

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

HOWARD SCHOOL CLASSES MOVED

Addition to Building Finished and Pupils Move From Basement.

ONLY ONE OTHER LEFT

Pupils Will Be Taught in Basements No More in Toronto.

Howard Park Avenue School basement was used yesterday afternoon for the last time.

The remaining basement class is in Withrow Avenue School and it will be closed on the completion of the addition to the building.

Two basement classes in Franklin School were discontinued two weeks ago on the completion of a new wing.

Hundreds of public school classes are being held in portable buildings in playgrounds in all parts of the city, but no more basement classes are to be opened.

MRS. HEATH TO SPEAK ONLY IN TORONTO

The address to be given in Margaret Eaton Hall on Monday evening by Mrs. Julia Heath, president of the Housewives' League of the United States, will be her last during her stay in Canada.

CHESTERTON A BUTTRISS, NOT PILLAR, SAYS BURKE

"A Second Literary Spring" was the subject of a scholarly and highly interesting lecture given yesterday afternoon in the auditorium of St. Joseph's College by Rev. T. F. Burke, rector of Newman Hall.

VICTORIANS VISITED SEVENTEEN THOUSAND

Sir John Gibson presided at the annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses yesterday afternoon, and the large number present showed the interest taken in the work upon which the organization is engaged.

SISTER: READ MY FREE OFFER.

I am a woman. I know a woman's trials. I know her need of sympathy and help. If you, my sister, are unhappy because of illness, and feel that you need a home treatment, read my free offer.

SAID PRESIDENT TRICKED WOMEN

Answer Given to Suffrage Deputation Roused Ire of California Congressman

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Representative Knowland, Republican of California, made a woman suffrage speech in the house today bristling with satirical references to the attitude of President Wilson and the Democratic party.

BRAKEMAN'S FATAL SLIP AT KINGSTON

KINGSTON, Feb. 20.—Harry Debnack, about 26 years, brakeman on the G. T. R., was caught between two cars at Kingston Junction during the night and killed.

CLAIMS PIRATING.

A. J. Small took out an injunction yesterday to prevent the production of his play, "The Law," at a private theatre in Hamilton, Ontario.

EFFICIENT HOUSEKEEPING BY HENRIETTA D. GRAUEL DOMESTIC SCIENCE LECTURER

Receipts for Dainty Salads

SALADS are the most appetizing additions one can make to the daily bill of fare. A rich dressing makes their food value high and the succulent vegetables that usually compose them furnish the minerals our systems need.

PEOPLE REMIND HER OF CANDLES

Dr. Jenny Gray Spoke on Adolescence to Central Union Y. W. C. A.

"The people sitting in street cars nowadays remind me of many tall candles." This statement puts Dr. Jenny Gray's address to the Central Union Y. W. C. A. into a nutshell.

A REAL PIANO BARGAIN.

An opportunity comes today to secure from Ye Olde Firme of Heintzman and Co., Limited, 193-195-197 Yonge street, Toronto, a Nordheimer Upright Piano, only slightly used, at a big reduction from manufacturer's price.

You can have this Cozy Rocker for \$5.45. The Adams Furniture Co., Limited, Toronto.

CITIES AND TOWNSHIPS ANSWER WOMEN'S APPEAL

The following letter has been received from Constance E. Hamilton, secretary-treasurer of the Municipal Franchise Referendum Committee:

LADIES

Have your Beaver, Velour or Fur Hat cleaned, dyed, blocked and remodeled at NEW YORK HAT WORKS.

WIFE'S HAT BLEW AWAY ON HER HONEYMOON TRIP

Alleging that part of her trousseau, to wit, her bird of paradise hat, valued at \$18.50, was blown from her head as she passed from one car to another, Mrs. Martha Brown sued the Grand Trunk Railway before Judge Morson yesterday for \$60 damages.

GEORGE E. FIGG TO SPEAK

George E. Figg of Montreal, a well-known Socialist, will give an address at the Labor Temple at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon on the subject of "Labor's Position in the Present Crisis."

THE GARDEN CONDUCTED BY RACHEL R. TODD M.D. WATER GARDEN

BETTER BABIES

"Better Babies" is the most popular movement of the day. It is sweeping across the United States like wildfire and it has reached Toronto.

WOMAN GOT OFF

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 19.—Mrs. McKenna, the Renfrew cheque swindler, who operated extensively at points throughout the eastern part of Ontario, and who was brought here for trial following her release from the Cornwall jail, pleaded guilty before the county judge to a charge of swindling the Brockville branch of the Bank of Toronto out of \$400. Sentence was suspended.

ELECTRIC FIXTURES OPPORTUNITY.

On Tuesday, Feb. 24 an unusually good opportunity will be offered the public for the purchase at bargain prices of about \$6000 worth of costly brass and crystal electric fixtures.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS CURE SICKLY BABIES

If your baby is sickly, if his little stomach is out of order or his bowels need regulating, no other medicine will have such prompt or beneficial effect as Baby's Own Tablets.

WARNING! Hand back all SPEARMINT unless you see the name "WRIGLEY'S" and this spear: WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT. Tell your children—your friends—always to look for these two things or they will get one of the vile mixtures wrapped to resemble the delicious genuine. These are being offered (even from wagons) at any price. So for your own protection be sure it's the clean—pure—healthful WRIGLEY'S. Made in Canada. Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., Ltd. 7 Scott St., Toronto, Ont. Look for the spear BUY IT BY THE BOX of twenty packages. It costs less—of any dealer—and stays fresh until used.

DAILY MAGAZINE FACE FOR EVERYBODY

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Portent of "Backache" Not Always Fearsome

By Dr. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG

A. B. M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins). Copyright, 1914, by L. K. Hirschberg.

WHAT would the little mothers of home-made medicine do if it were not for "headache," "toothache" and "backache"?

So long has the eternally educated, yet unappreciated, civilized public read pamphlets published by men with something to sell, which forever associate a pain in the back with disease, that until very recently some doctors even believed it.

Work itself never killed any one, despite delusions to the contrary. If your inheritance and your tissues are sound, there is no reason why you should not continue for 40 years more in the same way.

Answers to Health Questions T. L. H.—Give me a safe lotion to remove warts.

Sayings of Children

Freddie—Ma, what is the baby's name? Ma—The baby hasn't any name. Freddie—Then how did he know he belonged here?

Daddy's Good Night Story

DANNY DUCK poked his head in the henhouse one morning and shouted "Hurry up, Charlie! We are going coasting."

MENTAL HYGIENE HAS GREAT VALUE AS STUDY

It is not surprising to be told that too little attention has been given to our most important organ—the brain.

AMMONIA FUMES ARE STRONG DISINFECTANT

It has recently been discovered that the fumes of ammonia have a powerful disinfecting influence. The method of procedure was simply by placing a strong solution of ammonia in shallow receptacles and locating it in the middle of an hermetically sealed room.

The Promise of Telepathy

By Mme. Margarete Matzenauer Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company, New York.

AM inclined to think that everybody nowadays believes in thought transference, and the more I experiment with this new found science the more I am convinced that one of these days the telegraph instrument and the telephone will be thrown on the junk pile, and we will communicate with our friends all over the world by what we commonly call mental telepathy.

