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BATTLE CRISIS IS MORE SATISFACTORY; LULL BEFORE THE NEW STORM BREAKS

FOE'S LINES RAKED BY CANUCK CANNON FOR ENTIRE NIGHT

Heavies, Mortars and Light Guns Sweep the Enemy Front For Thousands of Yards, While Creeping Barrage Hammers His Communications.

Canadian Army Headquarters, by W. A. Willison, Correspondent of the Canadian Press, March 30.—From early last night until 6 a.m. today the noise of guns has been persistent upon the whole front from the south to Hill No. 70 in the north. Steadily for over ten hours our heaviest field guns, trench mortars and machine guns maintained their fire on thousands of yards of front against the enemy trenches, support and assembly areas, communications and strong points. At 11 o'clock and again at 5:30 our artillery fire increased to battle intensity, the enemy assembly and concentration areas and communication roads being raked with creeping barrages. The intensity and duration of the fire was such that no enemy attack developed north of Oppy.

CHASED THE BOCHES.

Before the great battle began two enemy attempts were made to raid our lines. At one point an enemy party was sent over to see if our front line was occupied. It was challenged by one of our bombing patrols. The enemy attacked the post. In the fighting which followed the Bosche was driven out of our trenches by rifle fire and pursued by a Canadian bombing squad. Two prisoners were captured and numerous casualties were inflicted on the Hun. Our casualties were nil.

Raid Defeated.

Another raid against our positions was completely defeated, with estimated enemy casualties of 20. The raids were preceded by heavy artillery and trench mortar barrages. The enemy placed a box barrage around one of our posts and advanced to attack in two parties, one 20 strong and the other fifteen. The Canadians broke up both attacks with rifle and machine gun fire before the enemy got within 30 yards of our line.

A Sharp Encounter.

Another sharp encounter took place the same morning between a Canadian officer and four other ranks and a much larger party of Boches. Hearing the voices of the enemy, the officer crawled up to the shell hole and to within ten yards of their post. Alarmed, the Germans sniped the position for fifteen minutes and then rushed the shell hole. Emptying his revolver, the officer succeeded in fighting his way through the ten, regaining the rest of his party, which then attacked the enemy, and after lively bombing exchanges amongst the ruined buildings, forced them to retreat.

Full of Fight.

Additional information regarding the previous enemy raid, in which the Hun was repulsed with heavy losses after securing a momentary footing in our lines, shows that the attackers came over in a strength of 200. Notable features of the fight were that all our casualties were from shell fire, and that some of our men who took a foremost part in trench fighting had only been five hours in the line and had never been in the trenches before. They acquitted themselves splendidly.

Morale is Excellent.

The Canadian forces are following with intense interest the gallant struggles of the heroic British army opposing such overwhelming enemy strength. Our men wait with stern confidence for whatever may develop, having no fear of the ultimate issue. The morale of the Canadian forces was never better, and whatever happens Canada in the field will not be unworthy of its glorious record.

The interest among Canadians is centred particularly on the gallant struggle of the third army under Canada's old leader, Gen. Byng. As the once master-soldier of the Canadian forces, he holds a warm place in Canadian hearts and Canadian admiration for his gallant army is intense and universal.

JAP PREMIER SEES HUN PERIL IN EAST

Will Be Ready To Block Any Move of the Germans.

London, March 30.—"The fear is rightly entertained that Germany's influence may gradually extend eastward and prove a menace to the peace of the Far East," said Premier Terauchi, in an address to the Upper House of the Japanese Parliament, as quoted in a Reuter dispatch from Tokio.

"Should the situation develop in such a way as to endanger the security and well being of our country or to call for action to protect the common interests of the Allies, this Government is resolved to take steps to cope adequately with the situation."

The premier said events might demand reassembling the Diet, which was prorogued on Wednesday.

SAMMIES ALL READY FOR GERMAN PLUNGE WHICH DIDN'T COME

American Barrage Apparently Upset Plans of the Enemy.

With the American Army in France, March 29.—One of the American positions in a town on the line northwest of Toul was heavily bombarded for five hours, ending at 3 o'clock this morning. The enemy used shrapnel, high explosive, gas and incendiary shells.

At the same time the enemy started fires back of his line in No Man's Land, which gave off dense clouds of smoke. The fact that four troops of enemy cavalry were seen at sundown yesterday, and the development of the bombardment into barrage led to the contingent that the enemy was using his smoke clouds to conceal advancing troops. One body of enemy troops was observed on one of the flanks.

The barrage of the Americans swept across No Man's Land and another in the direction of the flank, the Americans standing by ready for the Germans. None of them appeared, however.

The incendiary shells of the enemy set fire to the grass and camouflaged positions in the American lines. The blazes burned briskly until the rain quenched them.

SIXTEEN FOE PLANES DOWNED ON FRIDAY

Tremendous Peppering For Germans by British Airmen.

London, March 29.—Sixteen German airplanes were put out of action yesterday by the British, it is announced officially. The statement follows:

"A majority of our attacks were made on enemy groups on the battle front on Thursday south of the Somme, where large concentrations of the enemy were constantly reported. The work continued until dark, in spite of rainstorms and low clouds. Twenty-six tons of bombs were dropped, and nearly a quarter of a million rounds were fired upon different targets.

"There was not much fighting, considering the number of British machines in the air, but on the battle front the fire from the Germans became very heavy. Nine German machines were brought down, five others were disabled, and two others were shot down by fire from the ground. Twelve of our machines are missing."

DEAD IN NEW YORK HOTEL.

New York, March 30.—Wm. Palmer, about 43 years, married, of Montreal, was found dead in his room in the Hotel McAlpine about midnight last night. Dr. Clements of the New York Hospital said he had been dead about twelve hours. Death was due to natural causes. Mr. Palmer was in the printing business in Montreal.

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BRITISH TROOPS FOUGHT GRANDLY ALL YESTERDAY

Wavered But Slightly in Face of Greatly Superior Numbers.

HEAVIES ESCAPE TRAP

Machine Gun Squad Cut Off From Force Doing Great Execution.

London, March 30.—The British line held magnificently throughout Friday, according to Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France.

British Army Headquarters in France March 30.—The German attempt to force the British back along the Scarpe and capture Arras cost them an enormous price in casualties, although they used ten divisions. North of the river the British held to their positions and wavered but slightly before the enemy onslaught. South of the river, however, the British retired slightly between Fampoux and Boisleux.

Hard Fighting the Rule.

There was hard fighting on both sides of the Scarpe. To the north the most desperate conflict was staged about Roeux, which was the scene of sanguinary struggles last year. North of Gavrelle, the enemy tried to push the British back on Bailleul, but were repulsed by withering machine gun fire. South of the river the most bitter fighting was about Telegraph Hill, which changed hands several times.

Saved the Heavies.

Below the Somme British artillery has been doing marvelous work in getting the heavy guns back during the withdrawal. One battery of heavies was cut off and lost for three days, although often surrounded, the men worked their way out to the British lines with all the guns.

On high ground near Albert there are five machine gunners who are cut off six hundred yards in front of their own infantry, but who still are doing great execution among the enemy. Tanks also have been doing a small but important work. They have been travelling in pairs, stemming the advance and making prisoners.

The Crucial Zone.

That sectors of the long battlefront lying south of the River Somme continued today to be the crucial zone of conflict. The Germans, following up their small gains of yesterday in their northward drive toward Amiens, were pressing the attack vigorously. They were meeting with the most obstinate resistance on the part of the British defenders, however, and latest reports state that there has been little or no change in the situation since last night despite the hard fighting. On the extreme north the enemy had desisted for the moment from their assault against Arras, but there are indications that they are only waiting for fresh troops before renewing their drive.

SHIPBUILDERS REACH BETTER UNDERSTANDING WITH THE EMPLOYEES

Ottawa, March 30.—The conference between representatives of Canadian shipbuilders east of Fort William and their employees which concluded Thursday evening, is said to have resulted in a better understanding between the parties.

Although the conference was unable to arrive at any definite agreement with regard to the scale of wages before the delegates dispersed for their homes, a joint committee was appointed which will consider the points at issue between the shipbuilders and their employees and endeavor to adjust them. The shipbuilders, who are at present engaged on contract work taken before the demand for increased wages came from the men argue that when figuring on these contracts they took into account the scale of wages then prevailing. Therefore until the present contracts are filled they do not feel that they should be asked to increase wages.

The negotiations between the representatives of the shipbuilders and the employees forming the joint committee may, however, result in an adjustment of the wage difficulty. Before leaving for home the delegates expressed themselves as being well satisfied with the results of the conference.

PROHIBIT CIRCULATION OF MEE'S "THE PARASITE"

Ottawa, March 29.—Definite action prohibiting the sale and circulation in Canada of the book, "The Parasite," has been taken under a censorship notice which will appear in Saturday's Canada Gazette. It will be recalled that exception was taken to the book because it contained extracts from "The Fiddlers" and "Defeat," two books previously denied the right of circulation in Canada. The censorship notice in part is as follows:

"Notice is hereby given that editions of the book, 'The Parasite,' by Arthur Mee, and Ben H. Spence, with a foreword by Dr. Stuart Holden, M.A., published in February, 1918, by the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance, Toronto, and said to have been printed by the Methodist Book Room, Toronto, and 'The Parasite,' by Arthur Mee and Ben H. Spence, with a foreword by Dr. Stuart Holden, M.A., published in the same way, and said to have been printed by the Ahmed Fleming Printing Company, Toronto, have been declared by the secretary of state of Canada, to contain objectionable matter, and that the possession within Canada of any issue or copy of the said 'The Parasite,' has been prohibited. Any person guilty of an offence against this order shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding $5,000, or imprisonment for any term not exceeding five years, or to both such fine and imprisonment."

ONTARIO TROOPS IN CONTROL OF QUEBEC CITY SITUATION AFTER STORMY, RIOTOUS NIGHT

SAYS BOURASSA IS SEDITIOUS

Montreal, March 30.—L'Evenement of Quebec, whose offices were wrecked last night, yesterday published a communication which stated that if Henri Bourassa were in France he would be sent before a court-martial on account of his seditious articles. "His articles are directed against the Allies, and especially against England, which he constantly represents under the worst possible colors. His articles are of the most criminal and seditious character, and have done an irreparable wrong to the French-Candians and the Province of Quebec, a great many of our people being influenced by his crazy doctrines."

Mayor Blames Cowardice of Police For Outbreak—City Is Quiet This Morning.

Quebec, March 30.—After a stormy, riotous night, during which two newspaper offices and the premises of Registrar Gobeil were destroyed with the military patrolling the streets, Quebec was very quiet this morning. The regiments in quarters in Quebec come from Ontario, and they have been reinforced by local militia.

Police Were Cowardly.

Mayor Lavigneur began this investigation of grave charges made against the police in regard to the smashing up of the Chronicle and L'Evenement offices. One correspondent wrote here that "Mayor Lavigneur, faced with the absolute breakdown of the civil machinery, largely due to the indifference or cowardice of some of the police force, was compelled to call on the soldiers to save the city from a mob."

Cheered the Leaders.

Eye-witnesses of last night's scenes this morning reported that the ringleaders of the mob, to the number of two hundred, smashed down the doors leading to the wing in which the Government offices were located. The crowd behind raised a cheer. On each story up to the top were windows which the missiles had broken, and consequently the crowd in the street could see through and watch their fellows going upstairs to the registrar's office, which had the top floor. It was a narrow wooden stairway they had to climb. As their progress was noted at each floor through the window openings, the crowd raised a cheer. Soon they had gained the top. Then could be heard rending of furniture and smashing of chairs and through the windows thrown floods of exemption forms, notices to report for service, and all the other documents they could lay their hands on. The applause was terrific.

Sang "O Canada."

As the building burst into flames, the crowd sang "O Canada."

The mayor told the Canadian Press today that the strictest measures have been taken today to prevent the recurrence of the riots here.

Gen. Landrey, commander of the Quebec Military District, said that he had not yet received instructions to proclaim martial law, but that measures are being taken to protect the property and lives of citizens.

THE MAYOR'S EXPLANATION.

Quebec, March 30.—Although it was apparent from his actions while standing in the fire chief's automobile and waving a document that Mayor Lavigneuer had read the riot act, he denied later having done so. The mayor stated that he intended reading it, but when he arrived on the scene things were quieted down, and he did not think it necessary. He regretted the damage to property, but admitted that he did not believe that rumors which were going the rounds during the afternoon were as serious as they afterwards turned out to be. He also said that the force of 20 to 30 policemen was inadequate to handle such a disturbance, though they had done well, under the circumstances.

NO ARRESTS YET.

Quebec, March 30.—There was evidently an organized attempt to destroy the exemption records in the rioting here last night, though it failed because the actual reports on cases were in a specially constructed vault. Young men are reported to have announced that there "would be some fun at the registrar's office on Good Friday."

No arrests had been made in connection with the damaging of the newspaper offices or for firing the registrar's office, this morning.

ONE CHANGE IN ARRAS LINES

London, March 30.—Strong enemy patrols in the Arras sector penetrated the British outpost line near Arleux and forced the posts to withdraw after intense fighting. This appears to be the only change in the lines near Arras.

A spectacular manoeuvre by the British command just after the capture of Roeux became known today. A body of British troops was cut off when the Germans enveloped Roeux on Thursday. The surrounded men clung tenaciously to the village in the face of bitter onslaughts until night when, under cover of darkness, they were withdrawn successfully through a gap which was torn in the enemy line.

CABINET CONFERENCE THIS AFTERNOON ON THE QUEBEC RIOTING

Mayor Charges That M. S. A. Officials Largely Responsible.

BORDEN WANTS FACTS

Confidential Report Said To Have Reached Govt. From Col. Landry.

Ottawa, March 30.—The Government is keeping closely in touch with the situation as it has developed at Quebec. The prime minister and the minister of justice were in conference yesterday afternoon and evening in regard to the situation, and a meeting of the Cabinet Council has been called for the early afternoon to discuss the matter. It is understood that the chief of the general staff, Gen. Gwatkin, and the Government has been in close communication with Col. Landry, the general officer commanding military forces in the Quebec district.

This morning the Government has been in communication with Col. Macnin, the special representative sent to Quebec yesterday, and it is believed that a confidential report has been received from him dealing with the situation as it has developed and is likely to develop.

The matter of proclaiming martial law has not, it is understood, yet been considered by the Government. That is likely to depend on whether or not there is a serious recurrence of the disturbance.

Mayor Explains.

The premier received from E. Lavigneuer, mayor of Quebec, the following telegram:

"I am unaware of press accounts on which you base statement contained in your telegram of March 28, to the effect that the attitude of the municipal police authorities was passive, that no real effort was made by the civic authorities to prevent the assault on federal officers or put down disturbance. Such accounts, doubtless, were grossly exaggerated in the outside press. The disturbance of last night and tonight are sincerely deplored by myself and citizens of Quebec. The lack of discretion tact and discrimination on the part of the officers responsible for the enforcement of the military service act seems, to a large extent, to account for these unfortunate occurrences. I sincerely trust that immediate instructions will be issued to the proper authorities here in order that further trouble be avoided."

The Premier's Reply.

To this telegram the Premier sent the following reply:

"Your telegram has been received and transmitted to the militia service council for their consideration. They desire to have particulars of the alleged lack of discretion, tact and discrimination to which you allude. My telegram to you made no statement beyond a reference to the press reports which were fairly summarized therein. If these reports are inaccurate it would be greatly in the public interest that the truth be known at once. To that end I hope you will let me know what steps were taken by the civic authorities to identify those who engaged in the assault on the federal officers, and whether any arrests have been made."

TURKS WILL SEND ARMY TO SEIZE THE CRIMEA

London, March 30.—A telegram from Copenhagen reports that an official statement issued by Turkey announces that Turkey is preparing an expedition to restore order in the Crimea.

Turkish newspapers have recently been asserting that, on the basis of the right of self-determination, Crimea should be joined to Turkey.

"SOME" FIGHTERS

London, March 30.—Among the feats of British endurance may be mentioned that of a detachment which marched eighteen hours, fought throughout one night and half of the next day, repelled three attacks, twice recaptured a certain village, and dug trenches.

HINDENBURG'S SMASH SLOWS UP BEFORE UNBREAKABLE WALL; FRENCH HOLDING THE BIG RUSH

SPEED AND SPIRIT WILL TURN TIDES AGAINST THE ENEMY

French Coming Fast to British Aid, Says Times.

ACCORD IS COMPLETE

Wilson, Haig, Petain and Foch All Working in Complete Harmony.

London, March 30.—Alluding to what it considers reassuring factors in the fighting in France, the Times says editorially:

"The whole front of the German attack has fallen so heavily upon the British army that we naturally are preoccupied here with the indomitable resistance displayed by our own regiments. But the British army fortunately does not stand alone. More and more as the great battle develops, the burden is being shared with us by the French forces which are closing in upon the right of our line. More and more also does the prospect of turning a retreat into a victory depend upon the speed and spirit with which the fresh divisions of British are able to deliver such counter-strokes as they began so successfully on Thursday.

French Coming Fast.

"Every account testifies to the amazing rapidity with which French troops are pouring into the struggle. This is exactly the sort of an emergency in which their national characteristic are always most conspicuous.

"And, let us add, with full knowledge of the facts and in view of the many misleading rumors, there never was a moment before in the whole war when co-operation of the higher commands and of the general staff was so nearly complete.

All Working Together.

"The crisis of the past ten days has served only to hasten and to crystallize arrangements for the mutual support under which Field Marshal Haig and Sir Henry Wilson are working with Gen. Foch and Gen. Petain. They have all been in the closest personal touch during the present week, and in every step they have taken they have had the fullest support of Premier Lloyd George and Premier Clemenceau, whose irrepressible courage is a godsend to France in this hour, and to the whole alliance.

"Also, although this factor is necessarily of less immediate importance, let us pay tribute to the promptitude and hearty goodwill with which the American military authorities have met every claim made upon them.

"It is well to remember at such a time that the Allies have these gigantic resources steadily mobilizing behind them."

STATES IS FIGHTING FOR LATIN-AMERICA

Bryce Points Out Peril to the South American Republics.

London, March 30.—Latin America's vital interest in Germany's plan of aggrandisement and attempt to crush all world democracies is pointed out in messages addressed to the people of all the South American republics by Viscount Bryce and Viscount Northcliffe.

"This war," says Bryce, "is unlike any other the world has seen, not only in the vastness of its scale, but in the tremendous issues involved. It is a war of principle, a war waged for liberty against military tyranny, a war to save mankind from being enslaved by one ambitious and aggressive power, whose military chiefs have proclaimed that they mean to dominate Europe first and then the western hemisphere. That is what brought the United States to fight beside the Allies in Europe."

BOLSHEVIK PREMIER ILL WITH PNEUMONIA

London, March 30.—Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik premier, is ill of pneumonia, a Reuter's Petrograd correspondent reports. The correspondent also says it is reported that Gen. Alexieff, former Russian commander-in-chief, who recently has been one of the leaders in the Cossack movement against the Bolsheviki, has been arrested in the Don region.

HOW CORNERED BRITISH GUNNERS GALLANTLY SAVED THE BATTERY

British Headquarters, March 30.—Describing the fighting on the Somme a correspondent says: "At one point where the Germans got across the river in force about Cerisy taking the troops in the Proyart-Mericourt neighborhood in the rear, we fell back, but the retirement was gallantly done. Our men were taken in the rear before they knew it.

"As there were guns to be got away the infantry and gunners faced round and for a while some of our field artillery was firing with open sights into the enemy. Then came an infantry charge, which succeeded in driving the superior force of the enemy back to the river bank, holding them there until the guns were got away. This section of the line then swung back to new positions running by Hamel and La Motte."

London and Paris Today Report the Enemy Firmly Held At All Points, With French Desperately Resisting Heavy Assaults Near Montdidier.

FRENCH FIGHT DESPERATELY.

Paris, March 30.—French troops, supported by reserves, are offering desperate resistance to powerful assaults of the enemy, the war office announces.

Paris, March 30.—The battle, which was renewed with violence during the night, is progressing on a front of forty kilometres (about 25 miles) from Moreuil to beyond Lassigny.

LULL BEFORE NEW STORM.

London, March 30.—The Germans are still rushing forward artillery and reorganizing their forces, Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters reports. The slowing down in the battle, he says, probably is only a lull before another storm of still greater intensity.

The situation on the British sector of the new battle front this morning was more satisfactory from the Allied standpoint. The night comparatively quiet.

BRITISH LINES STRENGTHENED.

British Army Headquarters in France, March 30.—The British lines have been strengthened rapidly in every quarter along the front. There is a most heartening display of determination and optimism.

