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## FAVOR ROYAL COMMISSION ON COAL POSITION

Mayors of Nova Scotia Have Private Interview With Premier King.

TO PROSECUTE MINERS

Colorado State Commissioner To Take Action If Men Quit Work April 1.

Ottawa, Ont., March 28.—(Canadian Press)—A delegation of mayors from Nova Scotia mining towns interviewed the prime minister and members of the government this morning in regard to the industrial situation in Nova Scotia, particularly as affecting the coal mining areas. The interview was private. The delegation urged the appointment of a royal commission to make a thorough investigation of the Nova Scotia coal mining situation, especially with reference to wages and living conditions.

TO PROSECUTE MINERS.

Denver, Colo., March 28.—District attorneys in Colorado counties where coal mines are located have been asked to start criminal proceedings against all miners in their counties who quit work April 1, without giving thirty days notice of intention to do so, as required by a state law, according to Wm. I. Reilly, a member of the state industrial commission. He said the commission had sent letters to all district attorneys requesting them to enforce the law requiring the giving of notice of intention to quit.

GETTING DOWN TO WORK.

New York, March 28.—After a week of preliminary skirmishing, the miners' and operators' sub-committees on wage contract negotiations were prepared to attack the chief points at issue—the demand of the unions for a wage increase and a raise of \$1 per shift for day workers.

The operators' reception of these demands, with a third, stipulating that the check-off system be established in all collieries, depends the early settlement of the strike set for April 1, is the feeling at union headquarters here. The operators are agreed that the future of the bituminous industry, as well as that of the anthracite, will depend largely upon the basis of settlement of these demands. It is freely predicted that operators will accede to the miners' demand for no more bituminous mines until a wage scale is fixed for the anthracite industry. Neither side looks for an easy victory in the present conference. The miners, with the knowledge that every anthracite mine in the United States is unionized and will cease production on the date fixed, assert their men are "willing to go on a long vacation." Thus, they say, they can take their time to thrash out the whole situation in the anthracite industry as it affects union labor. The operators also express a willingness that the mines should cease producing temporarily. They have taken a positive stand against any increase in miners' wages, and using every means to negotiate a new agreement on the basis of decrease from the present schedule.

## WILL INTRODUCE OFFSPRING BILL

London, March 28.—A bill to legislate the offspring of unmarried parents is to be introduced shortly in the House of Commons as a government measure, according to Capt. George E. Bower, member of Parliament for Buckingham. He made the announcement in an address at a recent meeting of the National League for Health, Maternity and Child Welfare.

DRAGOONS COMMANDER PASSES London, March 28.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Brig-Gen. John A. Bell-Smith of the 1st Dragoon Guards died today.

## The Weather

FORECASTS. Today—Mostly cloudy, with a few light scattered showers. Wednesday—Northwest winds; becoming somewhat colder. Pressure is low over the Great Lakes and high over the Western Provinces. The weather has been fair and quite cold in the West, with showery weather prevailing over Ontario, which is prevailing over Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

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

	High.	Low.
Victoria	48	42
Calgary	30	10
Winnipeg	14	0
St. Arthur	24	12
St. Marie	40	32
Toronto	38	36
Kingston	40	38
Ottawa	42	34
Montreal	48	34
Quebec	44	34
P. Point	28	22
St. John	48	34
Halifax	42	28
Below zero.		

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 42; lowest, 35.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 40; lowest, 25.

Barometric Readings. Mon 4:30 p.m., 29.92. Tues.—8 a.m., 29.26.

# SCHISM WIDENS IN BRITISH CABINET

## Wilson Again Wins Delay of U. S. Trial

### POLICE BELIEVE COX WILL TURN AGAINST PALS

Former London Evangelist and Alleged Bandit Leader Remanded Again.

MAY BE GIVEN TO STATE

Two Defendants Likely To Face Burglary Charge in California.

By Direct Wire to London Advertiser. Los Angeles, March 28.—When Herbert Wilson, former evangelist of London, Ontario, and Herbert Cox, alleged by federal officials to have robbed a U. S. mail wagon at Third and Alameda streets here on November 3 last, appeared in Judge Trippe's court this morning, they were remanded until such time as the new attorney for Cox, Frank Allender, can consider the evidence at hand. This hope is prevalent in the minds of the police authorities that Cox will turn "state's evidence" and tell what he is said to know concerning a gang of safe-crackers and hold-up men, led, police allege, by the Wilson brothers.

Made Statements.

When first arrested, Cox is contended by postoffice officials, made important statements involving the Wilsons and two other men, one of whom fled immediately over the Mexican border, while the second departed, as far as can be learned, for points east.

Cox first pleaded "not guilty," and although Tichard Kittrell appeared in his behalf, he positively declined to be represented by him. In the interim Paul A. Schenck had been retained by his co-defendant Wilson. Cox demanded another attorney yesterday and Frank Allender accepted the task.

It is now explained by the police that in certain contingencies the Government will turn both defendants over to the state for prosecution on a charge of burglary. When this case is disposed of the federal officers will prosecute for the mail train robbery near the Santa Fe depot, when the driver of the wagon was the subject of deadly attack and \$377,000 in money, bonds and negotiable securities were stolen.

Thefts Total \$3,000,000. London, several weeks ago, of bonds, etc., to the value of \$200,000, strengthening the belief of the federal officers here that the Wilson gang has been responsible for a series of sensational and profitable robberies on the Pacific coast during 1921, netting them probably \$3,000,000, the greater portion of which is "cached," they believe, in Detroit or near the old Wilson home in London, Canada.

Both Wilson and Cox have lived in this city almost continuously during the past three years, the former posing as an evangelist.

## BALFOUR MAY BE CREATED AN EARL

London, March 28.—According to the Evening News, Sir Arthur Balfour is shortly to be created an earl. The newspapers say Sir Arthur has found life in the House of Commons dull without official duties to perform, and remarks that he would be glad to send to the House of Lords, where his ability as a dialectician would be invaluable.

## Wreckage In Sarnia-Port Huron Ferry Disaster Sunday



DEVASTATION ON WATER FRONT.

PORT HURON, March 28.—No official expression of opinion has yet been obtained from the jury empaneled by Coroner Albert A. Falk, who spent yesterday examining the remains of the boiler of the Omar D. Conger, lying in the wreckage of the Smith home and the remains of the boat in the Black River. The hull will probably be raised by April 7 for examination. Four persons lost their lives, and seven others were seriously injured in the catastrophe.

## One-Time Heir To Throne Now Begs For Alms

BASEL, Switzerland, March 28.—The former Austrian Archduke Leopold, who broke with the house of Hapsburg ten years ago as a result of his marriage to a Viennese actress, has applied to the little town of Regensburg for aid from the pauper's fund. His wife, whom he divorced, has also asked for aid.

## BUFFALO FIRE COSTS \$500,000.

Buffalo, March 28.—Fire caused more than \$500,000 damage in the wholesale district at the Elk street market this morning. The Becker-Prentiss company was the heaviest loser, its stock of dry groceries, valued at \$400,000, being burned or ruined by fire. D. E. Knowlton, owner of the building, estimated his loss at \$100,000. Several other firms suffered slight damage from smoke and water.

## 10TH BLACK WATCH O. C. DIES.

London, March 28.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Sir Wm. Stewart Dick-Cunningham of the Black Watch died today. He had a distinguished military career in South Africa and in the great war, commanding the 10th Black Watch in France and the Balkans in the latter, and also serving with the Italian expeditionary force as commandant at general headquarters.

## Do You Know London And Its History?

By RUSSELL F. BOYD.

LONDONERS are wont to pride themselves on knowing the "ins and outs" of their home town. If the average citizen was asked how well he knew the city, he would probably laugh and say "Hub, I know the place like a book. You can't tell me anything about this burg. I've lived here all my life." But does he?

There is a simple means of finding out if he can back up his broad statement, namely: the question-naire. The government uses this means to find out how much each Canadian earns every year, and what his income tax should be. The city uses it for the same purpose.

During the war, this method was adopted to determine who should go to war and who should stay home. In short the questionnaire has become a permanent fixture in Canadian life.

If, Mr. Citizen, you think you know London, examine yourself on this set of questions. The queries are mostly geographical or historical ones:

1. What name did the Thames River bear before it was given its present one?
2. Where is St. Julien street?
3. Who first planned to make London the metropolis and capital of Canada. Under what name?
4. How far has the Thames River been navigable?
5. How many bridges are in London or connect London with Middlesex?
6. When was London incorporated as a village, town, city?
7. Who was London's representative in the First Parliament of Canada?
8. What governor-general described London as the most beautiful city in the Dominion?
9. Who built the first dwelling on the site where London now stands? When and where?
10. What is the area of London?
11. When was the first ferry operated on the Thames?
12. How many apartment houses are there in London?
13. Who was the first native Londoner?
14. How many chartered banks have branches in London? Name them.
15. What did pioneers call this district prior to the time the first dwelling was erected here?
16. What insurance companies have their head offices here?
17. What was the favorite form of punishment of criminals when London was but a settlement?
18. When were the first street cars operated in London?
19. When was Victoria Park given its present name?
20. Who owned the park before the city obtained possession of it?
21. When did London have a world champion baseball team?
22. What was the Fugitive Chapel?
23. When did the liquor traffic have an exceedingly firm grip on London?
24. When was the first chamber of commerce organized in London?
25. When were Niagara power street lights erected?
26. When did London return to the system of electing aldermen by wards?
27. When was the board of control established? Abolished?
28. When was the public utilities building opened?
29. What man was tried for high treason in London and executed?
30. What is London's longitude?

If you can answer fifteen of these questions, you are better informed. Turn to Page 4, Column 2.

## DISCUSS FATE OF TECHNICAL SCHOOL IN CITY

Mayor Suggests Cutting Out of Many Classes and Lowering Salaries.

TELLS OF TEACHERS' ROW

Alderman Drake Says Rich People Take Advantage of Production.

If members of No. 2 committee of the council can in any way dominate the Technical School situation in London, the present organization of the school will be torn asunder, according to views expressed by Ald. Drake and others on Monday night. Opinions were also expressed that the school practically would be closed to students over 16 years of age, and that the larger school space would be used half as a technical school and half as a collegiate institute, and the sum of \$25,000 would be saved the ratepayers of the city in connection with the cost of technical education.

Following the meeting of No. 2 committee, Mayor Wilson gave an account of his evening's experience when he had discussed the salary question with the school teachers.

"The most ridiculous thing I ever saw or heard tell of," said the mayor, "Can you imagine the futility of calling together such an assembly and asking them to cut their own salaries. Absolutely absurd and foolish."

"Just a fine scheme to pass the buck on to the teachers," was the accusation the mayor made later, and in this connection Mayor Wilson mentioned the name of Trustee Silverwood.

The mayor said that he had not intended going to the teachers' meeting at all, "Only Ed. Smith, the school board chairman, insisted that I go along with him."

Mayor Won Audience.

Though some of the teachers hissed him when he went to the platform, after his presence had been discovered in the back of the room, he told them more plain facts in five minutes than they ever heard in that brief space of time before. "I had them with me at the finish," he stated.

The mayor said that the trouble, as he saw it, was that the board of education should not have made any increases in salaries this year.

"Have they increased them?" he was asked.

"Yes," replied the mayor, "they granted the increases before they considered the estimates at all."

Cut Technical Classes.

"But what we want to do is to go after that Technical School and cut out a lot of the classes and teachers," said the mayor, adding: "We can cut \$25,000 out of the technical estimates."

Ald. Drake—"Couldn't we bust it up and make it a half collegiate and half technical school?"

Mayor Wilson—"Yes, they will not need another new collegiate here for ten years."

Here the discussion went around to the millinery, wood-carving and other classes. Ald. May and Douglass participated.

"It is all humbug. Let us turn it into a high school," said Ald. Drake. Mayor Wilson—"We will teach the children up to 16 years of age, and then let them pay for what they get."

Ald. Drake—"There are all kinds of rich people going there so as to get a new hat or new dress for nothing, when shopkeepers are paying high rent downtown. I know the wife of a professional man who went there to get a new hat, and I told her that she should be ashamed of herself."

A definite decision as to the fate of the Technical School was not arrived at.

## HISTORIC ESTATE TO BE SOLD.

London, March 28.—Large portions of the historical Lochiel estate which has been in possession of the Camerons for centuries, are being sold. The estate contains some of the finest loch and mountain scenery in the country.

## Heir To Throne!



PRINCE MICHEL.

FIRST photograph of Prince Michel, first-born of Crown Prince Carol of Rumania. He is in the arms of his regal mother, Princess Helen.

## BRITISH FLIERS TO SET RECORD

Sir Ross Smith and His Brother Will Make Start From London, April 20.

TO COME ACROSS CANADA

Foreign Office in London Asks United States To Extend Facilities.

Washington, March 28.—By direction of the foreign offices in London, the British embassy here has requested the state department to have all proper facilities extended to Sir Ross Smith and Sir Keith Smith, British aviators, when they reach the United States on their attempted aerial circum-navigation of the world.

Sir Ross with his brother, Sir Keith, accomplished the flight from England to Australia more than a year ago. Their latest venture will involve a start from London, April 20, the first stop being in France. The route lies across Southern Europe, Asia-Minor, India, China, Japan and Siberia.

"The Pacific will be crossed at Behring straits, landings made on some of the Aleutian Islands and at Ounashaska, in Alaska. The course will then be across Canada to the 'Sooy' where it will swing to the southeast to New York. Then the line will be along the New England coast to Newfoundland, whence the start will be made across the Atlantic."

If weather conditions are favorable an attempt will be made to reach Ireland directly from Newfoundland, following the course taken by Hawker.

Otherwise the plane will be directed to the Azores, then to the European continent at Portugal, and up the west coast to the point of starting. The adventurers will use a Vickers "Viking Amphibean" plane, which, as its name indicates, can be landed on either land or water, and is provided with wheels which are drawn into recesses in the hulls of the pontoons when not needed.

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## REPORTS INFER CHURCHILL MAY RESIGN OFFICE

Secretary For Colonies Opposes Lloyd George Regarding Russia's Genoa Status.

CABINET SESSION CALLED

Expects Reach Decision One Way or Other On Vexing Question.

London, March 28.—Rumors of an impending schism in the cabinet regarding the Genoa conference are current in political circles today.

The known opposition of Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for the colonies, to Premier Lloyd George's views respecting the recognition politically of the Bolshevik government in Russia, seems to be the foundation for all the reports, and the fact that the colonial secretary emphasized these views in a speech at Northampton Saturday is believed to be an indication that he is refusing to follow the prime minister in the latter's Genoa policy.

The parliamentary correspondent of the London Times says "the divergence of opinion between Mr. Churchill and Mr. Lloyd George undoubtedly is serious, and introduces a fresh complication into an already delicate parliamentary situation. In the present condition of affairs it would require very little more to make it impossible for the cabinet to hold together."

"Mr. Churchill does not stand alone; other ministers are disposed to support him, but precisely how far he and they are prepared to go and the actual extent of the cleavage is rather obscure."

This is the gist of several other reports, some of which hint the possibility of Mr. Churchill's resignation. There is a good deal of speculation as to what course the premier will take if he finds he is unable to carry all his colleagues with him on the Genoa policy, but nothing concrete has developed.

Mr. Lloyd George, on his return to London yesterday, had a long private talk with the colonial secretary during the night, ostensibly on Irish affairs, but the general belief is that it turned mainly on the question of Genoa and the extent of the support the premier may expect from his colleagues, whose doubtful attitude is said to have been the reason for his return to London somewhat earlier than was originally planned.

According to some reports the conversation led to an understanding which assured Mr. Churchill remaining in the cabinet, and prepared the way for framing a resolution for presentation to the Commons, which all the cabinet members would be able to support. Elsewhere, however, the view prevails that the breach still exists.

The cabinet will meet late today when it is expected the matter will be cleared one way or the other.

## FRANCE SELECTS GENOA DELEGATES

Paris, March 28.—Louis Barthou, vice premier and minister of justice, was designated today by the cabinet to head the French delegation to the Genoa conference. The delegation will be composed of M. Coirat, under secretary to the premier, and three others who will be named by the cabinet tomorrow evening.

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## THREE ANCIENT MSS. IN BARNETT LIBRARY BRIDGE CENTURIES

THREE very unusual books that existed many years before the invention of printing, and much to the charm of antiquity that marks the unique collection of books and manuscripts to be found in the Barnett Library on Chesapeake street. All people interested in the East, in deeds of long ago, who find it possible to decipher ancient texts, would without doubt, long to make a thorough study of these treasures.

They were collected by Dr. J. D. Barnett of Western University, in places that are really uninteresting, when one considers that the books themselves are remarkably interesting, even to the person who sees only something different in the parchment pages and scrolls, or who admires only the attractively colorful staves and notes. Dr. Barnett has a delightfully whimsical way of talking about his treasures.

"Books began in manuscript form," he will say to the interested visitor, unrolling a strip of yellow parchment from a staff.

"And as it is unnecessary to say that this Synagogue Roll is old. In fact, it is written in the very old Massoretic text, which is that form of Ancient Hebrew that is minus all vowels, aspirates and punctuation, and as this is the Book of Esther, one of the shortest books of the Old Testament, one staff only is used."

A very pretty document is the second one, which had a red stave and square black notes, and is folded like a modern book. "This is a musical document," he will continue, caressing his beloved volume, "and was written for Palm Sunday services in a church where there were two choirs, the one in the chancel singing in reply to one in the gallery."

"You can see that the vellum was used once before and washed for a second document. Its present form suggests that it was made a short time before the invention of printing, and so one wonders what was written in the first place that had ceased to be interesting five hundred years ago."

Like other early vellum books it has a clasp, because when the leaves of those old books are put together loosely, the parchment is apt to become soiled. Hence long before the days of printing most of the books were clasped, not buckled.

The third manuscript is, like the second, in the Codex form, and in the Ethiopic text, but unlike the other two manuscripts previously shown, is contained in a leather bag.

This strapped case was used, because in Abyssinia, where the book was found, the white ants prevalent in that country are known to eat ravenously of both a book and its shelving. And so the strapped bag was used to hang the book to the ceiling, a place which the ants could not reach.

In that section of Africa, the Monks can be seen to this day walking underneath their library books, and there have been Monks in Abyssinia for a great many years, for that country was visited by missionaries long before England was.

An interesting feature of the book is the board cover, which shows that though the workmen of the day knew



## TEACHERS VENT IRE, REJECTING CUT IN SALARY

Mayor Wilson Stars in Role of "Daniel in the Lions' Den" At Session.

### WAGES VERBAL COMBAT

Rival Factions Agree Only in Condemning That Common Foe—The Press.

There will be no reduction of teachers' salaries in London in 1922. The teachers have so decided and the board of education has promised to abide by their spoken word.

In special session at the Collegiate Institute, Monday afternoon, public, collegiate and technical teachers, by a unanimous standing vote refused to entertain any proposal to tamper with their present salary schedule and disapproved wholeheartedly of the suggestion by Mayor Cameron Wilson that their gross salary estimate be reduced by 10 per cent.

It's an old, old story, that of "Daniel in the lions' den," but Mayor Wilson is positive that Daniel must have felt somewhat as he did when he ascended the platform Monday afternoon to be confronted by all the teachers of the city. The mayor was, to use his own expression, "the villain in the piece," the heartless wretch who was about to reduce the salaries of the teachers.

**Was Waste of Time.** As one unidentified observer remarked at the close of the meeting the entire affair was more or less "a waste of time and effort." As events proceeded it became more and more evident that the pedagogues came with their minds made up and prepared to battle to the last ditch and then to retire, if need be, to entrench again.

A resolution rejecting the proposed change in their salaries had obviously been prepared long before the meeting was called. Its ultimate unanimous passage was seemingly a foregone conclusion.

A brilliant array of competent orators, selected from among their number, represented the teachers on the platform and directed the onslaught upon the mayor and his adherents while members of the board of education, led by Trustee A. E. Silverwood, chairman of No. 3 committee, participated to no small degree in the same undertaking.

**Mayor Was Late.** Mayor Wilson was a trifle tardy in arriving, explaining that although he desired to attend, he suspected that his presence was not desired. His entrance was recognized by scattered applause, which dwindled away to nothingness as he reached his seat on the platform.

Those who have watched with interest the mayor's stewardship to date agreed Monday night that he has shown to better advantage on former occasions. From his initial remarks to the conclusion of the meeting it was more than evident that with each utterance he was knocking a prop out from under his chances for victory.

At last, in a moment of apparent hopelessness, he dashed his spectacles from his nose and shouted: "I had nothing to do with this meeting. It was not my suggestion. I knew what you would do to the salary proposal anyhow."

**Work "Cut Out."** As the meeting progressed his worship was convinced that he had his work "cut out" for him. His audience apparently was not the average gathering of citizens that one encounters during an election campaign. There were too many pertinent and frank questions to be answered, and each member of the assembly who essayed to address the hall, made no attempt to "camouflage" his remarks.

As anticipated, the session was replete with action throughout. Numerous questions were hurled at the mayor and significant remarks emanated from the crowd at frequent intervals, which left no doubt in any person's mind but that his worship was "sitting on the edge of a volcano" as it were.

"I voted for you," shouted a Collegiate Institute instructor from the

back of the hall, "and I am not sorry—yet."

**In Verbal Combat.** At a critical phase of the afternoon's events, Trustee Silverwood and Mayor Wilson engaged in verbal combat which threatened to involve all present in a general wordy melee, halted only by the judicious intervention of the chairman, only after, however, the other trustees by a standing vote expressed their confidence in Mr. Silverwood.

Absolutely helpless at the time, the press did not escape unscathed. Mayor Wilson contended that he had evidently been misrepresented by the newspapers. Trustee Silverwood explained that the last meeting of the board and the finance committee had not been reported "quite correctly." Trustee Edwin Smith pointed out that he stood in readiness to have the press leave at any time the teachers desired. Members of the latter body expressed the opinion that they also "had been misrepresented by the newspapers."

To the casual observer it would appear to be a case of enemies uniting in a bond of fellowship against a common foe—the press.

### Smith Opens Meeting.

With a few preliminary remarks Trustee Edwin Smith, chairman of the board, opened the meeting and announced that J. H. Cameron, science teacher at the collegiate would preside and Trustee A. E. Silverwood would explain just why the meeting was being staged.

Explaining that his was a disagreeable task, the latter at some length pointed out the inability of the trustees conforming with the mayor's plans unless the teachers themselves were willing to offer some feasible solution. He dwelt thoroughly upon the question from several angles, and left it to his audience to decide whether "salary increases could be wholly or partially deferred until 1923." He stressed his contention that they were not being overpaid but explained that the mayor and council had claimed that a reduction could be accomplished.

In conclusion, Trustee Silverwood declared: "We want to be fair with you. We are bringing the problem to you. We are not trying to 'pass the buck' as the council has evidently done to us. We welcome any suggestion you may have to offer."

**Cameron Spoke Briefly.** J. H. Cameron, presiding, spoke briefly. Up to this time Mayor Wilson had not arrived, and the chairman expressed the opinion that he was sorry the mayor was not here.

Judging by the applause which followed this remark it was obvious that all assembled were of the same mind.

The teachers were officially represented by four speakers: Miss Emily Knott for the public school teachers; James Kirkwood representing the principals' association; J. H. Dolan for the collegiate teachers, and E. A. Miller.

Miss Knott declared "We deny the right of Mayor Wilson and the city council to interfere with our salaries, as we are employed by the board of education, and not the city council."

She spoke at some length upon the value of the school teacher to the nation as a whole. Next to the home, and not excepting the church, the school was the dominant factor in the child's future, she said.

### Laud Mayor's Appeal.

Mayor Wilson's timely arrival at this juncture was the signal for a substantial burst of applause. With-out further parley the mayor launched into an attack upon the press. "I feel," he asserted, "as Daniel must have felt in the lions' den. There has been a great deal of misrepresentation carried on in the press, and my object in braving this wrath this afternoon is to try and straighten out some of it. I want it clearly understood that I did not suggest that the smaller-paid teachers be cut. I did say that London's financial situation is serious, and that it will be absolutely impossible to reduce the tax rate without a readjustment of salaries."