It was only a few years ago that wireless telegraphy was believed to be a thing quite impracticable, and the majority of people didn't even believe it possible. They looked on the wireless as another Keely motor. But since the Titanic disaster, and the other practical mid-ocean demonstrations, every one knows of the unlimited possibilities of the wireless.

Willie Rites on Washday

LE bet that you Joe! That over Sunday school teacher told us about last Sunday's washday. He mite have had a lotta bolts an other family gatherings but she says Willie yew jest git rite up out of that because twedday is washday an goodness now we have a terribul big wash because yew boys an yewer father use so kairless with yewer clothes it keeps me busy all the time yew mite as well work in a cole mine.

NEBRASKA HAS GREAT DEPOSITS OF PUMICE The State of Nebraska possesses unusual deposits of pumice. Practically the whole State is overlaid by natural deposits of this substance, says Harper's Weekly, and it is all in stages of consolidation from fairly solid rock to the finest dust.

TYPEWRITER INVENTED TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO The typewriter, like its ally stenography, is much older than most people think. It was the work of an Englishman, Henry Mill, who patented it in 1714.

WARSHIPS IN ACTION HARD TO PHOTOGRAPH

A naval photographer, in his efforts to secure pictures of warships in action, gets many duckings, and after a time takes them as a matter of course, writes E. M. Muller, Jr., in St. Nicholas. Being thrown into the sea is not considered by him a serious event.

PORTABLE CONTROLLER FOR OPERATING CRANES

In the past the operator of a crane has depended on the signals received from another party stationed at some convenient location, but there has been recently designed in Europe a portable controller, by which the services of the second person are dispensed with, and the operator, with the controller, can move around his neck, may operate the crane as he moves around, watching the progress of the hoisting operation. The controller is provided with a push switch. To stop in an emergency it is necessary for the operator to push the button of the push switch to bring the crane motor to a stop. The invention not only facilitates the operation of the crane, but effects a great economy by dispensing with the necessity of the signal man employed at the hatchway.

ELECTRIC DEVICE FOR MINUTE MEASUREMENTS

Micrometer measurements in thousandths of an inch are no longer rare, and even the ten-thousandth is quite determinable. Far beyond this is the sensitiveness of the new electrical machine described by Dr. P. E. Shaw to the British Institution of Mechanical Engineers.

NOVEL ROAD MAKING.

Ruts are the bane of country roads and one farmer has experimented until he has found a way to get rid of them. The idea is simply to fill the ruts of a prairie wagon road with concrete. The filling would be four or five inches thick and about eight inches wide on top. The surface being hollowed out about one and one-half inches deep for vehicle wheels. It is easy to drive over, as the wheels follow the tracks "with first intent," and four years' wear on the experimental roads built by the originator show no wear no ruts and no ruts. The cost is ten cents per lineal foot—\$25 per mile—and the roads are not only free-draining in wet weather, but are almost dustless in dry conditions.—From the March number of Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Peter's Adventures in Matrimony

By LEONA DALRYMPLE Author of the new novel, "Diary of the Green Van," awarded a price of \$10,000 by Ida M. Tarbell and S. S. McClure as judges.

The truth, plain and unvarnished, about "the girl in the case" distinguishes this new series by Miss Dalrymple. Her character studies will not appear unfamiliar to the majority of readers, who will follow the fortunes of "Peter" with growing interest.

POESING FOR A PICTURE XXXI. "I'm going to have my picture taken," announced Mary at breakfast. I nodded sympathetically. "That's great," I said. "You haven't got any really good pictures taken for some time."

Advice to Girls

By Annie Laurie

SO HE'S lonely, is he—your boss? Well now, little girl, don't waste too much sympathy on the boss. He can take care of himself a whole lot better than you can take care of him, and he chances to see his wife unattended a thousand times between the time you see him.

Fancies of Fashion

Spring Hues Motif for New Fabrics

By Madge Marvel

STROLL into the shops where the new silks and cottons are daily appearing in ever increasing quantities, makes it seem as if the looms of the world had been set up in the open beneath blue skies or over green fields.

PEAKS THAT ECLIPSE HEIGHT OF MONT BLANC

Rev. T. T. Norgate's claim to have seen during his recent tour of the Caucasus, at least nine mountains higher than Mont Blanc, hitherto considered Europe's highest mountain, will astonish all one who knows the Caucasus, but not the Caucasian carefully delimitation of the frontier to prove his contention that all nine are in Europe. There seems no doubt, however, that one of the Caucasian peaks, Mount Elbruz, is in Europe. It has been ascended by Douglas Freshfield, who found its summit 18,620 feet high, nearly 3000 feet higher than Mont Blanc. Even Mount Everest has of late years been dethroned from its eminence as the world's highest mountain. The highest peak in the Karakoram branch of the Himalayas rises to 28,000 feet in the clouds, or nearly 1000 feet above the highest point of Everest.

CLEVER DOG.

A resident of Mansfield is very proud of his dog Floss, which has become accustomed to carry messages from Mansfield to Sutton, three miles away, with surprising quickness. Floss' most notable performance was when her master sent her from Mansfield to Sutton with a note in a blinding snowstorm, but the dog brought an answer back, doing the journey of six miles in an hour. The dog is also used by a football team to take half-time and full-time scores of the match from the field to an inn.

Tight Wad.

"Brown's a lucky dog." "What's he doing now?" "You know that one thousand dollars he inherited a year ago?" "Yes." "Well, he still has it."

Taking the country at large, there are 1,200,000 automobiles for each 1,000 inhabitants. Concrete tumbled by hand has a pleasant effect which is approved by the artist.

Sarnia Puts Hamilton Out of O. H. A. Race

Midland Rolls up Score On Toronto's Scratch Outfit

Tonight's Game in Arena Likely to Settle Pro. Title

MIDLAND SCORED FIFTEEN GOALS

Toronto R.R. and A.A. Sent Up a Scratch Team to Fill Engagement.

MIDLAND, Feb. 20.—Midland defeated T.R. & A.A. in a game of hockey tonight by the score of 15 to 2.

Battle Tonight Breaks the Tie

Table with columns: Won, Lost, For, Ast. Lists scores for various teams like Toronto, Hamilton, etc.

BEACHES LEAGUE STAGE PLAY-OFFS

Two exciting fast games were staged by the Beaches Hockey League last night and two of the exciting group ties were decided after a lot of real hard playing.

HOCKEY RESULTS

Table of hockey results including O.H.A. Senior, Intermediate, and Junior divisions.

HOCKEY GAMES TODAY

Table listing hockey games for today, including Toronto vs. Hamilton and others.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

This afternoon Varsity will stage another double-header at the arena, and both games should be hummers from start to finish.



"The Overcoat Shop"

Men's Overcoats and Ulsters

London-tailored exclusively, in distinctive and dressy styles. Comfortable and serviceable, in light, medium and heavy weaves.

Regular \$30, \$35, \$40 and \$45 Coats. \$20, \$23.35, \$26.65, \$30

Men's Fur Coats--Small Furs

Coon Coats--Natural Canadian racoon coats \$40 to \$150. Beaver Coats--Natural Canadian and plucked beaver coats \$200 to \$266.65.