In the vicinity of Albert the Germans today are reported to be digging themselves in along the line from Thiepval to La Boiselle.

British Army Headquarters in France, March 30.—The situation today from the Entente viewpoint is reported more satisfactory. Along the British section of the battlefront last night was comparatively quiet.

ATTACK BROKE DOWN.

The statement follows: "North of the Somme only local actions have taken place. South of the Somme the enemy's attacks yesterday at Demuin and Mazieres succeeded in pressing back our troops from the latter village. We secured a number of prisoners in our counter-attacks. At Demuin all the enemy's attempts to capture the village broke down after sharp fighting, which lasted throughout the afternoon.

"During the past week our cavalry have fought with great gallantry both mounted and dismounted, and repulsed the enemy, inflicting heavy losses on him in numerous engagements."

COUNTRYSIDE FILLED WITH BODIES.

London, March 30.—The Morning Post's correspondent in France draws a gruesome picture of battlefield conditions. "Prisoners state that the countryside is full of bodies, and that the air is horrible with the odor of death," he writes. "Wells cannot be used. The ruined villages are impossible as billets because they are strewn with German dead. There are piles of bodies along the roads and between them. The enemy has only recently found time to bury any of his dead.

"The spectacle of the battlefield carpeted with the bodies of their comrades has affected fresh troops, who in this way discovered to their surprise that the British are not too weak to fight. Prisoners say that the British endurance and skill in fighting is delaying the progress of the German army.

ATTACK BROKE DOWN.

London, March 30.—The Germans, attacking yesterday at Demuin and Mozieres pressed back the British from Mezieres, the war office announced. All the enemy's attempts to capture Demuin broke down after sharp fighting, which lasted through the afternoon.

WAR TIDES SLACKEN.

British Army Headquarters in France, March 30.—For a brief space the tides of conflict have slackened, but any moment they may set in again. When the Germans have brought forward their artillery and overhauled their fighting machine the struggle undoubtedly will be renewed, perhaps with greater ferocity than before.

Yesterday afternoon the enemy had a small success south of the Luce River on the British right flank. Strong German forces, attacking there, captured Mezieres and also Maison Blanche, north of that village. The British immediately organized a counter-attack and pushed forward determinedly against the invaders.

TWELVE MILES FROM AMIENS.

London, March 30.—The heavy continued pressure of the enemy's converging movement has brought the Germans to within about twelve miles of Amiens. The British line is now west of Marcel Cave and Demun, but despite this, the situation is still regarded as hopeful. While the enemy advance has not yet been arrested, it certainly has been greatly retarded.

The explanation for the movement on Arras, according to French critics, is that the Germans felt that the shape of the salient driven into the British line exposed them to flank counter-attacks, and they extended their offensive toward Arras. However, although the enemy achieved some local successes, including the capture of a British battalion, which fought courageously until surrounded, the attempt to capture Arras failed.

French Hopeful.

French military authorities feel very hopeful over their success in baffling the enemy design to drive down the valley of the Oise, and declare that the German attempt to break through at the junction of the British and French armies in the Montdidier region also was a failure.

The French claim that the Germans took Mondidier too late to profit by the move, and that the French now have forces in this region strong enough to meet all eventualities.

GERMANS PAY GREAT PRICE.

British Army Headquarters in France, March 29.—German prisoners taken in yesterday's fighting declare that they were told before entering the battle that Arras must be taken at all costs. Already they have paid a great price in lives in the endeavor to occupy the city, for the slaughter among the storming troops was exceedingly heavy.

Defences Draw Closer.

Along the rest of the battle front the fighting was normal. The British defences today were drawn closer about the eastern side of Arras, yesterday's fierce attacks having forced a readjustment of the line in some places. Four divisions were used by the Germans along a narrow front between Gavrelle and Boyelles, east of Arras, and at least two of these were special storming divisions.

Ranks Badly Ripped.

After a strong bombardment, the enemy advanced in masses, carrying large numbers of machine guns. One report says there was one machine gun for every two infantrymen. An intense barrage by the British artillery did terrible execution.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 58; lowest, 22.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 44; lowest, 32.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND VERY MILD

Toronto, March 30—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Fair and very mild today and on Sunday.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather
Victoria	58	46	Fair
Calgary	66	36	Cloudy
Winnipeg	64	36	Cloudy
Port Arthur	50	20	Cloudy
Parry Sound	44	28	Cloudy
Port Stanley	46	34	Fair
Toronto	52	34	Clear
Ottawa	44	34	Fair
Montreal	44	34	Fair

Weather Notes.

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LOCAL BRANCH OF G. W. V. A. HAS BEEN GREAT HELP TO THE NEEDY FAMILIES OF SOLDIERS

Interesting Resume of Asso ciation's Activities Since Its Formation Under Title of Returned Soldiers' Association —Gave Valuable Aid in S ecuring Fuel During Winter.

The increasing number of Canadian soldiers being brought back to this military district has brought the Great War Veterans' Association to the fore most prominently. An interesting history of the Returned Soldiers' Association of London, now know as the Great War Veterans' Association, London branch, has been prepared.



The Returned Soldiers' Association was formed in London on April 16, 1916, by a small body of returned men who decided to form a club or association. The aims and objects of this union was an effort on the part of the returned men to help themselves. All the officers are returned soldiers, and its membership is confined to those who have left Canadian soil for the firing line in this great war. No distinction is made between officers who have served overseas and the rank and file who have done their bit. To each is given the hand of comradeship of the association upon presentation of proper credentials and an expressed desire to affiliate with other comrades.

The first meeting of the Returned Soldiers' Association was held in the council chamber of the city hall by permission of the then mayor, Dr. H. A. Stevenson. Sergt.-Major Burdette was elected president; Sergt. Nightingale, vice-president, and the late Pte. Alex. Ritchie, secretary-treasurer. At the second meeting in the council chamber it was decided to secure rooms, not only for meetings, but for social and other gatherings and the Conservative Club was rented. The Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire offered the returned men any assistance it could, and a tag day was held and the generosity of the citizens of London was demonstrated in the $800 which was given.

In June, 1916, the rooms, known as the Moose Hall at 380 Richmond street, were rented, and the furniture of the Moose Lodge purchased for $125. A piano was added to the furniture.

On July 4th, through the president leaving the city, an election of officers was held, and the following returned:

Honorary President.—The Mayor.
Honorary First Vice-President.—Lieut.-Col. W. G. Coles.
Honorary Second Vice-President—Major B. Osborne, M.P.M.
Honorary Third Vice-President—Major Gordon Ingram.
Honorary Fourth Vice-President—Lieut.-Col. Delamere.
Chaplain—Rev. G. B. Sage.
President—Sergt. G. Nightingale.
Vice-President—Pte. A. Williams.
Secretary-Treasurer—Pte. A. Ritchie.

The first question was the name for the club, and it was decided to call it "The Returned Soldiers' Association of Military District No. 1." The initiation fee was placed at $1, with a monthly fee of $1, in order to finance the undertaking.

The I. O. D. E. donated a desk for the use of the secretary, whose time and services were given gratuitously. A grant of $25 was also made by the trades and labor council.

In September, when Secretary Ritchie was compelled to return to the hospital because of wounds, from which he never recovered, and which caused his death after eighteen months illness, Sergt. John Rawlings was elected secretary. At the same time Sergt. Nightingale, having secured a Government position, resigned, and Vice-President Williams was elected president. On November 28, through an accident at the bombing school in Queen's Park, Sergt. Rawlings lost part of his hand, and Sergt. G. Wyatt was elected secretary.

On Christmas of that year the first Christmas treat was given for the children of all returned men. A canvass of citizens and businessmen provided sufficient toys and clothing for 250 children. Santa Claus drove from the association rooms to the Lyric Theatre and the Y. M. C. A., where the tree was placed and a splendid entertainment provided.



At the next meeting it was decided to present to each fallen comrade's wife a memorial brooch, in memory of the first Christmas tree, and to make the tree an annual institution. Those brooches were in the form of a maple leaf, in gilt, with a shield of silver in the centre bearing the words, "In Sympathy." Around the sides were the words "Returned Soldiers' Association." The battalion number of the husband was placed on the shield, and on the back was placed the widow's name.

The request has been made that anyone finding any of these brooches return it to the G. W. V. A. rooms.

On December 28 a nomination for officers was held and a resolution passed that officers going overseas could not become honorary members, but must become active members.

The following officers were unanimously elected: Honorary president, the mayor; president, Comrade (Lieut.-Col.) W. G. Coles; vice-president, Comrade A. Williams; secretary, Comrade J. Struad; treasurer, Comrade (Major) Gordon Ingram.

At a get-acquainted dinner the full membership, 96, sat down. This dinner was the first order of business for the newly-elected executive.

There being so much work to do among the families of the returned men, a new L. O. D. E. Chapter—C. E. F. Returned Chapter—was organized on March 8. Its membership was limited to the mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of returned soldiers. On April 21, 1917, a tag day and concert were held by the R. S. A. and C. E. F. Returned Chapter, the sum of $1,145 being raised. The proceeds were divided between the two organizations.

Badges Presented.

The concert was held in the Masonic Hall and the memorial brooches were presented to the war widows by Sir George Gibbons.

On April 23, 1917, the anniversary of Ypres was observed, the veterans parading to St. Paul's Cathedral under the command of Lieut.-Col. Coles and Major Baron Osborne. Two members of the original 1st Battalion carried memorial wreaths. At the church, the returned men were met by Bishop Williams and Canon Tucker. The memorial wreaths were placed on the altar in remembrance of the fallen comrades who gave their lives at the great battle of Ypres, April 21-23, 1915.

Amalgamation With G. W. V. A.

On June 26, 1917, the Returned Soldiers' Association died a natural death, the local branch becoming affiliated with the Great War Veterans' Association, which had secured a Dominion charter with headquarters at Ottawa. The former R. S. A. became known as Branch of Military District No. 1, the name being the only change, as all officers remained as under the former organization.

Crest of G. W. V. A.

On July 20 the first picnic of the returned men was held at Port Stanley. Wives, families and widows were invited and a big gathering resulted. Tickets for the return trip were provided as well as for amusements at the beach and the incline railway, etc.

Some interesting sports were run off, including races for men on crutches and boxing in barrels for one armed men.

In all, some 2,500 took part in the picnic, and thanks to the officers of the soldiers' aid commission were extended for making the picnic such a success.

The auditors' report showed receipts from February 6, 1917, to October 31, 1917, as $3,505.98, with disbursements of $2,209.11, leaving a balance in the bank of $1,296.87 on October 31. The secretary's salary was raised $100 per annum.

On November 27 a Victory Bond for $500 was purchased. On December 11, $100 was voted to the Halifax relief fund.

Relief Work The Past Winter.

In December an appeal was made to the secretary for fuel because of the general shortage in London. A committee was appointed to interview the dealers, with the result that more than 200 soldiers' families received 500 pounds each, between 50 and 60 tons of coal being delivered by the G. W. V. A., as well as some five cords of hardwood. In addition, some 35 families were assisted with clothing, groceries and fuel through the efforts of the C. E. F. Returned Chapter.

Homes were provided for a number of little ones whose fathers were either overseas or returned, and whose mothers were ill. In all 11 children found foster homes.

On Dec. 19, the second annual Christmas tree was held at the armories, and not only the returned soldiers' kiddies but those of all men who had been or were in khaki, were invited. More than 3,000 children were made happy on that day. The next tree will have to be a still larger one for Santa Claus was given a list from at least 50 per cent of the children present of what they wanted next year.

During the months of January, February and March $500 had been loaned in coal, and $150 spent in groceries and fuel for needy families.

NEW FEATURES OF STUDEBAKERS MAKE CAR ONE OF FINEST

Many Improvements Shown in Latest Model.

NEW LIGHT SIX SERIES

One Car Already in Stock at A. B. Greer & Son's Rooms.

Something entirely different in design from any of the old model cars is the new 1919 series "Light Six" Studebaker, which arrived in London this week and is now on exhibition in the showrooms of A. B. Greer & Son.

Owing to the fact that war orders have held up the production to some extent, the first of the new 1919 series only arrived a few days ago, but one view of it is sufficient to make it plain that it is well worth waiting for.

The motor is similar to that in last year's model, being the standard Studebaker power plant with the usual staunchness and reliability, and yet having as additional features several improvements and refinements that make for ease and economy of operation.

One Model In City.

Only one of the new series is in London at present, but a shipment is expected about the first of the month that should be sufficient to supply all early demands.

Three models are being made in the 1919 series of Studebakers, a light four, a light six and a big six. The latter compares favorably with any of the larger cars on the market in America today. Intermediate transmission, new axles, bodies, tops, windshields, radiators, hoods, fenders, and many other features that are different from the previous models have been added with a view to making it more convenient for the man who owns the car.

Among the new features is the "hot-spot" manifold a scientifically-shaped intake manifold, which gives the highest vaporization of fuel and a correct mechanical distribution of gases, resulting in greater engine power and increased fuel-economy. More mileage per gallon of fuel is the problem which every motor owner is interested in, and the "hot-spot" manifold helps a lot in this connection in keeping down the cost of operation.

Transmission Improved.

The transmission, located at an intermediate point in the chassis, is one of the improved features. It is supported by an extension of the sub-frame mounting which carries the rear of the motor. In it are four adjustable Timken bearings. The usual three-jawed clutch is replaced by the cutting of the second speed gear with internal teeth, which engage with the main drive pinion when in high gear, resulting in easy, quiet gear-shifting.

The new Studebakers are the last word in motor refinement, reliability and beauty of outline, combined with staunchness, and leave little to be desired by the prospective car-owner.

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LONDON EDITOR WHO JOINS O. A. C. STAFF AS NEW PROFESSOR



WADE TOOLE, managing editor of the Farmers' Advocate, who on May 1 becomes professor of animal husbandry at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Mr. Toole is one of the best-known livestock experts of the province, and his appointment to the college staff has been a most popular one, both at the college and in livestock circles generally.

SHAREHOLDERS OF PREMIER-LANGMUIR HEAR GOOD REPORTS

Further Showing of Silver Among Valuable Baryte.

More than one hundred and fifty shareholders of the Premier-Langmuir mine met at Hyman Hall on Thursday evening, when the most glowing reports as to progress at the property were received from President McIntosh, who came down from Porcupine for the occasion.

London capital to the extent of at least $150,000 has been invested in the mine, and operation commenced upon a scale not much larger than this in the aggregate. While there is a good deal of local activity in the stock, the company is said to have enough money to equip and operate and a steady shipment of baryte is expected to commence in a few weeks.

A report from the engineer in charge at the property referred to further showings of silver at the mine. A shaft sunk into the baryte has revealed much silver and the baryte vein also shows a considerable mixture of the metal that made Cobalt famous.

Owners of stock which has sold at various times from 20 cents to 35 cents in local trading are optimistic for this London-owned mine. Baryte is used very largely as a substitute for white lead in paint. Most of the world's supply came from Germany before the war, and $45 a ton is now quoted for it. War has also extensively developed its uses. The discovery of silver on the property led to investigations which showed that silver and baryte can be separated at little expense.

The London shareholders heard the reports with a good deal of satisfaction.

JONES-HEATH.

A happy event took place at the home of the bride's parents, 154 Ford avenue, Highland Park, Detroit, on Tuesday, March 26, at 6:30 p.m., when Miss Helen H. L. Heath, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Heath, was united in marriage to Russell H. Jones, a former resident of this city, and eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Jones, 19 Redan street. After a honeymoon trip to London and eastern points, the young couple will reside in Highland Park, Mich.

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WINNERS OF PRIZES IN McCLARY TOURNAMENTS GIVEN THEIR REWARDS

Prizes were presented to the winners in the sports tournament of the McClary foundry employees on Thursday evening in the amusement hall of the foundry. J. M. Gunn, chairman, made the presentations. The winning teams in the basketball league were captained by J. McCuaig, first, and R. MacDonald, second. The trophy and prizes for the players were donated by Messrs. Tapp and Ickson of the foundry staff.

George Tingey and John Marchant, by their skill at checkers, won the umbrellas which were donated by James Lindsay.

The euchre prizes, consisting of a smoking set, won by W. Durham, and $2 won by D. McGill, were donated by George Prudhomme. D. McGill immediately gave over his prize to be used for charitable purposes.

The referees, James Lindsay, George Tapp and James Dickson, were presented with tokens in recognition of their services. James Lindsay received an umbrella and the other two men were presented with pipes.

A good program was rendered by local talent. Instrumental numbers were given by Tessie Comber, A. Lawrence and J. Pefrson. Gladys Comber delighted the audience with a bagpipe selection. Songs by A. Bowyer, Sam Munro, and a solo by W. Collard, were well received.

Readings were given by Mary Shaw and Edna Quinn. The dancing of Gladys Comber, Mary Bishop and Earl Pierson was appreciated. Masters Archie and Bryce Tapp sang a duet to the delight of the audience.

A goodly sum was realized from the sale of refreshments.

Evangelist and Mrs. Belcher having recovered from their recent illness, will be at the York Street Mission Hall Sunday. Rev. B. L. Hutton will preach. Mrs. Harry Tull will sing. The Lord's super at the close of service.

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1918 Models, Glacier Sanitary Refrigerators

Model A.—Made of hardwood case, round corners, insulated with waterproof paper, five walls, retinned wire shelves and new patent waste pipe and trap in bottom of provision chamber, all removable for cleaning, solid brass lock and bolts, three sizes. Prices ..... $12.00, $16.00 and $19.95

Model B.—Ash front and top, with rounded corners, insulated with waterproof paper and wool felt, six walls, white enamel lined, solid brass lock and hinges, four sizes. Prices ..... $13.50, $17.50, $22.50 and $27.50

Model C.—White enamel lined, three-door table top, ash front and top, golden oak finish, six walls, new patent waste pipe and trap in bottom of provision chamber, all removable for cleaning. Three sizes. Prices ..... $26.50, $30.00 and $34.50

Model D.—Ash case, turquoise. porcelain lined, all in one piece, insulated with wool felt, ice chamber lined with galvanized steel, waste pipe and new patent trap, both made of brass, nickel plated, extra fine line. Two sizes. Prices ..... $40.00 and $42.00

Model E.—White porcelain lined, all one piece, three-door table top, ash case, ten walls, insulated with the best cocoa fibre, wool felt and charcoal sheathing, equipped with patent interior construction for returning water to waste pipe, extra fine case. Price $50.00

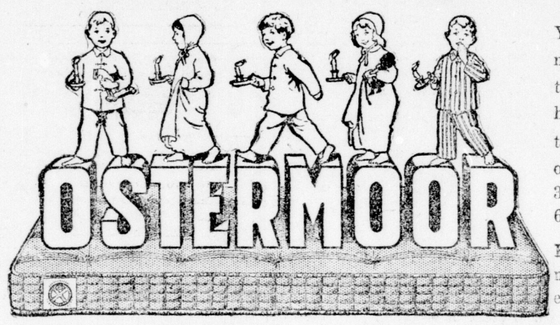
Model F.—Solid oak case, with round corners and raised front panels, quarter sawed oak, ten walls, ice rack, shelves, drain pipe and trap all removable, for cleaning, lined with one-pice porcelain on heavy sheet steel, round corners, extra fine case. Price $66.50

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New self-registering scales in the Basement. Step on the scales and your weight will register on the dial before you. No slot. Free.

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Door Mats are necessary these days to prevent the mud and dirt being tracked into the house. They are inexpensive, and if placed on the porch or at the door will save many times their cost in work. Different sizes priced at $1.20, $1.40, $1.50, $1.85, $2.00, $3.75, $4.00 and $5.00 each.



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BIG SAVINGS IN FEEDING GARBAGE FOR HOG FATTENING

Conservation Report Commends Proposal Made Here.

Interesting facts and figures in support of the fattening of pigs on city garbage, such as has been advocated here, are given by the Canadian commission on conservation. While the question has been allowed to more or less die out in London, following the retirement of ex-Controller R. W. Shaw from the municipal arena, it is believed that it will be brought to the fore again. The Ontario Legislature has taken steps to encourage garbage feeding.

The local proposal was to use the city garbage for feeding hogs at the Hospital for the Insane, where proper equipment for boiling and sterilizing the garbage is already in place. It was argued that not only could bacon production be stimulated in this way, but an appreciable amount saved in the operation of the garbage system.

1,600 Hogs Fattened.