"Gross salaries have increased 100 per cent since 1915. Now I want to be fair. There are teachers who are drawing too much for the position they fill. I am honest and not afraid to tell you. The small salary should stay while the larger salaries can be reduced. The gross salary can be cut and the onus placed upon those who can stand it."

### Resumes His Seat.

As the mayor resumed his seat he was challenged by William Wallis, principal of Simcoe street school, who explained that as yet he had received "no light upon the subject." Relating that he had been 26 years in the city's employ with an initial salary of \$600, the principal held that he had labored for years at a "mere pittance." He was of opinion that the city officials were the ones who were getting the "big money," and suggested that it would be a splendid idea if they were asked to state their salaries.

"They have been," interjected the mayor at this point.

Mr. Wallis informed the gathering that he would be willing to cut his salary providing every citizen asked to reduce his wage-earnings.

"Why should we suffer for the sins of past councils?" thundered Mr. Wallis, amid cheers. "I voted for Wilson, and I want to ask as a taxpayer why are we to be singled out simply because we are educating the children of those in the annexed districts. We are now paying for the latter sections that were taken in to make the city look big. Now it is found to be a burden. In any event, if we yield this year, what is it to be next year? Stand firm, I say, and like the mayor there, I am ready to resign at any time."

### Appreciates Interest.

"I appreciate the mayor's apparent interest in the citizens, and fully believe that he does not intend to cut the salaries of those who are receiving less than he is."

"After long and careful deliberation the trustees submitted a wage agreement which we accepted. Then comes the city council with a protest. When we consider the action of the 1921 council, which permitted such a disgrace as the London housing commission and a former council, which was responsible for the annexed agreement several years ago, the present council presumes to dictate to the trustees?"

"In what sense are we responsible for the high tax rate? The latter state has always been the excuse for keeping our salaries at a low standard, and seemingly the city assessors take a peculiar delight in their at-

## DOUBLE GRANT TO UNIVERSITY

Western Ontario Members Secure Additional \$200,000 For New Buildings.

TOTAL FOR YEAR \$600,000

Another \$400,000 For Construction Purposes in 1923 Promised.

TORONTO, March 27.—The proposed grant for the erection of new arts and science college buildings for Western University at London has been doubled. The annual grant to Western University now stands in the estimates at \$600,000. Of this sum \$200,000 is the annual maintenance grant, and \$400,000 is appropriated for the erection of new buildings. Another \$400,000 has been promised for 1923.

The united efforts of the Western Ontario members of the Provincial Legislature are responsible for the grants being doubled.

Estimates first presented to the Ontario Legislature cut the Western University building grant to \$200,000 for 1922. As this sum was considered inadequate, Chairman A. T. Little of the university board of governors, and Lieut.-Col. Walter J. Brown, executive secretary, came to Toronto to interview the government with a view to having the grant increased.

A conference of Western Ontario members was called to meet with the minister of education, and the government heads at the instance of J. W. Freeborn, J. G. Lethbridge and J. L. Brown, representatives from east, west and north riding of Middlesex County, respectively.

The Western Ontario members unanimously supported the move for increasing Western University's building grant. With this evidence of support from the district most concerned in the institution's future the government gladly promised its support to the original program.

tention to a teacher who presumes to own his own home.

### Salaries Ridiculous.

"For the past 25 years our salaries have been ridiculous. There has always been a policy maintained whereby the teacher looked up to a figure at the top of a long schedule which he would reach if he lived long enough."

"When the war intervened our employers patted us on the back and told us we could demonstrate our patriotism by refusing to accept increases until after the war. We made the sacrifice and watched others make money. Now they ask us to make the peace sacrifice to help these gentlemen."

"We waited for a year after the war for our rights. We have been enjoying them two years. City officials are still drawing war-time salaries and ashamed to publish the same. Bonuses are being paid for which no record can be found. Now they ask us to sacrifice to let them be free. They made sure their own position was firm before they passed the 'buck' to us."

"There is a proposal," declared the next speaker (J. H. Dolan) "that we forego 50 per cent of our increase. Does that mean that we will get it back in 1923? If that is the case it is a loan, and the council would do well to approach a bank. If not, it's a mighty big hold-up concealed."

### Fuss About 23 Cents.

"It is asking a good deal, but we'll do it if it can be shown to be essential to the needs of the city. Is it essential? You can figure it out. The sacrifice will relieve the taxpayer just 23 cents. And all this fuss about 23 cents. Much ado about nothing. It may sound big, but it gets you nowhere. Is London so far behind that it requires the council to send the mayor while the trustees cut work and the teachers all get together to save 23 cents?"

"Mayor Wilson is gallant. He says he wouldn't cut the ladies. Well, leave them out and the saving will be 13 cents per taxpayer. Not the price of a good cigar. Our salary schedule has just been adopted. The trustees were pretty generous and pretty 'Scotch.' They said: 'If you are good and stick for five years you will be getting 10 per cent less than cities of comparable size.' They put it over on 'Scotch' carelessness and good business. Of course they were dealing with a bunch of teachers."

### Promises Other Cuts.

"The mayor says that salaries of other civic employees will be cut. There is not a kid who chews gum in school under your nose who does not know his teacher's salary. If the mayor knows the other salaries, not inflated or juggled, and the contemplated reduction will have something to consider. It is time for a showdown. Our cards are on the table. Put yours there. I don't want to cut anyone's wage. I don't think it is necessary, but if it is, cut them all. We can't be the 'easy marks.' The board has been attacked for extravagance. The other bodies are shielded by silence."

"If I thought the mayor had a solution I would give it consideration. But he hasn't, only a postponement. You can't put off essentials. If the mayor says 'retrenchment all along the line,' he would have the solution. Let him refer to the Civic Research Institute, which regards London as having gone away beyond its debt. Nearly a dollar of every three spent is diverted for this purpose. There is the load, not with us."

### Miller Lauds Trustees.

In his preliminary remarks, E. A. Miller lauded the efforts of the salary committee of the board, and the trustees as a whole. He believed that from the teachers' salaries would continue in the academy, rather than otherwise. He quoted a comparison salary figures of leading cities of the provinces, declaring London to be near the tail-end.

It could be well regarded as a compliment, Mr. Miller explained, that the trustees voluntarily contribute to the city treasury. "I would seem that they are regarded as being in the plutocratic class," he said. Mr. Miller, waxing humorous, "otherwise they would have approached the doctors, manufacturers

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arose to submit his opinion that while Mayor Wilson had not perhaps directly uttered the statement credited him, he had inferred as much.

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## LITTLE SYMPHONY TO BE AT PATRICIA

Present indications are that the Little Symphony of New York will be heard by a capacity audience at Patricia Theatre Wednesday evening.

Mr. Barrere and fourteen artists will arrive at noon on the L. and P. E. R. No more tickets are to be obtained at the Institute of Musical Art, but a few good seats are still available at the theatre.

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## ALL CITY DOINGS

News of the Day in the Commercial Metropolis of Western Ontario.

## IS CONFIDENT IN SOLDIERS' UNITY

Dominion Secretary MacNeil of G. W. V. A. Foresees Amalgamation Within Year.

### RESTRICT IMMIGRATION

Is Speaker's Solution For Unemployed, of Whom 75 Per Cent Are Returned.

The achievements, the wonderful spirit of comradeship, and the possibilities of the Great War Veterans' Association in Canada were vividly outlined as a largely-attended meeting of veterans in the G. W. V. A. club rooms, by C. G. MacNeil, Dominion secretary, Monday night.

Mr. MacNeil was optimistic that amalgamation would be attained this year. "Unity of all soldier organizations in Canada is a necessity. We want to do away with all this squabbling, bickering and misunderstanding that we are afflicted with. The movement, which originated at the Winnipeg conference, is a genuine one in the direction of amalgamation. We have started the process which will end with unification of all soldier bodies, and the exclusion of non-combatants from the organization."

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Some suggestions offered by Mr. MacNeil that might be taken in the direction of general prosperity were: a more strict policy of immigration, which would keep out the undesirable from Europe and select British farmers, who would help rebuild the country and keep it truly British; the government could help by compelling accurate information on the economic situation in the country and also by reumping the system of credit control.

Mr. MacNeil stated that there were three schemes under consideration by the government for the distribution of the canteen funds, and the most logical plan is to divide the \$2,000,000 among the different provinces and let them decide what disposition shall be made. The other plans are old age pensions, and educational benefits for the children of deceased or totally disabled veterans. There was no doubt, he said, that the plebiscite had been a washout, but it had at least tended to clarify the issue.

John Rawlings, president of the London unit of the Army and Navy Veterans Association, charged the G. W. V. A. with using part of the interest of the fund for propaganda purposes instead of relief purposes. Mr. MacNeil explained that the fund would have taken more than the total amount of the fund to do any actual relief work, and that the money that was used by them for so-called propaganda purposes had done a great deal of good. In their clean-sweep campaign they had obtained millions of dollars, and soldiers, which they were not likely to receive through their own actions.

"It is not up to us to dole out money for the purpose of relief. It is up to the government and the money of the state should be used," declared Mr. MacNeil.

In speaking of the D. S. C. R., the secretary stated that a fight would be made to secure pensions for three classes of persons: (1) Widows whose husbands died as a result of disease or wounds due to war service; (2) for older men who enlisted past the prime of life, and consequently experienced a physical breakdown which incapacitated them for work; (3) for men discharged as fit, but who have slight disabilities, actually due to war service, and which are aggravated by advancing years. In this connection Mr. MacNeil stated that sheltered employment must be provided for pensioners at congenial and suitable work. Mr. MacNeil was of the opinion that the D. S. C. R. was not giving entire satisfaction.

THE PUBLIC SPEAKING class of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a "humorous night" this evening in connection with the course in public speaking, which is being given under the direction of Dr. Hill. Each member will be expected to relate a humorous story.

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## Magistrate Tells Drunk Deserving Man Should Be Given His Job

THREE intoxicated citizens were gathered in by the police court Tuesday morning. One man stated that he had been working for the city and was anxious to get back on the job.

"You shouldn't be employed, getting drunk all the time," stated Magistrate Graydon. "There are a great many deserving men who are out of work who would be glad to get your job."

## SEEKS TO RULE MOTION OUT

When No. 2 committee meets on Tuesday night, Chairman J. W. Ashton says he will rule, if he is in order that the motion passed at Monday night's special meeting of the committee, eliminating the \$25 a week wage clause from the garbage specifications, was out of order.

The chairman looked into the matter Tuesday morning, and found that the committee and the council agreed that the salary for contractors to pay should be fixed at \$25. This being the case it will require a two-third vote to reopen the matter.

Until such a vote is secured, the chairman says, the clause as passed will have to stand, and the motion is automatically nullified.

Dr. Douglas, who has opposed the fixed wage clause all along, was successful on Monday night in having it thrown out, and a clause inserted that the contractor shall pay the prevailing rate of wages. This, some of the aldermen declare, would leave the door wide open, and the contractor could pay what he liked.

### Town Topics.

**A THOUGHT FOR TODAY**

If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrine.—John 7:17.

YOU cannot see the distant heaven. You cannot hear the songs of angels. You cannot even say assuredly that you know the love of God. But you do know that to be brave and true and pure is better than to be cowardly and false and foul.—Phillips Brooks.

### TOMORROW'S DOINGS.

WEDNESDAY.—Technical and Art School holds exhibition of work.

Dr. Jas. T. Shute will address Canadian Club at Tecumseh House, 12:15 o'clock.

No. 1 Committee meets at City Hall, 8 o'clock.

THE BISHOP OF HURON is in Toronto today attending the committee meetings and will not return until Friday.

MAJOR-GEN. H. A. PANET visited the Cadets Officers' Training Corps at Western University on Monday afternoon, and reports that the Cadets are progressing admirably in their training.

R. A. FINN, B. S. A., of the local branch of the department of agriculture, is in Toronto, making a report on the recent tour of inspection in agriculture held in Stratford.

THE OUTLOOK is that in a week's time the city engineer's department will get some spring work under way and thus relieve the unemployment situation. Civic enterprise along the work line has been dormant for the past few weeks, but the department is rushing plans and believes that in about a week's time he will be able to make a start on sidewalks and curbs and gutters.

ALD. G. B. DRAKE is looking for quite an outpouring of city residents to live in Lambton now that the new highway from the city to that place has been completed. "Every one of them will have to pay poll tax if they are going to run out there to live and continue to work in the city," said the alderman. "The city's portion of the road cost \$55,000, and we will have to get as much of it back in poll tax as we can."

ALL SAINTS' PARISH HALL was the scene of an important debate on Monday evening when members of the A. Y. P. A. debated on this interesting subject: "Whether or not the word 'Obey' Should Be Left in the Marriage Service." The boys took the affirmative side and the girls upheld the negative. The ultimate decision was left to the judges in the ceremony.

THE LOCAL BRANCH of the G. W. V. A. has challenged the St. Thomas branch to a billiard tournament to be held some time in April. The London boys lost the toss, and will have to journey to the Railroad City for the first game. Prizes will be given. The local team consists of C. Morgan, P. Murphy, E. Ball, E. Lake, G. Turner, H. Wray, J. Broadbridge, and J. Menzies.

"VILLAGE LIFE IN INDIA" was the subject on which Victor M. Ishibakshi, associate national secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in India, spoke to the members at their supper last evening. Supper was served at 6:30 to fifty members. It was decided to organize the "India Club" at the local "Y." in order to keep in touch with the Y. M. C. A. work in India. W. Benson occupied the chair.

EDWARD H. BRAUND has issued a supreme court writ on behalf of Jane, Caldwell, of London, executrix of the last will and testament of Christy Englehart, against Wm. H. and Kate Elizabeth Huggins, both of London, to set aside a certain conveyance made by the late Christy Englehart in favor of the defendants, purporting to convey a certain parcel of land on the north side of Dufferin avenue, and for a lis pendens.

## REACH \$50,000 MARK IN HOSPITAL DRIVE

Sick Children's Executive Reports Only Half Names Yet Solicited in \$100,000 Campaign.

### OUTLINE FUTURE WORK

Catholic Club and Ad. Club Entertainments, Scots Guards Concerts, Proceeds Will Swell Totals.

Over fifty thousand dollars of the final objective of one hundred thousand dollars for the War Memorial Children's Hospital campaign was reported at a joint meeting of the central and out-of-town canvass committees in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon.

R. I. Westday, director of the campaign, stated that this result had been achieved from a little over 50 per cent of the names solicited and reported upon.

Mrs. J. P. Greenaway, honorary secretary, reported that a number of the women's organizations of the city, who had completed their objective in cash contributions were now providing linen and other necessary equipment. For example, the Good Cheer Club, a small organization of business girls, had raised \$1,000 in cash, and had now undertaken to present all the wash cloths required for two years, valued at approximately \$30.

The Princess Patricia Chapter, I. O. E. L., had contributed \$2,500 in cash, and were now making an additional contribution of \$100 towards the purchase of linen, and some of the mothers' clubs and interested individuals were also contributing in work to provide the necessary hospital equipment.

Reports received from the out-of-town canvass committee showed that progress was being made in lining up local organizations which would, at a date to be announced, canvass all Western Ontario.

It was shown that Westminster township and East Lambton had each contributed \$1,000 and the district of Birt, \$500.

Mrs. George Edwards, president of the Women's Institutes of Ontario, and Dr. George Ramsay, secretary of the Western Ontario Academy of Medicine, were present and contributed valuable suggestions.

It was announced that the Catholic clubs of the city intended by an entertainment, now being organized, to raise a considerable sum for the hospital; that the Advertising Club was making preparations to stage a play and the week of April 16, in aid of the hospital; and that the net proceeds of the Scots Guards Band Concerts on May 11 and 12, was going to the hospital fund.

The chairman, J. J. Foot, stated that Colonel Gartschore, honorary chairman, had received many subscriptions and it was pointed out that contributions from any source would be gladly welcomed by the honorary chairman, Colonel Gartschore, or the honorary treasurer, H. F. Skeg, manager of the Bank of Montreal.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY HOLDS ENTERTAINMENT

Addresses Are Delivered On Popular Topics by Rev. W. L. Armitage and Others.

Entirely in the hands of the young men, the regular meeting of the Anglican Young People's Society of St. James' Church, Monday evening, proved an interesting affair.

Following the regular business meeting, John Middle, who, during the war, acted as a naval wireless operator, spoke of his experiences of wireless telegraphy in action. He illustrated his talk by diagrams and enlarged upon the intricacy and delicacy of wireless operations, due to the difficulties arising from the fact that the air was teeming with wireless messages and that there was constant danger of trickery from German submarine calls.

Paul Dawson read a paper on the life of Napoleon, which dealt comprehensively with the "Little Emperor," as one of history's most fascinating figures, following which Arthur Hodgins, the president of the society, gave an interesting address on the traditions and superstitions of the Eskimo. Mr. Hodgins based his address on the works of Peary, the Arctic explorer.

The last section of the program was in the hands of Rev. W. L. Armitage, who told the particularly interesting story of "The Black Prince of Africa," Khama, who as king of the Bechuanaland tribe successfully fought against the introduction of the liquor traffic amongst his people and made of them one of the most enlightened tribes of Central Africa.

Throughout the evening Evans Davis rendered enjoyable piano selections.

The program next week is to be entirely in the hands of the young ladies of the society.

### CANDIDATES GIVE ELECTION COSTS

Stratford, March 28.—The expenses of the three candidates in North Perth at the recent Dominion elections, as announced by returning officer R. T. Orr, are as follows:

Dr. J. P. Rankin, Liberal (elected) \$4,150.36.

H. B. Murphy, Conservative, \$2,348.70.

W. A. Amos, Labor, Farmer, \$1,481.63.

### MISTAKES TRAIL FOR STREET CAR

An aged woman, rather deaf, boarded a G. T. R. train at Pottersburg Tuesday afternoon, thinking she was on a street car.

The woman was brought to the police station shortly after 2 o'clock Tuesday and has been unable to tell the police who she is, although questioned closely by the officers.

## Cutting of Salaries Entirely Up To Aldermen, Mayor Wilson Declares

"The question of cutting salaries in the city hall is entirely one for the council. The aldermen will have to decide what they are going to do."

So declared Mayor Wilson Tuesday morning when asked how the salary question in the city hall stood in the light of the refusal of the teachers to cut their own salaries.

The mayor was asked what was his personal stand on the matter and what position he would take when the council would tackle the problem, if it does.

His reply was that he would suggest to the council that it take the gross salary list, \$88,000, and see if it could not be pared down 10 per cent. Certain reductions in staff and cuts in salaries of the higher paid officials might bring this about.

The council will be called together for Wednesday night to strike the tax rate and this will be the first and last chance there will be to cut salaries.

"I will not agree to cut a penny of anyone's salary," was the declaration made by Chairman Ashton, of the board of works, when asked what

stand he would take on the matter. Mayor Wilson was still "full" of the meeting with the teachers when seen at noon Tuesday.

What will be your next step? he was asked.

"What we are going to ask is: What is the board of education going to do about the Technical school? Are they going to cut the high fee of \$4 a night paid teachers drawing \$300 to \$400 monthly for day work and which fee is more than some of the poor public school teachers get for a whole day's work? Are they going to cut the high janitor costs of the Technical school? They can cut Technical school? Are they going to do it?"

The mayor remarked during the discussion that the meeting of the teachers on Monday "was the worst example of weakness on the part of any public body that ever came to my notice."

He singled out Messrs. Smith, Campbell, Hice, Clark and Mrs. Hunt as trustees who were doing their utmost to right things, but said that they do not control the board.

Another conference between officers of the local Street Railway-men's Union and the management of the London street Railway Company Monday afternoon was seemingly of a non-productive nature.

While the original controversy respecting the company's three-cent-an-hour wage reduction, effective March 1 last, is temporarily shelved, pending the outcome of the union's appeal to the Industrial Labor Board, James Murdoch, for a board of conciliation, the men are bestirring themselves regarding their own counter-claims for wages and other adjustments filed by them Feb. 1.

I Want New Contract.

On the last night of the men, through their union officers, explained to the company that in 60 days' time, ending April 1, they desired to reopen their existing contract. Among other demands they included "time and a half" pay for overtime and holidays.

While members of the union executive explained Tuesday that the proposal was discussed briefly with the company's representatives Monday, they received "little or no consideration" from the latter. It would appear that the company, as well as its employees, is determined to adhere to its original stand of no compromise.

Are Not Ignored.

Referring to the report that the "local carmen had been completely ignored by the federal minister of labor," Lewis Parker, secretary of the union, is quoted as saying Tuesday afternoon that such opinion was not entertained by the men.

"We have not been ignored by Ottawa, as I would understand it," he said. "As a matter of fact, we have not yet applied for the board of conciliation or asked the minister to retain the company from placing its wage reduction into effect. As is customary we have had to first send to Ottawa for the documents necessary for this undertaking. We have done this recently and expect the papers shortly. Until we appeal to the federal department of labor we cannot be ignored."

TO MAKE LAST EFFORT AT CUT IN SCHOOL SPENDING

Board of Education Think Teachers Settled Salary Question Beyond Further Action.

At a special meeting of the board of education Tuesday afternoon the trustees will make a last effort to reduce the estimates for 1922, following which their entire program will be formally submitted to the city council.

The resolution passed by the school teachers Monday afternoon condemning Mayor Wilson's proposed 10 per cent salary reduction will be read and put in the minutes. There is but little doubt now in the minds of the trustees but that the salary question is concluded in so far as the board is involved. Before the teachers considered the problem the trustees gave assurance that they would not move for any reduction unless the teachers were willing that such should be done.

Trustee A. E. Silverwood, chairman of No. 3 committee, declared Tuesday morning that he would introduce for consideration the proposal to eliminate the summer school at the collegiate institute, and possibly the evening classes at the school. This would mean a saving, he points out, of several hundred dollars. The opinion is entertained by several members of the board that these classes can easily be dispensed with.

Other members of the board heartily oppose this move, however, and a sharp fight is expected before a decision is reached Tuesday.

A DERRICK is to be set up, and boring of test holes down 70 feet to explore the ground for the new Lloyd George Hotel foundation will start this week. George M. Reid called on Building Inspector Piper on Tuesday in regard to the matter. He was told that a permit to set up the derrick was not necessary. A small round hole will be drilled and the formation will be learned by a study of the core.

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## REDUCE COST OF TECHNICAL HIGH

Advisory Vocational Committee Curtails Appropriation For 1922 By \$9,175.

### SALARIES CUT BY \$1,900

Original Amount of \$8,000 Allowed For New Equipment Is Lowered 50 Per Cent.

The 1922 estimates of the London Technical High School will be cut by \$9,175. This was decided on by the members of the advisory vocational committee of the board of education at a meeting in the Technical School on Monday night.

The reductions are as follows: Salaries—By curtailment of evening classes to the fullest extent for the fall term and the leaving out of one of the teachers for adolescent day classes may be deducted, \$1,900.

Janitors, every helping of the janitors, etc. By dispensing with the services of one cleaner for the six months that the evening classes are not in session may be deducted, 300.

Power, 100. Light, 50. Water, 25.

Making a total on maintenance of \$2,375. Stokers, 2,800. New equipment, 4,000.

Making a grand total of \$9,175. The subject of cutting down on the staff of janitors came up for considerable discussion. Principal Beal explained that the engineer did all the plumbing, kept the lawns in good shape in the summer, and spent two days every week helping the janitors with their regular work. A night watchman was necessary, also, he said, on account of the evening classes in oxy-acetylene welding and similar courses.

Dispense With One.

However, it was unanimously decided to dispense with the services of one of the women during the summer and save \$300.

Regarding the \$2,800 estimate for stokers, Mr. White thought that as they were not absolutely necessary they should be left out this year. He also thought that the \$4,000 for new equipment should be lowered a little and asked the chairman if the school would still get a government grant were it cut in half? Mr. Beal replied that they would, explaining that the government grant is 50 per cent of all money spent on equipment during the government year, which begins in September.

