the lot, sizes 34 to 44,
worth to \$5.00 per suit, at \$2.98
75 SUITS---Fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers. Take
them at \$1.00 suit, 50c garment. Our regular \$1.00
per garment.



SOCKS! SOCKS! SOCKS!!!

Penman's, Mercury and Tooke---Cashmeres, lisle
and heavy cotton lines. Two pairs for \$1.00

UNION LABEL GOODS AT SALE PRICES.

Best \$3.50 Union Label Overalls and Smocks,
blue with stripe and plain blue and black, all Stifle's
best cloth. For less than we can buy them today,
on sale Saturday only \$2.29 per garment

HORSEHIDE MITTS.

Wool lined with knit cuff, regular \$2.00 value.
Union Label, at 98c per pair

First twenty-five customers can have a Union
Label Work Shirt free of charge.

Extra salespeople, and all decks are cleared to
handle the crowd.

HATS!

Genuine Velour and Fur Felt Hats---The nifty,
clean dresser will be here for his hat. These are
less than present cost. All hats sold regularly at
\$6.50 will go at \$3.98

GET HERE EARLY

Where Everybody Buys

SHIRTS---A STARTLING OFFER

AT \$1.75.

Three for \$5.00---Positively the best
\$3.50 values in London today; only 500
Shirts, all new fresh goods, soft cuffs,
in fine crepes, silk fronts and percales.
A quick scramble for three or more
Shirts will pay you well. \$1.73, 3 for \$5.00



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