Saskatoon's garbage last year fattened 1,600 hogs, according to a report of the commission on conservation. The work there is under the supervision of the health department, but the piggeries are privately owned. The report of the Saskatoon city veterinary inspector and the health officer says in part:

"There are from 500 to 800 hogs fed all the time, and, during the past three months there were over 400 hogs fattened upon boiled garbage mixed with a small amount of grain and sold from both places. A conservative estimate would at least be 1,600 hogs fattened and marketed during the year. This is quite an addition to the bacon supply for the year from one small city, and all from garbage formerly removed to the nuisance ground at the city's expense.

"In this city the feeding of boiled garbage to hogs according to our bylaw has proven eminently successful, and if this method were to be put into effect in every town and city in Canada (which could very easily be done), the hog production could be very greatly increased this summer."

A report of Worcester, Mass., says that 60 per cent of the city's garbage is being used for hogs at the city farm for indigent poor. Some 15 tons of garbage are collected and sent to the farm daily. Some 700 breeding sows are kept, and the total number of hogs is around 3,000. In 1914 the home farm there sold $33,000 worth of hogs, and last year approximately $50,000 worth.

Springfield, Mass., is changing its garden reduction system to a hog farm, it is reported.

50,000 MEN WANTED

Before next month this number are wanted to step up and have their corns removed with Putnam's Corn Extractor—it's painless—safe—sure. Use only "Putnam's," its the best, 25c, at all dealers.

Market Square Gay With Flowers and Demand Very Brisk

The old market square was as gay as an Easter bonnet this forenoon, bright with spring flowers and tempting arrays of spring vegetables. People were down betimes to do their Easter Saturday shopping, thoroughly enjoying the experience of poking about among whole cartloads of growing tulips, hyacinths, daffodils and narcissi, dickering for crisp lettuce, watercress, radishes, tender spring onions and ruddy-stalked rhubarb, or squeezing into the crowd that pressed about bargains in cut flowers. As far as the cut flowers were concerned, they disappeared like ice cream cones in dog days, the vendor one."

breaking all speed records in making change for customers.

Easter eggs were in great demand, and buyers swarmed around maple syrup prospects like flies around a honey pot. There were the other staples in abundance to be sure, but it was the flowers, spring vegetables, the Easter eggs and the maple syrup which made Easter marketing a festive occasion.

No "13's" Wanted by London Motorists; Many Superstitious

License Numbers Seem To Hold Power For Good or Evil.

"Funny the superstitions some people have about automobile license numbers," said the secretary of the London Motor Club today, adding: "Just the other day a well known London woman rang me up to say she wanted a license, but simply would not take one containing a multiple of the number thirteen. She isn't the only one in town either, that fights shy of '13.' There are other people apparently most matter-of-fact in other things, who have a favorite number. They consider it a lucky number for them and will wait weeks to get it. At the rate licenses are going out at present though nobody has to wait very long for a favorite number.'

"Supposing the desired number is gone before the application is made?"

"In that case they have to content themselves with another. But there are some people superstitious enough over numbers to act as if they believed they are going to be hoodooed all year because they didn't get their lucky

"B" CLASS MEN IN LONDON DISTRICT TOTAL OVER 1,800

Will Be Called To Face Exemption Tribunals Soon.

WANTED FOR OVERSEAS

Men Are Not Fit For the Trenches, But Are For Construction.

Over 1,800 men classed in medical category B in this military district will be called up before the tribunals in the near future.

Deputy Registrar Wismer has not yet received official notification of the call of B men as ordered by the military council, and will not order the men up before such word reaches him. Men of this class are wanted for construction work.

The men found in B category were disposed of automatically when they appeared before the local tribunals, these having instructions at the time to hear the claims only of A category men.

A number of the 1,800 B category men in their claims for exemption are classed as farmers, so that it is presumed that they will have no difficulty in securing exemption from service.

Others engaged in occupations not deemed as essential in the national interest may find themselves in uniform in the near future.

MOTHER AND BABY FOR WHOM HUSBAND IS SEARCHING CITY



Advertiser Illustrations.

Mrs. Harry Pierce, 172 Richmond street, has disappeared from her home taking her nearly a year old babe with her. The husband is endeavoring to locate them. He wants to see his child.

Today Mr. Pierce appealed to The Advertiser to assist him. He says his wife left her home on March 20, having previously sold most of the stuff in their home. On March 25th she was seen leaving a barber shop, where she had been previously engaged in cleaning up.

Asked as to what he thought actuated his wife when she left their home, the husband said that they had had a "few words."

The Pierces were married in June, 1916.

PRESBYTERIANS UNITED IN SPECIAL SERVICES

Rev. Dr. H. J. McDonald of Kintore, addressed the union Presbyterian service held in the First Presbyterian Church on Friday morning. Dr. McDonald spent ten months in France in Y. M. C. A. work. He gave a survey of the social and religious life of the men in the trenches as he found it. There is no soldier superior to the Canadian, he asserted.

The Scripture lesson was read by Rev. W. J. Knox, M. A. Revs. Cape, A. Graham, W. M. Martin, B.D., James Mackay and W. R. McInutosh, B.D., also took part in the services. Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., president of the London Presbyterian Ministerial Club, presided.

A good congregation was present, representing the various Presbyterian churches.

The choir rendered special music for the occasion.

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CITY BREVITIES

BACK TO MAIN AUDITORIUM.—The congregation of First Presbyterian Church, which has been worshiping in the school room since January, will resume worship in the main auditorium tomorrow.

CHRIST'S LAST BATTLE.—"Christ's Last Great Battle and Victory" will be the subject of William Matheson's address at the City Mission at 7 o'clock on Sunday evening. The usual good music will be rendered.

KNEECAP FRACTURED. — David Murray of the Patricia Theatre orchestra had his kneecap fractured Thursday evening when he slipped while hurrying to catch a street car. He was attended by Dr. W. J. Stevenson.

SOLDIER TO PREACH.—On Sunday evening in Ridout Street Methodist Church, Corp. G. M. McDougall, Ph.D., of Texas, U. S. A., will preach. Soldier choir, soldier organist, all from C. A. M. C. Soldiers and general public cordially invited. Special Easter music by church choir at morning service.

CHRIST'S GREATEST VICTORY.—Easter services will be held in Adelaide Street Baptist Church tomorrow morning and evening. In the evening, the pastor will deliver the last of the series of sermons on "Great Epochs in Christ's Life," entitled the resurrection, Christ's greatest victory. Choir and soloists will render special music. A number of recent converts will be baptized.

"SANDY" DRENNAN ILL.—Alexander Drennan, who is the owner of a large market garden on the north side of the river on the road to Byron, is seriously ill at his home. Widely known as "Sandy" Drennan in this city and throughout the surrounding country, Mr. Drennan has achieved much popularity as an entertainer, and his sickness is regretted by hosts of friends.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.—In music and soloists very special preparations are being made by the First Methodist Church for Easter Sunday. A full program of music will be found in another column. Rev. Mr. Peever, pastor, will particularly mark the day. In the morning he will preach from "The Resurrection Fact of Our Easter Faith," and at night from "An Easter Message to the Individual." Mr. Jordan will also offer organ solos fitting the day, and at 6:45 p.m. give an organ recital of Handel's Concerto No. 5. In addition to Mrs. E. Wyatt, Carman Learn and Wallace Matthews, soloists, and Pte. Sidney Johns, a remarkbly sweet tenor, will sing.

ARMS FOR ENEMIES CACHED AT TORONTO?

So Say Detectives, But It May Be Merely Show Stuff.

Toronto, March 30.—Raiding a house on Trinity street last night, central office police detectives brought to headquarters a large assortment of guns, revolvers, swords and even scimitars. The guns were of antiquated pattern, but there was not a weapon in that collection that was not capable of doing damage.

As a result of the seizure the police state a summons will be issued, charging a man with distributing arms to alien enemies. The defence, it is understood, will be that the arms were to be used in a concert.

SOLDIERS CHEER WHEN ST. THOMAS' GRANT TO Y. M. C. A. IS ANNOUNCED

Speaking to The Advertiser today, Rev. J. H. Dawson of the Military Y. M. C. A., organizer for Middlesex and Elgin for the campaign to secure funds for overseas work, said that he was conducting a sing-song at Queen's Park when the news came from St. Thomas that $17,000, the full allocation asked from Elgin County, had been granted by the council. He announced the news to the several hundred soldiers there, and there was a roar of cheers. The members of the deputation which waited on the council at St. Thomas on Thursday afternoon was composed of Capt. Graham, chaplain, Lieut. G. Wheable, who came back a few days ago with the Military Cross; Lieut. Frith, who holds the Military Humane Society and South African medals and the Croix de la Guerre; Sergt. Tripp, who holds the Military Medal, and Rev. J. H. Dawson, Military Y. M. C. A.

In addition, Mr. Dawson had splendid letters commending Y. M. C. A. work among the soldiers both here and in England and France from returned overseas officers, including Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, A.-A. G. Capt. Kirkland and Capt. Lewis. One very interesting and significant fact is that when Mr. Dawson asked Lieuts. Frith and Wheable and Sergt. Tripp, all recently returned heroes, to meet the council, he did not ask what their opinion was of the Y. M. C. A. over there, and did not know whether they were favorably impressed or not. It speaks volumes for the service being rendered by the Y. in France that everyone of these gentlemen, both in his speeches and in his answers to questions could not speak too highly of its value in helping to maintain the morale of the men over there.

PLEADS GUILTY TO TWO CHARGES; IS REMANDED

Arthur Taylor Suspected of Being a "Draft Dodger."

Arthur Taylor of Sommerville, Mass., pleaded guilty in police court today to a breach of the dominion immigration law and to a second charge of illegally wearing a Canadian uniform. Taylor, along with his wife, was taken from a through M. C. R. train at St. Thomas ten days ago and held pending an investigation. Taylor was remanded to jail a week to permit of arrangements being made for his deportation.

Joseph Whalen, who was arraigned in court a week ago on a charge of violating the military service act, in addition to a breach of the immigration law, was remanded to jail again to permit of further inquiry to be made concerning his history. Whalen admitted at his first hearing that he was an American citizen, but said he had been placed in the fifth draft in the U. S. army. He had no certificate to prove his claim to that effect, and Magistrate Graydon stated that it might be that Whalen was attempting to evade the U. S. draf. This Whalen strenuously denied, but the magistrate said he would await proof.

Joe Donnelly and Clarence Greason, youths, were assessed $2 and costs each for staging a street fight last evening.

SERMONS NOT SO GOOD AS PERSONAL WORK

Question Decided by B. Y. P. U. Debate on Friday.

The rally of the B. Y. P. U. of the city was held in South London Baptist Church on Friday afternoon and evening. President Glen of the local Baptist Young People's Unions presided.

A debate was held in the afternoon between representatives from Adelaide Street and Talbot Street Baptist Churches on the resolution: "That personal work does more to extend the Kingdom of God than preaching." The decision was given to the affirmative, which was taken by Miss Georgia M. Newbury, Miss Cora Carson and C. De C. Fletcher of Adelaide Street Church.

Rev. A. C. Bingham led a conference in which several other ministers took part.

Supper was served at 6 o'clock, many remaining for the social hour.

Rev. H. H. Bingham gave an address on "The Cross and the Resurrection" in the evening. The church was well filled. A massed choir from the different unions of the city rendered several appropriate selections.

Representatives were present from St. Thomas and Alisa Craig.

SCENE AT SPRINGBANK DAM JUST AFTER THE BIG CRASH



HUGE CENTRE SECTION OF DAM AT SPRINGBANK CRASHES INTO RIVER

Loss May Reach $40,000, and Damage Is Directly Traceable to the Recent Flood and Ice Jam.

The centre section of the Springbank dam, 130 feet long, caved in at 3:30 on Good Friday afternoon. The break is a direct result of the severe flood and ice jam during February. At that time the pressure forced the water down below the dam, and it succeeded in breaking through. Once penetrated, the cement gave way rapidly to the flow of water, and the vent gradually widened and spread upward. When the water receded the damage was discovered, but it was almost too late then to save the structure, and engineers who have looked it over within the past few weeks have been expecting the break any day.

The end came yesterday afternoon with a terrific roar. There were quite a few persons at the dam at the time, but none were in danger.

Crashes Into River.

The huge section of cement affected gave way in the centre, and crashed down and outwards with the flow of the water. The heavy ends of the cement where the break occurred were not entirely undermined, and they did not topple down after breaking. The break at both ends is clean and straight.

The dam, when built in 1894, cost the city $40,000. It was built by a contractor named Grant of Toronto, with Controller Moore, then waterworks engineer, as the engineer in charge.

There are some who believe it can be repaired. Controller Moore thought such ought to be possible. He had not seen the break.

May Be Rebuilt.

Others state that it would be cheaper to rebuild the whole structure and reinforce it, as to repair it would only mean a break in another section later.

Since the first break was discovered many engineers have examined the dam. They state that the cement would break off easily in the hand, so that it is no wonder the water caused such havoc when it got started.

Prior to the damage to the dam 250-horsepower of electricity was generated there and employed to light a certain section of the streets. Since the break this has not been possible, and the indications are, with the present acute power shortage, that it will be a long time before power is generated there again.

General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the utilities commission, stated to The Advertiser that he believed it would be necessary to rebuild the whole dam. Since the first damage took place they have been unable to get at the dam to see the extent of the damage, because of the high water. However, as it now transpired, it is perhaps best that the crash did come as it saved what money might have been expended erecting a repair plant to fix it. The matter of increasing the height of the dam to make it more useful has been under consideration, and this will likely be considered when the replacing of the dam is undertaken. Up to the time the break occurred, 250 horsepower was the power development, but Mr. Buchanan believes that by increasing the height of the dam this development can be increased to 1,000 horsepower.

Considering the financial situation it is doubtful if anything will be done this year.

VITAL STATISTICS IN MARCH SHOW DROP

Vital statistics for March show a general falling off in births, marriages and deaths. The figures:

	January.	February.	March.
Births	101	98	76
Marriages	31	32	27
Deaths	108	123	75

Boys fell far behind the girls in the March births, there being 49 girls to 27 boys.

The building permits for the month show a considerable increase, but this is due to a $15,000 permit for the military hospital. There were 35 permits issued, for a total of $27,450, making a total for the year of $63,160, as compared with $46,300 for the same period in 1917.

Eggs Wanted For Treat to Soldiers

An Easter treat for all the returned convalescent soldiers is to provided by the untiring workers of the Red Cross. A fresh-egg shower is being held all today, and all citizens are asked to contribute a donation.

The Red Cross Society will be pleased to have donations left at the following stores: Shaw's 670 Dundas street; McCormick's, 346 Richmond street; Janes', 247 Wortley Road; Coates', Stanley and Wharncliffe; Connors', 751 Richmond street, and Morris', Market House.

MISSIONARY CURIOS TO BE EXHIBITED DURING TWO DAYS NEXT WEEK

While the idea of a missionary loan exhibition started with the junior mission band, practically all the organizations of St. James' Church, South London, are co-operating to make the exhibition to be held in the church on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week a grand success. A fine collection of missionary curios has been obtained and the exhibition will be open to the public at 2 o'clock on Tuesday, although it will not be formally opened by the Bishop of Huron until 3 o'clock. Two children's services daily from 3 to 3:45 o'clock and from 8 to 8:45 o'clock, will be features.

Several returned missionaries will give short addresses from time to time during the exhibition.

It is several years since London has had an event of this kind, Principal Waller of Huron College, who has been performing the duties of rector of St. James' Church during the vacancy, taking a leading part in organization of the exhibition.

GEORGE H. O'NEILL BECOMES MANAGER OF BIG TORONTO HOTEL



Advertiser Illustrations.

By the closing of the deal for the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, George H. O'Neil, proprietor of the Tecumseh House, takes over the management of the famous Toronto hostelry. Mr. O'Neil becomes general manager of the King Edward and also retains his position as general manager of the Royal Connaught, Hamilton. The deal for the King Edward involves the sum of $1,500,000.

The hotel is to undergo extensive alterations, 45 rooms being added, and later on two more stories will be constructed. The rotunda will be remodelled.

PURCHASE LAMPS IS MAYOR'S ADVICE TO LONDON ELEC. USERS

Power Controller Has Not Replied to City's Request.

PLANT WILL BE CLOSED

Factories and Commercial Users Will Likely Get Hydro Current.

Sir Henry Drayton, Canada's power controller, continues to ignore the city of London. He has not so far deigned to reply to the city's letter or telegram asking that he give a decision one way or another in regard to the London Electric.

Mayor Somerville is considerably perturbed about the matter. "It's a shame," he said. "Dr. Drayton won't even reply one way or another. He has a large staff, and surely they could get time to send word. There are a lot of anxious people here, and they don't know whether they will have to buy lamps or not, and that seems the only solution."

There is one ray of sunshine, Manager Barnes of the London Electric says his company will not close its plant down until after midnight on Monday night. This means that power users will get power, and householders will get their final dash of juice at 11:59 p.m. on Monday. This, however, gives the city a day's grace in which to get the belated decision of the power controller.

Mr. Barnes says the powers-that-be of the London Electric have not changed their minds so far as he knows, and the closing order will go into effect in so far as he is concerned.

In the meantime the utilities commission is planning to take care of the London Electric customers in three classes, factories first, commercial second and light customers third. Those of the former which are already connected, and it is believed the most of them are, will not suffer any delay. The second class is also said to be partially connected. The fate of the third class is uncertain. When they will get light is unknown. When the utilities commission is able to connect them, they will do so in the order that they have applied. "There will be no favorites," according to Chairman Pocock.

CANADIAN GIRLS ON ARMY SWITCHBOARDS ALONG WEST FRONT

Paris, March 30.—Thirty-three American and Canadian telephone girls, who speak English and French equally well, have just arrived to operate the switchboards in the various army headquarters. They have been divided between the principal army centres, Paris, Gen. Pershing's headquarters in the field and the headquarters' lines of communication.

The American officers have been pleasantly surprised when taking up the telephone receiver to hear the familiar "Number, please," or "Line's busy" instead of the usual French equivalent.

SPECIAL SERVICES IN CITY CHURCHES LARGELY ATTENDED

Union Services Held by Several Denominations.

Impressive Good Friday services in the Anglican churches of the city yesterday were in all cases marked by unusually large attendance, as have been the services throughout Holy week. The three-hour service, from 12 to 3 o'clock, in which short addresses on the seven words on the cross, were interspersed with hymns and seasons of prayer, were held in the Cronyn Memorial Church, conducted by the rector, Rev. G. Q. Warner, and in St. James' Church, South London, by Rev. C. C. Waller. In St. James' Church, a service was also held at 10 o'clock and another at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Bishop Preached.

The Bishop of Huron preached at the morning service in St. Paul's Cathedral on the subject of "Life Made Possible Through Death." In the evening, a second service was held in Cronyn Hall, the rector, Rev. Dr. Tucker, showing a series of slides at the close of his address, illustrating the Passion of Christ. Rev. F. Hardy, the curate, preached at the 11 o'clock service in the Church of St. John the Evangelist, the rector, Rev. Canon Craig, delivering the evening sermon.

Betrayal of Christ.

Rev. Canon Gunne held two services in Christ Church, the first at 10:30 o'clock with sermon and the usual service. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock, he gave an illustrated address on the betrayal of Jesus.

One service was held in All Saints' Church at 11 o'clock, conducted by the rector, Rev. A. A. Bice.

Much interest was manifested in the service in St. Matthew's Church, Rev. Canon Sage, the rector, conducted the service at 11 o'clock in St. George's Church, preaching a sermon appropriate to the occasion.

In Dundas Centre.

The Methodist congregations assembled in Dundas Centre Church for the union prayer services on Friday morning. Rev. Walter E. Pescott presided. The service was largely composed of prayer and song. Prayers were offered by many members of the congregation for the success of the Allied armies. Rev. Mr. Pescott read the story of Sennacherib's defeat in the days of Hezekiah. The service was well attended.

Rev. Mr. Pescott preached at the special service held in Askin Street Church on Friday evening. The "Triumph of Christ" was the theme which he chose for his address. He emphasized the fact that Christ's apparent defeat was his glorious triumph. Lessons of encouragement were drawn from Christ's life for present-day conditions.

Special music was rendered by the choirs at both services.

CATHOLIC SERVICES.

Good Friday was observed by three services in the Catholic churches of the city. High mass was sung at St. Peter's Cathedral at 9 o'clock by Father McKeon. Bishop M. F. Fallon was on the altar. Good Friday is held in commemoration of the passion and death of Christ, and the impressive mass at St. Peter's was in keeping with the day. Following the mass there was a parade of the blessed sacrament around the church, the bishop, priests, seminarians and altar boys taking part.

In the afternoon the way of the cross was held and again the church was packed.