Fairbreakers Limited logo and address: 84-86 Yonge St., Toronto. Montreal and Winnipeg branches.

Q. C.'s Up on Every Rink Against Lakeview

A friendly game was curled between Queen City and Lakeview on Thursday night, and resulted in a victory for Queen City by a large margin.

OFFICERS' INDOOR BASEBALL RECORD

Table showing indoor baseball records for various teams like Grenadiers, Queen's Own, etc.

ROSEDALE PRESBYTERIANS BEAT METHODIST RINKS

The Rosedale Presbyterian Church scores a victory over the Methodist rink on Monday night.

SEAFORTH BEAT CLINTON

CLINTON, Feb. 20.—The last of the home games in the Northern League to break the tie between Seaforth and Clinton was played here tonight.

RICHMOND HILL PUT UP A FIGHT

RICHMOND HILL, Feb. 20.—Considering the long position held by Richmond Hill in the Metropolitan Hockey League they gave Thornhill quite a fight for a time tonight.

TIE GAME GIVES SARNIA THE ROUND

Hamilton Intermediates Put Out of Running Before Record Crowd.

HAMILTON, Feb. 20.—(Special).—Before a crowd of about two thousand people the largest that ever watched a hockey game in this city, the Hamilton Hockey Club Intermediates were put out of the running for the O.H.A. intermediate championship by the Sarnia hockey team at the arena here tonight.

EXTEND TREATIES FOR ARBITRATION

Proposal That U. S. Re-Establish Foreign Relations Without Opposition.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Extension of general arbitration treaties with foreign nations as the first move in the general policy of the administration to rehabilitate foreign relations of the U. S. seemed assured.

Toronto Revolver Club Beat Winnipeg

An interesting inter-city revolver match was held on Wednesday at the arena, and resulted in a victory for the Toronto Revolver Club.

COBALT BEAT NORTH BAY

NORTH BAY, Feb. 20.—North Bay's hockey team with its long string of victories this season received its second jolt tonight when the O'Brien rink team of the Mines Hockey League, Cobalt, won out in a close fast game by the score of 2 to 1.

HAVOC OF RAIN IN CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 19.—Two lives were claimed and damage estimated at from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 was wrought by the storm which sent a record rain to six southern California counties during the last two days.

MAJOR LIEBED BY BRITISH WAR OFFICE

LONDON, Feb. 18.—The British war office system of confidential reports on which officers of the army may be condemned and sentenced to professional ruin without being heard in their own defence was severely censured by the Judge of the King's bench court today.

OWL SHOE STORE 123 Yonge Street Below Arcade. Advertisement for shoes and boots.

At Semi-ready, Today The Greatest Raincoat Value \$5 Ever Bought

I regularly sell them at \$10 and \$15, but I must have the space they occupy to make room for the Spring stock fast coming in.

Silk Mohair Motor Coats, Exceptionally Well Tailored, Regularly \$5 to \$10. Saturday Special, \$3, \$4 and \$5.

The Last Clearance of Semi-ready Overcoats, Values up to \$30, Today, \$14.95.

The sizes are from 38 to 46 only. The cloths are tweeds, beavers and chinchillas. They are regularly priced up to \$30.

Those Semi-ready Serges are Going Fast at \$13.50

Larger sizes only are left. Black and Blue Serges, regularly sold up to \$25. They're marked down to \$13.50, and from the way they've been going there will be but a very few left by tonight.

The Semi-ready Store 143 Yonge Street William G. Hay

AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME. The letter was written in consequence of an attack made by Major Adam while he was a member of the house of commons on the late Gen. Scobell, who had made the adverse reports.

HOTEL LAMB advertisement with address and special dinner offer.



ASK FOR STENHOUSE LIQUEUR SCOTCH AT ALL DEALERS, CLUBS AND HOTELS.

Distributors for Ontario and Quebec: THE CHAS. CICERI CO., LIMITED, Toronto and Montreal.

DRAYTON WIN SEMI-FINALS

DRAYTON, Feb. 20.—The second of the home and home games between Midway and Drayton, champions of the Northern League, in the semi-finals of the Northern League, was played here tonight.

DEFEAT FOR CANADIAN SOO

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Feb. 20.—The Soo Ontario team suffered defeat on the home ice tonight at the hands of the Calumet team by a score of 4 to 1 in favor of Calumet.

Death's Sudden Call To Herbert A. Haisley

Shockingly sudden was the death yesterday of Herbert A. Haisley, one of the best known curlers and bowlers of the city.

Hotel Krausmann, Ladies' and Gentlemen's grill, with music, imported German Beer, Plank Steak a la Krausmann, Open Hill 12 a.m., Corner Ch' and King Streets, Toronto.

Secrets Clothes advertisement for R. Score & Son, Limited, Tailors and Haberdashers, 77 King West.

ENORMOUS DEMAND FOR "FRUIT-A-TIVES"

1,152,000 Boxes Sold Last Year

Six of These Fruit Liver Tablets for Every Man, Woman and Child in the Dominion.

In seven short years, "Fruit-a-tives" has become the most famous and the most widely used medicine in Canada that has ever been introduced to the people of the Dominion. Even those who take "Fruit-a-tives" regularly and recommend these famous fruit juice tablets to their friends, probably have no idea of the enormous number of "Fruit-a-tives" that are being used by those wishing to regain their health.

Last year, over eight thousand gross boxes of "Fruit-a-tives" were sold. As there are one hundred and forty-four boxes in a gross, this means that over one million one hundred thousand boxes were sold in 1912. And this year this number will be still further increased.

This means a box of "Fruit-a-tives" for every six persons in Canada, or six tablets for every man, woman and child in the country.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold in every section of the Dominion. On the rugged Atlantic coast, throughout the Maritime Provinces, among the French in Quebec and the English in Ontario, all over the great Prairie Provinces, and on the shores of the Pacific, "Fruit-a-tives" is the best selling medicine in stock.

This is true because "Fruit-a-tives" gives results. For chronic Constipation, Indigestion and Stomach Trouble—for bad Blood, Skin Eruptions and Eczema—for Rheumatism, Sciatica and Lumbago—for Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Troubles—"Fruit-a-tives" cures when nothing else will.

In the head office in Ottawa are hundreds of letters and photographs from grateful men and women who have been cured of sickness and suffering by "Fruit-a-tives." Many of these letters and photographs have been published by permission, and have induced other sufferers to try "Fruit-a-tives." This is one of the factors in the demand for "Fruit-a-tives," which is now sold in every city, town, hamlet and cross-road store.

Fifty cents a box, six for \$2.50, trial size 25 cents, at all dealers, or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

KINGSTON BUYS DEBENTURES.

Mica Company Starting Up in Limestone City.

KINGSTON, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The civic finance committee has decided to buy \$15,000 debentures of Niagara Falls and Fairview, at 54.

Another industry has started up in the city, in the shape of a mica mining company. The mines of the company are located at Devil Lake, yielding the best quality of amber mica.

DROPPED DEAD IN STREET.