Mr. White then made a motion that \$4,000 be deducted from the new equipment and that the \$2,800 for stokers be struck off altogether. The motion was seconded by Mr. Reid.

Mr. Haggan then moved that the first report by Mr. Beal be adopted. J. B. Walton seconded this motion.

Not the Case.

In reply to a question from the chairman, A. B. Wright, regarding an item in a local paper stating that some pupils had been dismissed for not attending the enrollment, Mr. Beal said that this was not the case.

He explained that it didn't matter whether a student attended one class or fifty that student was counted only once in estimating the enrollment of the school.

The enrollment for the past year was 2,119, he said.

### POST TO NEWFOUNDLAND IS FOUR CENTS PER OUNCE

People Urged To Discontinue Sending of Small Easter Cards and Envelopes.

The rate of postage for letters posted in Canada for Newfoundland, is four cents for one ounce and three cents for every additional ounce, according to a recent bulletin issued by the postoffice department, Ottawa.

There has been considerable irritation caused in Newfoundland by letters arriving there with insufficient postage on them which means that double their amount deficit is collected when the letters are delivered at their destination.

It is also pointed out in the postoffice weekly bulletin that it is desired that at the coming Easter season the public should be urged to use continue, as far as possible, the use of small cards and envelopes for the following reasons:

1. As a result of the small size of the cards or envelopes the postoffice cancellation mark often falls on the address partially obliterating it with the possibility that the article may be misdelivered or at least delayed.

2. There is difficulty in the postoffice sorting and handling of small cards and envelopes and this unavoidably causes delay.

3. There is also difficulty in putting small cards or envelopes through stamp cancelling machines at larger offices, and this too causes delay.

4. The small size of the cards or envelopes makes them liable to fall out of bundles in which they are tied, and there is the possibility of loss as a result of this.

Responsibility for loss, misdelivery or delay as outlined above, arising from the use of small cards or envelopes, rests entirely with the sender.

### SCOTCH EMIGRANT PARTY DELAYED

Owing to unforeseen difficulties arising in the filling out of necessary forms for the Overseas Settlement Office in London, England, a delay has occurred in regard to the sailing of a considerable body of Scottish emigrants.

Rev. A. MacDonell, who is interested in bringing out these families, is sailing immediately for Great Britain to hasten their embarkation. The return journey with the first contingent will commence on April 11. It is understood that the Ontario Government party will leave Liverpool on the same day by the same ship.

## FIRST BY MERIT

London's Evening Newspaper—"All The News That's Fit to Print."

## Tenders For City Road Work Shows Drop in Materials

A MATERIAL drop in the prices of materials for road making, is noted by City Engineer H. A. Brazier, in going over the tenders received for supplies for his department for 1922. The tenders were opened Monday night and some of them will be awarded Tuesday night.

Forty tenders were received for the total materials which the engineer's department must buy.

"It is years," says the engineer, "since there was such a flood of tenders." He contrasted it with three years ago, when only six tenders were sent in.

The cut in the price of paving asphalt is typical, he says, the quotation now received being 30 per cent below last year's. The many other supplies tendered on are all down very materially.

COURT ORDERS MAN OUT OF CITY

Joe Ward, the third of the vagrants arrested on C. P. B. property a week ago, was sent out into the world by Magistrate Graydon when he appeared in court Tuesday.

"I am letting you go on consideration that you leave the city," the court informed Ward. "You shouldn't be riding around without a ticket."

Joe promised to leave London far behind by leaving, stating that he still had a little money.

### HURLS MATTRESS TO STREET BELOW

Claude Hart of Cairo Couldn't Get Air in Hotel Bed, He Explains.

LOCKED UP FOR WEEK

Proprietor Tells Court Boy "Quite a Nice Fellow Till Last Night."

Claude Hart, who hails from Cairo, Ont., gave late pedestrians on King street, near Richmond, the shock of their lives Monday night. Claude apparently became disgusted with the bed that he has been sleeping in in the Richmond Hotel since Thursday night last, because he threw the mattress and all the bed clothes out the window.

This was not the proprietor's idea of a good time, and Claude was turned over to the police and charged with being disorderly.

He pleaded guilty when the charge was read by Magistrate Graydon in court on Tuesday.

The proprietor stated that two young men came to the door at a late hour and told him that someone was throwing his furniture out of the window onto King street. He had heard a yell just previous to this notification, and was just going to investigate the disturbance when the knock came to the door.

He had told him that someone was sitting near the top steps putting on his socks and shoes. He didn't know what was the matter with the boy, but thought for the youth's sake that he should be locked up.

"What did you do it for?" questioned the court.

"Well, I was all right till I got into bed, and then I thought something was wrong with the bed clothes," stated the prisoner. "I couldn't seem to get any air, and I guess I threw them around. I don't know what was the matter with the boy, but thought for the youth's sake that he should be locked up."

"I have been here since Thursday and he seemed quite a nice fellow till last night," stated Mr. Cook, the proprietor.

Hart was remanded till Thursday in order that inquiries may be made about him.

### ANNEXED SCHOOL ISSUE TO GET FURTHER HEARING

Trustee Wright Intends To Introduce It At Next School



## BRINGS MAN TO TRUE SELFHOOD

Christian Science Advocate Reviews Works and Objects of Church.

**PRAISES MRS. EDDY**  
Disease Is Acknowledged To Be Mental, Dissipated by Truth.

"True creation consists of spiritual or true ideas, reflecting the character of the divine mind; evil is not a spiritual or true idea, and consequently has no place in creation, but only in the mind of man." This was the idea preponderant in a lecture entitled "Christian Science and Its Reasonable Appeal," given in the Christian Science Church, Tuesday evening by William W. Porter, C.S.B., member of the board of trustees of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston.

"Thought, rightly related to the divine mind or God, who is the source of all intelligence, reveals the God-like man," said he. "Christian Science emphasizes and demonstrates the fact that because a man is God's image and likeness, man must reflect the inexhaustible resources of the divine mind or God. All that the divine mind has and knows, therefore, belongs by reflection to God's perfect spiritual man. Until the nature of man's true selfhood is understood, human beings will be in ignorance of their natural rights and privileges, and will continue to suffer as a result of this lack of understanding. To understand and to enjoy man's true selfhood, thought must actually begin to reflect the qualities of the divine mind in the activities of the daily life.

**Discovery and Discoverer.**  
"Mary Baker Eddy is the discoverer and founder of Christian Science and the author of its textbook, 'Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures.' The revelation and discovery of this science were associated directly with the recovery of Mrs. Eddy from a serious illness. Christian Scientists have a distinct love and regard for their revered leader. It would be wrong to assume that there is anything in this attitude that savors of personal adoration, but on the contrary is in recognition and grateful acknowledgment of her unselfish service to all mankind.

"The question may be asked: Does Christian Science ever fail? No true science can ever fail. One may fail to understand the science of numbers, or fail properly to apply this science in working out a mathematical problem. No one will assume, however, for a moment, that because there has been a failure to understand or properly to apply this science of numbers the science of mathematics has failed. Likewise there may be a failure properly to understand Christian Science, or a failure properly to apply this science in the working out of a problem under consideration, but Christian Science never fails. No true science ever fails, and Christian Science is the purest and highest science that the human mind can know, because it is the science which reveals to mankind the nature and character of God, the primal and only cause, and the relation of man to God.

**Basic Error.**  
"Systems of religion and of medicine which have appeared and disappeared in the history of the world have finally disappeared because they were founded either upon the personal reputation, or the personal sense, of their originators, or upon the unworthy belief that evil is a reality with power exceeding that of good or God; and that matter, non-intelligent and inert, possesses the qualities of life and mind. Any system of religion or healing which is satisfactorily to meet the needs of mankind must be erected upon a foundation as universally available as divine love itself is available. Christian Science has been criticized frequently because of its statements regarding the unreality of matter, sin, sickness, death; and yet, the established systems of religion and medicine have been engaged throughout their respective histories, and that, too, without criticism, in the attempt to escape the ills associated with evil, to overcome the limitations associated with matter. The existing systems teach and perpetuate the belief that these evils are real and are more or less legitimate and to be expected. Christian Science declares that God, the divine mind, is the only creator; that real creation must reflect the character of the divine mind; and that true creation consists, therefore, of spiritual or true ideas. Evil is not a spiritual or true idea; therefore evil is not a creation of the divine mind or God.

**Theories Inconsistent.**  
"The statement is sometimes made that Christian Scientists ignore disease. Christian Scientists do not ignore either the disease or the germ. The only germ of disease is a mental germ. Christian Science declares disease to be mental, a belief of the mortal mind, which is dissipated and healed by the unfolding idea of truth and love.

"Any seeming good which follows the use of medicine is the result of hypnotic suggestion and human faith in matter. 'Some would doubtless say that safeguards should be established to protect the public against misrepresentation which are made in the name of Christian Science. Mrs. Eddy long ago foresaw this need and provided in the manual of the mother church the necessary measures to protect and preserve Christian Science, its teaching and its extension; as well as to protect the public from misrepresentations and adulterations.

"As the thought of mankind has been lifted up with respect to pure religion and to the science of healing, so the thought of mankind must be lifted up with respect to all things, including church and church government. In the words of science and health the Christian Science church is demonstrating the proof of its utility.

"Christian Scientists in their obedience to the manual of the mother church are demonstrating that willing consent of the governed which is the foundation of all true government."

## CHILD WELFARE INVITES PUBLIC

The election of officers and reports covering a year of tremendous development in the work will be presented at the annual meeting of the London Child Welfare Association at 4:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building. The public is cordially invited to be present and hear of the activities of an organization which has had an important part in cutting down the death rate among London's babies in the past few years.

Among the officers to be filled is that of secretary, made vacant by the resignation of Miss Helen Gunn, owing to the fact that she is going on an extended visit to England.

## DO YOU KNOW LONDON'S HISTORY?

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than the majority of Londoners. Compare your answers with the following ones and discover how much you know about London.

1. La Tranche.  
2. St. Julien street is in Ealing, the annexed area and runs from Trafalgar street to the river.  
3. Governor Simcoe. He visited this district in the winter of 1792-3, and planned to build the city of his dreams, Georgina-upon-Thames at the Forks of the river and make it the capital of Upper Canada. In 1796 he was transferred to the West Indies and was unable to carry out his plans.

4. The Thames was navigable for 240 miles in 1794. The large number of creeks which have since dried up made this navigation possible.

5. Fourteen. They are: Blackfriars Bridge, Chelsea Green bridge, Clarks, First Street, Dundas street, King street, Oxford street, Pottersburg, Roder's, Second street, Vauxhall, Kidout street, York street, Wharfedale road.

6. 1840, 1848, 1854.  
7. Hon. John Carling. He went to Ottawa to represent London in 1867.

8. His Excellency Earl Grey.  
9. Peter McGregor, a Highland Scot, on what is now the southwest corner of King and Ridout street in 1826.

10. Ten and 23-640 square miles.  
11. In 1818 a family called Beverly operated a ferry between the Forks at Applegate's, later Nixon's Flats, and now West London. This family had the agree and travelers often had to wait for hours for the men to stop shaking so they could ferry them across. Later the Montagu family established a canoe ferry at Woodland Cemetery, then known as Townsend's Landing.

12. Twenty-three and the men.  
13. Nathaniel Verex. He was born in a log cabin on what is now known as the northwest corner of York and Ridout streets, in 1826.

14. Ten. Bank of Montreal, Bank of Nova Scotia, Bank of Toronto, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Dominion Bank, Bank of Canada, Imperial Bank, Molsons Bank, Royal Bank, Standard Bank.

15. The Seven Mile Woods of Oxford.  
16. London Life Insurance Company, Northern Life Insurance Company.

17. The cat-of-nine-tails. Visitors were often subjected to a whipping for trivial offences in 1830 while residents were only fined. The executioners wore a black mask. The stocks became unpopular in 1832, and were thrown in the river.

18. On February 22, 1914.  
19. On August 27, 1874, by the governor-general.

20. The Imperial government first owned the site and stationed troops there during the rebellion of 1837. Later the property was transferred to the Dominion Government and then deeded to the city of London.

21. In 1878. On February 19 of that year the old Tecumseh baseball team won the International baseball championship and then retired.

22. The Fugitive Chapel was an institution which cared for runaway slaves from the States, and even rescued them. It was a sequel to the Anti-Slavery Society, organized following a speech in 1852 by a colored minister, Rev. S. B. Ward.

23. In 1873, where there were 92 taverns, 8 saloons and 38 store licenses. Next year the number was considerably reduced.

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29. Dr. E. A. Theller, commandant of the Patriot Schooner Anne, was arrested for high treason during the rebellion of 1837. He was convicted and sentenced to transportation for life. He escaped, was recaptured, brought to London and executed.

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## GARBAGE WAGES NOT TO BE SET

No. 2 Committee Decides Contractor May Pay Men Prevailing Rates.

**DISCUSS SPECIFICATIONS**

Solicitor Advises City Has Not Right To Enforce Payment of Penalties.

The clause calling for a wage of \$25 a week in the specifications for tenders on garbage collection was eliminated by a 3 to 2 vote of No. 2 committee on Monday night, and a clause inserted providing for the successful contractor to pay "the prevailing rate of wages."

At the same time the committee decided that the specifications should only provide for tenders on collection and that the city should continue to operate the incinerator for the disposal of the garbage.

These important changes in the specifications were made by a special meeting of the committee which met with the city solicitor.

Mr. Meredith made it clear to the committee that he was not taking any responsibility for the conditions to be laid down in the specifications. His letter from the clerk instructing him to prepare the specifications said that he might use the tentative specifications as prepared by the engineer, if he saw fit. Mr. Meredith told the

committee that it, not he, must decide on the conditions of the specifications. He would endeavor to put in them language which would make it as clear as possible just what was the wish of the people.

**Set On Blocking.**  
When he was asked his private opinion by Ald. May, he replied: "I don't express any opinion on the matter. If I were an alderman I'd express an opinion, but I am not. I never express an opinion on a matter of policy, that is not my business, mess."

Another important point brought out during the discussion was the ruling of the solicitor that the council had power to make a contract for but one year.

The engineer asked if this would be from date of contract.  
Mr. Meredith: "I am not going to answer that."

Ald. Drake: "The contract cannot be let for a year now. It can only be for eight months. The contract can only be for a period from one council to another. We cannot tie up another council."

Mr. Meredith first recommended against an arbitration to settle the cost of the equipment which the contractor must take over from the city. He said this plan was slow and expensive. He suggested a plan of valuation and this was accepted.

**Penalties Provided.**  
He touched on the list of penalties to be provided and said that they could not stand as penalties as the city would have power to enforce payment as such. It could deduct them from payments to the contractor as liquidated damages.

Mr. Meredith said that there would have to be someone who could say that there was a damage and this brought up the point of who would have charge. It was generally agreed that the investigation be under the medical officer of health. The one

objection was that the inspection would then be under another body.

Mr. Meredith said that the council had not the right to delegate its powers to another body, like the board of health.

It was finally decided that investigations be made by the sanitary inspectors and reports sent to No. 3 committee and it would act as judge.

In the meantime, however, the penalty list stands open. Ald. Drake wanted the penalties left and Ald. Douglass wanted them removed.

Mr. Meredith said the fact that the hospital got heat from the incinerator would suggest caution in regard to the letting of the incinerator into other hands, especially as the details submitted to him suggested a dual authority.

The committee went into this question quite fully and decided to retain possession of the incinerator.

**Protect Contractor.**  
Ald. Douglass wanted to know if there would be provision to protect the contractor from delays if the incinerator was not handling the garbage fast enough.

The engineer suggested that the contractor be limited to the delivery of two tons an hour.

Ald. Douglass contended that this would be unfair. The contractor might deliver the garbage twice as fast as the present system.

No decision was reached on this point.

The wage question found Ald. Douglass pressing to eliminate the \$25 a week clause, and Ald. Drake and Chairman Ashton speaking up for the clause. Ald. May and Ald. Bean lined up with Ald. Douglass. Mayor Wilson, the sixth member of the committee present, said he would vote in case of a tie. And so quite reluctantly Ald. Ashton had to ad-

mit that the clause as amended to read "prevailing rate of wages," was carried and that the one calling for a wage of \$25 a week went into the discard.

Ald. Ashton and Ald. Drake both contended that there was no prevailing rate of wages for garbage collection while the other side contended that the contractor should be allowed to get his men on the open market.

Mr. Meredith said that he would have the specifications ready at an early date.

of the entertainment were Mesdames J. F. Thomson, M. Summers, L. Martin, W. Ball, S. Lewis, Jolliffe and Fryer. Miss Daisy Thomson and Miss Minnie Dodge poured tea.

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**G. W. V. A. OFFICERS ARE ENTERTAINED**  
In honor of the Dominion officials visiting in the city Monday, C. G. MacNeil, Dominion secretary of the G. W. V. A., and Comrade James Armstrong, also of Ottawa, the officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the London G. W. V. A. entertained at a high tea in the club rooms. A color scheme of yellow was carried out in the decoration of the tables, at which covers were laid for fifty. In charge

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One table of odd sizes in Children's Black School Hose. At, per pair ..... **12½c**

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Bandeau style of good quality jean, back and front fastened ..... **39c**  
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Ladies' Pure Silk Hose, double sole, heel and toe, mock seam, in navy, black, brown, sand and white; regular \$1.50. For pair ..... **75c**

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Ladies' Mercerized Lisle Hose, widened top, in black, brown, white and grey, slightly imperfect. 25c pair, 5 pairs for \$1

**Lisle Hose**  
Men's Lisle and All-Wool Cashmere Hose, in black, brown, grey and navy, slightly imperfect, at, pair ..... **25c**

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5 pieces Black Habutai Silk extra heavy quality, full 36 inches wide; service and wear guaranteed ..... **\$1.50**

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Ladies' Fine Knit Bloomers at ..... **39c**, or 3 pairs for \$1 Children's Fine Knit Bloomers, sizes 2 to 6 years, at ..... **35c**, or 2 for 50c

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## LOCAL STUDENT OBTAINS PRIZE

Albert Norton Is Writer of Successful Essay On "Fire Prevention."

ONTARIO LEAGUE IS DONOR

Sterling Silver Medal Will Be Presented to Winner at Public Function.

Among the 21 winners of prizes offered throughout the province by the Ontario Fire Prevention League on "Fire Prevention" is Albert Norton, R. R. 4, London, a student of the London Technical and Art School. The contest was open to students of all collegiate institutions, high and continuation schools in Ontario.

The local winner receives a sterling silver medal, and the Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with Principal Deal of the Technical School, will arrange that the medal be presented at a public function in the near future.

The essay which won the silver medal follows:

**Successful Essay.**

"One of the greatest servants of man is fire, when held under control. Think of the numerous ways fire has been put to use: it will cook our meals, give us heat and light, and one of the most important uses of it is put to it that it makes power for running our long railroad engines, running our steamships, and is used for power in factories and many other places. It is, therefore, seen to be very valuable to man, though it is being put aside for electricity in many places.

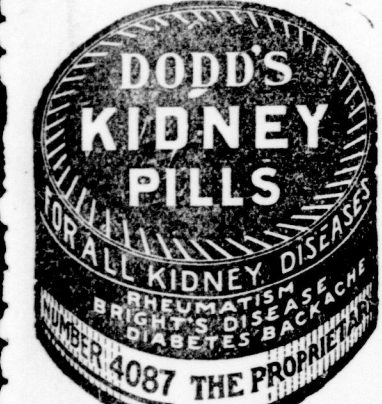
"But let fire get beyond control of man. It is no longer his servant and see what it will do. It will create great destruction and make, what was once, his master, very miserable. It will destroy great tracts of forest, many fine and beautiful homes, and other buildings. It even takes lives of human beings as well as animals, and often ruins people financially and makes their lives very miserable and unhappy.

"But knowing that fire may bring their ruin at any hour, people are still very careless and thoughtless. They will be careless in their habits until their home, or some of their factories, are destroyed, and then they will see how careless they have been, when it is too late.

**Cause of Fires.**

"Fires are often caused by children playing with matches or playing with the fire in a stove or fire place. This should never be allowed and it is only negligent parents who would let their children do this. They are endangering the lives of themselves and children, and threatening the destruction of their home by such negligence. Matches should be kept where children are unable to get them.

"One big cause of fires is leaving rubbish and waste material around in machine shops and factories where waste material is used to clean up oil and grease the waste should be destroyed after using it, and not left around where careless persons might drop a lighted match.



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## Fined For Intoxication After Buying Bottle of Massage Fluid.

Special to London Advertiser.

BRANTFORD, March 27.—

Frank Clawsey was charged with being intoxicated, and also with having liquor in an unauthorized place. He drew down a fine of \$10 and costs for the smaller offence, and was freed of the other. A bottle of "rubbing alcohol" figured in the affair. It was on Saturday night that Clawsey bought the bottle in a local drug store. Some time later in the evening he was taken in tow by the police, who said he was intoxicated. This was sworn to by Acting Detective Harry Stanley and Sgt. Wallace.

"I never had a drink, only 2 per cent beer. It was only alcohol for rubbing. I wouldn't mind paying a fine if I had had the satisfaction of being drunk."

"A drug store is a fruitful source of jags," commented Magistrate Blake in passing sentence.

into it. Owners of factories should see that no rubbish is left under grating on sidewalks where a smoker is very likely to drop a cigarette butt or match and set fire to the factory. All waste and rubbish should be collected in home and factory, and pains should be taken to see that it does not accumulate again.

"There are many other things that should be done in a home to prevent fire. An oil lamp should never be left near a window, which is open where the wind is likely to blow the curtain into the flame and thereby cause fire. Also lamps should be put where there is the least danger of them being knocked over and smashed, for when fire catches on to oil it is very difficult to put it out and water should never be used to put it out, as this only spreads the flame. There is great danger in standing near an open fire place, because a spark might fly out and put one's clothes on fire or a woman's dress may blow into the flame. There should be a grating around the fireplace. Many people have the habit of starting their furnace with oil. This is a very dangerous practice and extreme caution should be taken by the persons who use this method of lighting their furnaces. After lighting the furnace by means of oil the oil should not be left in the near vicinity of the furnace but should be taken out of the room. A good place would be to have a fireproof room for all inflammable materials and oils. If you are called to the door when ironing with an electric iron you should turn off the current, as something may rub up against the iron and catch fire.

"Lightning is also a very dangerous thing, and people would make a good investment if they had lightning rods installed upon their home, as these rods have been made so that lightning will not hurt the home, but will go down the wire into the ground. In having electric lights installed care should be taken that it is done properly, so that there will be no danger of the home being destroyed from this cause. Also the lights should be turned off in an electric storm.

"In houses where mice might be some chance got, matches should be kept in some kind of metal container, so that the mice will be unable to get at them and ignite them by nibbling at them.

"After taking all these precautions, accidents will happen, and to be prepared is the only thing, so it would be a good investment to have a small fire extinguisher handy, where it can be found quickly in case of fire.

**Factory protection.**

"When a factory is being built, the owner should take into consideration what protection he would have in case of fire. He may find it cheaper if he built it as fireproof as possible. This can be done to a great extent, though it might not be made absolutely fireproof. But by having fire extinguishers around on the walls the risk of the factory burning down is very little, and if it does not burn down it means that many employees will not be put out of work and the owner will have no loss from fire.

"But, even if the building isn't fireproof there are many things which may be done to lessen the risk of fire. In factories where much oil is used the oils should be kept some distance from the factory where if the oil did catch on fire it would not set fire to the factory. Another thing to do is to prevent people from smoking in the buildings, as they might drop a lighted cigarette butt or match upon something which might easily catch fire and thereby set fire to the building.

"In factories when electric lights and fixtures are being installed, care should be taken that the electric wiring is done properly and so that the building will not be destroyed by faulty wiring.