Vespers in the evening brought the services of the day to a close.

Tomorrow, Easter, which commemorates the rising of Christ from the sepulchre after three days from Good Friday when his body was placed there will also be marked by special services and special Easter music.

BAPTIST SERVICES.

Rev. J. H. Boyd conducted union services for the purpose of intercessional prayer in Adelaide Street Baptist Church on Friday morning. Short addresses were given by Revs. A. C. Bingham, J. N. Norton, W. M. Walker, H. H. Bingham, T. Charlesworth, Capt. W. E. Hindson, F. A. Steven of the China Inland Mission, and others. Leslie H. Roberts presided at the organ.

A large representation from the Baptist Churches of the city was present.

German Spies Found In the Curtiss Plant Making War Planes

Woman Caught With Blueprints of Airplanes Tells of Espionage.

Newark, N. J., March 30.—Admission that a group of German spies has been employed in the plant of the Curtiss Engineering Corporation at Hempstead, N. Y., on Long Island, has been obtained from Mrs. Lydia White, a woman arrested today with blueprints of airplanes in her possession, the police here announced.

ONE LIFE LOST WHEN FLAMES SWEEP THROUGH HOTEL AT HALIFAX, N. S.

Halifax, N. S., March 30.—One life is believed to have been lost in a conflagration at the King Edward Hotel here this morning. William Ward of the relief reconstruction staff, which had a workshop in the basement of the hotel, has not been located, and it is feared he perished. Some of the guests at the hotel had narrow escapes, as the fire apparatus was delayed owing to a faulty alarm box. They were saved only by the timely intervention of a squad of bluejackets from H. M. C. S. Niobe at the dockyard nearby.

The firemen not arriving promptly, the sailors with ropes and ladders reached the upper windows and brought three people to safety. The damage is estimated at bout $30,000.

DR. T. V. HUTCHINSON, FORMER M. O. H. OF CITY DIED FRIDAY

Had Resided in Toronto For Three Years.

WELL-KNOWN YACHTSMAN

Always Had Fast Boat To Compete in Lake Erie Regattas.

Dr. T. V. Hutchinson, formerly medical officer of health of London, died in Toronto on Friday.

Three years ago he retired from that position here, and went to Toronto to reside. He was medical officer in London for 28 years, and was considered an expert on communicable disease.

Failing health and inability to attend to the work of the department caused his retirement. He had been practicing in Toronto since he left London.

Fine Yachtsman.

Dr. Hutchinson was one of the best-known yachtsmen in Canada. He always had a fast boat on Lake Erie during his residence in this city, and had competed in many regattas on this and the American side. He was an annual visitor to the Put-in-Bay outing. In Toronto he was a member of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club. He was a qualified lake captain.

Long Resided Here.

Until three years ago he lived in London practically all his life. His family were raised here. Three daughters and a son survive.

His grandson, Lieut. Jack Harvey, formerly of the 142nd Battalion, later of the Royal Flying Corps, is a prisoner of war in Germany.

Dr. Hutchinson was one of the best known of the oldtime medical men of London. His popularity was great, and until his health became precarious, he was considered a most capable official, being particularly efficient in the treatment of smallpox.

CANUCKS STEADY CURRIE CABLES

Commander Sends Cheering, Encouraging Message to Folks at Home.

Ottawa, March 30.—The following reply has been received through Sir Edward Kemp from Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie, to the message recently sent by Sir Robert Borden, on behalf of the Canadian people to the Canadian expeditionary forces: "Please convey to Sir Robert Borden and to the people of Canada our heartfelt gratitude for their message of appreciation for the past, and confidence in the future. With an ever-increasing knowledge of the justice of our cause inspired and strengthened by the prayers of those at home, we contemplate the present crisis with calm and steadfast hearts. When the call comes I am confident that all ranks of the corps will continue to play their part and maintain and enhance their proud record.

TENTH BATTLE DAY FINDS SKY CLEARER, LONDON PRESS VIEW

Seriousness Recognized, But Greater Confidence Is the Feeling.

London, March 30.—Although the London newspapers regard the situation on the western front as still serious, there is noticeably a tone of greater confidence in their discussion of the battle, now in its tenth day. The Daily Mail devotes particular attention to the fighting in the direction of Amiens, which it regards as the most important. The Daily Mail says:

"Until Montdidier is recovered and the Germans are beaten back from recent positions east of Amiens, the situation must remain serious. French reserves continuously are arriving and entering the battle, but as yet the German advance cannot be said to have been stopped."

The Daily Graphic believes that today's news is distinctly encouraging, while the Daily Telegraph says: "The week ends fairly well. It has been the most breathless and anxious time for the Allies since the opening days of the war, but the enemy has been slowed up, and every day that passes strengthens our confidence the more."

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]
Toronto, March 30.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	38	33	Riordon	121	..
do pfd.	..	52	Sawyer..	..	10
Ames, c.	14½	..	do pfd.	40	..
do pfd.	50	..	Span. I.	50	..
Barcel	10	9½	St Ch, p.	57	..
Brazilian	35½	34½	Stl Can..	57¼	56½
B C Fish	..	49	do pfd.	90	89
Burt, p.	84¼	..	T Paper.	72	65
C Bread.	17	16	Tor Ry.	58	..
C Car...	25	24	Tre'wey.	17	15½
do pfd.	65	61½	Tucketts	19	..
Cement.	58½	57¾	Tw City.	52½	52
do pfd.	..	90	Win Ry.	48	..
C S L..	39½	39¼	Banks—		
do pfd.	75¾	75	Com'rce	185	..
CGElec.	103½	101½	Dom ...	202	..
CLoco,p.	..	82¾	Hamil'n	184	..
C P R...	138	136½	Imperial.	..	185
C Dairy.	..	30	Molsons	179⅞	..
do pfd.	63	..	Montr'l.	210	..
ConLife	375	..	NScotia	248	..
C Smelt.	24⅜	..	Ottawa	201	..
Con Gas.	144½	..	Royal ..	208	..
Cr Nest.	50	..	Stand ..	200	..
Canners.	24½	23¾	Toronto	187	..
do pfd.	68	65	Union...	..	146
Dome ..	830	810	Loans, etc.—		
D Steel..	60½	59¾	C Land.	148¾	..
Duluth..	41	..	C Perm.	162½	..
La Rose.	63	60	C Invest.	63	..
Mackay.	76	75	H Prov.	..	135
do pfd.	..	61¾	H & Erie,	..	..
M Leaf..	98	97	20% pd ..		196
Monarch	43	40	L Bank. ..		140
do pfd.	80	..	L & C..	126½	..
N S Car.	11	8	N Trust.	199	..
do pfd.	36	22	T Mort..	134	..
Nipis'g.	835	810	Bonds—		
NSSteel.	63½	..	Penmans ..		80
P Burt..	34	..	Rio Jan. ..		83
do pfd.	77¼	..	Stl Can.. ..		89½
Penmans	75	73½	War Loan,		
Petrol.	1425	1350	1925...	93⅝	93⅛
Russell..	60	55	1931...	92¾	92¼
do pfd.	68¼	..	1937...	91¾	91¼

THE WAR SITUATION

Fighting on the battlefront between the Scarpe and the Oise having diminished greatly except between Albert and Montdidier, allied forces are being made ready for a counter-blow against the Germans, whose strength has given numerous indications of waning. Gen. Foch, who played a memorable role in stopping the first German rush toward Paris, and the Channel ports, has been given command of the British, French and American armies in the present operation.

Foe Astride Somme.

Repulsed in attempts to widen their salient by pressing back the northern and southern wings, the Germans have driven forward in the apex of their wedge, toward Amiens, and are now astride the Somme about twelve miles east of that important point. Between the Somme and the Avre, the British have retired to a line through Hamel, Marcel Cave and Neuville. Just south of Albert, however, the British hold to the line of the Ancre, which makes a salient into the German line that may prove dangerous to a further enemy advance.

Mezieres Taken.

The British war office today announces that Mezieres, south of the Somme, where the principal gains of the Germans in the last few days have been made has been taken by the Germans. It is ten miles north of Montdidier.

The French have completely checked the Germans west of Montdidier, and the enemy has not tried to repeat his unsuccessful attempts to force a passage over the Oise east of Lassigny. Between Montdidier and Lassigny, the French counter-offensive, which took them into the outskirts of Noyon on Thursday, continues.

Foch in Command.

Gen. Foch's appointment to the chief command, not only brings allied forces under one head but indicates that the moment for a strong counter-movement probably has arrived. With the allied reserves and American divisions for a mobile force, and the British and French holding the enemy on their flank, Gen. Foch will have full scope for his strategical powers.

The wings of the German salient are its weak points, and the Germans failed in their first attempts to strengthen them by capturing Arras and crossing the Oise. As the Germans press forward between Albert and Montdidier without widening their wings simultaneously, their position becomes more hazardous. The region about Arras, and the line of the Oise offer two positions with which a counter-blow intended to roll up one side of the German wedge can be launched.

Unchanged Elsewhere.

The situation is unchanged on the other sectors in France and in Italy. Rather heavy artillery firing continues on the American front northwest of Toul. The activity of the Germans behind their lines there continues, but there have been no indications of impending infantry actions on a large scale.

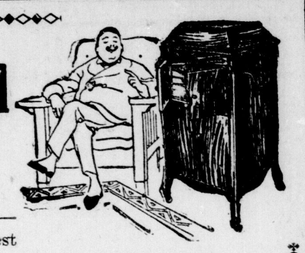
Germany's newest war novelty, the long range gun, which has been bombarding Paris for a week has surpassed the bombing airplane in frightfulness. One shell struck a church in the Paris region as the congregation was gathered for a Good Friday observance, and 75 persons were killed and 90 injured. Most of the victims were women and children.

Rebel troops in Finland have suffered a serious setback at the hands of the Government forces, and are reported to have lost 10,000 prisoners after their defeat at Tammerfors. The rebels also gave up twenty-one guns. German troops have been aiding the Government against the rebels who are being pushed steadily toward the southern coast.

"DICK" GRIFFITHS IS CRITICALLY ILL

"Dick" Griffiths, the veteran assistant superintendent of the London street railway, is critically ill at his home, following an attack of heart weakness. He rallied last night, after having been unconscious for many hours, but his condition remains most serious.

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GENERALISSIMO FOCH

Gen. Ferdinand Foch, new allied generalissimo, is of Basque origin. He was born at Tarbee in 1851, but was raised at Metz. Rather than become a German after the annexation of Lorraine, Foch preferred to return to France and help to prepare France for the struggle with Germany which he believed ultimately would take place.

He entered the polytechnic school with the number 72. He left it the 45th of his class—a rank that was not considered as justifying hopes of a great future. He never dazzled by his brilliancy, but he showed that wonders could be accomplished by application.

Foch began by mastering the strategy of the war of 1870 in its minutest details. Knowing the mentality of the Germans, he counted upon their repeating in future conflicts the manoeuvres that had succeeded. He also expected them to make some of their old mistakes. In his teachings at the superior war school, and his writings, he held always to the idea of an inevitable aggression by Germany.

Given Stars in 1907.

The stars of a general were given Foch in 1907 and the command of the superior war school, where he left his mark as professor. Preferring a more active command, he resigned in 1912 and commanded successively the eighth and twentieth army corps, and proved that he was one of the few military writers or professors who also was an efficient handler of men in the field.

The war found Foch at Nancy, the headquarters of the twentieth corps. His corps was attached to Gen. Castelnau's army, and he was selected to command a new army concentrating behind the centre forces marching to the Belgian frontier to meet the Germans.

This army was not ready in time to take part in the battle of Charleroi, but it contributed singularly to the victory of the Marne.

Defeat of Von Hausen.

After the Moroccan riflemen by three furious charges had captured the chateau of Mondement, reports brought by aviators showed that in their retirement, the forces of von Buelow had left a gap between their left wing and von Hausen's right. It was by promptly profiting from this situation in massing his troops against von Hausen's exposed flank, that Foch disengaged Gen. Langle de Cary's troops on his right and contributed largely to the defeat of the German army.

After the battle of the Marne, Foch was given command of a group of armies operating in the north of France and promoted to grand officer in the Legion of Honor. King George conferred upon him the Order of the Bath, first class.

Succeeded Petain in May.

When in May of last year, Gen. Joffre was succeeded in the command of the French armies operating on the French front by Gen. Henri Philippe Petain and Gen. Nivelle was placed in command of a group of armies, Gen. Foch succeeded Petain as chief of the general staff of the ministry of war, a post he has held up to the present. On the formation of the inter-allied military committee, he was appointed a member of that body and later attended the meetings of the supreme war council in Versailles.

For some time it has been hinted that Gen. Foch might be appointed as head of all the allied forces owing to his known ability as a tactician and his skill as a leader of men. All along he has been impressed with the idea that a German victory was impossible and frequently has expressed the opinion that the enemy forces would never be able to pierce the allied line.

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Early Detroit	.10	.60	1.75		
TURNIP—Golden Ball (Orange Jelly)	.05	.25	.75	2.50	

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Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large, fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder due to acid fermentation.

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How many times lately have you gotten up in the morning with that dark brown taste in your mouth, dull headache, sore and lame across the shoulders and back, each foot feeling as though it weighed a ton? Your greatest desire is to slip back to bed for "just fifteen minutes more," and you do, only to feel worse when you do get up. Why suffer longer? Why go on as you are now without "pep" or "jazz" or ambition, dragging out a dull, weary existence, hopelessly outclassed in mind and body by your full-blooded and active friends? Are not the joys and happiness in life for you, as well as anyone else?

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Caution: Parmint is a blood medicine and tonic. It is not a specific for blood poisoning, and is not recommended as such. If you have a deep-seated systemic blood disease, Parmint is not recommended to you.

CANADIAN LABORITES FORM NEW PARTY TO ASPIRE POLITICALLY

Do Not Go So Far in Platform as British.

RADICALS IN MINORITY

Aims To Unite Trade Unionists, Socialists and Farmers.

Toronto, March 29.—Bolshevism has few adherents among the members of the labor unions, and the working class organizations represented at a meeting today in the Labor Temple to consider the formation in Canada of a labor party organized along similar lines to that in Great Britain. While the meeting was noisy, and eight or ten persons often tried to speak at once, when it came to a question of controlling the gathering it was discovered that the Radical Socialists numbered but 36, and were a small, though noisy, section of the 300 delegates present.

The objective of the gathering was to unite the different sections represented in order to secure representation in the Dominion Parliament and the Ontario Legislature. The delegates were not prepared to go as far as the British labor party along the socialistic lines, a vote to adopt one of the clauses of the platform of that party being defeated by 129 to 60.

Name Sounds Innocent.

As a result of lengthy deliberations, the following resolution, drawn up by a representative committee, was adopted almost unanimously by the meeting:

"The name of the party shall be the Ontario Section of the Canadian Labor Party.

"The membership comprises the trades unions, socialist societies, co-operative societies, trades councils, local labor parties, and farmers, together with those men and women who are individual members of a local labor party, and who subscribe to the constitution and programme of the party.

"Objects: (a) To organize and maintain in parliament, provincial and federal, a political labor party. (b) To co-operate with kindred organizations in joint political or other action in harmony with the party constitution and standing order. (c) To give effect, as far as may be practical, to the principles from time to time approved by the party conference. (d) To secure for the producers by hand or brain the full fruits of their industry, and the most equitable distribution thereof. (e) Generally to promote the political, social and economic emancipation of the people, and particularly of those who depend entirely upon their own exertions by hand or brain for the means of life."

BANQUETS FEATURE OF FATHER AND SON WEEK FOR THE CITY

Will Be Introduced by Athletic Events Saturday.

A series of denominational banquets for fathers and sons on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of "Father and Son" week in London, the week of April 7th, will be a prominent feature of the program, with a business men's supper in the Y. M. C. A. at 6:30 o'clock on Friday, April 1th, as a grand climax. Taylor Statton is to address the men Friday on the subject, "What the Community Owes Its Boys." The members of the general committee on all banquets are having a busy time with preparations. These include Mr. L. Simpson, chairman; Rev. G. Q. Warner, Rev. A. L. Beverley, Rev. W. J. Knox, Rev. Thos. Norton, G. F. Copeland, Rev. Dr. H. S. Dougall, C. E. German, F. N. Phelps, C. B. McClain, Ward Casselman, Rev. W. J. Ashton, Rev. J. H. Boyd, Ray Henderson, William Courtis W. H. Gatecliffe, George Yendall, Beattie Johnston and A. T. Scafe.

Father and Son Week will be introduced by athletic events on Saturday, April 6th, in the form of junior and senior inter-church relay races for a shield offered by C. H. White. The committee in charge of the relay races is composed of W. G. Murray, chairman, A. T. Taylor, M. S. Haledorff, J. S. Lovell and F. J. Marllow.

Revs. W. R. McIntosh, Canon Tucker, A. C. Bingham, H. T. Ferguson, H. D. Moyer and Frank Spettigue are arranging for the special father and son services in the city churches on Sunday, April 7th.

REMAINS FOUND IN RIVER IDENTIFIED AS THOSE OF MISS DOE

The remains of the woman found north of Gunn street, near the east bank of the Thames on Good Friday morning, have been identified as Miss Ann Doe, who disappeared from her home in East London nearly two years ago. Through articles found on the body and a peculiar tooth, the identification was established by relatives today.

Arrangements have not yet been completed for the funeral.

Two boys discovered the body in a small inlet while playing along the bank. They notified the police, and Coroner McLaren was called. He stated that the body had been in the water for more than a year.

STREET RAILWAY MEN WILL DEMAND INCREASE IN PAY BY MAY NEXT

Employees of the London Street Railway Company, through officials of the union, have forwarded to the company a new slate of demands to be made when the present agreement expires.

The men are reticent concerning the details of the proposals, but it is known that they are asking an advance of ten cents an hour, which would mean the increasing of the present maximum from 28 cents an hour to 38 cents.

In addition, the men are reported to be claiming a number of concessions, including a regulation which would give the men wage increases at six-month intervals instead of at the end of each year, as heretofore.

The company has indicated its intention of raising the wages of the men, but no announcement has been made as yet concerning the manner in which the proposals have been received by the management.

The existing agreement between the company and the union expires in one month.

LITHUANIAN CROWN OFFERED TO DUKE WILLIAM OF URACH

AMSTERDAM, March 29.—The ducal crown of Lithuania has been offered and probably will be accepted by Duke William of Urach, according to the Frankfurter Zeitung.

Duke William of Urach, the second of his line, which is a branch of the house of the Counts of Wurttemberg, is the head of the non-reigning family of Urach. He was born in 1864, and is a lieutenant-general in the Wurttemberg army. He married Duchess Amelia of Bavaria, who died in 1912, and has eight children.

NEW DAM MAY BE BUILT AT BYRON IF ENGINEERS APPROVE

Strong Agitation For This Change of Site.

WOULD INCREASE POWER

And Would Permit Boating Down as Far as the Park.

Will the Springbank dam, which gave way yesterday, be re-erected on the old site or at Byron?

This is a question that is being asked on many sides today. It is believed that there will be a strong agitation for a change of sites.

Chairman Pocock of the utilities commission states that the question is one that must be considered. The reason behind such a proposal is that a great deal more power would be generated. Mr. Pocock says that they would get about eight feet more of a head. However, before any move is made the matter would be gone into thoroughly. It would be a matter for hydraulic engineers to decide whether the venture would be a paying one. In other words, whether the additional power that would be developed would make the venture a paying one.

Ex-Mayor H. A. Stevenson is strongly in favor of the move. He says that the head would be about 17 feet more. There is also the argument that the transferring of the dam would greatly improve Springbank, in as much as it would allow boating from the city right to the park.

Those who have examined the dam since it broke do not speak very favorably of the cement they found. Engineer Farncombe says that it crumbled in the hand. Mr. Pocock says it was like gravel with nothing more than a cement shell.

"One thing is certain," said Mr. Pocock, "whenever or wherever we build, it will be by day labor. We will do the work ourselves and see that we get proper cement."

The Byron mill is owned by Mr. Ross of Hyde Park. It has not been operating for some time, and it is believed that the necessary property could be purchased cheap. It would mean that the power would be developed there and transmitted to the pumphouse and then to the city.

COAL NOT TO JUMP, IS GLADSOME NEWS

There will be no change in the wholesale price of coal under the new export licenses effective Monday, and so no change is likely in the retail price.

W. A. Martin, the D., L. and W. agent, was so notified by his head office over the phone this afternoon.

The operators at the mines are making a 30-cent a ton cut, but this is eaten up by a 15-cent a ton increase granted in the United States by the interstate commerce commission and effective tomorrow night and by the 15 per cent increase in freight rates on Canadian roads.