ST. CATHARINES, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Stephen McCullough, aged 53 years,

formerly of Kincardine, but lately residing in St. David's, dropped dead on Geneva street this afternoon after purchasing some lumber. He leaves a widow, four sons and one daughter. The body will be taken to Kincardine for interment.

DEATH OF OCTOGENARIAN.

CORNWALL, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Miss Margaret Fannon, an old resident of Cornwall, passed away at the Hotel Dieu Hospital last night, at the age of 80 years. A brother, James Fannon, of 33 Hickson street, Toronto, is here to attend the funeral.



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Theatres and Concerts

Alice Lloyd's Big Entertainment.

Alice Lloyd, England's daintiest comedienne, assisted by Frank Fogarty, "the Dublin Minstrel," and a company of seventy-five, will open an engagement of one week at the Alexandra Theatre next Monday evening. It will feature an entirely new style of entertainment, combining a singing and dancing revue in which all the players are employed. The first half of the entertainment will be a series of separate stage music hall ensembles under the general title of "Dance Mad." It is both a reproduction of the cabaret and tango craze which has circled the universe and found its most pronounced developments in the life of Paris, London and New York.

There are turkey trotters and dancers of every sort, a waltz dream and a cowboy dance, a Russian, Irish dancers, Scottish dancers, Spanish dancers, barn dancers and the sensational X-ray dance, the latest freak of the modern craze. In this play, Frank Fogarty, the Dublin minstrel, reappears in a character different from any in which he has ever before been seen, and the star, Alice Lloyd, is seen here again, this time as a dashingly handsome girl, singing the song which is regarded as the happiest in the world, "Poppy Wopsy." The entire company masses for the finale, and in all it is one of the most impressive shows of the season. There are twenty-two acts and one intermission. Matinees will be given on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

"The Shepherd of the Hills."

"The Shepherd of the Hills," which comes to the Grand next week is a dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's novel, the dramatization having been made by Mr. Wright and Elsbury W. Reynolds. "The Shepherd of the Hills" is an interesting and gripping story of love, mystery and heroic deeds; it enters a grip on life and brings peace to the soul of any man or woman who reads it. The woods and hills are part of God's handiwork. They will give peace and strength to all who seek them. From this play you may, in some measure, feel their influence and know some of the ways of divine providence. You will be able to ask: "Are the characters in the play real people? Does the old 'shepherd' live only in the pages of the book or on the stage? Is there a 'young Matt' and a 'Young Matt'?" You will say they are all very familiar, and you surround him with an excellent support, new and yet old. If you go to the Ozark hills, you will find somewhere a sheep ranch and a man named 'Dewey Bald.' But it is from a log house above the mists that you will view these hills and forests and take of their peace and beauty, the inspiration of the old 'shepherd' and his friends will come to you also as you follow the trail that is, nobody knows how old.

"The Man in the Dark" at Shea's

Manager Shea has secured for his headline attraction next week Robert T. Haines and Company in the one-act comedy drama, "The Man in the Dark," by William J. Hurbit. Mr. Haines is among the best known of America's distinguished actors and theatregoers have delighted in his portrayal of many roles for the last decade. His new offering for vaudeville has already been received with great pleasure. The play is filled with action and the lines and situations are handled by Mr. Haines, Miss Esther Van Eykinge, Mark Fenton and Frederick Burt.

The special extra attraction on the bill for the week is Morris Cronin and his "Nine Merry Men in Merry Moments." Mr. Cronin puts his merry men through their paces in juggling and acrobatics and the comedy throughout the set keeps the audience in a whirlwind of laughs. A feature of the week's bill is Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barry in "The Rube." Mr. Barry plays the title role, a type with which he is strongly identified. His countryman, however, is not a bumpkin, but a clever and witty young son of the soil. Mr. Barry plays the actress, and the comedy is derived from the supposed superior knowledge of the actress over the rube. Mr. and Mrs. Barry are at their best in this their newest offering. They are old favorites with Shea's, and are sure of a warm welcome.

Another feature of the week's bill is Raymond and Caverly, the two popular German comedians. They have long been known as the "Wizards of Joy." Their style is original and their songs and parodies are always as clever as they are funny. Bart McHugh presents "On the Stage and Grounds," with El Brendel and Muriel Morgan and a company of ten. The young people sing and dance and present a merry romp of school days. One of the important features of the week's bill is the first appearance here of Cecelia Wright, the dainty English singer, who is the daughter of the American navy. Miss Wright, while visiting in Havana two years ago, offered her services and sang at the Maine memorial service in Havana. Later she was injured in an automobile accident, and owes her life to the prompt action of the surgeons from the warships. Since her first appearance in vaudeville she has met with the greatest success, and her delightful voice and well-selected repertoire has made her a favorite everywhere. Fred Warren and Edie Conley are singers and dancers who will be warmly welcomed and the Azard Brothers are two young men of splendid muscular development, who offer unusual balancing feats. The bill for the week closes with a new Kineto-graph picture. Musical Director Augustus Naumann has prepared a special program for the week to be played by Shea's Theatre orchestra before each performance.

"The Progressive Girls."

Replete with brand-new features, Jack Reid's "Progressive Girls" will come next week to the Star with an offering that will cause the patrons of the theatre to take notice. Everything new is promised by the management, and in Charles Leonard Fletcher, a protean actor of international reputation, whose character studies and impersonations, taken from real life, have won him the warmest praises of the cities and the unlimited applause of discriminating audiences of two continents. Mr. Fletcher is a real artist, and his work has the flavor of originality, elegance and finish seldom found on the vaudeville stage. He makes his costume changes in full view of the audience, and presents different characters during the week.

Helene Carrel, Francis Pierlot and Company have one of the funniest sketches imaginable in "The Mad." This is from the pen of Jules Simonson, and is prescribed as a sure cure for the blues. Burton and Lester, "The Meib and Caruso of vaudeville," will offer their big comedy and singing number, "Ronald and Ward" will appear in their breezy skit, "On the Boardwalk." Billie and Ethel Young have something new in comedy and song. Klass and Bernie, in a high-class singing and musical specialty, offer selections on the piano, accordion and violin. O. C. Falls is tramp juggler and comedian, and the Three Escardos are European acrobatic wonders.

Travellers' Cheques.

A very important question with tourists going abroad is "How shall we carry our money?" After experimenting for a number of years with various systems the prominent financial institutions have now adopted "Travellers' Cheques" as the most convenient.

The cheques are issued in denominations of \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100, and show on the face of each the exact amount of foreign money you will receive in the various countries. These cheques can be secured at the office of A. F. Webster and Son, 58 Yonge street.

some that special gift with which to charm by an outpouring of a glorious voice, by the magnetic spell of an orator, by the influence of instrumental genius, given the temperament which makes for appreciation and understanding, hours so spent remain marked in gold on the memory and bring renewed delight by recollection.

Loew's Winter Garden.

If the heavy advance sale and numberless reservations of seats for the next two weeks is any criterion, Loew's Winter Garden has jumped into early recognition as a leader among places of amusement. In one short week the question of the day has become: "Have you seen the new Winter Garden at Loew's?" and duplication of the tremendous success of the lower theatre is an assured fact. As previously announced, the regular evening performance of the Winter Garden will begin on Feb. 22, with its seats reserved, and, in addition, in order to relieve congestion in the downstairs theatre, and to accommodate the record crowds attending the matinees, the management has decided to give afternoon performances in the Winter Garden, from 2.30 to 5.30, at the same prices downstairs, and with the same show. This plan is now in effect.