"If these precautions were taken I am sure there would be very few factories and homes destroyed by fire and that the fire department would have very little to do putting out fires in cities and towns in which, if these precautions were not taken, they would be kept busy."

**FIX ITINERARY FOR LORD BYNG**

Ottawa, March 27.—(Canadian Press).—The itinerary for the Ontario tour of His Excellency the Governor-General was made public today. His excellency and members of his party will leave Ottawa for Toronto on April 8, and will be absent from the capital until the 24th. He will visit twenty-five cities and towns, including Windsor, where he will arrive on April 18, and leave the same day. He will arrive at Kitchener on April 19, and leave the same evening for Guelph.

The party will arrive at Hamilton on the morning of April 9, remaining there for two whole days, when they leave for St. Catharines.

On April 13 they will arrive at Brantford, spending the day there and at Paris. London will be reached on April 18, and St. Thomas and Chatham on April 17.

## U. S. AGENTS AT BORDER SECURE MUCH WHISKEY

Excisemen and "Dry" Law Officers Seize Large Canadian Shipments.

LIQUOR EXPORTED DAILY

Estimated That 700 Cases Worth \$70,000 Leave Ontario Weekly.

From Buffalo, New York, comes the report Monday night that customs and prohibition officers have seized large quantities of Canadian liquor that has just been smuggled across the Niagara frontier border line, indicating they maintain, that a ready market can be speedily located for the entire output of an Ontario distillery, prices for the same ranging from \$35 to \$125 for a case of 12 bottles.

This is a direct answer to the recent query, "Is liquor actually exported or does it eventually go to Ontario's bootleggers?" The liquor now in the possession of the American authorities will go before a federal grand jury immediately and a number of disclosures involving numerous others, men of affluence and considerable wealth is anticipated. Further importance developments are promised by the officers.

It would appear that while good Canadian whiskey is shipped daily across the border from Ontario into the United States, the Canadian who desires the occasional bottle and is not successful in his quest for a physician's prescription, must rely to a great extent upon one of the divers brands of villainous home-brews dispensed by the ordinary bootlegger up an alley.

**Three Exporting Points.**

There are, however, three sources of whiskey in Western Ontario, one of which is ideally situated for exportation on an extensive scale. Incidentally liquor crosses into the United States at three points in the neighborhood of Windsor, Sarnia and Bridgeburg, on the St. Clair, the Detroit and the Niagara Rivers respectively.

Ontario courts have not yet settled the legal battle revolving about the exportation question. On Saturday last at Sandwich Judge Coughlin quashed a conviction against the Essex Export Company, declaring that the regulation of liquor warehouses was beyond the jurisdiction of provincial authorities.

Following this decision Attorney-General W. E. Raney issued a declaration that the case would go to a higher court, with the added assurance that the controversy would be taken higher if necessary.

While the attorney-general admits that this will be a test case for the export companies it will not suffice, he states, as an adequate test of the direct system of exporting as conducted by the exporters at Windsor.

**Case Now Pending.**

In the meanwhile a case is pending in Toronto against Gooderham & Worts, distillers of that city and one of the three sources dealing with another system of exporting, "the direct shipment from the distiller or brewer."

A fairly accurate estimate of prevailing conditions at the various border points reveals the fact that a probable minimum of 700 cases of whiskey are leaving Ontario each week for the United States. This represents an undertaking which is rapidly increasing in volume and better appreciated perhaps when put in terms of American value.

About 700 cases of real whiskey means in the neighborhood of \$70,000 in any American city today, of which it is roughly calculated \$40,000 represents the profit of enterprising bootleggers.

## ELECT COMMUNISTS TO PARIS MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Andre Marty and M. Badina Receive Overwhelming Majority in Civic Contest.

PARIS, March 27.—The Communists, Andre Marty and M. Badina, were overwhelmingly elected to the municipal council of Paris at the elections yesterday. Their opponents, M. Goldsky, who is serving a prison term on the charge of having been mixed up with the Bonnet Rouge espionage case, and Emile Cottin, who attempted to assassinate M. Clemenceau, then premier, in 1919, received only 31 and four votes respectively.

Both Marty and Badina were elected to the council last year, but were not permitted to serve, the council of state ruling that they had lost their civil rights through being convicted for a part in the Black Sea mutiny.

Although women are not eligible for municipal councilorships, Mme. Marty, Bigot, a communist school teacher, who was dismissed as an agitator, obtained 352 votes, thus preventing the leading candidates in the third district from obtaining a majority and making another ballot necessary.

## AMENDMENT TO TREATY RATIFIED

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The four-power supplementary treaty excluding the mainland of Japan from the scope of the four-power arrangement was ratified late today by the Senate.

Included in the resolution of ratification, which received the support of both friends and opponents of the four-power pact itself, was the additional supplementary agreement declaring that "domestic issues" shall not come up for discussion at four-power conferences.

The vote on the treaty was unanimous, 73 to 0.

## TORONTO HARBOR NAVIGATION OPEN

TORONTO, March 27.—The steamer Dalhousie City arrived at Toronto shortly before noon today, and the season of navigation for the year 1922 was formally opened. Captain Jim Maddick is once more the winner of the silk hat which the Toronto harbor-master presents each year.

Immediately the steamer was cited every vessel with steam up in the bay paid homage with the three long and two short whistles which represent the nautical salute. Fifty-three passengers made the trip from Port Dalhousie on the steamer this morning. Navigation opened last year on April 4, when the steamer Macanese of Hamilton was the first boat to arrive in Toronto harbor.

## NOTED ACTRESS THRILLS AUDIENCE

Jane Cowl Entances With "Smilin' Through" At Grand Opera House.

MAKES ROLE SEEM REAL

Superlative Acting of Star Leaves Production Best Attraction of Year.

Death only a gate, the cobwebs of hatred and jealousy swept clear, and love, shining transcendent, beckoning to a heart cleansed of bitterness and revenge—with all the magnificence of superb acting, Jane Cowl in "Smilin' Through" leaves an impression of immortality; of a life where all the bitterness and futile passion of earthly revenge counts as nothing, and where life is immortal because nothing lives but love.

In "Smilin' Through," presented at the Grand Theatre Monday evening, Jane Cowl was not Jane Cowl, the brilliant American actress, she was Kathleen Duggan, who was Irish and 20, and loved with all the depth of her young soul, with an affection which separation could not lessen, and which pride only could conceal but not kill.

From the moment of her first appearance the magnetism of Miss Cowl's personality chained the audience to her feet. When she laughed, which was often, the audience laughed with her, and what an adorable laugh it was—each word breaking off into a husky little trill, sometimes bubbling, sometimes laughing, like clear water falling over mossy stones, finishing off a sentence better than words, and with a meaning as lucid—and sometimes laughter glittering with happy tears, and again with an agony of pride made hysterical.

**Transcends All Laws.**

And in her sorrow—all the pent-up misery of loneliness and starved love—all the passion of a pride wronged—Miss Cowl transcended all the laws of finished acting and lived her role so that reality breathes in all the poignant sorrow of Kathleen Duggan, and deepens in all the arid waste of years which looms up before her.

The whimsical humor which is so indispensable a part of Kathleen's nature eludes one—it cannot be caught and penned because it is the soul of the play! From her moments of rarest happiness to her moments of deepest anguish—it never leaves her and never does the divine gift of a sense of humor so magnificent as in the second act of the play when Miss Cowl appears as Mooneyeen Clare—John Garteret's promised bride—whom tragedy claims on the wedding night. Breath coming in spasms—so great is the pain Mooneyeen suffers—yet "John, dear, I'll make a charming ghost and I'll be coming back, when the whippers."

That is the keynote of the play! As long as the heart of John remains free from the thoughts of bitterness and revenge, the soul of Mooneyeen returns to him, not a ghost, but living tangible, and in all the radiant beauty of her wedding night. But when the knife is turned afresh in the wound and all the old prejudices of hate are spread up in the dress of a senator, Kenneth Wayne, the son of the man who killed Mooneyeen, and who loves Kathleen, John Garteret's niece, Mooneyeen no longer comes and John's heart is plunged in woe and bitterness so that he turns even against his best friend.

**Tension Excessive.**

There are moments in the play when the tension becomes almost too great to be bearable, and it is there that all the skill of the dramatist is brought to play, and from tears one is moved to laughter. Kathleen and her dear, dry humor, or Kathleen's uncle, with all his arrogance and stubborn pride, hiding the source of old wounds and the uncle's faithful friend, whose devotion is like that of Damon for Pythias—either one or all relieve the tension and one breathes again, confident that in some fashion everything will work out all right.

And it does. Love and friendship quell hate and bitterness, and Mooneyeen comes again. It is impossible to leave "Smilin' Through" without the thought that, in spite of all the pessimists, the world is not such a bad place after all, and that faith and friendship answer the crime of the unbusiness and that everything will come out all right, if not in this world, in the next.

"Smilin' Through," the best attraction at the Grand this year, will be repeated tonight only.

## GETS \$6,314,500 FROM BRITAIN

OTTAWA, March 27.—(By Canadian Press).—The Canadian government has received \$6,314,500 from the British government toward the cost of the Canadian army of occupation, but no further reparation payments have been received, Hon. A. B. Cope, secretary of state, informed the Commons this afternoon. The report stated that Germany had paid the Allies to Nov. 30, 1921, the sum of 6,424,000,000 gold marks, or \$1,528,912,000 at the par rate of exchange. In cash and by transfer of property Great Britain had received of this sum 470,000,000 gold marks, or \$111,850,000 at the par rate of exchange.



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## BORDEN DECLINES TO TALK POLITICS

TORONTO, March 27.—Political and Washington conference subjects were strictly banned in an interview with Sir Robert Borden, former premier of Canada, at the York Club today.

"I don't want to talk about the conference," Sir Robert said. "There will be a report laid on the table of the house soon of all I have to say. I am making a report to the prime minister."

And as for politics, Sir Robert intimated that he was done with that vexatious life for good and all. He stated that he would have nothing more to do actively in political affairs. "I'm through with political life," he declared.

Sir Robert said he was just in the city for the day to attend a meeting of the executive council of the League of Nations in Canada, to be held here this afternoon. Afterward he is going to Montreal on the work of the same society. A similar meeting will be held here tomorrow.

## PARDON FOR IRISH RADICAL REFUSED

ALBANY, N. Y., March 27.—Governor Miller has denied the application for a pardon for Jim Larkin, the Irish agitator, convicted of criminal anarchy and serving a sentence at Clinton prison.

Announcement of this decision was made by the governor today. Larkin's attorney, Louis A. Healy of Brooklyn, had told Governor Miller that if Larkin were set free he would return to Ireland where, it was said, he had a large following, and would be a potent force in uniting the Collins and De Valera factions.

## SUSPENDS SENTENCE ON BANDIT

WINDSOR, March 27.—Sentence was suspended today by Magistrate Gundy in Windsor police court on William Lesperance, who pleaded guilty to conspiracy in connection with the attempted mail hold-up on the Amherstburg car last month. Drouillard, who was the bandit, received a severe penalty for the part he played in the hold-up.

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## Trade North and South.

ALTHOUGH THE House at Ottawa has been in session only a week or so, evidence has not been lacking that various sections of the Dominion still look toward the American market, and are willing to move for the making of more advantageous trading terms there.

J. L. Brown, of Lisgar, dealing with the live stock industry of Western Canada, which he claims is second in importance only to the wheat crop, said:

"Very often a farmer is short of wheat, and altogether against his own desire or wish, he must find a market for his cattle. The United States, under normal conditions, is capable of absorbing large numbers of these cattle. A few years ago, if I may be pardoned a personal reference, I sent some steers down to the Winnipeg market. A few weeks after I received a letter from a gentleman in the state of Illinois who had got my steers, my name and address having been on their tags. He said, 'We like your Canadian cattle—they are good feeders, and we want to get them.' Mr. Speaker, if they want to get them we want to sell them, and in spite of all that has been said of the necessity for trade lines running east and west, there is a trade in respect of which the lines must run north and south. If they do not, then there can be no trade."

Mr. McLean of Prince, P.E.I., maintains that the natural market for the Maritime Provinces is in the New England States. He goes on to say: "We enjoy a large trade in potatoes, but this year we are obliged, when shipping potatoes to the American markets, to pay a duty of 25 cents a bushel. This money had to be paid at the port of entry in American funds before the produce would be received for shipment. In spite of that handicap we shipped 160 carloads of potatoes to that market. We also produce in Prince Edward Island a large number of lambs which we are obliged to market each fall; and last year we could get a better price for our lambs in the American market, even after paying \$1 per head duty, than we could elsewhere." The speaker went on to state his belief in the fact that the rejection of reciprocity in 1911 was a serious mistake, and that it had been a serious matter for the farmers from his section of the Dominion.

And while all this is going on at Ottawa, what do we find from Washington? It reports emanating from there are correct, there is going to be a very stiff tariff against Canadian grain, some dispatches mentioning the rate on wheat at 30 cents. When they go that high they might just as well go on and make it a dollar, because either figure is practically prohibitive. A duty on flour of seventy cents will practically serve the same purpose, as Canadian mills cannot pay that figure and place their goods on the American market at a profit. It takes two to make a trade bargain, and indications are that the agricultural bloc in United States is in a position to get anything it asks for, and so far, it looks as though they had asked for the head of the Canadian farmer on a charger, as far as developing any north and south trade is concerned.

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Quite right and quite wrong. A reporter, if treated fairly, is quite human, and can respect confidence along with the rest of humankind.

## Robert Patterson.

ROBERT PATTERSON of Stratford is dead. Such was the news that came on the wire from Stratford.

ROBERT PATTERSON came in contact with a large number of men and young men, mere boys many of them, during his career with the Grand Trunk Railway. He was one of those individuals who have personality enough to stick up even in a great corporation. When the name ROBERT PATTERSON was mentioned, the thought came at once of the master mechanic and superintendent of the Stratford shops of the G. T. R., of the apprentice classes and the excellence of the instruction that was given there.

Things did not come easy to ROBERT PATTERSON. When a young man he went to serve his time in the car shops. After being at the work for some months, he, with others of that class, saw the need for mechanical drawing and deeper knowledge of arithmetic. They hired their own teacher, secured their own hall, and lit their own fires for the classes. That was the school in which ROBERT PATTERSON was reared. Small wonder that, in recent years, looking over the high scale of wages paid to the apprentice of today, he should claim that it was wrong and harmful. His reasons were sound, and serve to show the interest he had taken in the hundreds of boys who had passed through the classes under him. "It is not right," he once remarked, "for a boy to be made independent, by a high wage, of home influence. As it stands today, if a boy does not like the correction or discipline he gets at home when he does wrong, he is in a position to leave and go ahead and do as he wishes. It is the worst thing that could happen to a boy. A long experience has also made it apparent

AND THEN—!!



to me that things that a boy gets easily he prizes lightly."

In recent years Mr. PATTERSON had been forced to abandon active work, and had lived quietly at his home in Stratford. He had always been a student, and remained so until the end. He was a type of citizen of which Canada can be proud, a man who gave full service, who made the most of his opportunities, and who was ever ready to pass on the benefit of his knowledge and experience to others who wanted or needed it.

## Billions Lost Yearly.

THERE IS a tremendous supply of helium in Canada. Probably no other country is as rich in this gas.

People are in the habit of thinking that helium is only valuable in wartime. It was regarded as the best kind of lighter-than-air gas to use in balloons, because it will not burn nor explode.

But helium is a precious natural possession for which some use must be found in peace times.

It has been estimated that at wartime prices Canada is wasting \$50,000,000 worth of helium every day of the year. It is found in our natural gas, and escapes unused into the air.

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## LITTLE 'TISERS

Many a man believes firmly in the law of heredity until his son turns out to be a jackass.

The man who doesn't own a car never has to get it pulled out of the mud at so much a pull.

A good many men who can make a good job of looking wise don't know enough to let it go at that.

Along about this time of year our neighbor's hens are always looking over the fence to see if we have started sticking seeds and things in the ground yet.

And now a machine is out that takes the skin off fish. That's nothing. Many a man who has dabbled in mining stocks and Spanish heiress schemes has been skinned, his pockets emptied, his shirt taken and his eyes pulled out all in one operation.

Brantford has been offered \$3,000 by a public-spirited citizen, E. L. COCKSITT, for the purpose of making Mohawk Park a centre for amateur athletics. In years gone by this park has been the scene of athletics of the first order. In the days when bicycle riding was at its height Mohawk Park was the stamping ground for the best of them. It is a great property just on the edge of the city.

but it can stand the three thousand and then some.

An echo of the last election was heard in the House of Commons when the following question was asked of the finance minister: "What amount, if any, has been collected by the taxation department on the notes tendered by the Riddion Company in payment of their taxes?" And Mr. FIELDING, with all the eloquence of which he is capable, replied as follows: "None."

Manitoba has wisely decided to carry on its government in the meantime as far as the transaction of general business is concerned. The general election will be held in a short time, when the electors will surely put an end to the four-part government they have been juggling for some time. Advocates of group government are welcome to take all the sunshine they can squeeze out of the Manitoba cucumber.

Blenheim has a local theatrical society, which has been operating with considerable success this season. Fine idea. In too many villages and towns the people spend their spare time complaining that there is nothing to do. In other real, honest-to-goodness, wide-awake places some good souls start choral societies, debating clubs, minstrel shows or amateur theatricals, and right straight off there is something to do. Lucky is the town that has its share of local leadership and initiative.

Replying to a question in the Commons as to what it cost to administer the civil service commission, during the last fiscal year, the figures showed a total outlay for the last fiscal year of \$312,830.17. The payroll for the month of February shows 221 officials and employees in the offices of the civil service commission. This commission looks after the civil service appointments, and has grown at such a rate that it will soon be necessary to have another commission to look after the civil service commission.

The district representative in Elgin County claims that the winter wheat in that county has not been seriously injured by the thawing and freezing of recent weeks, and although it looks brown, it will come along all right. It is to be hoped his opinion is well founded. Fall wheat all through this district early in the winter looked splendid, the growth had been fine, and the roots were well established. Just now it looks pretty brown, no matter which way one looks. A recovery is quite possible, but the weatherman will have to watch his step.

## LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY

TODAY'S word is ARCHAIC. It's pronounced — ar-kay-ick, with accent on the second syllable. It means—old-fashioned, antique, out of date, belonging to a past age. It comes from Greek—"archaios," old-fashioned. It's used like this—"Many people like to fill their homes with archaic furniture."

## Our Own Country.

Question—Who was the first pilot on the St. Lawrence River and when?

Answer—Abraham Martin was the first king's pilot on the St. Lawrence, over 300 years ago. The Plains of Abraham at Quebec are named after him and a monument to his memory is being erected. He got his farm as a grant from Champlain in 1617—the land on which the battle took place between Wolfe and Montcalm.

Question—When was Lord Dufferin in the governor-general of Canada? Answer—Lord Dufferin was governor-general of Canada from 1872 to 1878.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY  
Here We Have Items of Local and District Interest  
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Tuesday, March 28, 1897.

Weather—Fine and a little milder.

The Clinton Cricket Club was re-organized Thursday evening, March 25, the following officers being elected: Honorary president, W. Doherty; president, A. Armstrong; vice-president, L. Kennedy; secretary-treasurer, F. R. Hodgins; executive committee, M. D. McTaggart, F. T. Jackson, P. W. Terry, J. P. Doherty, R. Agnew.

The Strathroy Junior Baseball Club have elected the following officers for the coming season: Honorary president, L. H. Smith; captain, H. Murby; secretary-treasurer, M. Smith; field captain, R. Argue; managing committee, H. Murby, Mont. Smith, A. Siddle and A. Richardson.

The London Bicycle Club held their annual mid-winter ginkhana in the spacious club rooms, Hilbills Block, last evening. Mr. W. C. Ferguson was starter, and the clerks of the course were President H. McBride, Secretary W. Waugh, J. Miller, E. White and Fred Fraser, Treasurer R. A. Bayly acted as referee. About 75 entered, and besides those mentioned above there were: Vice-president A. W. White, Capt. O. B. Leslie, Bloss Corey, Petrolia, E. O. Fitzgerald, Petrolia, H. M. Rees, Brantford; Alf. Talbot, Fred Beltz, A. Tillmann, Percy Millman, Hartley Millman, Charles Bayer, W. Walmsley, Dr. Balfour (ex-president), Palmer Smith, Charles Bowman, D. Ross, S. Sereaton, Arthur Kingsmill, Thos. Baker, Walter Gurd, Bert Glover, Ed. Croden, D. Stuart, Dr. Belton (ex-president), Dr. Bentley, G. Fraser, Leonard Tilley, Arthur Bayly, E. O. Graves, D. Mills, A. Johnson, Will Reid, Dr. L. H. Dawson, J. Burnett, Will Carson, H. Beresford, E. Sereaton, Harry Turner, Ald. 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### KING DEFENDS ACTION

Miss Agnes MacPhail Creates Stir When She Enters Discussion.

OTTAWA, March 27.—(By Canadian Press).—Pungent criticism and many a lively encounter characterized the first day spent by the House of Commons in supply. The first clash came over an interim supply bill for \$76,000,000, and the bill was held over. But the battle had only begun. In supply on the main estimates it waged at intervals throughout the afternoon and evening, tempting Miss Agnes MacPhail, the lady member, from her silence. For a time it was stilled when Mr. Crerar, the Progressive leader, appealed to the chair. "We shall never get anywhere," Mr. Crerar protested, "if we are to go over the whole field of political questions." But it broke out anew over railway votes, and again an appropriation was held over.

The house was discussing salaries for the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment, when, for the first time, a woman's voice joined in Canadian parliamentary discussion. Miss MacPhail, throughout the day, had been an intent auditor. There was a point as to why the supervisor of expenditures had been given an increase of from \$4,500 to \$5,000 when the services of sixteen clerks were being dispensed with. Miss MacPhail's comments were sharply in the interrogative. Had the supervisor of expenditure, she queried—members of all parties cheering her entry into discussion—had he received so technical and so costly an education that such an increase was justified? Was it not the familiar story of the higher the salary getting the higher increase? Hon. Dr. Beland, minister of soldiers' civil re-establishment, was greeted with applause and laughter as he remarked that it would be to his "eternal honor" to have drawn the first lady member into discussion. The salaries to which Miss MacPhail referred, he added, were regulated by the civil service commission.

**King Challenges Minister.** Conservatives criticized, in the course of discussion, that the economies in this year's estimates were economies on paper. "The government," said Sir Henry Drayton, ex-minister of finance, "is requiring a substantially larger vote than the whole of last year's expenditures." To this, Hon. W. S. Fielding, present minister of finance, generally replied that Sir Henry must then have brought down estimates last year which were "absolutely preposterous, and did not represent the probable expenditure of the country." Mr. Meighen charged that Liberals had repudiated their pledge of the 1919 platform to give cash grants to returned soldiers. The prime minister replied by challenging Mr. Meighen to show where he had ever, in the campaign, promised cash grants. When the 1919 platform was drawn up the country had not been involved in such heavy railway expenditures.

Votes passed during the day were: Salaries, soldiers' civil re-establishment, \$46,820; privy council office, \$44,810; department of external affairs, \$74,030; high commissioner's office, \$102,330.

In regard to the last named, the prime minister announced that it was intended in future to appoint Canadians to the high commissioner's office.

In the house this afternoon the memorandum laid before the house on March 23 regarding the re-establishment of the Canadian wheat board was referred to the select standing committee on agriculture and colonization.

Hon. T. A. Crerar, Progressive leader, asked if it was the intention of the committee to take the matter up immediately, and to get down to business.

The prime minister: "Certainly." The house went into supply on the interim supply bill. N. Gordon, deputy speaker, taking his seat as chairman of the committee of the whole house for the first time.

The bill provides for the adoption of one-fourth of the main estimates for the purposes of government, while the main estimates themselves are being approved. The supply

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## Expect Liberals To Cut Tariff On Boots, Food and Certain Machinery

OTTAWA, March 27.—There is now considerable speculation in the house about tariff changes in the coming budget.