The miners are agitating for a wage increase, and it is just possible that these prices may not prevail for long. The operators are not booking orders ahead.

CORP. DREW INTERNED IN DUTCH CAMP NOW

Corp. Noble N. Drew, son of Rev. N. D. Drew, secretary of the First Methodist Church, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany since the first battle of Ypres, is now interned in Holland. The good news has been received by his parents in a cablegram. Corp. Drew apparently fared better than the majority of Canadian prisoners of war. He was kept in one camp practically all the time, and was given positions of trust, such as being put in charge of a number of fellow-prisoners. Recently he has been employed in the postal department. The transfer to Holland has been hoped for for some time past.

Noble Drew went over with a Montreal unit at the beginning of the war.

HAVE NO NOTIFICATION ABOUT HOLDING TRAINS

Local C. P. R. officials have received no notification yet of a decision announced from Montreal to hold passenger trains from American points at the border for one hour so as to leave their running time through Canada unchanged.

Whether the G. T. R. will allow its international trains to arrive and depart one hour earlier from Canadian stations has not yet been decided, according to information given out by local officials today.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Toronto, March 30.

	Bid.	Asked.
Apex	4¾	5¼
Dome Extension	9¾	10
Dome Lake	23½	24
Dome Mines	820	840
Imperial	1¼	1¾
McIntyre	135	136
New Ray	23½	24
Porcupine Crown	16½	18
Porcupine Vipond	21	23¼
Preston East Dome	2¾	3½
Teck-Hughes	49	55
West Dome	13¼	14
Adanac	8	9
Bailey	4¼	5
Beaver	26¾	27
Chambers-Ferland	9	..
Coniagas	300	..
Crown Reserve	20	25
Gifford	1⅞	2½
Great Northern	2	4
Hargraves	6¼	7
Hudson Bay	35	37
La Rose	61	63
McKinley	42	44
Nipissing Mines	810	850
Right of Way	3¾	..
Temiskaming	26	26½
Trethewey	16	16½

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 30.—Sales: Dome Lake, 500 at 23½; Dome Mines, 300 at 825, 200 at 820; Elliott, 2000 at 31, 1000 at 30, 500 at 31¼; Holly, 300 at 510; McIntyre, 100 at 134, 2400 at 135; New Ray, 1000 at 22½, 13,500 at 23, 9500 at 23½; Krist, 1200 at 9; West Dome, 500 at 13¾, 666 at 13¾, 500 at 13¾; Beaver, 500 at 26, 500 at 26¼, 500 at 26½; Ferland, 500 at 10; Provincial, 500 at 51, 500 at 51½, 500 at 52; Gifford, 3000 at 2; La Rose, 1500 at 61, 2000 at 62, 1000 at 62½; Mining Corporation, 100 at 350; Temiskaming, 1500 at 26.

FOUR YOUNG PRIESTS ORDAINED BY BISHOP IN THE CATHEDRAL

His Lordship Alludes to Trouble-Makers.

SHOWS NO PARTIALITY

And Points to the Number of French-Canadians Under His Care.

Bishop M. F. Fallon ordained four young men to the priesthood at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning. They are the first to graduate from St. Peter's Seminary, started by the bishop a few years ago.

Messrs. Ducharme, Brisson, Girard and McCardle were the four seminarians so honored. The first three are French-Canadians and many of their French-Canadian friends from out of the city were present at the ceremony.

Bishop Fallon, in congratulating the young priests after the ceremony, addressed a few remarks to the French-Canadians in the congregation, the majority of whom come from the French districts in Western Ontario. The bishop referred to the activity of certain trouble-makers and agitators who have been finding fault with him and working up feeling against him in the diocese. He pointed out that during the eight years he has been bishop of the London Diocese, he has ordained more French-Canadians to the priesthood than his predecessors for the past 54 years. At the present time the majority of the students in his seminary are French-Canadians, and he was sure that not one of them could point to one single instance where he has shown the slightest partiality. These facts he suggested take home with them and spread among their fellow churchmen. As to the agitators, he said that they were mostly persons who do not do their Easter duty, and who never enter the portals of the church.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DEATH OF MRS. KILDEA.

The death of Maria Kildea, aged 95 years, occurred this morning at Mount Hope. She is the widow of the late Thomas Kildea. The funeral will be held from the parlors of E. C. Killingsworth Monday morning at 8 o'clock. Interment will be made at St. Thomas.

TURKEY AND CAUCASUS MAKE SEPARATE PEACE

LONDON, March 29.—The Caucasus Diet after proclaiming the independence of the country, has approved the basis of a separate peace agreement with Turkey, Reuter's Petrograd correspondent reports. The agreement is said to provide autonomy for Armenia and re-establishment of the frontiers as they were before the war.

SOLDIERS TO CONDUCT SERVICE.

—A unique service has been arranged to take place in the Dundas Street Methodist Church Sunday evening, when the entire service will be in charge of members of A. M. C. Training Depot No. 1 at Carling Heights camp. Lance-Corp. McDougall, Ph. D., will preach the sermon, Sergt. Killmaster will preside at the organ, and solos will be rendered by Pte. Bennett and Lance-Corps. Skinner and Phillips.

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MEMBER OF "PATS" AMONG THOSE WHO ARRIVED AT NOON

Pte. Charles Summers Was One of Originals.

ALL WARMLY WELCOMED

Fifty Invalided Soldiers Have Dinner at Princess Ave. Barracks.

Among the 50 invalided soldiers who arrived here shortly after 1 o'clock today via C. P. R. was Pte. Charles Summers, a member of the original Princess Pats.

Pte. Summers, whose home is at 376 Lyle street, saw service in the South African war, and also with the Imperial army as a member of the 4th Gloucester Regiment. His son, Sergt. Ted Summers, a member of the original 1st Battalion, was invalided home after being thrice wounded some time ago.

The men were officially welcomed after their dinner at the Princess avenue barracks by Rev. C. Q. Warner, Rev. W. S. Wright, Secretary Little of the Y. M. C. A., Ald. Wilson, Ald. Harley, Lieut.-Col. Campbell and representatives of the Great War Veterans' Association. Lieut.-Col. G. A. Winters, A. M. C., was in charge of the party.

In addition to the 41 names published in The Advertiser some days ago, the following were added in the list of those who arrived today: John Busby, Sandford Ellis, Albert Fiser, Herbert Hanson, Albert Hill, Barney Harding, Joseph Haycock, James Barclay, Job Hynes, Harold Innes, Charles King, Frank Lacelles, Joseph Psaila, Percy Quigley, O. Sager, Claude Vivian and Thomas Slee.

Those previously published are: M. Astles, 957 Hackett street; J. Brown, 939 Elias street; C. Chaffin, 170 High street; W. Mill, 148 Queen's avenue; E. Ripley, 4 O'Brien street; R. Robertson, 288 Hyman street; T. Ruddy; C. Summer, 376 Lyle street; Tinworth, care Lady Beck, "Hedley," all of London. F. Blackburn and W. Smith, St. Thomas. T. Fry, Goderich. W. Kidnew, Stratford. J. McKernan, Windsor. A. E. Neal, W. Payne, G. H. Baines, Galt. H. Powell, Ingersoll. A. B. Johnston, Essex. C. Martin, St. Marys. J. M. Birtch, Innerkip, L. Herringer, Mildmay. W. Houghton, Camlachie. S. Marshamn, Strathroy. A. R. McKinnon, Waterford. W. Sanderson, Embro. P. Smith, Beachville. J. Brackley, Toronto. F. Joy, Port Burwell.

The following men without Canadian addresses: J. Bacon, G. R. Devlin, G. Joanidis, G. A. Rockett, B. Dunn, R. C. Hudson, A. Kenwood, R. Lilley, W. C. Reid, D. C. Roberts, G. J. Moore, J. Rogers.

French Soldiers of 1919 Class Will Be Called to Arms Soon

Chamber of Deputies Vote Almost Unanimously for Measure.

PARIS, March 29.—The soldiers of the class of 1919 are to be called to the colors at an early date, which is to be fixed by the ministry of war. This was decided upon by a vote of the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon. It is known that the ministry of war has decreed that the recruits shall report April 15. The Chamber voted 490 against 7 on a law demanding that the date of the calling of the class be advanced.

M. Raffin-Dugens, Socialist, in opposing the bill, violently attacked the war policy of the Government. He said that he and his friends, Alexandre Blanck and M. Brizon, would vote against the measure.

M. Raffin-Dugens read a long paper on the subject of disarmament, which brought forth sarcastic remarks and laughter from the deputies.

NEW LIBERTY LOAN BILL TO COME BEFORE HOUSE TODAY AND BE RUSHED

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The new Liberty Loan bill, authorizing an additional $4,500,000,000 in bonds, the issuing up to $8,000,000,000 in treasury certificates, and providing for an additional loan to the Allies of $1,500,000,000, was completed tonight by the House by Chairman Kitchin. Efforts will be made to pass the measure tomorrow, so that it will be ready for Senate action Monday.

The bill, as drawn by the committee, follows the recommendations of Secretary McAdoo, and fixes the interest rate of the third Liberty Loan of $3,000,000,000 to be offered next month at 4¼ per cent. This issue will not be convertible. The bonds may be issued in foreign countries in money denominations of those countries. By this means the secretary hopes to stabilize the American rate of exchange and to extend the market for the bonds.

U. S. SENATE ADOPTS BILL TO ENLARGE THE DRAFT

Measure Which Will Provide 700,000 Men Goes to House.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The resolution amending the selective draft act by requiring registration of youths reaching 21 years since June 5, 1917, and estimated to add 700,000 more men to the roll of eligibles, was adopted late today by the Senate. It now goes to the House.

Senator New's amendment providing for compulsory universal military training of men between 19 and 21 years, but deferring their military service until after majority, was rejected by the Senate, 36 to 26.

ALLIED FIELD GUNS FOR ANTI-BOLSHEVIK LEADER

PEKING, Saturday, March 23.—(By the Associated Press.) — Japanese, French and British field guns have been forwarded to Gen. Semenoff, the anti-Bolsheviki leader, who troops have been opposing the Bolsheviki forces in Manchuria.

Gen. Semenoff, it is announced, has agreed to serve under Gen. Pleshkoff, who has been appointed by Lieut.-Gen. Horvath, military commander at Harbin, as Chief of all the Russian forces in Siberia and Manchuria. Gen. Pleshkoff is the leader of the Ussuri Cossacks and formerly commanded the 1st Siberian Army Corps.

SPRING PLOWING BEGINS AT RUTHVEN

RUTHVEN, March 28.—Plowing in the large fields near the lake here was started on Monday. Men are busy transplanting tomato plants into boxes. The plants look very good, and show every indication of being the best in years.

Tobacco beds are now undergoing the steaming process, and within a few days all the seed will be sown. The fall wheat and clover is reported to be in good shape.

The patriotic concert given by the Dramatic Club at Kingsville was well attended. The proceeds, $40, were handed over to the Red Cross.

Sap is still running freely here, and many gallons of syrup are being made each day.

BOY'S BODY WAS CARRIED THREE MILES DOWN RIVER

KITCHENER, March 29.—The remains of 10-year-old Adam Chownyck of Freeport, who went through the ice nine days ago, were recovered today from the Grand River near Doon. The body was found about three miles from where the lad was drowned. He was a son of Michael Chownyck of Freeport.

MARRIED MEN TURNED BACK AT FERRY DOCK BY DOMINION POLICE

Old and Young Not Allowed Across River Without Papers.

WINDSOR, March 28.—About five hundred men were turned back from Detroit at the dock here today by a large squad of Dominion police under the command of Capt. Asa Minard, for not having their certificates of exemption on them.

The usual passport, properly signed, witnessed and sworn, was not considered sufficient by the returned soldiers who are doing the duty as detectives in plain clothes, and the men who have lived here all their lives and have been married for years were held up. Mayor Tuson has been appealed to, and has already taken the matter up with the Government authorities at Ottawa.

In the expectation of reading that her husband, Pte. Cyrus McAllister, had arrived safely in Canada on furlough, Mrs. Esther McAllister opened a telegram today only to read that Pte. McAllister was dead from gas poisoning in an English hospital.

Mrs. McAllister, who lives at 235 Goyeau street, previously received unofficial reports that her husband, who had been at the front for some time, would be granted a furlough for Easter. She was under the impression he had sailed from England.

In order to create greater industrial and professional efficiency, the city council may take action to have the legal school age of Windsor children raised from 14 to 16 years. Principal Gavin, who indicated that such action would be taken, stated there are too many "blind alley" job-positions that might be fairly remunerative for the time being, but that offer no chance of further advancement.

For the season just closed there were 580 enrollments in the industrial classes, with an average attendance of 397. The growth of the night and day industrial classes in the past year has been remarkable.

George Cowles, a farmer living on the seventh concession, was arrested yesterday, charged with a serious offence against his 14-year-old child, Flossie. It is alleged that Cowles is the father of his daughter's child. It is said he made a confession to the officers. The minimum penalty for the offence is fifteen years. He has a wife and five other children.

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Keep the muffler clean and the exhaust line free from carbon and other deposits if you would obtain good mileage from the fuel. While authorities disagree as to the loss occasioned by the use of a muffler, they do agree that a clogged muffler sets up a back pressure that considerably reduces the output of the engine.

While the most efficient method is to disassemble the muffler, it can be cleansed by tapping its walls with a wooden mallet. This will loosen the deposits, which will be blown out by the exhaust.

GRAB "TIRPS" ESTATES.

Rome, March 30.—The prefect of Sassari has sequestrated estates valued at a half million lire owned by Admiral von Tirpirtz in Sardinia.

WEIGHT AND PRESSURE.

We hear a great deal of discussion on the subject of weight as related to tire pressure. Every car owner knows it is bad for the tires to force them to carry more weight than they were intended to bear. Unfortunately it is not always possible to avoid overloading the car, nor can the driver be expected to weigh each passenger and then pump up his casings to meet the demand about to be made on them. When it becomes necessary to carry extra weight, let the car be driven slowly, with all due care to avoid unusual bumps, and a temporary overload will probably result in no damage to the tires.

VALVE STEM LEAKAGE.

Leakage around the stems of the intake valves usually manifest itself in a falling off in power, difficult starting and misfiring at small throttle openings. A makeshift remedy lies in fitting the valve stem guides with some form of lubricant retaining means. This may be either a series of narrow grooves cut in the valve stem and into which a graphite and oil paste has been rubbed so as to fill them, or stuffing boxes may be fitted at the outlet ends of the guides. This latter is the more permanent and satisfactory job in that should the guide wear considerably the nut may be drawn down upon the packing thereby preventing leakage.

"NERVILINE" STOPS EARACHE IN 10 SECONDS, FIXES TOOTHACHE IN 2 MINUTES

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In many lands it is a household trust, a remedy that has justified itself under the experience of those who have used it. Guaranteed for neuralgia, sciatica, lumbago, rheumatism, pleurisy, strains or sprains; the large 25-cent family size bottle is very economical. Dealers everywhere sell Nerviline, or direct from The Catarrhozone Company, Kingston, Canada.

Are You Selling Your Soul for the Lure of the City?

An Announcement Addressed Particularly to Single Men---and Their Employers

NOTE—
Assisting the following classes of labour from which farm help may be reasonably drawn, we respectfully exclude all returned soldiers engaged in these occupations. They have already DONE THEIR NATIONAL SERVICE.

Shoe Shiners
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Drug Store Assistants
Messenger and Delivery Boys
Shipping Clerks
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Music Store Salesmen
Chauffeurs
Carters
Drivers of Delivery Wagons
Street Car Conductors
Elevator Operators
All General Labourers who can reasonably be Spared
House to House Canvassers of all Classes and Grades

This list by no means includes all. There are many other non-essential occupations in war times, and those who are engaged in them would do well to consider their abandonment in favor of farm work.

Get away for a moment from the clamour of the street; go into your room, at once, or to-night if you are not now at home, and ask yourself this question :

"Have I actually done anything that could count as National Service for my country during the forty bloody months of her suffering ?"

Put down in hours the actual time that you have worked. Then, if before your conscience you can say, fearlessly, that you have done a man's service to your country, well and good—we know that you will do even more. But if there is the thought drumming through your mind that all — everything — that you have done, is a mere nothing, just a sop to conscience, then as you are worthy of your manhood, make a speedy decision to devote the next few months of your life to National Service.

Outside of our armed forces only one kind of civilian labour ranks as National Service for men. That is Service on a farm.

That is why the Government in all seriousness exempted the farmer and the farmer's helper from military service.

If you are not quite sure whether your work could be done by a woman consult the list of occupations. These do not include all occupations. There are many others.

Sheer necessity urges that many men in these occupations should give place immediately to women, while they, the men, take up farm work temporarily.

This applies particularly to single men who can move with little or no inconvenience. Positions can also be found for married men who wish to move their families to the country.

Organized Labour Endorses This Crusade—Remember That!

In a memorandum to members they specifically, as a matter of national necessity, agree to :

(a) The exemption from compulsory military service of all farm help.

(b) The substitution of female for male help in order that certain classes of male help may be released for essential National Labour Service, that is, Farm Labour.

(c) The stipulation that women who temporarily replace men who go upon the farm shall receive the same pay for service equal to the man replaced, so that the rate of wages for men shall not be lowered.

Farm Wages Are Good

At present farm wages with board are in many cases equal to, if not better, than city wages without board. So that the handicap of wages should not be magnified.

A day of reckoning is coming; a day when that irresistible force, Public Opinion, will judge a man by his work, and will judge employers by the work they are retaining men to do.

Men and women will look hard at the clerks in stores, offices, warehouses and factories. We are down to elementals to-day, and our people will not tolerate the thought that while so many of our sons are perishing in the bloody struggle in France, so many men are doing work that can easily and efficiently be done by women without sacrifice to their womanhood or health.

Remember Your Effort Is Voluntary

The production of food is the paramount work of Canada to-day.

In going to work upon a farm, the farm is actually your channel of National Service. That is the attitude you should take towards the matter.

We owe it to our nationhood and to our Allies, who stand with us through the Ordeal by Battle to see that no effort is spared to insure to them a sufficient food supply.

Don't dismiss this matter from your mind. Enroll for service quickly. Send your application to the District Representative of the Department of Agriculture in your County, or apply at the local public employment bureau or fill out the coupon below and mail it to the address given.

DR. W. A. RIDDELL, Chairman, Labour Committee,
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Sir :

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Full Name .....

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A Day of Reckoning is Coming---The Battle Line Must Not Lack Food

ENEMY CANNOT GET PAST, SAYS M. CLEMENCEAU

French Premier Is Confident Line Will Hold, Come What May.

BATTLE LOST TO FOE

Has Failed to Break British and French Connection in Drive to Sea.

PARIS, March 29.—"The enemy will not conquer our resistance," said Premier Clemenceau, when surrounded by deputies at the Bourbon Palace upon his return from the front this afternoon. "I do not wish to pose as a prophet; that is not my habit. But, come what may, they will not break through."

Anecdotes showing the wonderful morale of the French troops were related by the premier. A battalion of territorial troops, arriving at the front line yesterday, were found awaiting the order for a counter-attack sitting unconcernedly in a mud field within range of the German shells, which were breaking in the immediate vicinity.

"What are you doing here?" said M. Clemenceau.

"We are at rest," responded a soldier quietly.

Front of 70 Miles.

The great battle is now raging over a front of more than 70 miles. This extension of the line has increased the number of German reserves engaged. Although thus far no decisive success has been obtained anywhere, there is increased confidence here. The impression in semi-official circles is that the Allies have not only held off the Germans, but now are no longer compelled to permit the enemy by his manoeuvres to shape the course which the battle shall take.

The general feeling is that for Germany the battle is virtually lost; that for the Allies the battle is about to begin.

The operations thus far are accepted as confirming the theory that Paris was not the main objective of the German offensive, but that the plan of the enemy was to break the connection between the French and British armies, in which he has failed. His main direct attack was westward toward the sea. The Germans seek Amiens, because this town is an important railway centre of communication with England. The loss of Amiens would be inconvenient, but not vital.

Marcel Sembat, former minister of public works, writes in L'Heure:

Situation is improving.

"The situation is improving for us and improving rapidly. The German attack in the Montdidier region is likely to prove a formidable failure.

"Towards Amiens, which is the real objective of the Germans, their attacks are meeting with a stubborn defence. They must have Amiens to cut off the British. They must reach the sea to attempt an enveloping movement. Nothing will be spared to defend Amiens to the last."