The Winter Garden program announced for next week includes at least four headliners. One will be Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Masley, offering a delightful number, that includes all the latest dances and their original variations of the tango. Mr. and Mrs. Masley are considered foremost among New York's society dancers. Another big feature billed for next week is Charles Leonard Fletcher, a protean actor of international reputation, whose character studies and impersonations, taken from real life, have won him the warmest praises of the cities and the unlimited applause of discriminating audiences of two continents. Mr. Fletcher is a real artist, and his work has the flavor of originality, elegance and finish seldom found on the vaudeville stage. He makes his costume changes in full view of the audience, and presents different characters during the week.

Helene Carrel, Francis Pierlot and Company have one of the funniest sketches imaginable in "The Mad." This is from the pen of Jules Simonson, and is prescribed as a sure cure for the blues. Burton and Lester, "The Meib and Caruso of vaudeville," will offer their big comedy and singing number. Ronald and Ward will appear in their breezy skit, "On the Boardwalk." Billie and Ethel Young have something new in comedy and song. Klass and Bernie, in a high-class singing and musical specialty, offer selections on the piano, accordion and violin. O. C. Falls is tramp juggler and comedian, and the Three Escardos are European acrobatic wonders.

Travellers' Cheques.

A very important question with tourists going abroad is "How shall we carry our money?" After experimenting for a number of years with various systems the prominent financial institutions have now adopted "Travellers' Cheques" as the most convenient.

The cheques are issued in denominations of \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100, and show on the face of each the exact amount of foreign money you will receive in the various countries. These cheques can be secured at the office of A. F. Webster and Son, 58 Yonge street.

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I can heartily recommend your Electric Belt to all sufferers from nervous troubles of whatever source.—CHAS. McGUIRE, P.O. Box No. 103, Farnham, Quebec.

My stomach is again all right, my appetite is good and the food is thoroughly digested.—JOHN BEATTIE, Miss, Ont.

Put your name on this coupon and send it in.

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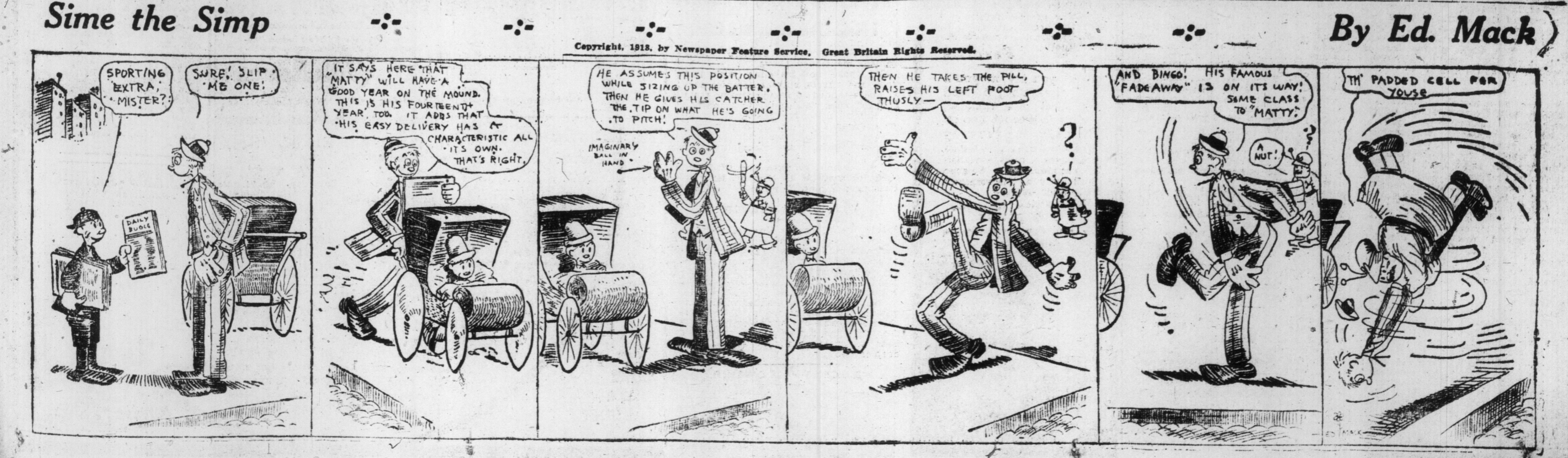
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IT SAYS HERE THAT "MATTY" WILL HAVE A GOOD YEAR ON THE MOUND. THIS IS HIS FOURTEENTH YEAR, TOO. IT ADDS THAT "HIS EASY DELIVERY HAS A CHARACTERISTIC ALL HIS OWN. THAT'S RIGHT."

HE ASSUMES THIS POSITION WHILE SIZING UP THE BATTER. THEN HE GIVES HIS CATCHER THE TIP ON WHAT HE'S GOING TO PITCH.

IMAGINARY BALL IN HAND.

THEN HE TAKES THE BILL, RAISES HIS LEFT FOOT THUSLY—

AND BINGO! HIS FAMOUS "FADEAWAY" IS ON ITS WAY! SAME CLASS TO "MATTY"?

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NEWS FROM THE CITY HALL

INCREASE RENTS AND OVERCROWDING

Number of Vacant Houses in Toronto Growing Larger.

WORK FOR WORKLESS City Authorities Propose Purchasing of Vacant Land for Subdividing.

Landlords are shoving up rents of dwellings, causing more doubling-up of families in houses and a rapid increase in the number of vacant houses. This situation is troubling the board of control and several dwellings said the city hall yesterday that he is spending \$150 on each house as he spends \$15 on each of the owners of the houses that rent at \$15 to \$20 a month state that there is an increasing number of their tenants who can pay no rent. They are allowing them to stay on in the expectation that employment will be more general in a month or two.

WANT STATEMENT OF STOCK SHOW

Aldermen Propose Holding Inquiry as to Why It Has Not Been Presented.

A SEPARATE CHARTER Then Form Government and Go Ahead for Hundred Years.

Some of the aldermen intend supporting a move for an enquiry at the next meeting of council as to why a financial statement of the stock show held in Exhibition Park November has not been presented to the council. They will also enquire if it is the intention of the directors to ask the city for the balance of the deficit, said to be \$6000, or \$38,000 in all.

TRUE SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM

W. F. Maclean's Plan the Only Feasible One, Says Ex-Ald. May.

A SEPARATE CHARTER Then Form Government and Go Ahead for Hundred Years.

"It is up to Toronto to adopt the plan W. F. Maclean has outlined for relief from congestion," said ex-Ald. May, who has made a close study of the requirements for a greater Toronto and has advocated the plan of establishing police villages that would automatically come into the city when sufficiently developed.