The general presumption is that they will be in a downward direction, and it is rumored they will affect the duties on agricultural implements, on machinery used for productive purposes in mines and fisheries, on boots and shoes and some articles of food.

The revisions are not expected to asked amounts to \$76,499,371.38. Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, said that while the government was asking for one-fourth there could be no objection to a reduction to one-sixth, provided the opposition requested it. The government, however, would prefer the one-fourth vote, as there was no reason why it should not be passed immediately.

**Government Position Unchanged.** Sir Henry Drayton again asked Mr. Fielding wherein the late government was wrong in introducing an interim supply bill last session. It was peculiar that the practice was wrong one year and right the next. The late government had made no attempt to rush its estimates through the house, and last year had given the then opposition six weeks in which to consider them. There was a difference between that and the method of the present government.

Sir Henry added that members on his side of the house invited an explanation before they would consent to pass the vote. It was realized, however, that the country's business had to be carried on, and the opposition this year did not wish to object to the vote unreasonably.

The prime minister declared that the position taken by the opposition last year was that the government should not drive estimates through by closure or take one-sixth of the total estimates without some consultation with the opposition.

Mr. King quoted from his speech on the subject last year to show that he had no desire to embarrass the government or interfere with the provision of money to pay civil service salaries. However, it was customary to grant such a conference to the opposition. The Liberal opposition had not wished to penalize civil servants because of negligence on the part of the government.

The position of the government today was not changed from that which its members took when in opposition. If the present opposition would agree to meet in conference, Mr. King declared, there would be no difficulty in reaching an agreement as to what estimates should now be passed, and as to any which might be held over. Over the lateness of the date on which the election had been held, it had not been possible for the government to call Parliament to meet earlier.

There was another thing which must be considered. Last year at the time when the government asked for the passage of interim supply the auditor-general's report had not been brought down. This year that report was tabled on the first day of the session. The government today was willing to take up in conference any items which the opposition might object to in the estimates and exclude these when the vote of interim supply was agreed to.

**Opposed To Lump Sum.** Right Hon. A. Meighen, leader of the opposition, said the prime minister found himself in a position which he would occupy many times in the house. He was able to quote himself on both sides of a question. It was true that Mr. King had said there should be a conference between the government and the opposition last year, and that the opposition of that time was ready to vote salaries to the civil service. But the session before Mr. King had notified Parliament peremptorily that his followers would unconditionally oppose the granting of any lump sum without investigation. If any such vote went through it would be by closure.

In the face of that declaration, the government of last year did not think it courteous to go to the leader of the opposition (Mr. King) and invite him to recant. The estimates had then been before the house for some time and some of the items were before the committee. This was when Mr. King declared there should be a conference. The opposition agreed to vote the money for salaries, but such salaries would be useless if there had been no money to carry on the services. Then it had been agreed to provide necessary services. What had seemed reasonable then should be reasonable today.

The present government introduced its estimates on Friday and, allowing members only Saturday and Sunday during which to consider the items, asked for the vote of one-quarter today.

"I do not want," said Mr. Meighen, "to imitate the tactics of the opposition last year, but I do want to be allowed an opportunity of looking through the estimates before being asked to vote any part of them."

There was no need for the block vote asked by the government. Payments made at the end of this month came out of last year's vote and there was no more money needed until April 15. The opposition was entitled to more information. It should be told not only what the estimates for last year amounted to, but also what was actually spent. The fact of the matter was that we were now a year farther from the days of the war than when the last estimates were brought down, and when war and railway expenditures were deducted from the main estimates of last year it would be found that the government was now asking the house to vote about \$50,000,000 more than last year's expenditures.

The government last year had included the sum of \$81,000,000 for railway betterment in the estimates. This sum was not needed this year because the betterments had been made. Consequently the estimates were reduced by that amount. The government had reduced the vote for the soldiers' settlement board from \$35,000,000 last year to \$12,000,000 this year; but it had not done so in the interest of economy. The reduction simply meant that the soldiers had been placed on the land, the work done by the previous government.

**Reduction of \$4,000,000.** There was a reduction of \$4,000,000

in the vote for soldiers' civil re-establishment. This again was not economy, but was due to the fact that the further work was removed from the war the more work of this department's shipbuilding program had been completed. This year there was no estimate for shipbuilding.

When the facts were revealed it developed that the government was \$8,000,000 over the total estimates of last year; in every respect in which economy could have been exercised there had been an increase. Consequently it behooved the opposition to see that the estimates were examined scrupulously before voting en bloc. He asked that the vote stand for some days until opposition members had a chance to examine the estimates, when they would confer with the government with regard to them.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, was sorry that the leader of the opposition had found it necessary to enter into a general discussion on the estimates at this time. The government had not made any claim of great economy in regard to the estimates. Not one member of the government had discussed them.

The estimates were being presented in the same manner as in other years. Mr. Meighen was drawing on his imagination and becoming alarmed for fear of finding real economy. No item would be rushed through, and there would be no closure. If Mr. Meighen was trying to evolve a plan to force closure, he was doomed to failure.

"If a few days' delay is wanted," Mr. Fielding added, "I am willing to grant them." Mr. Meighen had not found time to examine the estimates, but had found lots of time to criticize.

Sir Henry Drayton agreed that the government "had no claim to make for economy, because they should be ashamed to do so"; but claims had been made in the press that the main estimates had been reduced by 25 per cent. There were many instances of savings made during the last year, for which the last government did not get due credit. The public debt had been reduced by \$229,393 by the cancellation of bonds handled through the committee on equalization. Down to March 20, 1932, total expenditure had been about \$122,988,000. Yet the government had brought down estimates for \$467,000,000, and claimed a saving over last year of \$138,000,000.

"The government," commented Sir Henry, "is requiring a substantially larger vote than the whole of last year's expenditure."

**Bill Allowed To Stand.** Mr. Fielding retorted that Sir Henry was trying to show that "when he came into the house last session he brought forth estimates that were absolutely preposterous, and did not represent the probable expenditure of the country." Everybody knew that expenditures between March 20 and the end of the year were always very heavy owing to clean-ups, and therefore figures quoted to that date were useless.

The interim supply bill was allowed to stand and the house went into supply on the main estimates.

The first item taken up was that of salaries for the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment. The salary of the supervisor of expenditures, which was increased from \$4,500 last year to \$5,000 this year, created some discussion. Mr. Meighen asked why this increase was being given.

Hon. H. S. Beland, minister of the department, said the officials in question held a very important position, supervising heavy expenditures in the course of a year.

Hon. H. H. Stevens (Conservative, Vancouver Centre) asked why one man was being increased when the department was supposedly being cut down. J. J. Chisholm (Conservative, East Hamilton) observed that he did not want to see the estimates of the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment reduced.

Asked by W. A. Boys (Conservative, Simcoe South) if the act could be amended so as to make it easier for returned men to appeal against decisions of the pensions board, Dr. Beland said the act might be amended after consideration. The only idea was to reconcile the interest of the country with those of the returned soldier.

Sir Henry Drayton thought that many returned men, under stress of circumstances, had committed their pensions, and that because a man had "shaved so improvidently it should not bar him from further help if disability again overcame him.

**Thinks Act Inadequate.** T. W. Caldwell (Progressive, Carleton, N. B.) thought the act provided for a man being able to get re-examination under the circumstances outlined by Sir Henry Drayton. "I believe," said Mr. Caldwell, "that the present pension act is adequate, but that it is not perhaps sympathetic to the man who has been in the army."

Hon. R. J. Manion (Conservative, Fort William) said that as former minister of the department for a short time he had expected the estimates for the department to be reduced, as there was a lessening in the expenditures and attention required by the returned soldiers. He had found, on taking over the department, that it was proposed to reduce the staff by about 1,000. He then took the stand and that agreed to be discharged, those

## PASSES ON EVE OF DIAMOND WEDDING

W. R. Davis, Prominent Resident of Mitchell, Dies Suddenly.

**PLANNED FAMILY REUNION**  
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MITCHELL, March 27.—On the eve of his diamond wedding, which he had planned to celebrate with his partner of sixty years, within two days, W. R. Davis, a prominent resident of Mitchell, died suddenly today. He was publisher of the Mitchell Advocate for 57 years.

Mr. Davis had been confined to his bed for the past six weeks, but his condition was in no way alarming, and Mr. and Mrs. Davis had planned a quiet family reunion on Wednesday to be attended by those of their children and their families residing in Western Ontario.

Receiving his early newspaper training on the Quebec Mercury, and subsequently employed on the Toronto Globe, Mr. Davis with his brother, the late John E. Davis, established the Mitchell Advocate in 1870. His son, H. D. Davis, is the present publisher.

A member of Mitchell's first town council, and its second mayor, Mr. Davis filled other public positions, and was police magistrate for 17 years. Besides his widow, Mr. Davis is survived by ten sons and two daughters: E. F. Davis, Tillsonburg; W. H. Toronto; Fred, of Calgary; C. E. in Great Falls, Mont.; H. D. in Mitchell; Norval L. in Ippicoma, Alta.; Percy P., Los Angeles; Thomas, of Goderich; Ralph W. and Arthur in Seattle, and Mrs. F. A. May of Exeter.

Discharges should take place gradually.

Mr. Meighen endorsed the proposal to appoint another parliamentary committee in order to determine how far the country might go in further aiding the returned men. This was the course adopted by the late government. When pension work was first undertaken it was agreed that it should be kept out of politics. In spite of this, Liberals had attempted to make political capital out of the problem. Mr. Meighen read from the 1919 Liberal convention platform to the effect that the Liberals were in favor of cash grants to returned soldiers and appealed to the soldiers on this basis. Now, however, the estimates were down, but no money was being provided for this purpose.

The country should be told whether or not the pledge was a lure, and to what extent it was honest, and later Dr. Beland intimated that the plank was in the platform, because in 1919 when the platform was approved by the convention there was a general opinion throughout the country that cash bonuses should be made. Dr. Beland had never referred to the matter in any of his speeches, and later we made plain to him that the great majority of returned men were not favorable to the granting of a bonus.

**Premier Repeats Decision.** Mr. Meighen replied that the Liberal party was pledged in its 1919 platform to grant cash bonuses to soldiers. They had obtained votes by virtue of that pledge. Their platform had been distributed broadcast at the time of the last general election and it contained the pledge. It was true that the former government had refused cash bonuses. It had not sought to gain votes by pretending to do something which had no intention of doing. It was different with the present government. Members of the Liberal government and their supporters said: "The day of repudiation is come; the day of betrayal is at hand. We've got your votes and now we sit back and laugh."

The prime minister said that the leader of the opposition must remember that the course which might seem best at one time might not appear so at another. He was quite sure that the Liberal convention of 1919 was quite sincere when it placed that pledge in the party platform. But that was before the huge railway deficits and other factors had resulted in the present difficult financial situation.

Mr. Meighen then asked why the prime minister had not tried to try after he knew of the financial situation that he would not implement his pledge of cash bonuses.

Mr. King replied that he had stated on more than one occasion that cash bonuses would not be granted.

Mr. King objected to being interrupted. He challenged Mr. Meighen or any of those associated with him to point to "any utterance of mine in which I promised such grants to the soldiers." The only promise he had made to the returned men, Mr. King continues, was that the whole matter would be taken up by a parliamentary committee, that promises would very shortly be carried out.

The matter was still under consideration when the house rose at six o'clock.

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SHE GIVES THE CREDIT TO DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Nova Scotian with his Kidney Troubles gone can't realize she is fifty and still the praise of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

White Rock Mills, N. S., March 28. (Special).—Eighty years of age but still feeling many years younger, Miss Amy Schofield, a highly respected old resident here is prepared to give all the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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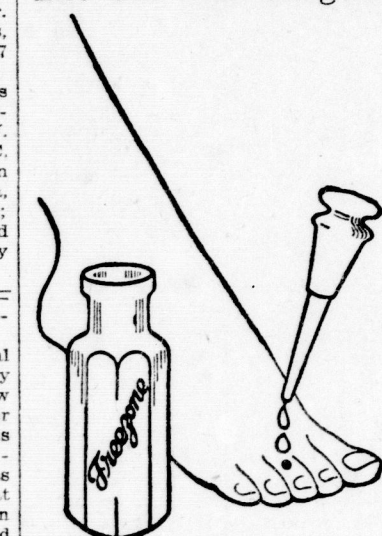
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# WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

## What Shall the Trousseau Include? Easter and June Brides Want to Know

Study the List Compiled by Cynthia Grey, Then Use Your Own Judgment—Sweet Girl's Heart May Be Filled With Romance, But She Must Consider Practical Things.

BY ISABEL C. ARMSTRONG.

While Mr. Hymen is kept busy the bride is roundly securing up nuptial gifts, always after Easter and upon the heels of the Lenten season comes great flowering out of romances, marriages, only rivalled in numbers, as a rule, by the rose-time weddings of June.

Easter is so late this year, however, that only two weeks of April are left for "marring and giving in marriage." For some reason or another, there has been a long-established prejudice against getting married in May. If the deed cannot be done immediately after Easter, in the month of April smiles and tears, both old and new, seem to prefer to wait till June. Or is it the maidenly joy of the old superstition is determining factor, even with the long-minded. It would seem like "Marry in the month of May, You will surely rue the day." Much more cheerful is the augury, "Marry in April when you can, Joy for maiden and for man."

In a world of change where "Man born to pain and trouble, whether goes it single or double," the following prophecy isn't too bad at all; if you wed when March winds are, Joy and sorrow both you'll know.

All Honeymoon! But who, with an unfettered choice, could consider anything else when such an option as the following:

Married in merry month of June, Life will be one honeymoon." This radiant promise, surely explains why many a bride is willing risk sweltering in her going-away kit (fur neckpiece and all) and to wear in June, rather than take the risk of marrying at any other season of the year.

Whether she is to be a right-after-ster bride or a June bride, it is a safe guess that a considerable part of her mind a good share of the time is occupied with that immensely practical subject, THE TROUSSEAU.

All very well for the good hymn man, "The bride eyes not her garment, but her dear bridegroom's." We've seen a goodly number of brides in our time, and we "hae doots." If it be true, prithie tell why from Princess Mary down, de-to-be of the empire and world, he to one accord set about filling a box, a hope chest, or whatever it may call the sacred trunk.

Some weeks ago, an Easter bride wrote to Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box asking what a business girl's trousseau should include.

This week, "June Bride" writes, would like you to tell me what she and household furnishings a should have before she is married.

June Bride further admits, "I am excited, I can't think straight." The trousseau?

That depends upon her present circumstances and what her circumstances are to be after marriage.

Naturally, every girl wants as smart things and as pretty things as she can afford. But she doesn't want to start out in her married life handicapped by the knowledge she has cost herself or her family too dear for what in old-fashioned parlance was known as a "setting out."

Use Common Sense. She must exercise her common sense and good judgment.

If she is going to do her own work, or, at least, assist in a substantial measure with it, it stands to reason she will need suitable and becoming work "uniforms," including aprons. She should have them in any case.

One never knows what emergency will arise.

Two or more evening frocks might be indispensable to one bride and sheer folly for another, though both girls were in equally good financial circumstances and marrying men about equally dowered with worldly goods. It would all depend upon whether one girl was going to live in the country or in a small village, and the other in a city where social demands would make a variety of gowns necessary.

In answer to "June Bride," whose nom de plume is "Emmaline," Cynthia Grey has made out the following list. Of course, it isn't intended as an arbitrary one, just a guide to the girl who is trying to solve the problem, "What shall my trousseau include?"

Cynthia Grey, friend and guide of so many seeking help up and down the length and breadth of Canada, says:

Your Trousseau Should—Your trousseau should include your linen as well as sufficient clothing to last you for quite a while.

LINEN—6 sheets, 6 pillow cases, 2 pairs dresser scarves, 4 bath towels, 1 bath mat, 1 down comforter, 4 spreads, 12 dish cloths, 12 glass towels, 1 dozen serviettes, 1 dozen dinner napkins, 1 dozen doilies, 6 table cloths, and the number of sets of curtains will depend on the size of your house.

CLOTHES—About 6 nightdresses, 6 sets of combinations, 4 petticoats, 2 kimono's, 1 bathrobe, 1 suit, and hat for street wear, 1 afternoon dress, and hat to wear with it, 1 pair of walking shoes or oxfords, 1 pair of slippers, a heavy coat is serviceable, also a light one for spring and fall.

For the summer you should procure pretty light frocks, and gingham for the mornings, which also may be worn as house dresses. Overall aprons are very useful for housework, also a comfortable pair of shoes. An evening dress is not essential but may be included.

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A veil, however, she does not despise, for no woman can resist the lure of tulle or Brussels point. Tulle is still the popular material for a veil unless one inherits a veil of rare lace. The bride finds wonderful things may be done with tulle—crisp-

ly frilled and standing perkily upright or swathed so that she looks like a medieval princess. A bandeau of silver leaves or of crystal flowers is an effective adjunct to the veil.

The bridal bouquet alone seems to remain changeless. Lilies of the valley, with an occasional orchid or rosebud, and white ribbons compose it.

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## WOMEN'S CLUBS

### QUEBEC PRESIDENT LEADS.

The names of 2,000 White Ribboners in Quebec were signed to the petition to consider Judge Emily Murphy of Edmonton for the Senate, according to the Dominion president of the W. C. T. U., who has been a recent visitor in Ottawa. The deputation with regard to Judge Murphy was headed by Mrs. M. Goggin, "Darnoc," Quebec City, Quebec provincial president of the W. C. T. U.

### McALL MISSION RAISES \$210.

Though a small society working in a very quiet way and holding only quarterly meetings, in the past year the London McAll Mission Auxiliary has raised \$210 for the work which is being done in France. In addition, \$150 has been credited by the late field secretary of the Canadian society, Rev. W. H. Brokenshire, to

the local organization, owing to the fact that further contributions to this amount have been received at headquarters from London sympathizers with the work. Mrs. J. H. McMechan has been re-elected president for the coming year. Mrs. W. J. Carson, vice-president, to represent the Presbyterian Church; Mrs. Thomas Orr, the Church of England, and Mrs. Henniger, the Baptist. Miss Amelia Haskett has accepted the secretaryship for another term, and Mrs. James Brown has been elected treasurer.

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"I SERVE CLUB" PLANS BENEFIT. The "I Serve Club" is planning a benefit performance at one of the local theatres, to be held Monday, April 3, afternoon and evening, in aid of the club funds to carry on social service work. The club members are acting as ushers, including the president, Miss Evelyn Hayman, and Misses Phyllis Wilson, Helen Talbot, Lois Richards, Lillian Richards, Mary Granger, Kathleen Cowan, Kathleen White, Mildred Martin, Ruthie Nicholls, Mildred Granger, Jean Meek, Alicia Element, Ina Cole-rick, Dorothy Haskett, Kitty White, Edith Dean, Ella McGuggin, Dorothy Gleason, Mrs. Blyea and Mrs. Crocker. The club is arranging for a special musical program.

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death some days ago in Hamilton, Bermuda, sail for New York en route for home on Tuesday. They are expected in London on Friday or Saturday. Mrs. Clement and Mrs. McPherson went to Bermuda on a pleasure trip a month ago to join their brother, who was spending the winter there.

A bright and well-attended affair of Monday evening was the church and dance given at the De Luxe Cafe under the auspices of the "Trinity" Chapter, O. E. S., in aid of the War Memorial Hospital. Forty-five tables of euchre were arranged, followed by a dainty supper, the guests later enjoying an informal dance. Among the attractive prizes was a pair of walnut candlesticks donated by Mrs. B. Noble. Mrs. H. Easton and Miss Wootton were joint conveners, assisted by Mrs. T. Rowe, Mrs. W. E. Mara, Miss Mitchell and Mrs. O. I. Cunningham.

Announcement has been received of a reunion of ex-teachers and pupils of Brantford Ladies' College, to take the form of a reception at the Sherbourne House Club, Toronto, on Friday afternoon, April 21, from 4 to 6:30 o'clock. The guest of honor of the occasion is to be a former member of the staff, Mrs. Harry Cockshutt, wife of the Lieutenant-governor of Ontario, who has graciously consented to attend. It is expected that there will be a very large attendance of former pupils from

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CHAPTER V.

"This frightful war! On his brain like a weight. On his heart like a burning hand. Blowing about the streets, in the newspapers and at meetings, in the mouths of many, and in the eyes of most, was the new popular question, 'Why aren't you in khaki?' The subject of age, always shrouded in a solemn and decorous modesty, was suddenly ripped out of its prudish coverings.

"That was in the third month of the war. But by June, 1915, the position on these little points had hardened. In June, 'Why aren't you in khaki?' was blowing about the streets. Certain men avoided one another. And in June young Harold joined up. Sabre greeted the news with very great warmth. 'By Jove, I'm glad. Well done, Harold. That's splendid. Jolly good luck to you.'

Later in the morning Twynning came in. His air struck Sabre as being deliberately aggressive. 'Well, Harold's gone,' he said. 'Yes, I'm jolly glad for the boy's sake. I was just congratulating him. I think it's splendid of him.'

Twynning breathed heavily through his nose. 'Splendid? Huh! Well, he's gone now and I hope you're satisfied.'

Sabre turned in his chair and questioned Twynning with puckered brows. 'Satisfied? What on earth do you mean—satisfied?'

'You always thought he ought to go. My boy saw it.'

'You're talking nonsense. I've never so much as mentioned the subject to Harold.'

Twynning always retracted when Sabre showed signs of becoming roused. 'Ah, well, what does it matter? He's gone now. You wait till you've got a son, then you'll think differently. Perhaps, you don't know what my boy means to me. I got him here so as to have him with me and now this cursed war has taken him. You don't know what he is, my boy Harold. He's a better man than his father. I'll tell you that. He's a good Christian boy. He's never had a bad thought or said a bad word.'

Not very long after this incident occurred another incident. In its obvious aspect it was also related to the 'Why aren't you in khaki?' question; Sabre apprehended in it a different bearing.

One morning he stepped suddenly from his own room into Mr. Fortune's room. Mr. Fortune was seated at his desk, and Sabre was seated to his right. They were very often thus seated, Sabre noted. At his entry their conversation abruptly ceased; and this Sabre was now aware of.

Sabre went across to the filing cabinet without speaking. Mr. Fortune cleared his throat. 'Ah, Sabre. We were just saying that a very deeply unfortunate thing is that none of us principals are an age to do the right thing by the time by joining the army.'

'Yes, it's a pity,' Sabre said. 'I'm glad you agree. I knew you would. For myself, of course, I'm fit of the question. Twynning here is getting on for forty, and, of course, Sabre's given his son to the war. You—of course, you're married, too, and

there we are! It does, as you say, seem a great pity.'

Sabre spoke very slowly. Most furious anger was about to burst when there had suddenly come to its control the thought, 'These two aren't getting at you for any love of England, for any patriotic reason. There's another reason.' He said very slowly, 'I never told you, perhaps I ought to have told you at the time, that I was refused for the army some weeks ago.'

Twynning spun around from the bookcase. Really? By Jove, and you look fit enough, too, old man. Fancy—Oh, I say, old man, do let's have a look at your paper if you've got it on you.'

There was at his door. 'What paper?'

'Your rejection paper, old man. I've never seen one.'

'I haven't got one.'

'Not got one? You must have, old man.'

'Well, I haven't. I was seen privately. I'm rather friendly with them up at the barracks.'

'Oh, yes, of course. Wonder they didn't give you a paper, though.'

Sabre paused on the threshold. He perfectly well understood the villainous implication. Vile, intolerable! But of what service to take it up?

In August, the anniversary month of the war, he again offered himself for enlistment and was again rejected, but this time after a longer waiting. The standard was not at its first height of perfection. He was enormously cast down by his rejection. When he got back that night he went straight in to her. 'I say, they've rejected me. They won't have me.' His face was working. 'It's that cursed heart.'