The eighth day of the battle brought a change in the weather, if conditions at the front are the same as in Paris. The wind shifted from the northwest to the southwest, which will prevent the Germans from using gas. Rain is falling, which will make it difficult for the Germans to bring up their artillery over the ground they have acquired. It may now be said that the French armies in reserve have come into position, and the numerical superiority which the Germans enjoyed in the first rush is decreasing.

New Hun Method.

The Germans are employing a new method of attack, the most conspicuous feature of which is smoke-cloud camouflage, under cover of which successive waves of attacking forces advance in echelons. After a short and intense artillery preparation the first wave, armed with automatic rifles, machine guns and new cannon mounted on low carriages, for short range fire, is sent forward, firing at a range of 2,000 yards. It is ordered to fire on the reserves, regardless of the opposing forces right at hand, which the succeeding waves must account for. The task of the leading troops is to increase the advantage of surprise by preventing paralyzing counter-attacks on the part of the reserves.

The result of these tactics usually is that the first wave is almost entirely wiped out. The second wave then passes ahead, to be followed by the third, and so on. Thus the on-coming waves have succeeded one another during the eight days of the great conflict.

Encouraging Reports.

Reports of yesterday's operations are encouraging in two places, reinforcing the calm confidence which is felt here. First was the plainly marked check with which the Germans met in their attempt to extend the battle north of Arras. The second feature is the effective and increasing reaction on the part of the Allies, resulting in important successes, particularly in the region of Montdidier.

The more cheerful feeling was nowhere more evident than in the lobby of the Chamber of Deputies. Premier Clemenceau looked in there for a few minutes between two trips to the front.

"I slept last night, and slept well," said the premier. "I had not done that for some time."

Louis Touchar, minister of munitions, who also came back from the front, spoke on the situation in the most hopeful way.

LONG-RANGE GUN IS AGAIN BOMBARDING PARIS; MANY KILLED

Seventy-Five Slain and Ninety Injured on Good Friday.

PARIS, March 29.—The long range bombardment of Paris was resumed shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Seventy-five persons were killed and 90 wounded, most of them women and children, when a shell fired by a German long-range gun fell on a church in the region of Paris while Good Friday services were being held, according to an official communication issued this evening.

Among those killed was H. Stroehlin, counsellor of the Swiss legation in Paris.

This same church was struck by a shell during the celebration of high mass last Sunday, and many casualties resulted.

THE WORST ALMOST OVER AND POSITION BETTER THAN MARNE

Even Loss of Amiens Would Not Be Fatal.

SIMONDS IS OPTIMISTIC

Elevation of Foch to Supreme Command Augurs Well.

[By Frank H. Simonds.]
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NEW YORK, March 29.—The worst is almost over. Barring accidents, the chance of a supreme German victory seems to have passed completely, and the offensive which began as an effort to crush the military power of Britain is diminishing to the level of a gigantic raid against Amiens, with the twofold object of separating the British and French armies and destroying the British communications with Havre and Rouen, their principal bases on the south. While the main German drive has not been checked, it has been contained between the Ancre and Somme rivers on the north, and the Avre on the south. Actually the German wedge is narrowing every moment, and if the present Allied effort to hold the Germans between these two rivers continues, the German advance may end in a blind alley just east of Amiens.

Struggle for Amiens.

For the past two days the Germans have been thrusting between the British and the French armies and toward Amiens, while the British and the French, holding the crossings of the Ancre, the Somme and the Avre, have been shepherding the Germans toward the west. They have not been able to check the full force of the German thrust by frontal counter-attack as yet, although they have slowed it down, but they have canalized it, as it were.

The possibility that the extreme point of the German wedge may reach Amiens survives. The chance that the Germans will be able temporarily to occupy Amiens and destroy this fine old capital of Picardy, as well as all the British military material stored there, and temporarily isolate all the British and the French forces, remains, but even were this to occur now it would be but a passing detail; for unless the German can widen his front, he will soon have to retire to avoid being caught between the two millstones of British and French armies.

Foe Realizes Danger.

It was the realization of this danger that led the Germans to begin on Thursday their desperate attacks upon the British hinge of the Allied front just as their dash at Montdidier was a blow at the southern or French hinge.

North and south they failed to make any but local gains. In pursuit of the limited local objective, which is Amiens, the Germans began on Thursday to make desperate efforts just south of the Somme to clear the old Roman road running west from St. Quentin to Amiens. This road is their most direct route to Amiens, now some twelve miles distant from Warfusse Abancourt, which they reached on Friday. At the same time they pushed southwest into Montdidier in order to keep open the Noyon-Roye-Amiens highway, which is their only other road to Amiens.

The danger that one or more British armies could be destroyed and that a great British disaster result ended on Thursday, when the British had pulled themselves together from the Scarpe to the Somme, from Arras to Albert, and were standing firm. The arrival of French armies on either bank of the Oise, between the bend near Lafere and Noyon, and along the Noyon hills westward, had already closed the roads to Paris. Thus the whole problem was simplified.

The Menace to Amiens.

Now the lesser crisis which involves the safety of Amiens will be reached in relatively few hours, and the German advance between the Somme and the Avre is the one remaining menace. Somewhere in the next ten miles on the rapidly-narrowing front between the Avre and the Somme the German wedge must be checked or the city will be in deadly peril. But on the other hand, if the Germans cannot widen the wedge, by crossing one of the streams, their own position will be extremely dangerous. If Amiens is to be saved the natural method of halting the German advance would be by a flank attack or by the converging flank attacks. The push north on the Lassigny-Noyon line by the French on Thursday had many signs of being the long expected counter-offensive, but it died out after achieving only local successes, that after it had eased off the pressure upon the French line west of Montdidier, which had just been lost. Nevertheless, if there is going to be a counter-offensive from the south and the French have not used up their mobile reserves in filling the gap created by the collapse of the southern end of the British front, it is to be expected between Noyon and Montdidier and will threaten the flank and communications of the Germans in the narrow wedge, which is pushing towards Amiens.

Where Haig May Strike.

In the same way, if there is to be a British counter-offensive one would look for it between Albert and the bend of the Acre on the other side of the German wedge.

In any event, we are almost at the solution of our last strategic problem. Unless some new and unforeseen factor enters into the calculation in the next few hours, probably by Sunday Amiens will have been saved or lost, and the Germans will have reached the limit of their push. The colossal offensive which aimed at destroying the military power of Britain will be expressing its disappointment in the sacking of Amiens or its rage in bombarding the noble old cathedral from the outskirts of the town above the confluence of the Somme and the Avre. The first phase of the battle of Picardy was lost by the British Friday, March 22. After that day there was no more question of holding the old British line or even of checking the German advance within moderate limits. For nearly a week the single question was whether the German would be able to turn his initial victory into a genuine triumph as he had at the Dunajec against the Russian and at the Isonzo against the Italians. Hindenburg and Ludendorff, in the second phase, were aiming to dispose of the armies of Haig as those of Dimitrieff had been disposed of, or to sweep forward in the gap they had opened between British and French armies and repeat the captures of the Venetian victory.

Second and Third Phase.

The second phase was by no means as successful for the Germans as the first. As at Verdun the beaten forces held out against the coming of reserves. As they retreated they gradually regained cohesion, and thus the third phase became, not a bid for the military decision which should end the war, but the struggle for a strategically important town and for the glory and profit that taking it might confer.

In sum, then, measured by all the evidences now available on this the ninth day of battle, the third German bid for a decision in the west has failed as completely as did the first of the Marne and the second at Verdun. At the Marne Franec saved the world, at Verdun France stood firm and checked the German until Britain was ready. Now it is Britain, still bravely supported by France which is bearing the burden, that we of America may get ready.

As for Pershing's offer to put the American army into the Picardy furnace, Haig made the same proposal to Joffre, when the Verdun battle was at its first crisis, but Joffre declined, and one may suspect Foch will decline, for, as Britain's time had not arrived in February, 1916, ours has not yet come in March, 1918.

The Brilliant Foch.

One word as to Foch, now named as commander of the whole Allied force on the west. No general in this war has been so fortunate or faced such terrible crises. With the twentieth army corps he saved Nancy after the French defeat at Morhange in August, 1914. In the first days of September it was his army which delivered the decisive thrust at the Marne in the ever-memorable engagement about Lafere Champenoise. Six weeks later he was in supreme command of the Allied armies between the sea and the Scarpe and directing the British, French and Belgian operations in the glorious stand, which saved Calais and ended the German offensive in the west. If there is to be an Allied counter-offensive now the man who won the Marne by his counter-thrust at the moment, when defeat seemed assured is the man for commander-in-chief.

"My right is retreating, my centre is broken, my left is routed—I shall attack," was the way Foch's words at the decisive moment of the Marne. As it stands today the Allied prospects on the Somme are far less desperate than their attack at the Marne or the Yser. And Foch snatched victory out of defeat on both these occasions.

New and Mighty Blow In Another Section Coming

AMSTERDAM, March 29.—The German supreme command is about to deliver a new and mighty blow on another part of the front which will "tear a new hole in the already-pierced enemy ring," the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin declares.

FIVE "STANDARD" SHIPS LAUNCHED AT BELFAST

LONDON, March 29.—Five standard ships were launched in British shipyards Wednesday, the Central News says it understands. Four of the vessels left the ways at the Harland & Wolf yards at Belfast.

GENERAL FOCH TO COMMAND ON WESTERN FRONT

Brilliant French Strategist Has Been Made Supreme Leader.

PERSHING OFFERS ARMY

Asks That American Troops Be Given Bigger Share in the Struggle.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Official information has reached Washington that General Foch, the French chief-of-staff, has been appointed to supreme command of all the Allied and American forces in France. This mean unification of all the armies opposing the Germans.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The first official reference to General Foch being in supreme command of the Allied forces on the western front is contained in a cablegram President Wilson sent the general today, congratulating him on his "new authority."

The president's message said: "May I not convey to you my sincere congratulations on your new authority? Such unity of command is a most hopeful augury of ultimate success. We are following with profound interest the bold and brilliant action of your forces."

There have been several reports recently that General Foch, one of the most brilliant strategists of the day, who was largely responsible for the French victory in the battle of the Marne, would be placed in supreme command on the western front. The Daily Chronicle of London yesterday said an announcement bearing on the co-ordination of British and French military exertions might be expected almost immediately, and that an influential role might be assigned to General Foch.

PERSHING OFFERS ARMY.

PARIS, March 29.—General Pershing called on General Foch at headquarters yesterday, according to L'Information, and placed at his disposal the whole resources of the American army for employment in the battle now in progress.

"I come," L'Information quotes General Pershing as saying, "to say to you that the American people would hold it a great honor for our troops to be engaged in the present battle. I ask it of you, in my name and in that of the American people.

"There is at this moment no other question than that of fighting. Infantry, artillery, aviation—all that we have are yours to dispose of them as you will. Others are coming, which are as numerous as will be necessary. I have come to say to you that the American people would be proud to be engaged in the greatest battle in history."

General Foch placed General Pershing's offer before the council at the front, L'Information says. The council includes Premier Clemenceau, Commander-in-Chief Petain, and Louis Toucheur, minister of munitions.

ALL CONFIDENCE IN ALLIES.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 28.—(By the Associated Press.)—While there is no false optimism regarding events in Northern France in the American expeditionary forces, all ranks, although realizing that the situation is tense, are confident that the Allied armies eventually will be victorious. Every man is intensely interested in the outcome. Newspapers containing the official statements and descriptions from newspaper correspondents are eagerly read by all, from generals to privates. Not the slightest doubt is expressed but that the British and French will not only halt the enemy, but defeat him.

LONDON, March 29.—Apart from local fighting at different points, the enemy has not pressed his attacks today north of the Somme, according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight.

Heavy fighting has taken place south of the Somme, in which the British have been pressed back to a line running west of Hamel, Marcel Cave and Demuin.

On the Somme the British have maintained their positions and gained ground in places by successful counter-attacks.

After holding their line south of the Somme yesterday in the face of repeated assaults by numerically superior enemy forces, the British retired a short distance from their advanced positions at some points. The Germans again suffered exceedingly heavy losses. The British took prisoners.

The French, says the announcement, are continuing their offensive on the southern front between Montdidier and Lassigny. Fresh French troops are arriving in this region.

FRENCH TAKE MONCHEL; SLACKEN FOE'S THRUST.

PARIS, March 29.—Along the battle front of the Oise there has been a notable diminution of fighting during the day, according to the French war office statement issued tonight. During the course of the day the offensive activity of the Germans was manifested only by local attacks against a few points along the front, the statement continues.

Violent fighting continued last evening and last night in the region of Montdidier. In spite of German counter-attacks the French held on to the villages which they took yesterday in this region. Monchel was taken by French troops.

North of Montdidier French and British troops held up the German thrust. The German losses have been extremely heavy.

70,000 PRISONERS AND 1,100 GUNS, HUN CLAIM.

BERLIN, March 29.—Via London.—Successful engagements between the Somme and the Avre Rivers are reported in the German official statement issued this evening.

Since the beginning of the great battle now in progress the German forces have taken 70,000 prisoners and 1,100 guns, says today's army headquarters report.

In local engagements on both sides of the Scarpe yesterday, according to the statement, the Germans broke through the foremost British positions and took several thousand prisoners.

South of the Somme the Germans drove the British out of their old positions and from bravely-defended villages in a westerly and northwesterly direction by way of Warfusee-Abancourt and Plessier.

The British, the statement adds, continued their fruitless and costly counter-attacks near Albert and to the north of it.

Between the Somme and the Avre the Germans have attacked again.

"ALL OVER NOW," SO FAR AS WITHDRAWAL GOES, SAYS GEN. BELL

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The British withdrawal before the German advance was made according to prearranged plans, and is "all over now," Major-Gen. J. Franklin Bell today told the Senate military committee. He said the Allies have known of the German preparations for the present drive since soon after they were begun, and made active preparations to face it. Gen. Bell recently returned from the battle-front.

Gen. Bell was called by the Senate military committee to inform the members regarding conditions on the battlefields. He said the German generals recently were quoted as saying two months' preparations were necessary for the present drive.

"I don't doubt that it might have taken longer," he declared.

"There has been an impression," he added, "that the Allies were partly ignorant of the German plans," but that he denied, declaring he was informed confidentially of the Allies' preparations to face the Germans when he was there, and declared that the British withdrawal was according to a prearranged plan.

"But should that go into the record?" asked Chairman Chamberlain.

"That's all right; it's all over now," said the general.

Bravery of British Soldier Recognized By Berlin Newspaper

AMSTERDAM, March 29.—The semi-official North German Gazette of Berlin pays this tribute to the bravery of the British troops in France:

"The British soldier defended himself heroically. His batteries fired until our riflemen overpowered the men serving the guns. His infantry stood their ground firmly and engaged in hand-to-hand fighting. Not only was every fortified base and every trench and every railway embankment defended with the greatest stubbornness, but Britain's brave mercenaries even nestled in the last crumbling places.

"But all this bravery only contributed to increase the enemy's losses. Truly our opponent has not made victory easy for our troops. The enemy battalions immediately assembled for counter-thrusts wherever an opportunity appeared favorable. Even the cavalry threw themselves in resolute onslaughts against our storming battalions to prevent them from breaking through, but all in vain."

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IN ADVERSITY THEY UNITE.

LONDON DISPATCHES say that, in England, the most notable result of the greatest week of stress and strain that the nation has ever known, is the sweeping aside of all factional disputes—the complete unification of the people. This effect is one greatly to be desired and most encouraging to the forces in France. It means the concentration of the whole populace on strengthening the hands of the men at the front and the disappearances of all the little pieces of controversial grit which interfered with the smooth running of the war-making machinery.

But it means more than this: it means that the greater the burden placed on the British, the more closely they draw together to support it. Adversity is a binding force in Britain, while in Germany it has proved disintegrating. It was while Field Marshal Haig was driving the Teutons back, step by step, that trouble broke out in Germany. Strikes started and were only ended by military force, and a strong peace movement was launched. Now that success has attended the German drive for a time, the morale of the people is better, but let reverses occur and it will suffer again.

Napoleon said: "The British lose every battle but the last." Why? Simply because of this wonderful courage in the darkest hours and the inherent patriotism of every individual. The greater the trial the more doggedly and unitedly the British face it. Today even the pacifists and their journals have fallen in line, and have ceased to talk of any other ending to the war than victory by defeat of the foe. The last battle has yet to be fought, and the people are determined that Napoleon's statement shall hold good so far as that battle is concerned.

COL. LABATT'S PENSION.

THE CASE of Col. H. H. Labatt of the pensions commission at Ottawa has been causing a considerable amount of comment since the matter was brought to the attention of the House of Commons by Mr. Emmanuel Devlin, M.P. Col. Labatt, as is well known, has been administering the pensions department in Canada for some time. The other commissioners, J. K. R. Ross and Major Todd, have been absent in England.

When the question was asked by Mr. Devlin, Premier Borden admitted that Col. Labatt was drawing a salary of $5,000, and in addition was receiving a full disability pension of $1,890. But this did not divulge all the facts of the case. Although none will question Col. Labatt's good faith in enlisting and going to France, where he remained for three weeks, the manner in which his pension was awarded and the fact that it is greater than first stated will be interesting.

Col. Labatt was appointed as pensions commissioner at a salary of $5,000 per year for ten years. Thus is he assured $50,000 for that period, and in addition he receives his pension for life. The pension is not $1,890 as stated in the House, but $2,130, as $120 a year is granted for each child. Col. Labatt did not go before a medical board at Ottawa when applying for his discharge, but went to Hamilton, his old home, which is also the home of General Mewburn, a very close friend of Col. Labatt. He was adjudged to have sustained 100 per cent disability **WHILE PERFORMING MILITARY SERVICE**, and was recommended for the full pension. Pensions are rated according to a man's ability to earn a living in the general labor market, and Col. Labatt is rated as being absolutely unfit to do any physical labor by the finding of the board. But this did not debar him or any other man from taking all the work he can secure and securing all the money he is able to. No one is forbidden to work because he is declared unfit and given full pension, but few are as fortunate as the totally-disabled Col. Labatt in securing, and being able to hold down, the pensions commissionership. And one of the rather strange points is that Col. Labatt secured his 100 per cent disability because of trouble with his heart. Did this illness result entirely as a result of Col. Labatt's service in the army or had he suffered for some time before? Was he treated for this cardiac weakness while in Hamilton? For a few weeks or months or years before entering the service, or for years before that decisive moment?

Col. Labatt has himself given the answer to this, it would seem. As pension commissioner it is his duty to pass upon all pension recommendations, and he passed upon his own, thus making the definite affirmation that his 100 per cent disability was caused through his connection with the army, including his three weeks in France. The regulations upon which Col. Labatt secured his pension provide that the commissioner must be convinced that the disability was sustained while in the service. Col. Labatt was undoubtedly convinced that his heart had never bothered him before, and that his present condition (which prevents him from taking up a pick and shovel and only permits him to do an odd job for the Government for ten years or so at $5,000 per year), was entirely due to life in the army. It is to be hoped that other applicants for pensions, the deserving men who seem to be "all shot to pieces," no matter what medical boards may say, will be as generously dealt with by Col. Labatt as he has dealt with himself.

Also that these 100 per cent disability men, of whom there are very few who acquired the full pension through an affection of the heart, will be able to sue for and secure positions of the same sort as Col. Labatt. They may not, like Col. Labatt, have for a brother-in-law Hon. Dr. Reid, minister of railways, and they may not have more than a nodding acquaintance with one of the master minds of Union Government, Gen. Mewburn, but if they will state their case plainly, explaining that they do not know of any $5,000 a year jobs in London or Western Ontario, and that they cannot "swing the lead" in McClary's or the rolling mills any longer, also inclosing a marked copy of this paper, they may be able to land a ten-year $50,000 contract with the dear Borden Government that loves them (and Col. Labatt) so well.

A GENEROUS OFFER.

AMERICAN FORCES in France may not be as numerous as could be wished, but those on the spot are living up to the best traditions of their race and their country. Nothing finer has been published than General Pershing's request made to General Foch that every use possible be made of the United States' troops. "I come to say to you that the American people would hold it a great honor for our troops to be engaged in the present battle. I ask it of you in my name and in that of the American people."

This is not the sentiment only of General Pershing, but of every officer and man of the contingent. They have gone across the waters to fight and an opportunity is all they ask. There is no seeking safety first, but a desire to go where the fighting is hottest, the need greatest, and to help in the smashing of Germany's desperate plans.