Auction Sales. G. M. HENDERSON & CO. 128 KING STREET EAST. Rosedale Property By Auction. THE BEST LOCATED LOT IN ROSDALE (Near Government Block) LOT 79 x 119. SATURDAY, the 7th MARCH AT 12 O'CLOCK AT 128 KING STREET EAST. The above offers a grand opportunity to any party wishing to procure an exceptionally fine and well-located property. Terms on application. CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO., Tel. M. 2358. Auctioneers.

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Board of Education TENDERS WANTED. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Board, will be received until Thursday Noon, Feb. 26, 1914. Text-books, Blank-books, etc., Pens, Pencils and General School Supplies. Medals and Certificateds. Kindergarten Materials. Medical Supplies, etc. Printing Minutes, Reports, Forms, etc., for 1914.

Suckling & Co. Application to Parliament. Application will be made by the Toronto, Barrie and Ontario Railway Company to the Ontario Legislature at its next session for an act increasing the bonding powers of the Company, empowering the Company to operate its railway on Sunday, and extending the time for the commencement of the Railway and the expenditure of fifteen per cent. of the capital thereon. BICKNELL, BAIN, MACDONELL AND CO., Solicitors for the Company.

Suckling & Co. Wednesday, Feb. 25th. A City Bankrupt Dry Goods Store in Detail. Our Regular Weekly Sale to the Trade takes place at our Salesrooms, 76 Wellington St. W., Toronto. Commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. Cases Hosiery, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Bathing, Underwear, Clothing, Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's Suits, Men's, Youths', Boys' Knickerbockers, Rubber, etc. Liberal terms. And by instruction from Richard T. Wade, Assignee, we will sell, en bloc, at two o'clock p.m., the stock of the UNITED SYNDICATE STORES, 186 Queen St. East, Toronto, Drygoods, Crockery, etc., \$131,900.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—IN THE Matter of the Estate of George H. Leslie, of the County of York, Gentleman, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late George H. Leslie, who died on or about the 15th day of December, A.D. 1913, at the City of Toronto, in the County of York, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned, Solicitors herein for Richard H. Greer and Edward S. Shaw, Executors of the estate of the said George H. Leslie, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

VALUABLE FARM NEAR WESTON FOR SALE. The Administrators of the estate of the late Sarah Smithson will offer for sale by Public Auction on the 3rd of March, 1914, at 10 o'clock p.m., at the Central Hotel, Toronto, Ontario, the following valuable property, situate about 1 1/2 miles from Weston, Ontario: (a) A valuable farm of 120 acres, with a large house, and other buildings, with a small stream running westward near the northwest corner, also a branch of Black Creek at the southeast corner.

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OTTAWA TO CONSULT CITY SOLICITORS. Controller Simpson returned from Ottawa yesterday and reported that the government has agreed to get the opinions of the city solicitors of the principal cities upon the advisability of notifying interested municipalities of applications for charters for railroads, water supply, parks, and boulevards, police protection, high schools and shru thorofores. The proposed bill will give the city the right to buy out interested municipalities are consulted. Toronto wants similar protection by the federal government.

POSTAL SQUARE PLAN ENDORSED. Board of Control Favors Plans of the Civic Guild. Compared to Advantages to Be Secured by Special Legislation. The Civic Guild again brought before the board of control and exhibition committee yesterday the matter of a postoffice square as a setting to the projected new postoffice building. The proposed plan, which was approved by the board of control and exhibition committee, and the present postoffice and Church street, that the new building be placed at the corner of Adelaide and Church streets, and that the square be on the corner of Adelaide and Victoria streets.

SUDDEN DEATH OF JAMES L. RIDDELL. James L. Riddell, chief inspector of the water division in the city architect's department, dropped dead yesterday morning at his home, St. Lawrence Hall. He had been on duty up to 11 o'clock of the previous night, but had been complaining of a pain in his chest. This is the second death among the employees of the city architect's department, following the death of J. T. Whitlam, chief inspector, died, Mr. Riddell was 47 years of age and is survived by a widow and two daughters.

ROBERTSON REPORT TOO CUMBERSOME. Must Be Condensed to Be Useful.—Last Volume Still Awaited. OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—(Special).—The technical department of the report of the committee on the Robertson Report is being dealt with by the department of the minister of labor. It is the most important of the volume and it deals with the Canadian portion of the work of the commissioners. Mr. J. K. Robertson, who was chairman of the commission, has had the department of the report from Mr. Robertson by the beginning of 1912, over two years ago.

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News From The Parliament Buildings

WOMAN SUFFRAGE TO BE DISCUSSED

J. W. Johnson Has Three Bills to Extend Franchise to Married Women.

J. C. ELLIOTT HAS SOME

Women's Organizations Will Turn Out in Force for the Debates.

The cause of woman suffrage is drawing champions from the government benches as well as from the opposition. J. W. Johnson of Hastings stands sponsor for three little bills which have in mind the rights of married women who are property holders and during the session he will introduce his measure and urge them upon the members for adoption.

The substance of his action is practically the same as that of J. C. Elliott of West Middlesex, and call for minor revisions of the municipal Ontario voters' list and assessment acts. Mr. Elliott introduced his bills yesterday afternoon. The indications point to an interesting debate on this subject, and the women's organizations, it is understood, are planning to turn out in force as of yore.

Mr. Johnson is also introducing measures designed to rule out the medical quack from the province, and to prevent municipalities from investing their sinking funds in debentures.

COMMITTEES WILL BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Lists Are Being Prepared So That Work Can Commence.

THE PREMIER'S RETURN

Mr. Rowell Hopes Sir James May Soon Be Back Again.

The committees of the house, which provide clearing grounds of debate on the majority of the business measures to be discussed, will likely begin operations early in the week. The thirteen members who will prepare the lists for the standing committees were appointed in the afternoon session yesterday.

FARMER HANGS HIMSELF

Wife Had Died Only a Few Days Previously.

ST. MARY'S, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—William Bray, 59 years of age, a farmer, living on the Thames road, Exeter Township, five miles east of Exeter, hanged himself in a barn on his farm sometime during Wednesday night, and was dead when discovered.

FINANCE MINISTER CONVALESCENT

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, who has been seriously ill following an operation, is now convalescent, and is able to take on Monday the expected to be in the house on Monday.

ANOTHER EXTENSION ASKED

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The Western Railway Company is asking another extension to extend the line of construction.

SIR JAMES SENDS MESSAGE TO HOUSE

Expresses Grateful Appreciation of Warm Sympathy Throught His Illness.

RECEIVED IN SILENCE

No Outburst of Applause, But Obvious Expression of Sympathy.

The most interesting moment of the Ontario Legislature this year occurred yesterday when Sir James Whitney in a communication to the house showed that altho the illness of his bodily frame prevented his appearance at the benches, he was still there in spirit.

The letter which was read as follows was signed with the same vigorous signature as of old time:

"The session now being open I feel it incumbent upon me to endeavor to express thru you to my fellow-members of the legislature, and to the people of the province generally, my grateful appreciation of the warm sympathy which has been extended to me during my recent severe illness, and above all, for the prayers that were offered for my recovery."

The afternoon's proceedings were brief. Mr. Rowell enquired of the government when the workmen's compensation bill was likely to come down and was assured that the date was not fixed, but it was hoped for speedily.