She slightly puckered her brows. 'Oh—d'you know, for the minute I couldn't think what on earth you were talking about. Were you rejected? Well, I must say I'm glad. He said flatly, 'Why are you?'

'Well, do just imagine what you'd look like in private soldier's clothing!' She laughed very heartily again.

He turned away.

CHAPTER VI.

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Up in his room he began a long letter to Nona, pouring out to her all his feelings about his second rejection. He was writing to her—and hearing from her—regularly and frequently now. It was his only vent in the oppression of these frightful days. She said that it was hers, too. In her letters she always mentioned Tony. She wrote to Tony every day, she told him; and there were few of her letters but mentioned a parcel of some kind sent to her husband. Tony never wrote. She once or twice said without any comment, 'But he is writing often to Mrs. Stanley and Lady Grace Heddon and Sophie Basilidon, and I hear bits of him from them and know he is keeping well. Of course, I pretend to them that their news is stale to me. I feel most frightfully that the best thing every woman can do in this frightful time is to do all she can for her man out there; and Tony's mine. When this is all over—oh, Marko, is it ever going to be over?—things will hurt again; but while he's out there the old things are dead and Tony's mine

## Louise Is in Luck—She Looks Just Like Mary Pickford

BY JAMES W. DEAN.

NEW YORK, March 27.—Found—another Mary Pickford! 'Mary Pickford' are found almost every day, but few of them look like Mary.

No woman's face in the world is so well known as Mary's. In all the ages there probably has been no woman so admired by other women.

In the legion that have claimed resemblance to Miss Pickford, Louise Du Pre is the only one recognized by her as her 'double.'

Miss Du Pre, a girl of 22, acted as Mary's understudy in 'Pollyanna.' Now she is to be starred in her own right. She has started a picture called 'The Proof of Innocence.'

Miss Du Pre is declared by her sponsors to resemble Mary in every feature and to possess all of the latter's physical dimensions except shoe size. It is whispered that Louise's feet are smaller than Mary's. Lease-majesty!

The more important comparison would be along the lines of histrionic and mimetic capability. Mary's great popularity lies more in her ability to act than in her appearance.

Richard M. Bette recently conducted a mental test at the Hollywood after the manner of the tests used in the army. He announced that motion picture people have a mentality above the average mentality of other professions. That may be so. And it may not. But is doubtful if he tested the parties responsible.

And England's my man for England; that is my thought; that is my pride; that is my prayer.'

And a few lines farther on, 'And he's so splendid, of course, you can imagine how utterly splendid he is. Lady King-Warner, his colonel's wife, told me yesterday her husband says he's brave beyond anything she could imagine. He said—she's given me his letter—the man have picked up from home this story about angels at Mons and are beginning to believe they saw them. Tybar says he hopes the angels were near him, because he thought he was in hell, the par-

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When you scrub the back or the front vestibule, or one of your porches, water collects in small puddles because of warped boards. It is easier to run the water off if you bore a few small holes in the floor. This will not injure the looks of the floor and will act as a drain.

TRIMMINGS. One of the cleverest ways of trimming the new taffeta frock is with graduated bands of ribbon velvet. The widest is put at the hem of the skirt and the narrowest is put on the bands. Sometimes as many as 12 such bands are used.



One of these is Mary Pickford and the other is Louise Du Pre. We're a bit confused, but if we remember correctly, Louise is on the left.

William Dean Howells and Henry James characterized that as an unrivalled masterpiece of realism. Putting this epic in one reel is a bit of same condensation on the part of Pathe.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

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If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it. The best thing for steady use is just plain Mulsified coconut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything you can use. Two or three teaspoonsful of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water, is sufficient to cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff, and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and the hair scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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When you scrub the back or the front vestibule, or one of your porches, water collects in small puddles because of warped boards. It is easier to run the water off if you bore a few small holes in the floor. This will not injure the looks of the floor and will act as a drain.

TRIMMINGS. One of the cleverest ways of trimming the new taffeta frock is with graduated bands of ribbon velvet. The widest is put at the hem of the skirt and the narrowest is put on the bands. Sometimes as many as 12 such bands are used.

## POLLY AND PAUL AND PARIS

CHAPTER LVII.—"Sweet Bells Out of Tune."

By Zoe Beckley

THE solitude, the whirling of her thoughts, the thirst for fresh air, at last drove Polly into the street. To see other human beings, to read in their faces their problems and worries, might ease the gnawing of her own.

She stole past the ever-watchful little window of the concierge that faced the apartment entrance. She didn't want to be stopped and questioned, or even sympathized with. She could bear no more. . . .

It was between six and seven, and the rich yellow sunset was gilding the streets. Home-going crowds were thronging, in animated talk. In front of the Opera the marble-railed entrance to the 'Metro,' Paris' subway, was black with people, shoving to get in. Girls in bevels, their impudent short skirts blowing, absurd high heels clicking on the pavement, laughed more loudly than usual. Young men and their sweethearts, hands entwined after the naive Paris manner, seemed uncommonly numerous.

A stab of loneliness came, so acute that Polly almost cried out. With the world about her at the climax of its gaiety, her heart must be leaden, her spirit drowned in loneliness!

She walked quickly, not knowing where, not caring. She stared at things without seeing them, blindly crossed streets that were swarming with traffic—the rushing, bell-mell Paris traffic—till drivers shouted at her, swerving their taxis at her very heels. She stopped at a window, gazing in, to the wonderment of a youth who tried to figure out why a pretty young woman was looking at pipes and tobacco jars with her eyes full of tears.

The 'goneness' of hunger at last brought Polly to herself. Dusk—

As the lift stopped at the fifth floor, the door of the apartment banged open, as if by a furious hand, and Paul, with his hat on, dashed out. They almost collided in the little hallway.

'So it's you!' The words burst from him. 'Where on earth have you been?—you've frightened me half to death!'

She drew back, as if struck, looked at him steadily, then burst into a laugh that was like a sob. 'Too bad—for me to have frightened you. What about me? I wonder, me, me, me!' The blaze died from her eyes and she went lifelessly into their rooms.

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BURBANK'S BETTER GARDEN TIPS

## PLANT NEEDS

Article No. 4.



MRS. LUTHER BURBANK ILLUSTRATES HER HUSBAND'S GARDEN TIPS.

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THE average impression is, particularly among beginners, that plants get their food chiefly from the earth.

As a matter of fact they take little food from the soil, extracting a great deal of carbon from the air, which, plus sunlight and oxygen and other chemical foods, go to make up the ideal and complete plant diet.

And that brings us down to the matter of watering the garden. . . .

DON'T GIVE THEM TOO MUCH WATER! In fact, it's often best to be a bit stingy with them. I have commented on how plants resemble humans, and here we have a demonstration.

Let them GET THIRSTY and they will appreciate water all the more when they get it.

Don't water the garden each day. That is a mistake made by all too many beginners.

You must, of course, watch to see that the young plants are not wilting. In maritima provinces the rains provide practically enough water to take care of a garden, but that is not true in Ontario.

Remember this: too much water chills the ground and hardens it, and, in the end, does more damage than good.

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## BOOKS

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SAINT TERESA. By Henry Sydnor Harrison. Toronto: Thomas Allen, 215-219 Victoria St. \$2.

SAINT TERESA is so compelling that it is almost a pity to publish it at this date a story of 456 pages, having as the base of its plot the issue of pacifism as it was debated in the early years of the recent world war.

Saint Teresa is the story in the main of how the energetic granddaughter of old Josiah De Silver buys up the Whitestone Steel Company and straightway, in obedience to the bidding of her own conscience, closes down the munitions plant.

This action causes talk, which makes Teresa De Silver a person highly unpopular among champions of world freedom, and draws Dean Masury into a quarrel with a lady which lasts almost to the end of the book.

Teresa is twenty-seven when we meet her. She has done many things in her earlier years to make people take notice of her. She has run away to be gipsy, has fallen from a third-story window, has been expelled from college, has shot a burglar and has been hit with a brick purposely directed.

Moreover, she has been a leader in every movement of 'advanced' femininity. It will be seen that she is a young woman with a mind to activity. She will fight at the drop of the hat. Never, unless she is able, is she large and dark of eye, and can be a charming person to one who interests her.

Masury is by choice and profession a writer, even an editor. He is a man of varied accomplishments, however, and his past life is full of experiences. It suits his purpose to accept a place as office manager for Miss De Silver, but with the curious understanding that, while serving her without disloyalty to her immediate interests, he shall be at liberty to defeat her pacifist aims if he is able.

In such fashion the quarrel opens. It proceeds largely by word of mouth. There is, however, a spirited race for that absolute control of the Whitestone stock which our Teresa does not at the start possess.

Having had the courage of such a plot so long after the armistice, Mr. Harrison has been faced by the necessity of proving himself by the quality of interest in his book people. In this particular he has been completely and somewhat marvellously successful.

We should be obliged to sit up and take notice of Teresa, even though she were not a lady with a distinctive past. She fascinates us by her business manner. In chapter XIX, she reveals herself a terror in a rough and tumble fight. Yet on occasion she can be tender and will forgive her for her arguments and her pacifism and agree that she deserves the all's well that ends the book of her.

We can hear critics who will exclaim sharply over the affair of that fight; would-be censors who will affirm that no lady would bite a man's lip in two. This may be so, but we are willing to admit that our author knows his Teresa better than we do.

If he insists that she is capable of scrapping through thirteen pages, probably she is so. And it is true that Masury is at times provokingly obstinate in his anti-pacifist zeal. He might, we conceive, invite the violence of the most soulful advocate of peace. Teresa is not so foolish.

In 'Saint Teresa' we have a story with a real motive, a living impulse, and people whom we can see and hear. This book ought to be well read and well talked about in Ontario. It furnishes the printed proof that its author has the true gift of his calling and that his narrative vein will stand yet a long period of profitable working.

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# LONDON MINTERS REPORT AT OHIO TRAINING CAMP ON MONDAY

## BUZZ HAS BIG SQUAD TO GIVE CRITICAL EYE

Five Days After Early Squad Arrive Toledo Will Be Taken On—May Open With Detroit Colored Team.

Buzz Wetzel will be at Delaware, Ohio, next Monday slipping a critical eye over the recruits as they arrive in camp to begin the training grind on Wesleyan University campus. Buzz will need to keep an eye on the weather, if he runs into the "luck" he has the past two seasons.

With Coach St. John of the university, Buzz has mapped out a rigid training schedule which will give both the college nine and the Minters the best kind of preparation for their campaigns.

Wetzel may prefer to stage a two-game exhibition series in London with the fast colored Detroit Stars on April 28 and 29, instead of jumping to Kalamazoo, Mich., which is out of his way to London from the south.

Meet Toledo. Five days after the early squad report they will be pitted against the Toledo American Association Club at Toledo on April 3. This will afford the Tecumseh pilot a chance to weed out during the first week. The Tecumsehs also play at Springfield, Ohio, on April 23.

Wetzel, however, did not wait to release some of his rookies, as players Maser, Ward, Steinburg, McKenage and Van Linger have been given their release owing to a surplus of men.

Pitcher Cogges secured in a trade for Pitcher Deloche from Newport News Club, Virginia League tail-enders last season, where he won 11 and lost 17 games, but signed a contract. He is probably the only experienced hurler on Wetzel's list.

Catcher Harold Curry, the big youngster of last year's Tecumsehs, has agreed to report to training camp to talk things over with Manager Wetzel about his 1922 contract. Curry is in fine condition, having played basketball all season, and is ready to start this spring. Claxton was with the Boston Red Sox in 1920, and had a trial with the Cincinnati Reds last year.

The complete list of players under contract to the London club includes the following:

**Pitchers.** Joseph Foley, Boston, Mass.; William Cogges, Dayton, O.; E. Argazzi, New Britain, Conn.; Roy Bochart, New York, Minn.; Bruce Parker, Dayton, Ohio; Russell Haynes, Lancaster, O.; Stanley Boza, Toledo, O.; Matt Darbrick, Toledo, O.; Bill McLaughlin, Dayton, O.; Buster Deslier, East Liverpool, O.; George Zinn, Slippenburg, Pa.; Pep Sherman, Indianapolis, Ind.; Harry Tracey, Dayton, O.; Al Claxton, Dayton, O.; Willie Arnold, Sullivan, O.; Bud Bellecour, Amherstburg, O.; Harold Dainty, Detroit, Mich.

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**First Basemen.** Buck Boyle, Allentown, Pa.; John Cross, Crestline, O.; R. E. Donnelly, Chicago, Ill.

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Mill vs. Wigan (at Leeds).

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# JUNIOR SOCCERITES ACCEPT NEW CUP FOR DIST. CHAMPIONS

## McCLARYS MFRS. LEAGUE CHAMPS



McClarys team, winners of the Brisco Trophy for the past two seasons, have an enviable record. They went through the season of 1921-22 with only one defeat. Standing—Ruster, goal; Bryant, wing; J. Smith, Buchanan, defence; T. White, manager. Sitting—"Bud" Kelly, wing; Andrews, centre; F. Delaney, W. Delaney, defence; Campbell, wing.

## FORM LACROSSE CLUB THIS WEEK

Much Talent, Brief Survey Shows, Is Resident In London.

A lacrosse meeting will be held the latter part of the week to organize for the season. There is a lot of new talent in town, a hurried survey shows, and most of those who made last year's team will again be on deck.

A pre-season rumor has it that Eddie Slattery, the peppery little Brantford home player, who has been here for several years, will take over the management of the team this year. Slattery is one of the headiest among the younger players of the last eight of ten years, and one of the smartest home men local lacrosse fans ever saw in action.

One of the first moves of the club this year will be to try for another grouping. London has always been stuck in the same group with St. Marys, and as the Stone Town usually has a team ready to put in at the first of the season, playing against them hasn't given the London teams, or, for that matter, other group teams, much of a chance to develop in the early season.

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The meeting was clouded over somewhat by the retirement of the president, Billy Bissett, who is returning to Toronto today, to take up his residence there again. He was given a surprise in the shape of a presentation of an initial pen, made by Messrs. Garrow and Haggis on behalf of the Grand Trunk Juniors in recognition of his splendid services to the cause of junior football during his brief incumbency of the presidency.

Mr. Bissett was thanked entirely by surprise, but in a neat speech, acknowledged his appreciation of the gift.

Before the presentation, however, a good deal of business was disposed of. Messrs. Turner, Thwaites, Alday, Henderson and Langley, players who had signed junior forms, were recommended for reinstatement as juniors, and these will be forwarded on to the O. J. F. A. executive for action.

There are now six clubs in the league, W. O. R.'s taking the place of Machine Gunners, and with it, a number of the players who represented the guns last year. Registration forms were issued to the club representatives last night.

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The teams:

St. Pats, Stevens 7  
Argos, Boucher 1  
Has-Beens, Todd 8  
Pirates, Aikenhead 3  
Cubs, Pearson 3  
Stars, Marsh 3

The prizes hung up in the ten-pin tourney staged last week amounted to \$151. They were distributed as follows:

**Five-Man Teams.**

Eurekas ..... Score, 10000.  
Alphas ..... 3025 12.50  
El Toros ..... 2936 7.50  
C. Peaches ..... 2922 5.00

**Two-Man Teams.**

Hawken-Rossiter ..... 1219 10.00  
C. Crao on M. Smith ..... 1201 9.00  
McGowan-Masari ..... 1184 8.00  
Glasier-Dalton ..... 1183 6.00  
Farris-Lashbrooke ..... 1171 4.00  
Jacques-Galagher ..... 1169 3.00  
David-Jim Catalano ..... 1159 2.00  
Hawken ..... 1104 1.00

**All Events With Handicap.**

Rossiter ..... 1874 4.00  
Karrys ..... 1856 3.00  
Jim Catalano ..... 1804 2.00  
Masari ..... 1852 2.00

**All Events Without Handicap.**

Karrys ..... 1856 2.00  
Masari ..... 1852 2.00  
Prize for highest individual game, G. Karrys, 235, \$1.

Prize for lowest total games with handicap, L. Falconer, \$1.

Prize for most splits, donated by National Alliance, 20 splits, \$2.50; Fontana, 20 splits, \$2.50.

**THISTLE CAGERS WIN TWO GAMES**

Thistles walked away with the Y. W. C. A. cagers, defeating them by 28-5, also beat St. Peters by a score of 25-5.

Thistles, Y. W. C. A., Gilbert Harris, Hazlegrave, Murray, Hynd, Carwell, Dunn.

**CHICAGO, March 27.**—Chicago's major league representatives continued to take the games which do not count in the percentage column yesterday.

The Nationals trouncing the Los Angeles coast leaguers, and the Americans staging a ninth inning rally to win from the New York Nationals at Dallas.

Zeb Terry, Nationals' second baseman, will be out of the game for a month because of a fractured wrist suffered in batting practice yesterday.

Mac Flack, right fielder, is at home at East St. Louis with a fractured skull, and will be out two months, his doctor said.

**BOSTON, March 27.**—Pitcher Tom Sloan of Pittsburgh will return to the Hartford club of the Eastern League from which he came to the Red Sox. Henry Fine, the Cambridge southpaw, released, has signed with the Bay City club of the Michigan-Ontario League, disengaged today said.

Games with the Washington Senators Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, interspersed with practice games on the remaining were announced for this week by Manager Mitchell on the St. Petersburg, Fla., training camp of the Braves.

Manager Mitchell must cut his large staff of pitchers before the end of the week, and the cut will be based largely upon their individual performances this week, he said.

## SPORT la CARTE

By C. S. G.

It's so long since London won any real athletic honors that the civic mind isn't apparently functioning when it comes to hand out a "thank you" to champions when they do occur and hail from this city.

Shamrocks, though a girls' basketball team, have probably given the city as much advertising as any team which ever trotted home with a title, but as far as it is known, the novelty of having provincial champions hasn't struck any of the civic organizations.

It's not quite the athletic side of the feat that makes the affair so novel, it is the fact that for the first time in Ontario's athletic history at least, and it is almost safe to say in Canada's history, an athletic organization, province wide, has been formed and run by girls without any male interference or advice.

A good deal of the organization effort that went toward making the Ladies Ontario Basketball Association a reality emanated from London, and probably it is only a just reward that the Shamrocks should win the title two years in succession.

If they deserved the title, and there is no questioning that point, they certainly deserve civic recognition in some tangible form.

St. Pats and the Coast champs met tonight for the final game of the Stanley Cup series and the world's professional hockey championship. Many of the fans who like a sister act, but the enjoyment of the fans realizing that it looks too much like it to be true. The stunts pure amateurs this season, especially the seniors, showed all season that hockey could be about as uncertain as any game, though usually viewed as one of the consistent pastimes of the winter.

St. Pats, according to the reports Saturday night, got the jump and held it to the 6-0 finish.

One thing about Saturday night's game, on which the critics all agree, and that is "Shrimp" Andrews, the ex-Niagara whirlwind, who has been drawing his pay and doing little else all season, found himself suddenly. His goal with Noble was put down as the nicest bit of work of the series thus far.

It's funny how success often warps the judgment. Ernie Parkes is credited, after having played one season with the pros, with saying that any pro team could beat Granites by fifteen goals. When Parkes was playing with the amateurs, whose abilities he is prone to pooh, pooh, now, no team gave up the ghost the minute he glided on the ice. In fact there were numerous games in which Parkes never drew a mention, and for a good reason.

An English paper shows Joe Beckett doing road work in preparation for his bout with Cook, the Australian heavy, and no less a personage than Soldier Jones, late opponent for Tommy Gibbons at Windsor, trotting gaily alongside, Beckett met Cook last night.

If plans of several lacrosse clubs in Western Ontario and even closer to home, the St. Marys, deny the rumor that Coach Taylor called in all power puffs and kept them under lock and key until after the game.

Latest reports from Delaware, Ohio, say that the residents are in a rush to get their leaky roofs all fixed before Buzz and his crew arrive. The rains have held off so far.

**FOUR GAMES ARE PLAYED IN L. C. I.**



## RAISE PEDLARS' LICENSE FEES

Committee Recommends St. Thomas Council To Fix Cost At \$50.

## ZOO WILL BE CLOSED

Expected Opposition To Sale of Animals Does Not Materialize.

*Special to London Advertiser.*  
ST. THOMAS, March 27.—To discourage transient pedlars from visiting St. Thomas, No. 4 committee of the city council decided at a meeting Monday night to recommend to the council that pedlar licenses be raised immediately from \$5 to \$50. This course was taken to protect the merchants of the city who are called upon to pay a business tax. The recommendation will include a clause that any concern or party paying a business tax will be exempt from the pedlars' license. Undiscouraged at the report of the city solicitor that the city council has no power to pass bylaws to force second-hand dealers to report their purchases to the police each week, the committee will try once again to find some means of compelling such merchants to do so. Aldermen Middleton and Boehmer were appointed a deputation to meet the police commission with a view of having such regulations passed. According to the city solicitor, the commission is the only body controlling the purchases of second-hand dealers.

Home Not Needed.  
Any dream which might have been

## Declares Jaws Keep "False" Secrets Of Wives Hidden From 'Hubby' Today

NEW YORK, March 27.—False teeth are no longer a bar to matrimony, Dr. C. C. Phelps of St. Louis, Mo., declared here today in announcing that it is possible for a husband or wife to be in possession of a substitute set of "uppers" or "lowers," or both, without the other knowing anything about it.

"Dental surgery has improved greatly during the last ten years," said Dr. Phelps. "Where it used to be prudent, and, in fact, the only thing to do was to remove false teeth at night, it is now not only possible, but more practical to have them made to be worn every hour."

entertained for the establishment of an aged people's home in this city faded considerably when a special report on the project was brought in by Ald. Butler. Members of the committee had met representatives of the various women's benevolent societies recently, and that the women had reported that all cases of destitute aged people, except those people incapable of assisting themselves, were cared for by the Thomas Williams Home.

The committee was of the opinion that not enough incapable persons could be found in St. Thomas to justify the erection of such a home. The matter was left over until Friday night, however.

A deputation representing various athletic societies of the city, headed by ex-Mayor Brinkman and F. McCulley, waited on the committee in an effort to have arrangements made whereby all the various leagues could play games at Pinafore Park without friction as to dates. To arrange the matter members of the various athletic associations will meet the committee Friday.

The G. W. V. A. and the Elgin Regiment were given permission to hold field days at Pinafore Park on May 24 and July 1, respectively.

Will Sell Animals.  
No opposition to the disposal of

the animals at the Pinafore Park Zoo materialized as was expected by several members of the committee. It was decided to call for tenders immediately to effect the sales of the animals.

Relief Officer W. J. Shaw waited on the committee to defend his department against certain charges which had been made by certain Aldermen during the past few weeks. Mr. Shaw objected strongly to the criticism which had been levelled at him. He claimed that the charges had been made when he wasn't present to defend himself. Every bit of fuel which had been distributed by his department had been to deserving parties. He came prepared to prove the point.

Members of the committee assured him that they had no intention of questioning his integrity. The matter was left over until Friday when it will be gone into thoroughly.

CHILD EATS PILLS, DIES.

WALLACEBURG, March 27.—Dorothy Howard, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omar J. Howard, died suddenly late Sunday afternoon. Later information showed that two little playmates had found and ate some strychnine pills in a neighbor's residence.

## STRATFORD BOARD SEEKING MEMBERS

J. H. Laughton of London Delivers "Pep" Talk To Business-men.

## LABOR UNIONS TO CONFER

Efforts Being Made To Bring About Closer Co-operation of Bodies.

*Special to London Advertiser.*  
STRATFORD, March 27.—J. H. Laughton of London delivered a "pep" talk to members of the chamber of commerce today on the opening of their three-day membership drive. The committee is out for 300 members. It was reported that memberships are coming in well and prospects are quite bright.

A conference with representatives of labor unions is to be held in an effort to bring these bodies closer together.

The death occurred in St. Catharines Sunday of Martin O'Donnell, father of Mrs. W. W. Brown. Burial will take place here Wednesday.

The marriage took place here of Adeline Hymers to Cecil Frank Libbey, both of Woodstock.