Patriotism, in the widest interpretation of the word, is the keynote of General Pershing's offer; his self-effacement is complete. "All that we have are yours to dispose of them as you will." His own supreme authority over the American army is ignored and does not enter into his consideration. If he and his men can be of service in any capacity, that is everything. Service is their aim and ambition.

There have been tales spread in France by German agents which said that the United States was averse to getting its men into battle and was just bluffing; that it had no intention of doing any more fighting than was forced on it. General Pershing's warm-hearted offer will nullify all such infamous lies and will encourage the French people. It was a generous message from a great man and a great people.

BACK TO STAY.

OCCASIONALLY they talk of the "last horse" as a prospect; they also speak of the bicycle as though it had gone into the industrial museum. But someone always comes forward to say there are more horses than ever, and recently we learned that this year the United States will manufacture one million bicycles. This is the greatest production of "wheels" in the history of the republic, and the proportionate output in Canada is said to be equally large.

Can the bicycle come back? Has it not been "back" for some time? There is far more money than ever to buy it for the boy, and every boy wants a bicycle. In fact, it seems to be one of the inherent desires of human nature to go forward on wheels. First the kiddie-car or its earlier prototypes, then the goecycle, the various adaptations of steerable wagons, the velocipede, and then the rubber-wheeled frame with a gear for propulsion. From the time childish feet can send wheels into motion the desire is with the boy and girl. Evolution works from the wooden-wheeled box to the car with the power of an antediluvian monster, and after the toy stage comes the bicycle as the first wheeled utility of which even a modest purse may become possessed. Many a lad has developed the saving habit in gathering nickels and dimes to secure a bicycle. And it has been a developer of youthful enterprise, for the boy with a bicycle is more in demand than the lad who must run his early messages afoot.

The mad rush for the bicycle as the steed of pleasure may be over. In fact in these days a man leaves his bicycle home at night and uses it in the swift journeys of the day, whereas in the height of the bicycle season, when the "bike" was the universal servant of romance, when Dan Cupid perched on the handlebars, the bicycle remained home all day and ventured forth, after a thorough grooming and polishing, when the moon peeked out.

The bicycle is back, as a time-saving machine rather than a vehicle to ride the paths that lead to blissful realms.

IT IS NOT ENOUGH.

SIR ROBERT Borden realizes the need for greater production, but like many others he fails to see the means of securing it. Many suggestions have been made to him, including that by the returned soldiers who asked conscription of aliens for farm work, but he fears to take any resolute and effective steps. Instead, he issues an Easter message through the food board, appealing to everyone to adopt and carry out all suggestions made by the board.

Yet, Sir Robert's next words are a proof that he knows this is not all that can be expected of the Premier. "He says: "Mere perfunctory observations will not be enough." Is not that what he has offered? It is not enough. Action is needed.

Spain now enters claim to the invention of the big range gun. Was it not imported from Iceland?

Italy expects the next smash from the Teutons, and the expectations will help them to meet it.

Canada to supply a tank battalion! It would have been easy to supply a division prior to September, 1916.

That's a delightfully, peaceful peace which exists between the Germans and the Bolsheviki, but it's causing a great many deaths.

Wilhelm still counts on the German sword to bring peace, forgetting that the sword is out of date. Allied men will bring the peace.

It ought to be possible to arrest some of the rioters at Quebec and provide them with a home for ten or twenty years as a warning to others.

Ottawa announces that there has been a slight advance in the cost of living during March. Thanks for the information, but we had all noticed it.

Regina Rotarians express disappointment with the Union Government's failure to deal energetically with war problems. If everyone would express an honest opinion, the expression would be unanimous from the nation.

Wait a Minute!

By J. H. F.

It's quite some job to beat a man at his own game, but the Allies will come through with it. Keep on working.

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The agony of Good Friday of twenty centuries ago was for the salvation of mankind. The agony of the latest Good Friday is also for the purification of humanity.

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The kaiser says the Americans received a severe lesson. They belong to the breed of men who will show the value of the lesson in a terrible way soon.

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"The Lord has gloriously aided," the kaiser telegraphs his wife. If that is the case, the Lord is choking hell with Huns, but the kaiser's six sons are still alive.

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Monday is April 1, and Hindenburg does not look ready for that entrance into Paris. Bum joke of his.

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A man was killed in Detroit over a $14 horse. That looks like a lot of money for such a small murder. The usual scale is about 30 cents.

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It is interesting to read that the crown prince is leading the offensive. The nearest he will get to powder will be on a chorus girl's face, 60 miles behind the firing line, in a dug-out deep.

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Quite an agitation is being worked up over titles in Canada. The trouble is people take the things seriously, when they are the biggest jokes since the kaiser announced that Christmas dinner in Paris.

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The way the Americans are criticizing the war department makes one feel at home. One would think that Sam Hughes was on the job there.

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The Yanks will be in this muss pretty heavy. The thing is there for them, and they'll make good.

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Gen. Allenby is putting some speech into the unspeakable Turk. The language consists in these words: "We surrender."

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The end of a perfect day is near at hand, and it will be a perfect eclipse for old man Hindenburg.

WEDDING BELLS

HARRIS—CAPSTICK.

On Wednesday a very interesting event took place at "Fairview," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Capstick, Dorchester, when their eldest daughter, Ada M., was united in marriage to Clarence R. Harris, eldest son of Thomas Harris, Dorchester. Promptly at 12:30 o'clock, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, rendered by Miss Evelyn Jervis, A.T.C.M., Dorchester, the bride entered the drawing-room on the arm of her father, and was met by the groom under a very pretty arch banked with roses and hyacinths. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Herbert of Putnam, in the presence of about thirty-five guests.

The bride looked very winsome in a gown of white crepe de chine and satin with pearl trimmings. She wore the conventional veil wreathed with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of sweetheart roses. After the ceremony the guests enjoyed a splendid wedding dinner.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold wrist watch, and to the pianist a dainty gold brooch.

The bride wore a very becoming suit of brown with hat to match. The happy couple motored to London, where they took the evening train for Hamilton and eastern points. After their return, Mr. and Mrs. Harris will reside on the groom's farm, "Evergreen Villa," North Dorchester.

CARTER—BAILEY.

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Military Service Act

Important Announcement to All

EXEMPTED MEN

and to the Public Generally

IN dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded.

With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the Duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY,
Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to W. E. Wismer, Esq., Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, London, Ont.

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers are invited to phone all news of this kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

Mr. and Mrs. Haviland Nash are spending the holiday in Hamilton with friends and relatives.

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Mrs. J. Brown is visiting her brother, Mr. Charles Draeseky in Dundas, for a few days.

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Miss E. Moule is visiting in Brantford with relatives.

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Mrs. James Crouch of Detroit is visiting Mrs. Crouch, King street.

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The 7th Regiment Chapter, I.O.D.E., is entertaining at tea in the Indian room of the Tecumseh House this afternoon. A fine musical program will be given.

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The Campbell Becher Chapter, I.O.D.E., is busy raising funds for the soldiers' comfort fund and woolen supplies, and have planned to give an exhibit of "The Little People in the Cornfield." This is something new, and has caused a senstation in Toronto, Detroit and other cities. The exhibit will be held on the 19th and 20th of April.

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A very pretty wedding took place at Cronyn Memorial Church on Saturday afternoon, when Miss Rena May Priestly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Priestly, became the bride of Major Robert M. Luton, M.C., son of W. F. Luton of St. Thomas. Rev. G. Warner officiated, and the groom was assisted by Capt. Forbes, while Matron Feilder of Wolseley Barracks Hospital supported the bride. The happy couple left on a short honeymoon for Montreal and points east. Major Luton returned home last Wednesday after serving for some time in France. He was decorated with the Military Cross while in France for bravery.

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MANY SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES IN HOME NURSING EXAMINATION

Dr. Hill Will Give Series of Lectures on Home Hygiene at Institute of Public Health.

At the home nursing examination held last Wednesday under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association, for Nursing Division No. 28, the following candidates were successful: The Misses Margaret Bell, Jessie Bell, Mary K. Brown, Katherine Cronyn, Gladys Croden, Helen Esdale, Enid Fisher, Edith Greer, Kathleen Heard, Effie Holmes, Charlotte Jellous, Dora Kingsboro, Florence Keene, Floy Lawson, Emma Moule, Caroline MacArthur, Lillian Payne, Anna Toll, Florence Taylor, Evelyn Wrighton, Edith Wrighton, Mrs. A. Hutchison, Mrs. Ada Mason, Mrs. May E. Ralph, Mrs. Helen Struthers and Mrs. (Capt.) Walters. Dr. Spence and Capt. B. F. Keeler, A.M.C., were the lecturers.

New classes in first aid, home nursing and home hygiene are being started, those in first aid to be held every Tuesday at 7:30 in room 115 of the Royal Bank Building. Capt. Walters will be the lecturer in first aid, and Miss Ella Davis will demonstrate the practical work. It is the aim of this department to teach what will be of use in everyday life in case of accident in the home. The pupils are taught to be self-reliant, so that they will be of use practically as well as having a theoretical knowledge. Every young girl should know as much about nursing as these classes will give. There is no doubt that ultimately such will be part of the school curriculum, but in the meantime girls should take advantage of the opportunity acorded by the classes under the St. John Ambulance Association.

Classes in home nursing will be held every Thursday at 7:30 in the same building. In these classes everything in connection with simple nursing in the home is taken up—bandaging, poulticing, the making of beds and changing sheets with the patient in bed, bathing, etc.

On Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:45, in the Institute of Public Health, Capt. Hill will lecture on "Home Hygiene." The series of lectures on "Home Hygiene" include lectures on infectious diseases, foods, milk, infant-feeding, water, ventilation, air, etc. The division has arranged that anyone wishing to attend an individual lecture may do so by paying a small fee.

Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

INGERSOLL.—The Red Cross entertainment at Eastwood school, under the auspices of the Excelsior Club was a decided success. A good crowd assembled and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the excellent program provided. George Town presided, and the main attraction was "Tea in Friendly Village," which was put on by talent from Oxford Centre. A large number took part in this play, and all acquitted themselves very creditably. The costumes were very effective. Miss Z. Duffy gave several readings, which were very much enjoyed, and there were mouth-organ selections by young Wm. Cornell, who was accorded a very hearty reception. Violin solos given by George Overholt, and vocal sols by Miss Edna Davis were other enjoyable features, and won well-merited applause. Miss Jean Dent was the efficient accompanist of the evening. The proceeds amounted to over $19, all of which will go for Red Cross.

MOUNT BRYDGES.—The Caradoc Red Cross packing committee met at the home of Mrs. Lamont Thursday, and packed the work done in the month of March, which consisted of 37 pyjama suits, 225 pairs of socks, 42 flannel shirts, 7 pillows. Total value, $336.75.

Next week all the waste paper in the village will be collected by the school children and sold to help raise money to buy yarn and flannel.

THE GREAT WOMAN'S MAGAZINE OF CANADA

Women are expressing their great appreciation of the Woman's Century, a live magazine, the official organ of the National Council of Women and of various other organizations of women. Women's interests are broadening out in many lines in which women are seeking information—mothers' pensions, juvenile courts, equal pay for equal work, sex education, venereal diseases, political education, the woman voter, food production and conservation, and various other live topics of the day. Those who wish to be well-informed on women's progressive movements cannot afford to do without this up-to-date magazine.

Its presentation of Canadian women's war work, the training for national service and the preparation for vocational work for girls and boys is quoted by the division of women's war work of Washington, and by the press of foreign countries, and thereby shows itself to be the true chronicle of women's work in Canada. The matter in the magazine is interesting as well as instructive, and all women connected with societies affiliated with the national council should have this publication coming into their homes.

"A LITTLE NONSENSE NOW AND THEN"

ELSPETH WILSON.

The year was still in its infancy when we gather again in the wood fires' glow—a family reunion, young and old, with a few tried and true friends included. There must be only happiness tonight, for on the morrow each resumes the burdens and business of life. This last evening together must for the ensuing year stand out as a bright spot.

Some there were present from the busy mart of distant cities; others from California's sunkist gardens, while in the presence of one we whiffed a breath of the danger zone of Hunland, its devastation and death. Little wonder then that thoughts stray to khaki-clad youths in the trenches, to a hospital ward in "blighty" where pain and suffering reign, or a lonely grave in far-off Flanders, where rests a hero of many wars. Tender thought and sadness is difficult to dispel.

But presently, from an obscure corner is brought grandfather's violin. The violin that in the land of heather and brae set the lads and lassies of long ago tripping to its music, and now, with the old fiddle and the twang of its strings, hearts instinctively turn to lighter vein, "Annie Laurie," "Scots Wha Ha'e," and a charm is woven over all. "The Braes o' Mar" and "Tullochgorum," and every toe is time-beating. Some fairy spirit possesses Jock as more tenderly he fingers the strings, every drop of Scottish blood throbbing in unison.

"Money Musk!" and the limit is reached. Highland Mac—pillar o' the kirk though he be—leads forth a partner. Then Aunt Molly, every rheumatic twinge forgotten, is led by Uncle Billy for a Scotch reel. Uneasiness is felt regarding foundation timbers, but fears are groundless, for time has not robbed the dancers of all suppleness. Their execution of the intricate steps of the Highland fling causes we others, just ordinary church members, to gaze fascinated.

None could dream that six days out of seven Aunt Molly toils, nor that in this nimble-footed dancer is Uncle Billy, whose discourses for the benefit of younger relatives re the follies of modern dress and giddiness of today's youth bring forth groans of disapproval. Uncle Billy, nimble as a boy, snapping his fingers, as it were, in the face of dignity, little whoops of hilarity causing the years to drop from his shoulders.

Tomorrow the aches will return and the stoop of shoulders be replaced, but never again will our young folks listen patiently to those lectures on deportment and modesty, for this one evening—like a page from the past—proves that Uncle Billy, after all, is a mere faulty human like ourselves!

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Watch For Your Answer.

Owing to the large number of letters received at the Mail-Box within the past week or ten days, and the delay occasioned in publication because of limited space, Miss Grey now finds it necessary to condense several communications that would ordinarily appear in full. To readers whose letters or queries are thus "mutilated," or delayed, Miss Grey extends this explanation in the hopes of more prompt publication in the near future. A number of "grouped" replies appear below:

"Nan Tucket"—Perhaps not necessary, but certainly courteous, and customary, to reply to letters of sympathy.

"Jeanne B."—For information re a "first aid" course, write Mrs. Thomson, Nursing Division, St. John Ambulance Association, 404 Talbot street, London, Ont.

"Union Jack"—You should like this recipe for a "soft white cake and soft white icing," but I thought we were going to deny ourselves such dainties in wartime!—eh, child?

White Cake—One cup granulated sugar, whites of 2 eggs, one-third cup butter, half cup sweet milk (some prefer water instead), 2 teaspoons baking powder, lemon flavoring, 2 level cups of flour. Cream butter, add sugar, milk, flour, baking powder, and flavoring; beat well then fold in the egg-whites whipped to a froth. Bake in layer tins of flat pan. Make icing with one tablespoon butter, 2 tablespoons cream or milk, powdered sugar to make right consistency, and vanilla or almond essence as liked.

BRIGHT COLORS IN WAR FASHIONS

One sees the statement made that in the coming season colors are to be very bright. But who can add that there is any novelty in that? Could anything be more intense than the colors have been for the last two or three seasons? Certainly they are a marked contrast to the colors worn some decades ago, when it was regarded as indicative of either color blindness or barbaric taste to indulge in anything more than a touch of brilliant purple, scarlet, green or much less bright yellow.

We still regard these colors as indicative of primitive taste, but, of course, the idea now is that one isn't thoroughly modern without being primitive.

True, the colors of the next season are going to be bright, but that is not the distinction. The distinctive thing about the color tendency at present is the change that has come about in the present feeling of the fitness of certain sorts of color. Once we had our evening shades, our afternoon shades, shades that were suitable for lingerie, shades that a debutant might wear and shades that she might not.

In Lingerie, Too.

Now the idea seems to be to break down all these barriers and to wear what might have been street shades in the evening if we choose, and evening colors when and where we wish. Most shocking of all—if you wish to be shocked—is the attitude we take toward suitable shades for lingerie. Light pink or blue, you know, was once the utmost one could go.

An emerald green nightgown is really tame now, unless it is trimmed with banana yellow ribbons.

A currant red chemise is shown in one of the new importations from Paris, and to show an utter disregard for our grandmother's feelings on the subject, there is a nice, neat little flounce of black tulle around the edge. Black seems to be an entirely approved color for chemises, though since the war no one not in mourning wears it very much where it will show. There is nothing the least bit funereal about these black pieces, however, when they are all black. Usually they are trimmed with color. One is festooned with hand-made flowers and fruit of daring shades.

Not in Waists.

While we wear this beneath, we still cling to flesh, white or bisque, for the always popular waists. Brilliantly colored separate blouses don't seem to take, excepting in special instances. Unless they are the color of the suit with which they are worn, or some color that is carried out in the trimming of the suit, they are of a near-flesh tone.

One odd bit of color about much of the new lingerie is the draw ribbons. In some cases the narrower ribbon of many different vivid shades is used to draw up the chemises or nightgowns at the neck—half a dozen strands of it—and then a big rosette, with long flowing ribbon ends, is used as a decorative feature on one shoulder.

ELLIOTT—BROWN.

THEDFORD, March 29.—The marriage of Leroy Elliott and Miss Adeline Brown was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Brown of Dashwood, on Tuesday. They will take up housekeeping on the groom's farm, near Thedford.

GRANTON.—Miss C. B. Armitage who is leaving shortly, was honored by the pupils of the public school, by being presented with a handsome suitcase and an umbrella. An address accompanied the presentation.

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.

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THE WILD CALLS TO JIMMY COON.

When Jimmy Coon got back from his trip as a Mascot with the sailor boys and Jolly Uncle Tom on the Submarine, little Fred took Jimmy Coon back home. Little Fred and all the family were all very lovely and kind to Jimmy Coon.

But one night Jimmy Coon heard the "Call of the Wild." It was the little voice of a wild Coon in the Forest calling very softly, "Coonie, Coonie!" And that little voice sounded like a little child crying in the night, and it made Jimmy Coon's heart jump pit-a-pat.

It was a soft moonlight night, and the call of the wild made Jimmy Coon long again for the free, wild life of the woods. And Jimmy Coon slipped under the fence and swiftly stole away. He looked back once to see his little master's pretty home, in a circle of trees in the moonlight. But Jimmy Coon didn't stop to say "good-bye"; he just made a bee-line for those lovely, thick woods. And he went straight as an arrow for the little voice calling "Coonie, Coonie!"

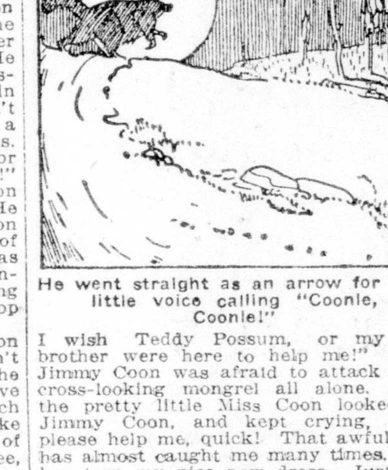
And what do you suppose Jimmy Coon found when he reached that voice? He saw a very beautiful little lady Coon standing all alone on the high stump of an old sycamore tree, and she was trembling with terror, as a small, mongrel, black and white dog, was barking fiercely, and trying to jump to the top of the high stump and catch her.

You see the lovely little lady Coon was in great trouble. For she couldn't get to any tree to climb, and if she jumped down the mongrel would have caught her, for his legs were much longer than hers, and he could take longer leaps. And her only chance of safety would have been to climb a tree, where the mongrel couldn't follow her.

But the pretty little Miss Coon was helpless, and she just sat on the top of that stump and trembled with fear, and cried for help.

Now what should Jimmy Coon do? He was a young Coon and had never fought a dog like that in his life. And here he was, a stranger in this forest in the south, all alone.

And Jimmy said to himself, "Oh, how



He went straight as an arrow for that little voice calling "Coonie, Coonie!"

I wish Teddy Possum, or my big brother were here to help me!" And Jimmy Coon was afraid to attack that cross-looking mongrel all alone. But the pretty little Miss Coon looked at Jimmy Coon, and kept crying, "Oh, please help me, quick! That awful dog has almost caught me many times. He has torn my nice new dress. Just see where his terrible teeth have torn my nice new pair of black shoes!"

BACKYARD GARDEN HINTS

(By The Girl With the Hoe.)

CITRON.

Planting Table:
Plant Seed—April, May.
Plant—One inch.
Harvest—August 15, frost.