MR. FOY IS BACK READY FOR WORK

Term Acting-Premier is Only Colloquial, Says Attorney-General.

NOT AT THE SESSION

Press of Business Kept Him Away From House Yesterday.

Hon. J. J. Foy, provincial attorney-general, is back in Toronto, feeling as he himself expressed it, "very much improved in health."

"That term is only colloquial," he replied. "I am the senior member on the executive council of the government."

Mr. Foy stated that the press of business had kept him from the Friday session, and rejoiced at hearing of the premier's letter being read.

FANCY DRESS BALL

The Yorkshire Society of Ontario held its annual fancy dress ball in South of England Hall last night. A large number of members and friends attended. After supper the prizes were presented.

RURAL SCHOOLS CONSOLIDATION

Deputation From Five Counties Asked Government to Take Action.

GRANTS FOR HOSPITALS

Increases Asked for Institutions Scattered Throught Different Districts.

To urge the consolidation of rural schools in the Counties of Carlton, Stormont, Leeds, Grenville and Prescott, a small deputation waited upon the provincial government early in the morning.

The movement originated in the joint commission of the Orange order, which is now in session in the city, and the deputation were sent from the meeting in the Schools Act, and were promised a sympathetic hearing by the minister of education.

In addition, they sought the increase of certain hospital grants for places scattered throught the different counties.

LIQUOR MEN ARE HEAVILY MULCTED

Over Seven Hundred Dollars in Fines Paid Into Court by Waterloo Bonifaces.

(Special to The Toronto World) BERLIN, Ont., Feb. 20.—This was pay day in Berlin, and the Waterloo men from the township answered their week of work for illegal selling during the week of Feb. 15th and 16th.

ENNISKELLEN L.O.L.

Enniskellen L.O.L., No. 387, held their annual at-home consisting of a concert supper and dance.

THIN-BLOODED MEN AND WOMEN

Need the Rich, Red Blood, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Actually Make.

Thin-blooded people do not remain so from choice, but from indifference; in some cases, increasing weight and strength that follow the use of these pills prove their great value to thin-blooded people.

Mrs. R. Steele, Arton Road, P. E. I., says: "Following child-birth I took a pain in my head which grew so bad I had to call in a doctor. He told me that my blood had turned to water."

"That term is only colloquial," he replied. "I am the senior member on the executive council of the government."

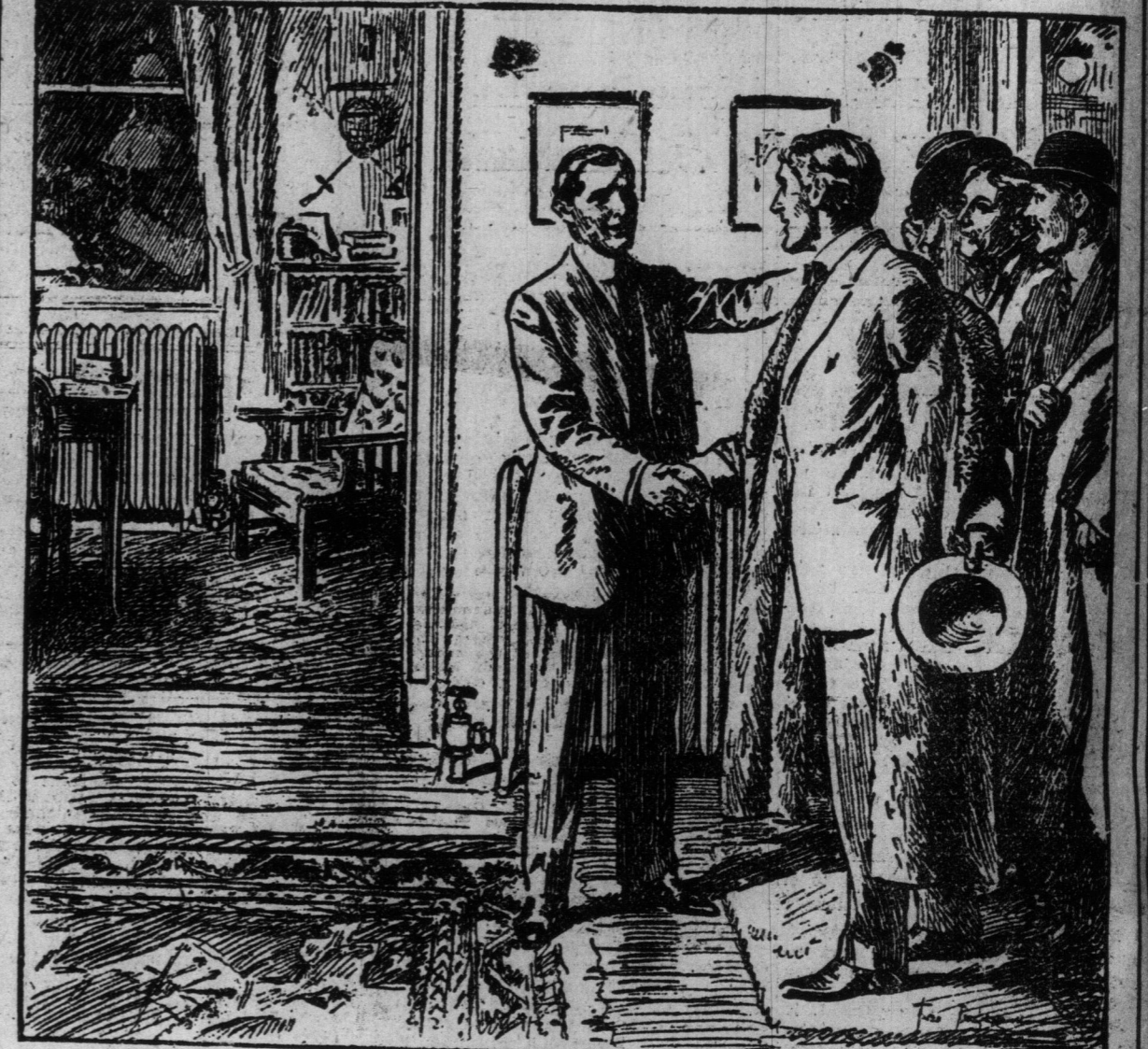
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FOREIGN PAGEANT

The members of the Toronto Y.W.C.A. are preparing a foreign association pageant to be presented the first week in March.

4. It will be given free to all the members of the association, and on Thursday it will be open to the public. Scenes of the work of the Y.W.C.A. in Japan, China, India, South America, etc., with native costumes, will be presented, and native music will be played by members of the branch of the Toronto Conservatory of Music residence Y.

It Will Be a Proud Day For You When You Can Say :



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NOW, while the wife is fixing up the "spread" for you to help us to celebrate the opening of the new home, I'll show you the house. There's a sun-room I built little, reliable old garden that furnished the potatoes, and celery for to-night's feast. Cultivating that garden has made me 50 per cent. healthier, to say nothing of cutting down the cost of living 50 per cent.