Out of respect to the late Robert Patterson, former master mechanic, the G. T. R. shops ceased work for two minutes this morning. Burial took place in Toronto today.

Two houses were entered here over the week-end. In one a complete kit of carpenter's tools was taken away at \$150. At the house of Alfred Hahn \$5.80 in cash was taken.

## ST. MARYS TOWNSWOMAN DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Mrs. James Beattie, Prominent Resident, Succumbs To Pleuro-Pneumonia.

*Special to London Advertiser.*  
ST. MARYS, March 27.—This town mourns the loss of one of her best-known and most highly-respected citizens, in the person of Mrs. James Beattie, Wellington street north, who died at a late hour Saturday night. Mrs. Beattie had only been ill about two weeks. A severe cold, from which she contracted pleuro-pneumonia, was the cause of her demise.

Mrs. Beattie, prior to her marriage, was Lena Rivers Furness, and was born in this town. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, James, her father, Robert Furness, one brother, and two sisters: Charles of town, Mrs. George Smith, Regina, and Mrs. Roy Smith, Marysville.

Mrs. Beattie was 37 years of age, and had always been prominent in church work, of which she was a valued member.

Interment will be made in St. Marys Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

## ANDREW J. CLARKE DIES AT HOME IN ST. THOMAS

Well-Known Newspaper Correspondent, Passes After Brief Illness.

ST. THOMAS, March 27.—Andrew J. Clarke, well known in this city, where he has been a resident for many years, died at his home, 42 William street, early Monday morning. He had been ill for three weeks.

Mr. Clarke was born in Tipperary, Ireland, coming to Canada 40 years ago with two of his sisters, and residing with their uncle, Rev. Father William Flannery, parish priest of Holy Angels Church, this city. He studied law here for many years, later graduating from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. He was deputy registrar of deeds under the late Registrar McLachlin for seven years.

He was fairly well known in the newspaper world, having acted as correspondent for several papers, including The London Advertiser for a period of three years, and as a free lance contributing to the Times-Journal of this city. He became widely known throughout this city in his capacity as a writer through a weekly column of comment on civic affairs, entitled "Commentary," and later the "Crack in the Tower." Soon after entering newspaper work he conducted a weekly paper at Niagara Falls for four years.

Mr. Clarke was particularly well known in legal circles, looking after the registration of deeds and searching of titles for many of the local lawyers.

On June 4, 1899, Mr. Clarke was married to Miss Alice Mitchell, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Mitchell of this city.

The members of the bereaved family are: His widow, two daughters, Mrs. Harold O. Ead and Mrs. Ralph D. Sheneff, Detroit; two granddaughters, Misses Patsie and Betty Ead, Detroit.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 to St. Thomas Cemetery under the auspices of St. David's Lodge, No. 302, A. F. and A. M. Mr. Clarke was prominent in Masonic circles.

## MANUFACTURER DIES

John Walter, Prominent Kitchener Citizen, Succumbs To Influenza.

KITCHENER, March 27.—John Walter, one of Kitchener's foremost manufacturers, died at his home this morning, after a brief illness. He was president of the firm of J. Walter and Son, wood fibre manufacturers.

He came to this city from the United States about 8 years ago, establishing a factory here on Gault street for the manufacture of wood fibre products. The company manufactures a line of art decorations the principal market for which is in England. In the short time the factory has been established here, it has grown to large proportions from a trade standpoint, due to the genius of the founder.

Mr. Walter had only returned from Wisconsin, Saturday, when he was taken ill with influenza. His condition was not thought serious, but sudden heart weakness caused his death at about 6 o'clock this morning. He was 57 years of age and leaves his widow with one son and one daughter. He was widely known throughout Western Ontario.

## CONSIDER ORGANIZING OF REBEKAH LODGE AT TARA

Ladies Hold Meeting In I. O. O. F. Hall To Discuss Formation of Society.

*Special to London Advertiser.*

TARA, March 27.—A very interesting meeting was held in the local I. O. O. F. Hall Tuesday night to consider the advisability of establishing a local Rebekah lodge.

The meeting was addressed by Mrs. Watson of St. Thomas, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, and Mrs. E. Struke of Winton, district deputy president of Winton District, No. 42. The aims and objects of the society were fully explained and many questions were clearly answered. After much discussion on the part of the ladies and gentlemen present it was decided to ask permission that a Rebekah lodge be instituted in Tara, and the petition was signed by the majority of those attending. It now rests with the local ladies to place themselves behind the movement and complete the organization.

## SEEK REMOVAL OF INSANE PATIENTS

Brantford Jail Authorities Find Unfortunate a Great Care.

## RED TAPE HALTS ACTION

Four Men Held at Brant County Institution Awaiting Decision.

*Special to London Advertiser.*

BRANTFORD, March 27.—The presence of four insane patients at the county jail is giving the local authorities no little trouble these days. Apparently nobody wants to take charge of these unfortunate until some other provincial or Dominion hospital can make room for them, but their presence in the Brant County jail is not what you might call a popular one. Other inmates of the place are complaining that they can get no real sleep at nights because of the restlessness of the four unfortunate.

At the present time the local authorities are making efforts to unravel some of the red tape and have some of the undesirable cared for by some other institution. All of the patients are males, between 20 and 50 years of age.

"There's been a regular epidemic of insane folk around these parts lately," observed an official today. Removal of these four must be effected sooner or later, because there is a law in force making it illegal to keep an insane patient in a jail past a certain length of time. Recently the authorities at the jail tried to get rid of one of the insane patients by passing him over to the care of the authorities at the House of Refuge. The man was in such a state that he couldn't be kept there, and the jail authorities had to see to it that he was taken back.

## BIRD DAY OBSERVED IN SOUTHAMPTON SCHOOL

Parents and Pupils Alike Manifest Great Interest In Annual Event.

*Special to London Advertiser.*

SOUTHAMPTON, March 27.—Last Thursday was the 5th annual Bird Day in Southampton Public School. Many parents and friends present showed the keen interest taken in the annual bird day in the local school.

On the first table were shown birds carved out of wood to put on top of birdhouses or in gardens to serve as decoys.

On the second table were birdhouses for different birds, such as the Wren and Bluebird.

On a third table were shown "bird enemies," which included a Great Horned Owl, a wildcat, gun, catapult, etc.

The Martin houses, of which there were several fine ones, many stuffed birds, and bunches of spring flowers, added to the attractiveness of the room.

The program consisted of recitations, songs, papers about birds and their habits, etc.

The prizes were awarded as follows: Class IV, Fred Thompson; senior III, Stanley Eagles, first; Reggie Klein, second; Munroe McLeod, third; junior III, Melvin Blundell, first; Adeline Root, second; feeding shelves, Buster De Long; carved bird, Laird Laughlin, first; Melville Campbell, second; special prizes for Martin houses, George Ricketts, first; Fawcett Warder, second; Eva Cole, third.

## SELECT NEW NAME.

The new name selected for that under which International Creamery Company will market their products will be announced in these columns when the necessary protective arrangements are completed.

## ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Create Gas, Sourness and Pain. How To Treat.

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach, and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sour, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

Artificial digestants are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try laying aside all digestive aids and instead get from an antacid a few ounces of Bismuth Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Bismuth Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of antacid for stomachic purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.—Adv.

## TO APPEAL RULING ON LIQUOR STORING

Government To Contest Decision of Judge Coughlin Regarding Essex Export Company.

## QUASHED CONVICTION

Found That U. F. A. Cannot Regulate Export Warehouses.

TORONTO, March 27.—Attorney-General Ramey announced this morning that the government would appeal the decision of County Judge Coughlin at Sandwich Saturday, which quashed the conviction against the Essex Export Company.

The Essex Export Company had been fined by a magistrate for keeping liquor in a warehouse that had not been granted a federal license, and appealed the case to Judge Coughlin.

The latter found that the Ontario temperance act cannot regulate export liquor warehouses. The attorney-general pointed out that this does not prevent the seizure of liquor in transit.

## OPPOSE RAMEY'S ACTION.

WINDSOR, March 27.—"It is quite natural that the attorney-general intends taking steps to appeal the decision," Wm. H. Furlong, attorney for the Essex Exporters, Limited, said when informed of the dispatches stating that Attorney-General Ramey would appeal Judge Coughlin's liquor ruling. "We will oppose any action that he will take," he added.

An official of the Essex Exporters also said that he will keep fighting the export question just as long as the attorney-general interferes with the storage of liquor at his warehouse.

Today it was learned from authoritative sources that several carloads of liquor will be brought to Windsor this week for storage at the warehouse. The orders have already been sent to the distillers. Officials connected with a number of the exporting companies are busy today preparing to again ship liquor to Detroit.

## SPRING AILMENTS

Impure Blood, Humors.—Relief In a Good Medicine.

Spring ailments are due to impure, thin, devitalized blood. Among them are pimples, boils, other eruptions, catarrh, rheumatism, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, nervousness and "all run-down" conditions.

Hood's Sarsaparilla combines the roots, barks, herbs, berries and other medicinals that have been found in many years of intelligent observation to be most effective in the treatment of these ailments.

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Pyorrhea menaces the body as well as the teeth. Not only do the gums recede and cause the teeth to decay, loosen and fall out, but the infecting Pyorrhea germs lower the body's vitality and cause many serious ills.

To avoid Pyorrhea, visit your dentist frequently for tooth and gum inspection. And use Forhan's For the Gums.

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Ontario Government To Withdraw Charges Against Port Stanley Fishermen.

## MEMBERS DEBATE ISSUE

Howard Ferguson Opens Live-ly Discussion On Question in Legislature.

TORONTO, March 27.—The prosecution of a number of fishermen in the Port Stanley district for fishing without licenses was the subject of a protest in the Legislature today by Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, who, quoting from a St. Thomas newspaper, drew attention to the fact that the fishermen had, before the 15th of March, sent in their applications for licenses, together with certified checks. The day the fishing season opened they had started operations. Their licenses had not arrived, but they had no reason to doubt that they were on the way. A number of them, however, had been promptly "baited to court."

"It is cruel, harsh and unjust that under these circumstances they should be penalized," he concluded.

R. L. Brackin, K.C., of West Kent, produced data to show that on the 16th the fishermen received receipts for their checks and an intimation that the licenses would follow within a day or two. They started fishing on the 16th, as permitted by law, and on the 17th and 18th received their licenses, all dated the 16th.

Hon. Mr. Mills pointed out that the department was endeavoring to enforce the rule that all fishermen must have their licenses before commencing operations. Under the old system they were often allowed to go on without a license and pay for it out of their yearly earnings, which was not, in his opinion, good business. However, it had been decided to withdraw the charges against all but two of the men who had been given licenses, and who were fishing with nets of illegal mesh.

**HITS CEILING WHEN MOTOR BACKFIRES**

Special to London Advertiser.

KITCHENER, March 27.—While cranking a motor truck in his garage here, George Doerr, a well-known Kitchener transport man was thrown to the ceiling of the garage when the engine backfired. The force of the backfire pulled Mr. Doerr off his feet and lifted him so that his feet struck the ceiling. He was hurled to the floor, landing on his right arm and breaking it.

Sailing from Sydney, I called at

Magelang, Temanngong and Ambarawa (small towns at a good distance from the center of the toluene-growing country, and very interesting as opportunities for seeing the native in his own home), and Soerabaya, a gay place with excellent hotels and clubs, and within easy reach of the mountains, where elevations of 6,000 feet can be reached, with a corresponding drop in temperature which is most acceptable after a sojourn in tropical climates.

Sailing from Batavia for Australia, the steamer calls at Port Darwin on the north coast of Australia, a place with a wonderful harbor, but not a very desirable residence, then through Torres Straits to Thursday Island, the center of the Queensland pearl fisheries, down the coast inside the Great Barrier Reef, calling at Townsville, Rockhampton and Brisbane.

I left the boat at Brisbane and took train to Melbourne and Sydney, seeing a good deal of the country en route.

From Singapore boat was taken to Java, the tourists' paradise, where the following towns were visited, each of great interest: Batavia, Buitenzorg (with its wonderful botanical gardens), Bandung, Garoet (a beautiful mountain plateau 2,000 feet up, rimmed by live volcanoes), Cheribon and Semarang (centers of the sugar cane industry), and Djokjakarta, a native city near the famous Hindu ruined temples of Borobudur.

After that Port Said to Aden and Colombo, then across to Southern India, calling at Dindigul, Trichinopoly, Madras, Boringpet, Bangalore, Secunderabad, Hyderabad (Deccan), a most interesting native city; Mysore, Seringapatam (fall of historical interest to an Englishman), Bombay, Gwalior, with its rock fort and carvings; thence to the scenes of the Mutiny, Delhi, Agra, Cawnpore and Lucknow.

Benares, the Jharia coalfield, and Calcutta were next visited; from Calcutta I sailed to Rangoon, from there down to Penang and across to Medan, in Sumatra, returning to Penang, Kuala Lumpur and Singapore.

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## THE WEEK IN THE WORLD

SEEING THE WORLD FOR \$5,000

Exclusive Advertiser Review.

LONDON, March 27.—A tour undertaken by me last year gives some idea of what can be seen of the world on an expenditure of \$5,000.

I left England on March 9, 1921, and visited the following countries and towns in the order mentioned:

Paris, Marseilles, then to Egypt, visiting Cairo and Luxor, seeing the best of the Egyptian antiquities, Karnak, the Tombs of the Kings, and the Pyramids.

After that Port Said to Aden and Colombo, then across to Southern India, calling at Dindigul, Trichinopoly, Madras, Boringpet, Bangalore, Secunderabad, Hyderabad (Deccan), a most interesting native city; Mysore, Seringapatam (fall of historical interest to an Englishman), Bombay, Gwalior, with its rock fort and carvings; thence to the scenes of the Mutiny, Delhi, Agra, Cawnpore and Lucknow.

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## LOCKOUT WILL AFFECT 500,000

Situation in British Engineering Industry Grows Serious.

## SUBMIT PROPOSALS

25,000 Liverpool Workers To Strike Against Wage Cut.

LONDON, March 27.—Negotiations between representatives of the engineering unions and their employers again broke down this afternoon and the situation in the engineering industry was regarded as serious.

The employers refused to withdraw their lockout notices unless certain guarantees were forthcoming from the unions.

It was considered likely this evening that unless the unions concede the employers' claims to the right of exercising managerial functions in matters of shop regulations, 500,000 union workers affiliated with the engineers will be given lockout notices within the next day or two. It was officially stated this evening that the employers' proposals would be submitted to a conference of representatives of all the unions concerned tomorrow morning and that the decision reached at that meeting would be considered by the employers tomorrow afternoon.

25,000 TO GO ON STRIKE.

LIVERPOOL, March 27.—Twenty-five thousand men in the engineering and shipbuilding trades here have decided to go on strike tomorrow as a result of a sudden announcement by the employers putting national wage reductions into force. The Newcastle and Southampton unions have voted to take similar action.

## EGREMONT PIONEERS PASS

Jas. Hooper, Aged 80, and Jos. Moore, 70, Die.

Special to London Advertiser.

DURHAM, March 26.—Two pioneers of Egremont Township passed away Saturday, James Hooper and Joseph Moore, aged 80 and 70 years respectively. The former had been a resident of Canada since he was 8 years old. He was married in 1867 to Miss Jean Walters, who survives him, with seven of the eight children born to them, viz.: Isaac, Matthew, David, Herbert, George, Myrtle (Mrs. Jos. Lawrence) and Mabel (Mrs. W. A. Lawrence).

The latter pioneer, Joseph Moore, was born in the township in which he died, and had never resided anywhere else. He is survived by a widow and four children, William in Durham, Mrs. D. McKelvey, New Lis-burn, Mrs. T. Bailey, Egremont, and Mrs. W. Turnbull, Glenora.

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"At the present time," he said, "the government would be well advised to forego an increase in salaries."

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# MANY CANADIAN WOMEN WILL GO TO CONFERENCE

Dr. Grace England Is Government Appointee to Pan-American Parley.

## MISS McPHAIL INVITED

Canada's Only Woman M. P. May Attend Big Baltimore Convention.

Washington, March 28.—By Canadian Press.—The Canadian government, in an official dispatch, has announced the appointment of Dr. Grace England, a well-known physician of Montreal, as delegate for the Dominion of Canada to the Pan-American conference of women at Baltimore next month.

Dr. England will head a large delegation from Canada. In response to the invitation of the national league of women, when the conference is called, many organizations of Canadian women will send delegates to the Pan-American meeting. Prominent among these is the national council of women, which has named Dr. Augusta Stow Gullen of Toronto, and Mrs. Atherton Smith of St. John, N. B. A number of women prominent in civic activities will also attend.

Miss Agnes McPhail, first woman member of the Dominion parliament, received a special invitation from the league, and has written in reply that she hopes to come to Baltimore.

In recognition of the close and friendly relations between the women of Canada and the United States, the league of women voters has invited Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador, to address the mass meeting, which will be held during the conference on the day when the delegates visit Washington.

The ambassador has accepted the invitation, and will speak at the meeting at which Secretary Hughes and other diplomats will appear. The general subject of this meeting will be "What the women of the Americas can do to promote friendly relations."

## MOTHERS' CLUB TO GIVE EGGS TO ORPHANS' HOMES

Easter Treat Assured To Little Orphans by Generosity of Union.

The London Union Mothers' Club proposes collecting 21 dozen fresh eggs, a dozen from each club in the union, to be divided between the Ronald Gray Memorial Home and Children's Shelter for Easter Sunday. It is further proposed to ask a lady to give a gift to each club to be presented to the coop at the shelter. Further, enough colored Easter eggs for each kiddie in Shelter and Ronald Gray Home will express the mother love of the Mothers' Club mothers.

This was decided upon Monday evening at the meeting of the members of the Union Mothers' Club, held in the Tecumseh School.

By standing vote, support was pledged of the plan of the director of music in the public schools, to bring to the city the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra for afternoon and evening concerts on April 27, the afternoon concert to be at popular prices for school children, and the proceeds to be used to buy instruments for an orchestra in the schools.

The sub-executive is deciding Tuesday evening with regard to a request that Friday of Boys' Week in London, the mothers be asked to entertain boys in their own homes.

Meddames John Rose, H. W. Padell, R. Kirkpatrick, A. C. Calder and E. G. Detwiler were appointed delegates to the annual convention of the Ontario federation of home and school clubs and affiliation with the federation head. In addition to the president, Mrs. John Rose, Meddames R. Kirkpatrick, Goodman, E. Fellow and H. Winnett were appointed to represent the union mothers' club on the social service council.

Announcement was made that through donations sent in from individual clubs, the Union Mothers' Club is in a position to pay over \$500 more to the War Memorial Children's Hospital fund.

## EXPECTS EARLY TARIFF DECISION

Washington, March 28.—Confidence that the tariff will be decided by the senate by the finance committee this week, was expressed today by Senator Watson, Indiana, a member of the committee, and Senator Curtis, of Kansas, assistant Republican leader of the senate, today on leaving the White House after a conference with President Harding. The Indiana senator said the committee would reach an early decision on the question of continuing the present plan of levying duties on the foreign valuation of the articles imported or adopt the United States wholesale price as the basis for tariff duties.

## TALK ARMISTICE IN ASIA MINOR

Athens, March 27.—The proposal by the allied foreign ministers for an armistice between the Turks and Greeks in Asia Minor was laid before the National Assembly today by the government. Premier Gounaris agreed to the suggestion by M. Stratos that all discussion should be avoided, the Assembly merely giving its decision.

## EDMONTON DEPARTMENT STORE ASSIGNS

Calgary, March 28.—Sheldon's Limited of Edmonton, a large department store with an annual turnover approximately \$700,000, has assigned for the benefit of creditors under the bankruptcy act. The Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association Limited will handle the estate which shows approximately \$115,000 value in stock and fittings and \$100,000 liabilities.

## Not Sure N. Y. Ban On Women Smoking in Public Isn't Joke

NEW YORK, N. Y., March 28.—Aldermanic records of the city this morning were being studied by anxious officials, who were eager to determine the truth about the ordinance prohibiting women from smoking in public resorts, placed in effect last night by the police department.

Although the ordinance was signed by Mayor Hylan last week, the manner in which it reached his desk is a mystery. Its author, Ald. Peter McGuinness, did not know it had passed and other members of the board declared they were certain it had been buried in the legislative graveyard and forgotten.

Thereupon there was indignation and frenzied puffing, while a flood of denials was aimed at the alderman and the mayor. It wasn't a joke, exactly, but it appeared some body had played a practical joke on the mayor, and there was an inclination on the part of feminine smokers to laugh.

## SMALL CASE MAY SHOW NEW ANGLE

Further Developments Expected Following Conference of Raney With Police Chief Dickson.

## REFUSES TO COMMENT

Attorney-General Declines to Verify Report That Col. Greer Will Investigate.

TORONTO, March 27.—Further developments are expected in connection with the Small case here, following a conference this morning between Attorney-General Raney and Chief of Police Dickson. Seen at the meeting, Chief Dickson stated that he had nothing to say for publication, and that the question of the missing theatrical magnate was only touched on.

"Chief Dickson came to see me on another mission," stated the attorney-general, who questioned as to the purpose of the meeting. "There is nothing in his visit for publication."

Pressed, however, for some explanation, the attorney-general admitted that the case had been "touched upon." He refused to say whether or not the angle of the case had been broached. It is intimated at the Parliament Buildings that the chief and the attorney-general discussed, among other things, a report said to have been made by county officials to the attorney-general's department on the subject of the missing magnate. It is said, was never presented to the Toronto police or was it even considered by them.

The attorney-general refused to make any comment on a statement that Col. R. H. Greer had been assigned to the case, and that he had that got into the paper, and I intend to take steps to find out," he stated.

Mr. Raney and Gen. Elliott, commissioner of the provincial police, have not considered placing provincial officers permanently on the case.

## SOVIET FEARS GENOA OUTBREAK

Paris, March 28.—The Russian soviet government is taking extraordinary measures to protect its delegates to the Genoa conference on their journey to Italy, according to information received at the French foreign office. The Baltic States, through which the delegates will pass, have been asked to provide special military and police protection, and the date of departure from Russia and the exact itinerary of the delegation is being kept strictly secret. Nervousness regarding possible violence at Genoa is not confined to Russia, fear being entertained in other quarters of a clash between the Italian Fascists and the Communists.

## COTTON STRIKE IS GROWING SERIOUS

Lawrence, Mass., March 28.—The strike in the cotton mills here, begun yesterday, gained strength today. After a canvass of the situation at the seven mills affected, it was estimated that three-quarters of their aggregate working forces were absent. In figures this would be approximately 9,000 persons, as compared with 7,500, the number estimated as out when the mills closed last night. Several plants were so badly affected by today's defections that it was indicated they might close before night.

## DECLARES LONDON CONDITIONS FINE

"Conditions in London are fine," said C. G. McNeil, Dominion secretary-treasurer of the G. W. V. A., when questioned as to how he found things in this city.

"We have now 857 branches of the G. W. V. A. in Canada and nationwide efforts are being made to further increase the membership. At an early date the newly-formed Dominion veterans' alliance committee will meet in Ottawa for the task of consolidating the legislative programs of all the veterans' organizations in Canada."

If time permits, Mr. McNeil intends to address the Tubercular Veterans' Association at Byron today.

## SPEAKER'S FATHER IS ILL

Montreal, March 28.—H. A. Lemieux, father of the speaker of the House of Commons, is seriously ill at his home in this city, and the family are gathered at his bedside awaiting the end. Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux is among those present. Mr. Lemieux is in his 92nd year.

# COMMISSION TO CONDUCT PROBE

Government Policy On Chippawa Inquiry Favors This Form.

## WANT REPORT HURRIED

Investigation Results Desired by Government by Opening of Next Session.

Toronto, March 28.—The Chippawa probe will be conducted by a royal commission. This was pretty definitely announced in Government circles today. If the law preventing judges acting on royal commissions is relaxed, it is understood that a judge will hold the commission. To relax this act it would be necessary to take up the question with the Dominion government, and it is assumed that this will be done. Of course, no member of the Legislature will be on the commission.

The argument advanced by members of the government in favor of a commission rather than a committee of the House is that the question is such a big one, and the allegations so serious that it is necessary to have the probe completed as soon as possible. If a committee of the House were to investigate it would drag on, it is claimed, and perhaps not be completed when the next session opened.

While it is regarded as a physical impossibility for a royal commission to get in a report before the present session closes, it is hoped that it will get started very soon and the understanding is that the premier will make an announcement on the floor of the House in a few days definitely defining the policy of the Government on this question and making public the men who will compose the commission.

The later supplementary estimates of the Government will make provision for continuing the Chippawa probe, and will have to be voted on before the legislatures have any report from the royal commission. However, the method by which this money will be expended will be largely guided by the commission's report.

## NAME CHAIRMEN FOR STANDING COMMITTEES

House of Commons Makes Eleven Appointments—Two Other Selections Coming.

Ottawa, March 28.—(Canadian Press).—Chairman of select standing committees of the House of Commons were chosen at the organization meeting of committees this morning. The names of the present parliament were as follows: Committee on privileges and elections, Jos. Demers; railways and canals and telegraph lines, F. S. Cahill; miscellaneous private bills, H. B. McEwen; standing orders, George Parent; public accounts, A. R. McMaster; banking and commerce, Hon. A. C. MacLean; agriculture and colonization, W. F. Kay; marine and fisheries, Wm. Duff; mines and minerals, Hance J. Logan; forests, waterways and waterpowers, O. Turgeon; official report of debates, George H. Boivin.

The chairman of the joint committees on the library and printing and on the census will be named at the meetings of those committees.

## Obituaries

BEATRICE MABEL WILES. The death took place Tuesday of Beatrice Mabel Wiles, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiles of 39 Hume street.

The funeral will be held Wednesday from A. L. Outman's funeral home, Colborne street, Interment will be made at Woodland Cemetery.

## CURLING RINK AT KINGSTON BURNS

Kingston, March 28.—Fire totally destroyed the Queen's University curling rink at the corner of the university athletic buildings, and valued at \$45,000.

## PLAN WELCOME TO COMMISSIONER

London, March 28.—(Canadian Press Cable).—Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, will be welcomed to the Canada Club's welcome to Hon. H. C. Larkin, the new high commissioner for Canada in London. The reception will be held April 11.

## BRITISH LOCKOUT MAY BE AVERTED

London, March 28.—The threatened lockout in Great Britain's engineering industry appeared to be at least temporarily averted today. Representatives of the engineering trades unions decided to accede to the employers' proposals as a basis for renewed negotiations.

## PEOPLE WANT TO CHOOSE MAYOR

Guelph, March 28.—The electors of this city spoke with no uncertain voice on two plebiscites which were submitted to them yesterday, although the vote was a small one. By a vote of 121 to 163 they decided in favor of the election of the mayor by general vote, instead of the council choosing the mayor, as has been the practice under the new civic administration scheme adopted four years ago. Another plebiscite asking the wishes of the electors with respect to allowing the street car tracks to run straight through the centre of St. George's Square was also decided in the affirmative by a vote of 873 to 484.

## LONDON BANKER DIES

London, March 28.—(Canadian Press Cable).—Sir Reginald Cox of the well-known military banking firm of Cox & Co. is dead.

# Day's Legislative Doings at Ottawa

TODAY IN PARLIAMENT:

In the Commons: Consideration of the main estimates.

In the Senate: The Senate will not sit.

YESTERDAY IN PARLIAMENT:

In the Commons: Right Hon. Arthur Meighen drew the attention of the government to the cable dispatch from London in regard to the Grand Trunk reorganization proceedings, which he said, was defamatory to the honor of Canada.

Premier King stated that he associated himself with Mr. Meighen in saying that the arbitration proceedings were absolutely honorable.

Memorandum, laid on the table on March 27, with reference to the re-establishment of the Canadian wheat board, referred to the agriculture committee.

Motion of Hon. W. S. Fielding for the adoption of an interim supply bill covering one-fourth of the total estimates, met with strong opposition. The leader of the opposition asked for more time to look through the estimates before voting any part of them. Finally the resolution was allowed to stand.

House went into committee on estimates. Civil government estimates of the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment were the first to come up. Opposition developed on this item.

Mr. Meighen declared that the government stood pledged to give the soldiers a cash bonus, but that there was no provision for it in the estimates brought down. This item, which amounted to \$40,820, carried over to the department of militia and defence stood over until Hon. Hugh Guthrie returns to the house. Civil government estimates of \$255,220 for department of naval service under consideration when the house adjourned.

In the Senate: The Senate did not sit.

## WILL OPEN CANNERY AT ONTARIO REFORMATORY

Government Decides To Inaugurate Preserving Plant at Guelph Institution.

Special to London Advertiser. GUELPH, March 27.—Preparations are now under way at the Ontario Reformatory for the opening of a cannery, which will be the largest in operation at any government institution in Ontario, and which will supply canned fruits and vegetables for all other institutions in the province.

The department to be used for this new industry at the reformatory is in the building formerly occupied by the laundry, and it is expected that between 40,000 and 60,000 gallons of canned fruits and vegetables will be turned out this year. An experiment on a small scale in the canning business was tried at the reformatory last summer in the abattoir, when 20,000 gallons of canned goods were prepared. A large amount of new machinery for the canning factory has arrived, while the balance is expected very shortly, and as soon as the canning season opens the inmates will have the new industry in full operation.

Small canning plants are now being operated at the government institutions in London, Whitby and Hamilton.

## SPEAKER DEFERS RULING

Withholds Decision on Charges Made Against West Simcoe Member.

TORONTO, March 27.—Speaker Parliament stated today that he would withhold any decision until tomorrow in regard to the affidavit forwarded to him charging W. T. Allan, M. L. A. for West Simcoe, with wrongfully accepting money for the preparation of a private bill for the Ontario Legislature.

This will give Mr. Allan an opportunity of discussing the affidavit with the speaker.

In an interview, Mr. Allan is quoted as stating he accepted a fee of approximately \$100 in connection with the preparation in 1918 of a private bill for the Town of Collingwood, where he practices law.

The speaker pointed out that if the house desires to investigate this, there is the point of whether it has power to do so since there has been a general prohibition since the bill in question was prepared.

## HELD FOR CORN THEFT

Two Men Arrested at End of Lost Grain Trail.

HAMILTON, March 27.—Two marauders broke into the flour-and-feed store of James Dunlop and Company, John street, south, last night and stole about twenty bags of corn. This morning when the premises were opened for business by employees of the company, the loss was discovered.

The men trailed the wheel tracks of a car to the roadway and where they picked up a real clue in the shape of dribbles of corn which had apparently fallen from a hole in one of the bags. This trail held all the way through the city streets until a house on Yonge street was reached. Detectives were called in and placed under arrest James and George Todd, 134 Yonge street, who will be charged with the theft in police court tomorrow morning.

## LOSES PROPELLER BLADE

St. Catharines, March 28.—The steamer Dalhousie, City, on her return trip from Toronto last night, lost a blade from her propeller. No passengers were accepted on her trip this morning to Toronto, where she will undergo repairs.

# FINANCIAL AND COMMERICAL

## MAPLE SYRUP IS MART'S FEATURE

Buyers Hold Off, Waiting For More Favorable Prices Than \$3.50 Gallon.

The attendance at the local market was small on Tuesday.

Pine loads of hay were offered, and brought as high as \$21 a ton. This is the best price paid for some weeks.

Maple syrup was the feature of the market, and buyers were waiting for the majority of farmers asking \$3.50 a gallon. There was only a small sale.

The buyers apparently waiting until the maple drops before buying in large quantities. There was a fair supply of vegetables.

Letting sold at \$8.00 per dozen. Wheat sold at \$1.30 per bushel. There was a good demand for all kinds of grain.

Butter and eggs remain firm in price.

Barley, per cwt., \$1.50 to \$1.60. Buckwheat, per cwt., \$1.40 to \$1.50. Oats, new, per cwt., \$1.20 to \$1.30. Old, do., \$1.10 to \$1.20. Wheat, per cwt., \$2.00 to \$2.10.

Grain, per bushel: Barley, 67 to 72. Buckwheat, 67 to 72. Oats, 67 to 72. Wheat, 67 to 72.

Hay and straw: Hay, per ton, \$19.00 to \$21.00. Straw, per ton, \$10.00 to \$12.00.

Vegetables: Cabbage, new, each, 10 to 15. Carrots, 4 per bushel, 7 to 10. Celery, per bushel, 7 to 10. Lettuce, per doz., 80 to 100. Onions, per doz., 60 to 80. Potatoes, per bag, 1.40 to 1.50. Spinach, per doz., 1.00 to 1.20. Turnips, per doz., 1.00 to 1.20. Verrill, marrow, 15 to 20.

Fruit: Apples, per bushel, 5.00 to 6.50. Cooking, per bushel, 2.00 to 3.00. Eating, per bushel, 1.25 to 2.00. Honey, per peck, 35 to 40.

Honey, Wholesale: Honey, 5-lb. pails, 80 to 90. Honey, 10-lb. pails, 20 to 30. Honey, 25-lb. pails, 10 to 20. Maple syrup, 3.00 to 3.50.

Dairy products: Butter, creamery, 45 to 48. Butter, dairy, 45 to 48. Eggs, fresh, 25 to 30. Eggs, do., 25 to 30. Eggs, do., 25 to 30.

Poultry: Poultry, dressed, retail: Chickens, each, 1.25 to 1.50. Ducks, per lb., 10 to 12. Geese, per lb., 10 to 12. Turkeys, per lb., 10 to 12. Old hens, 15 to 20.

Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale: Chickens, per lb., 10 to 12. Ducks, per lb., 10 to 12. Geese, per lb., 10 to 12. Turkeys, per lb., 10 to 12. Old hens, 15 to 20.

Poultry, Alive: Chickens, each, 1.25 to 1.50. Ducks, per lb., 10 to 12. Geese, per lb., 10 to 12. Turkeys, per lb., 10 to 12. Old hens, 15 to 20.

Live Stock: Hogs, alive, 12.50 to 14.00. Cows, 8.00 to 10.00. Pigs, small, pair, 10.00 to 12.00.

Dressed Meats: Beef, 400 to 500. Pork, 10 to 15. Beef, hinds, 10 to 15. Beef, fronts, 10 to 15. Hogs, choice, 10 to 15. Hogs, 10 to 15. Hogs, 10 to 15.

Hides: Cow hides, No. 1, 5.00 to 6.00. Cow hides, No. 2, 4.00 to 5.00. Cow hides, No. 3, 3.00 to 4.00. Cow hides, No. 4, 2.00 to 3.00. Cow hides, No. 5, 1.00 to 2.00. Horse hides, each, 2.00 to 3.00. Kip, per lb., 6 to 7. Lamb, per lb., 6 to 7. Wool, unwashed, 50 to 60. Wool, coarse, per lb., 7 to 8. Wool, medium, per lb., 12 to 13. Wool, fine, per lb., 12 to 13.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, March 28.—Closing prices today were:

British 3 per cent loan, 98 3/4. British 4 1/2 per cent loan, 98 3/4. Consols, for money, 98 3/4. Consols, for cash, 98 3/4. Canadian Pacific, 42 1/2. Canadian National, 42 1/2. Chesapeake & Ohio, 42 1/2. Chicago & North Western, 42 1/2. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 42 1/2. Denver & Grand, 42 1/2. Erie, com., 12 1/2. Erie, 1st pfd., 12 1/2. Grand Trunk, 11 1/2. Illinois Central, 11 1/2. Louisville & Nashville, 12 1/2. Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 12 1/2. New York Central, 12 1/2. Norfolk & Western, 12 1/2. Ontario & Western, 12 1/2. Pennsylvania Railway, 12 1/2. Rand Mines, 2 1/2. Reading Railway, 12 1/2. Southern Railway, 12 1/2. Union Pacific, 12 1/2. United States Steel, 12 1/2.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, March 28.—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Reactionary tendencies continued to rule at the opening of today's stock market. Leaders of the railways and industrial groups were neglected, while speculative issues denoted further selling pressure. Gains extending from fractions to 1 point in Pullman, Virginia-Carolina Chemical, International Harvester, Sears-Roebuck and Central Leather were balanced by recessions of the same extent in domestic and foreign oils, junior transportation and utilities, notably Market Street Railway. (Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for the Advertiser.)

New York, March 28.—Open: High, Low, in in. Am. Beet Sugar, 29 1/2, 29 1/2, 29 1/2. Am. Can., 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2. Am. Chemical, 41 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2. Am. Cotton, 15 1/2, 15 1/2, 15 1/2. Am. Hide, pfd., 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2. Am. India, 21 1/2, 21 1/2, 21 1/2. Am. Locomotive, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2. Am. Lumber, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2. Am. Paper, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2. Am. Tel. & Tel., 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Am. Wool, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2. Atlantic Gulf, 25 1/2, 25 1/2, 25 1/2. Atlantic Coast, 25 1/2, 25 1/2, 25 1/2. Atlantic Copper, 49 1/2, 49 1/2, 49 1/2. Baltimore & Ohio, 27 1/2, 27 1/2, 27 1/2. Bethlehem, B., 72 1/2, 72 1/2, 72 1/2. Canadian Pacific, 42 1/2, 42 1/2, 42 1/2. Chesapeake & Ohio, 42 1/2, 42 1/2, 42 1/2. Chicago & North Western, 42 1/2, 42 1/2, 42 1/2. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 42 1/2, 42 1/2, 42 1/2. Denver & Grand, 42 1/2, 42 1/2, 42 1/2. Erie, com., 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Erie, 1st pfd., 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Grand Trunk, 11 1/2, 11 1/2, 11 1/2. Illinois Central, 11 1/2, 11 1/2, 11 1/2. Louisville & Nashville, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. New York Central, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Norfolk & Western, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Ontario & Western, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Pennsylvania Railway, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Rand Mines, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2. Reading Railway, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Southern Railway, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. Union Pacific, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2. United States Steel, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2.

## PROVISIONS

Liverpool, March 28.—Hams—Short cut, 12s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 10s. Canadian Wilshire, 11s. Clear bellies, 8s. Long clear middles, light, 10s. 6d. Short clear backs, 8s. Lard—Prime western, in tiers, 6s. Cheese—Canadian finest white, 9s. 6d. Colored, 8s.

## OILS

Liverpool, March 28.—Kerosene—No. 1, 4s. 4d. No. 2, 4s. 2d. Turbine Oil, 5s. 6d. Rosin—Common, 12s.

## TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, March 28.—Trading was well distributed over the day. The local stock market was not heavy in any particular stock. Rorion old stock was again in good demand, and sales were made at 10 on the opening, with the final sale at 9 1/2, showing a net gain of 1/2 for the morning. The preferred was off 1/4 at 13. Barcelona and Brazilian were fairly active, with the former unchanged at 6 and the latter advancing 1/2 to 5 1/2. Mining shares, with the exception of McIntyre, show a marked falling off in activity. Prices were steady, with McIntyre 200 higher at \$19.50 on the close. Dome closed 15c lower at \$28.35. High, Low, Noon, 1st pfd., 20 1/2, 20 1/2, 20 1/2. 2d pfd., 20 1/2, 20 1/2, 20 1/2. 3d pfd., 20 1/2, 20 1/2, 20 1/2. 4th pfd., 20 1/2, 20 1/2, 20 1/2. 5th pfd., 20 1/2, 20 1/2, 20 1/2. 6th











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**BRACKIN TEXT BOOK BILL IS AGAIN PASSED**

Legislature Rejects Proposal To Add Elective Members To Police Commissions.

**SIFT CHIPPAWA PROJECT**

Drury Intimates Special Body May Be Named To Conduct Inquiry.

TORONTO, March 27.—Announcement that the investigation of the Chippawa project may be made by some other body than a committee of the house was made by Premier E. C. Drury in the Legislature this afternoon in reply to Hon. Howard Ferguson, who asked when the government intended to make public the personnel of the house committee.

The premier explained that the government was carefully considering the advisability of turning from its first proposal of an investigation by a house committee, owing to the serious nature of the questions involved, and it was the wish of the government that the probe should be as comprehensive as possible.

"This is a right about face on the part of the government," said the Conservative leader. "What could be more comprehensive than one made by a committee of this house?" "It might be termed a 'right turn,' but hardly a 'right about turn,'" replied the premier.

**Debate Free Books.**  
There was a lengthy debate on the question of forcing school boards to supply free text books to pupils, the bill embodying this finally passing its second reading.

A more heated discussion was brought out on the bill which would have added twelve elective members on police commissions.

This bill came from Peterboro, and was killed on second reading, but not before it had resulted in condemnation of the government by opposition members because they claimed the ministry did not take a definite stand for or against the bill.

E. Watson, of Victoria North, referring to the report of his speech at a public meeting which was interpreted as a reflection on the Labor members and caused discussion in the house Friday, stated that his words at that meeting were to the effect that the province was more safely governed by farmers than by the radical elements of Labor.

He still held that view, but intended no reflection on Labor members of the house. As they well knew, he was always ready to support their just demands.

The bill of R. L. Brackin, of Kent West, to compel trustees of public, separate and technical schools to furnish free text books to pupils provided a contentious subject when it came up for second reading.

**Educated For State.**  
The mover of the bill took the ground that the child was being educated for the state, not for the parents. In particular, that was the reason education was made compulsory and should also be a reason why the state should make that education absolutely free.

He therefore maintained that the text books of the children of any community should be paid for from the taxes of that municipality. He explained that most of the larger cities of the province already provided free text books, and contended it was time the practice was made general throughout the province.

The minister of education, Hon. R. H. Grant, pointed out that his department already paid a large proportion of the costs of the different textbooks, ranging from 15 per cent to 50 per cent in the more expensive books. The province footed a bill of about \$19,700 each year to this end. Hon. Howard Ferguson figured that the province was already paying about 60 per cent of the actual cost of textbooks; it should be a very light burden for the school boards to assume the remaining 40 per cent.

**Drury Opposes Bill.**  
Premier Drury opposed the bill on the ground that there was a sentimental interest in children having their own books, instead of the property of the school board. Then there was the co-operation between the pupil and the parent when the parent buys the textbooks. He did not believe in the system of the state becoming an incubator and taking all the responsibilities from the parent.

The premier's chief objection to the bill, however, was the encroachment on the rights of the school boards to say whether they wished to buy the books or not. After all, he said, the cost of textbooks was light as compared with scribbles and exercise books, not covered by this law, and it was not expedient to take away from the boards the right of self-determination in the matter.

Hon. Walter Rolfe, minister of labor, took the opposite view, as did also Hon. Harry Mills, both these ministers believing it was time all municipalities were compelled to make school books free.

A number of U. F. O. members opposed the bill, while Labor members supported it.

It was finally suggested that it might be confined in its scope to urban municipalities for the present, and this change may be made when the bill is in committee. The bill finally carried on a close division.

**Defeat Tooms' Bill.**  
The bill of T. Tooms of Peterboro West, would add two members to the police commission to be elected by the people.

**HUNGARIANS FIRE ON AUSTRIANS.**  
VIENNA, March 27.—A band of Hungarians fired upon an Austrian patrol in Burgenland yesterday, killing one of the Austrians, it was learned here today.

Hungarian irregulars are reported to be reassembling in several districts, and Austrian troops are being reinforced as a precautionary measure against renewed terrorism.

**Awakens To Discover His House in Flames.**

**HEPWORTH, March 27.**—That Sam Gardiner, a resident of the Shouldice Settlement, is alive today is due to the fact that he is not a heavy sleeper.

On Thursday evening after eating supper Gardiner, who lives alone, lay down to have a short sleep. About 7:30 he was awakened by a heavy thud, and on investigating found the house in flames and the roof falling in on the ceiling above him. The fire is believed to have originated on the roof, due to overheated pipes.

**GOVERNMENT WILL AID UNTIL APRIL 15**

St. Thomas Sewer Construction To Be Completed Under Provincial Plan.

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Railway City Officials Late in Taking Advantage of Offer.

**Special to London Advertiser.**  
ST. THOMAS, March 27.—Because the provincial government has extended the time in which it will bear along with the federal government a share of the extra cost of all public improvement work done in urban centers to provide employment during the winter time, until April 15, the city will be able to finish the underground work on Hiawatha street, under the government plan.

The time in which the government originally promised to give aid was to have ended March 31, but under the new arrangements it has been extended two weeks. The officials of this city availed themselves of the offer only a few weeks ago and because construction work was started in this city since that time the extension of the period was welcomed.

The construction has provided work for 100 men working in relays of three-days each. Every married man of this city who was registered at the government employment bureau is now working.

**HEAVY COAL ROYALTIES.**  
OTTAWA, March 27.—(By Canadian Press).—The federal treasury was enriched by \$1,937,711 in coal royalties from Dominion lands from April 1, 1906, to March 31, 1921. During the same period coal royalties from school lands in Saskatchewan and Alberta totalled \$182,819.66. This information was tabled in the house this afternoon.

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**FIND CAUSE OF FERRY DISASTER**

Marine Engineers Believe Boiler Explosion Due To Cold Water.

**DAMAGE TOTALS \$92,300**

**Hull of Conger Will Be Raised For Jury Examination.**

SARNIA, March 27.—Following is the complete list of the dead and injured in the ferry disaster of Sunday that wrecked the Omar D. Conger and caused widespread damage in the City of Port Huron.

The dead: Ransome A. Campbell, 60, married, chief engineer, buried in wreckage; Clifford D. Althouse, married, fireman, buried in wreckage; Thomas Buckner, unmarried, deckhand, body found on coal pile, dead when found; Kenneth K. Crandall, unmarried, deckhand, body found on coal pile, died on way to hospital.

The injured: Mrs. Nora Goddard, collarbone broken, ribs struck by flying splinters; Mrs. W. Price Carson, 27, eye cut by flying glass; Mrs. Madeline P. Houser, nose broken; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Biddlecomb, Sarnia, cut about head by flying glass; Stanley McGowan, skull fractured, hit by flying timber while walking on Water street; Dr. Frank D. Carmony, knocked down by fragments, cuts and injured back.

Marine engineers today expressed the opinion that the disaster was due to cold water being placed into an overheated boiler free or nearly free of water.

No official expression of opinion could be obtained today from the jury empaneled by Coroner Albert A. Falk, who spent the morning examining the remains of the boiler lying in the wreckage of the Smith home and the remains of the boat in the Black River. The hull will probably be raised by April 7 for the jury examination.

The total damage is \$92,300, including the value of the boat, \$65,000, and damage to store windows of \$10,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Biddlecomb of Sarnia were injured when a 200-pound radiator came hurtling through the window of Falk's undertaking parlor, where 150 mourners were attending a funeral service. A panic was narrowly averted by the Rev. John S. Trendelenburg, who was at the time commenting on the uncertainty of life. Divers have been engaged on the wreckage today, but cannot get inside to locate the bodies of Campbell and Althouse.



**HONOR MRS. ELLIGSON ON LEAVING FOR STRATFORD**

Members of Mitchell Lutheran Church Pay Tribute To Departing Resident.

**Special to London Advertiser.**  
MITCHELL, March 27.—Friday evening a large number of women members of Grace Lutheran Church and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. Henry Elligson, who has been a resident of Mitchell for many years, and who is now going to Stratford to live, and presented her with an address, a handsome daily worship book and a solid leather handbag containing a sum of money.

Mrs. Cook, who is 92 years of age, and who resides with her son, Wm.

**CHIEF JUSTICE ILL WITH INFLUENZA**

HAMILTON, March 27.—Owing to an attack of influenza, Chief Justice Meredith was unable to open the spring assizes today, and Judge Snider, senior judge for Wentworth County, took over the court. John Drylie, editor of Jack Canuck, will face a charge of criminal libel, and M. Cliff will be tried for manslaughter in connection with the death of Mrs. Erickson, who was killed by his automobile.



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