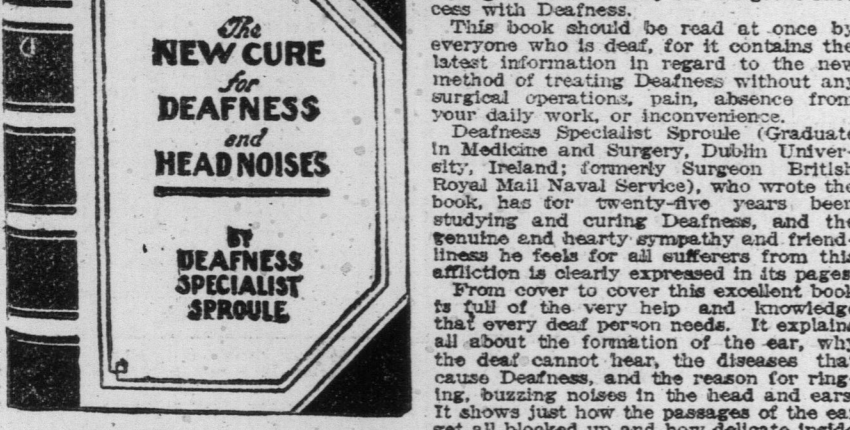
DINNER'S READY! Now, just before we go into the dining-room, let me hand you boys some food for thought: To you married fellows, I want to say that you don't know you're living. Come over here and see the difference: Pure air--pure water--fruit--home and garden of your own--vegetables--flowers--health--lots of elbow room--and a lawn and flowers like the estate of an earl. You single friends of mine--take a 5-dollar bill and put it to work in a piece of land like mine in St. Catharines. Even if you don't want to build, there are hundreds like me who do, and growing demand makes growing prices for land. 4000 people came to this city during the past two years and land values increased by \$6000 every day. If you want to build up home, health or bank account put \$5 in a St. Catharines building lot. I know what I'm talking about--you see the result.

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That Son-in-Law of Pa's



By G. H. Wellington

A PAGE OF SPECIALS AT SIMPSON'S

Beginning the Last Week of the Furniture Sale

February, the Home Furnishing Month, ends with the week. We cannot too strongly urge you to take advantage of the special prices that prevail in these departments during the next six business days.

A Special Motor Suit for Men at \$13.50

Made from an English whipcord in medium dark shades. The coat is single-breasted and has four outside patch pockets with flaps and yoke, Norfolk back with half belt, fashionable pants and vests. The tailoring is the best. Price... \$13.50

Men's Fur Lined Coats

Splendid quality of Canadian spring muskrat linings, dark full-furred and well matched skins, fine grade imported beaver, shell, and collars of prime Canadian otter and Persian lamb skins. Regularly \$75.00. Monday's price... \$46.00

Boys' Furnishings

Boys' Imported all-wool cashmere jerseys, in plain navy and plain brown only. Fast on shoulder. Sizes 20 to 32. Monday 1.00

Monday Values in Gas Supplies

Upright Incandescent Gas Burners complete with white opal globe and mantle. Regularly selling 40c. Monday... 35c

The Newest Fiction Selling Monday

"Witness for the Defence," by Mason... 1.10 "Rocks of Valpre," by Dell... 1.10

Wardrobe Trunks

Specialty constructed veneer wood box, covered with heavy canvas and studded fiber. Heavy brass hinges and supports, Yale lock. Fitted with hangers for dresses, suits, etc.

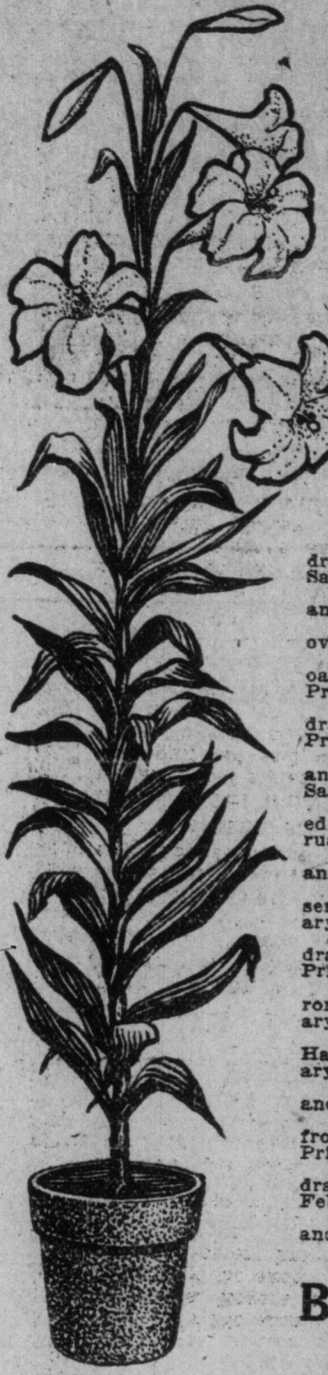
DINNERWARE

77-piece Dinner Set, decoration of Canton Blue dinner set. Regularly \$5.25. Monday bargain 6.19



House Furnishing Sale

WATCH EACH DAY'S SPECIALS... THEY WILL BE BETTER THAN EVER. 200 Pairs Only. Nottingham lace curtains on the toboggan, white only, 3 1/4 yards long. Regularly 85c and 95c per pair. Monday, pair... 59c



Brussels Rugs, Japanese Mattings and Floorcloths at Low Prices

A splendid lot of serviceable, good-looking rugs are included in this lot of Brussels Rugs, all of which are reduced liberally for the last week of this great February House Furnishing Sale.

Special February Sale. 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in. 5.49 and 6.89 9 ft. 0 in. x 9 ft. 0 in. 11.89, 14.69 and 16.49

New Canadian Wall Papers. Pulp Papers in neat designs for bedrooms, kitchens, halls, dining rooms, walls and ceilings, per roll, 4c, 6c, 8c, 10c, 12c

Rogers Silver Plated Tableware

Ten spoons, full size, in a dainty plaid pattern, as illustrated. Rogers' silver-plated on a nickel silver base. Regularly \$2.00 dozen. For Monday only, set of six... 59c

Monday Basement Sale

WOMEN'S BUTTON AND LACED BOOTS, \$2.49. "Classic" and other well-known brands, in patent calf, tan Russian calf, gummed, and Vicid kid leathers.

Children's Boots, 99c

"Classic" "Nursery" and "Mother Hubbard" boots for little children, made in pretty styles on neat, easy fitting lasts.

Men's Boots, \$2.95

Men's button and laced boots in gummed, tan Russian calf, Vicid kid, velours calf, patent calf and tan black winter calf leathers. Every pair of these boots is Godfrey welled, and the lasts are the newest. Sizes 5 1/2 to 11. Regularly \$4.00 and \$4.50. Monday... 2.95

Boys' Boots, \$1.99

Strom's box kid leather, made on good-looking easy-fitting lasts, in laced Bluch-style, solid leather double soles, very suitable for school wear. Sizes 1 to 5. Monday \$1.99. Youths' sizes, 11 to 13, Monday \$1.69.

Monday Basement Sale

Tin Wash Boilers, with flat copper bottom, to suit size 8 or 9 stove. Regularly \$1.25 and \$1.45, for... \$1.09

The Groceries

Finest Golden Cornmeal, per stone... 85c Choice Picnic Ham, 8 to 10 lbs each, per lb... 16c



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