The citron is another vegetable which is not very extensively grown, being used solely for preserving. It closely resembles the watermelon. It grows best on a rich garden soil, from five to ten seeds being planted in hills eight by eight feet apart. Cultivate with a hoe to keep down the weeds.

TURNIPS.

Planting Table:
Plant Seed—April, August.
Plant—One-quarter to half-inch.
Harvest—September 1.
Varieties for Ontario:
Golden Ball, Early White, Six Weeks.

The turnip is a cold weather plant and native of Asia, its best growth being in the autumn, although early turnips are often planted in the spring. To do well the turnip should be grown very rapidly, on a rich sandy loam, which has not been freshly manured. An upturned sod soil is splendid for turnips. The early varieties are sown as soon as the soil can be worked in the spring, being sown rather thickly in rows 15 inches apart. Later the young plants are thinned to a distance of six inches apart after all danger of the flea beetle (which also attacks cabbages) is past. Cultivate to keep down the weeds. The late crop is usually put in about the 1st of August, after some early crop is over.

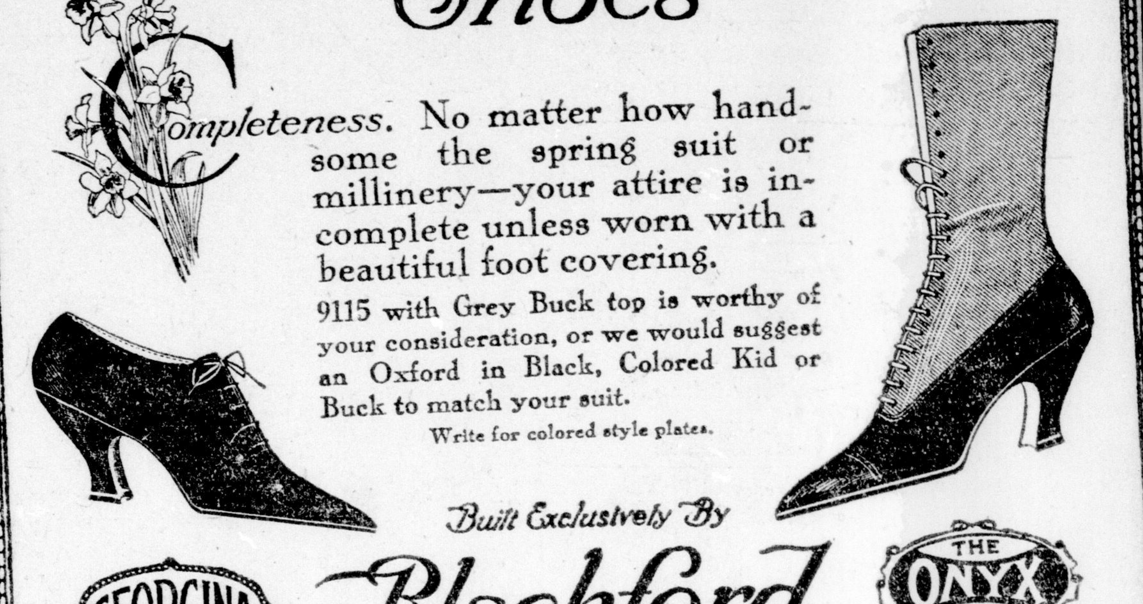
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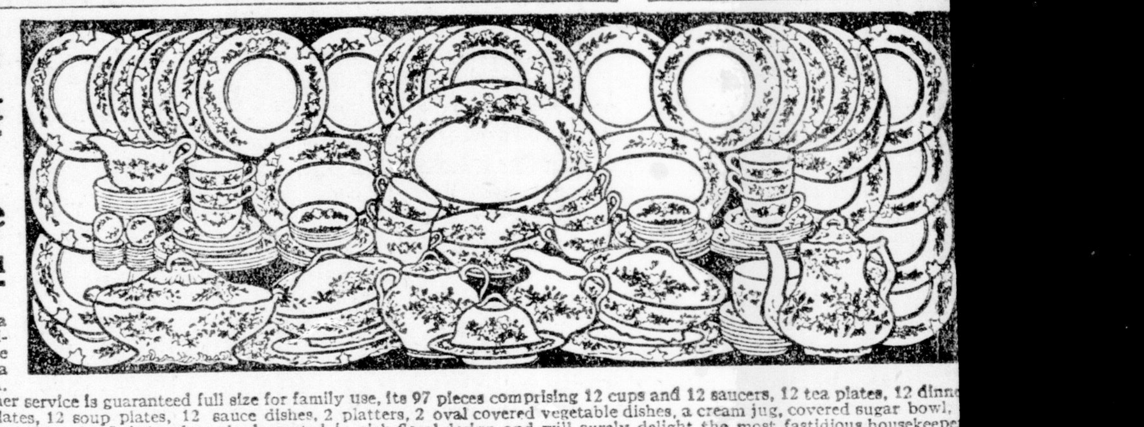
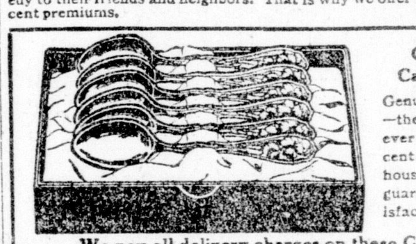
Planting Table:
Plant Seed—April.
Plant—Three inches deep.
Harvest—Frost.
Varieties for Ontario:
Red, White.

The artichoke is a native of North America, growing very rank, like a weed. For this reason it is not advisable to grow this vegetable in a small garden. However, for those who must have artichokes a little care will keep this weed under control. The tubers are planted in rows about 30 inches apart, with each tuber set from three to four feet apart. This vegetable is treated in much the same way as the potato, care being taken that every tuber is dug in the fall, for those which are carelessly left will soon be an almost hopeless crop of weeds.

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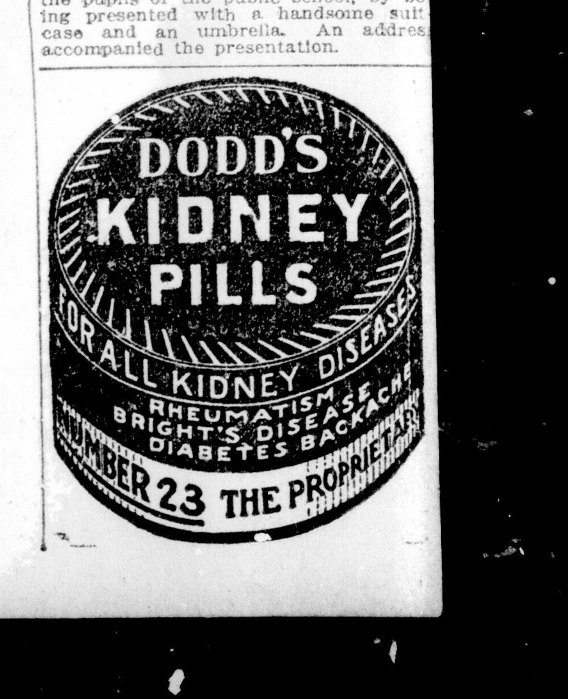
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(BY "BUD" FISHER)



WILL PLAY OFF TIE

GUELPH, March 29.—At a conference held today between the captains of the seniors girls' basketball teams of the Guelph, Woodstock and Stratford Collegiate Institutes for possession of the Intercity Trophy, arrangements were completed to play off the three-cornered tie which now exists. Miss Loretta Robin represented Stratford, Miss Grace Hill came from Woodstock, and Miss Hope Brydon represented the local girls. The three names were drawn out of a hat, Guelph getting the bye. Stratford and Woodstock will play in Guelph on Monday evening, April 15, with President Baker of the O.R.A. as referee, and Mr. Hoover of Guelph as umpire. The winners of this game will then play Guelph on a neutral floor on Friday evening, April 19, but the officials were not decided upon.

BLENHEIM BOWLERS ORGANIZE.

BLENHEIM, March 29.—Blenheim bowlers have organized for the year, with the following officers: President, L. R. Butehart; 1st vice-president, W. L. Shillington; 2nd vice-president, Henry W. Pardo; secretary-treasurer, James McVittie; lawn committee, O. F. Anderson, R. L. Gosnell and A. C. Shillington; games committee, J. L. Rutherford, P. S. Shillington and W. L. Shillington. The annual fees will be $4, and the membership fee $1. The club is looking forward to a most successful season.



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SECOND GAME FOR INTERMEDIATE TITLE AT HAMILTON TONIGHT

Western Players Have Nine-Point Lead to Overcome.

The Western University basketball team play the Hamilton Central Y. M. C. A. squad at Hamilton tonight in the final game for the O. B. A. intermediate title. The university team let the Hamiltons get away with a nine-point lead in the first game of the round played here on Monday night, but are hoping to overcome this tonight.

The game at this end was so full of fouls and the players checked so closely that it was impossible to secure a real estimate of the Hamilton players' ability. They are a bunch of old-timers and chockful of pep, and will give Western a stiff run for the title.

The teams will line up:

Hamilton.		Western U.
Burton	Forward	Smith
Vogt	Forward	Pritchett
Arnold	Centre	Wortman
Thompson	Guard	McGeough
Mellon	Guard	Simpson

"HAMS" WILL WATCH ART SMITH IN GAME TONIGHT

[Special to The Advertiser.]

HAMILTON, March 29.—Basketball fans can look for a battle royal when Central "Ys." and the Western University team of London clash here on Saturday night in the last game of the Ontario Basketball Association finals for the intermediate championship. By virtue of winning the first game in London with a 29 to 20 score, the locals will go into the game with a nine-point lead, and the confidence that results from having the edge on the series.

Groomed to the pink of condition the Hamilton quintet of veterans, headed by Melon, former Pittsburg pro, will depend upon hard checking and defensive work to take the measure of the students. Smith, who was responsible for fourteen of London's points in the first game, will be closely watched.

ALL-STARS DEFEATED 2 TO 1 BY CLEVELAND IN EXHIBITION GAME

Canadians Make Yanks Step Lively to Win.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CLEVELAND, March 29.—For the reason that Charley Stewart, famous goal of the Dental seven, was in the net for the Canadian all-star team tonight, the Cleveland seven was given a terrific battle and was exceedingly well satisfied to annex the duel 2 to 1.

Cleveland was always on the offensive, but in the first half could not reach the all-star's cage. Thirteen shots in that period, Stewart blocked. Long and short, they looked all the same to him, and he kept up the work in the second period, and twice went down in the bottom of a regular football scrimmage, without allowing Cleveland to tally.

Stewart Stars.

The two scores that Cleveland did make were due to no fault of Stewart. The first came eight minutes after the second half started. Jamieson rushed the puck down the ice, but Stewart blocked the shot. Then a wild scramble ensued in front of the net. The disk slipped out to one side and before any one else was aware of the fact, Mike Trimble slipped in and hooked it over into the corner of the cage.

The other score, the one that brought victory to Cleveland, came seven minutes later, Percy Killaly scoring on a long lift from mid-ice. Stewart never saw the drive, owing to other players intervening between Killaly and himself.

As a game, it was fast, clever and exciting. The All-Stars were without the services of Bill Box at centre, Box being unable to make the trip, owing to his military duties. Meeking, who replaced him at centre, played great hockey; in fact, gave Trimble, the Cleveland centre, a much harder battle than did Hillier of Kitchener, the Canadian amateur champion.

Line-up:

Cleveland (2).		All-Stars (1).
Turner	Goal	Stewart
Killaly	L. Defence	Smith
Jamieson	R. Defence	Adams
Cree	Rover	Sheldon
Irving	R. Wing	Smiley
Debernardi	L. Wing	Etherington
Trimble	Centre	Meeking

Goals—First half: Adams, 8:15. Second half: Trimble, 8:50; Killaly, 15:50.
Stops—Turner (Cleveland), 9; Stewart (All Stars), 28.
Penalties—Meeking.
Referee—Schweltzer.
Judge of Play—Whitehead.
Time of halves—20 minutes.

LONDONER SHOOTS AT BIG HAMILTON CLUB TOURNEY

HAMILTON, March 29.—Under the bluest of skies and ideal weather conditions, 65 clay bird enthusiasts cracked their way through the different events held under the auspices of the Hamilton Gun Club tournament today. Mayor Booker fired the first shot and made a perfect score.

On the first series of 100 birds, A. D. Bates of Hamilton was high, with 96, and S. G. Vance of Tillsonburg second with 94; Rowland Day, London; M. Honsberger, Jordan, and E. J. Fisher, Jordan, tied for third with 93.

C. N. Candee, Toronto, put on one hundred straight in the second of one hundred. J. E. Jennings, Todmorden; M. E. Fletcher, Hamilton; H. Cooey, Toronto; J. Ebberts, Buffalo; S. G. Vance, Tillsonburg; and W. Doherty, Brantford, tied with 95.

In the shooting for 200 birds, G. Vance was high with 189, J. J. Jenning second with 187, and C. N. Candee and R. Day tied with 186.

The high professional was E. G. White, Ottawa, with 194 out of 200.

W. O. R. TO HOLD BIG FIELD DAY MONDAY

Fine Program of Sports Arranged for Men Training Here.

The Western Ontario Regiment is planning a big field day for Monday. Sports will commence at 10 o'clock in the morning and will continue all day, the final events being pulled off about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Boxing, racing, tugs-of-war, football and baseball are on the program.

The program follows:

10 a.m.—Baseball—A Company vs. B Company; Construction Battalion vs. Casualties. Football—B Company vs. Sergeants.

10:45 a.m.—Football—C Company vs. Casualties.

11:20 a.m.—Footrace—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 1 mile.

1:30 p.m.—Three-legged race, scout race, pick-a-back race, officers vs. sergeants, tug-of-war; team from each company in the tug-of-war; pillow fights; blindfold boxing; boxing exhibition.

At 2:45 p.m. the winners of the morning baseball games will play off, and at 3:45 o'clock the winners of the morning football games will play off.

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'Y' YOUNGSTERS MEET HAMILTON JUVENILES AT GYM HERE TONIGHT

The Hamilton O.B.A. juveniles come to London tonight to meet the Y.M.C.A. youngsters in the second game of the round. London was defeated 37—13 by the Hamiltonians in the first game played on Thursday night at Hamilton. Manager Halsdorff attributes the defeat of his team to the smallness of the gymnasium in which the game was played. The Hamilton squad are from Zion Church and the game was staged in the Zion gym, located in the basement of the church. London expects to have an easy time tonight, as it is thought that the visitors will be lost on the Y.M.C.A. floor here.

The juveniles will line-up:

Hamilton.		London.
Morrison	Forward	Young
Gayland	Forward	Grant
Weston	Centre	Kennedy
H. Elford	Defence	W. Beamer
A. McMenemy	Defence	B. Beamer

JUNIOR FINALS OPEN AT TORONTO NEXT WEEK

Manager A. T. Taylor announced on Friday that the first game of the finals for the junior O. B. A. championship will be played a week from tonight at Toronto, with the return game here during the middle of the following week. The Toronto Central Y. M. C. A. juniors requested that the first game of the series be played on their floor, and as this arrangement suited the locals, Manager Taylor concurred with the proposal.

The Toronto players are admitted to be a fast team, and the Londoners expect to have to open wide to win. If they can repeat some of that team work pulled off on Thursday night their chances are bright. Their showing in the game with St. Catharines has made fans very optimistic over their chances for the title.

FORMER LONDONER ENLISTS.

BUFFALO, March 29.—Robert T. Mills Sen., formerly of London, Ont., signed up for overseas service with the Canadian army at the British recruiting station in Syracuse yesterday. He left London three years ago to reside in Seneca Falls. He leaves for Toronto next Tuesday to commence training.

BURIAL AT ST. THOMAS.

ST. THOMAS, March 92—The funeral of Levi Petty, held this afternoon from his home at 52 Arthur avenue, was conducted by Rev. W. E. Millson, pastor of Grace Church. The pallbearers were W. Warrener, R. Hobson, E. Patrick, J. Gilligan, J. Hilborn and G. Higgan.

SAYS QUERRIE OPENLY THREATENED TO HAVE TEAM GET VANCOUVER

Art Ross Makes Serious Statement About Blues' Manager.

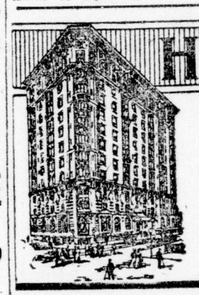
Montreal, March 30.—The Herald says: "Charlie Querrie, manager of the Toronto Hockey Club, has openly threatened to send his players out to "get" the Vancouver players in the Stanley cup final at Toronto tonight. This is the statement made today by Art Ross, veteran Wanderer player.

"'Querrie made the threat in Toronto Thursday night in front of Frank Patrick, myself and some fifteen or twenty others,' Ross declared. 'If there is any rough play in tonight's match by the Blue Shirts, I believe it will be directly attributable to Querrie himself.'

"Practically all of the difficulties encountered by referees in Toronto this season can be laid at Querrie's door. He uses his newspaper connections to belittle the officials, and has, I believe, made it an invariable point to visit the rooms of officials and berate them for their efforts. He has a personal following that follows rights in his footsteps, and the result is that a referee has a dog's life in Toronto. The fans of Toronto are not as bad as I thought they were—they're worse. And Querrie is to blame for the attitude they take."

AGED INDIGENT IS NOW IN HOSPITAL

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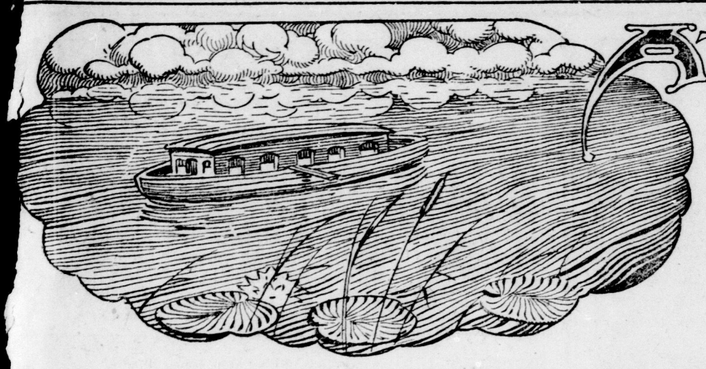
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AT THE HOUSE BOAT ON THE STYX

DOINGS REPORTED BY WIRELESS TO JOHN KENDRICK BANGS

VI.---AN EVENING WITH THE POETS.

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"I have failed to notice that any great poetry is trickling through from the upper world these days," said Homer, strumming "It's a Long Way From Helicon," on his lyre, as a number of distinguished Shades sat with him in the poet's corner of the House-Boat on the Styx the other night.

"The war has not produced any," said Diogenes, trimming the wick of his lantern. "I have had my glim out for some for a long time now and barring that comic piece about the Kaiser, 'The Him of Hate,' nary a line worth reading has come across."

"War," said Doctor Johnson, ponderously, "does not produce poetry. War is not a poet, and only poets produce poetry. War is a ruffian, and you might as well expect an elephant to shine in the minuet as expect war——"

"Elephants do not shine," retorted Diogenes. "Elephants are not bootblacks, and only bootblacks——"

"Belay there! Belay there!" cried Admiral Nelson, banging the table with his fist. "If you two old codgers get the floor in a hair-splitting contest the rest of us will have to put on gasmasks and retire."

"Well," laughed Homer, "you're all right. Johnson is right when he says war is not a poet. Diogenes is right when he says elephants are not bootblacks. Nelson is right when he warns us of an impending gas attack, and I'm right when I say that no great poetry has trickled through of late from the upper world. We're all right, so let's start in all over again—I wonder what has caused the poetry famine."

"It's because there hain't been no poetry to trickle through," said Shakespeare, "and the reason is that in this free verse movement poetry has been unshackled and has run away. There aren't any real poets left on the upper crust. We're all down here. Now if the upper world only had me to fall back on it would be different. My! What wouldn't I do with this situation! Imagine a lofty, stinging period beginning——"

Impetuous Billiam bounced and turned to mud,
Smacketh bit the dust with dull and sickening thud.

"And madly shrieks the wild tempestuous storm
As hurtling through his martial vermiform
It——"

"I guess we've had enough of that, Willie," said Homer. "Stuff of that sort might make you more popular on Broadway, but it don't go here. I wasn't talking of blank verse, and especially such blankety-blank, blank verse as that, but the real thing, such as Virgil and I used to write."

"Or possibly I," interposed Milton.

"Or maybe me," said Tennyson. "Ah, what wouldn't I give to write another 'Locksley Hall' up to date! I can almost hear it ringing in my ears now:

In the spring the young man's fancy
lightly turns to thoughts of Huns,
While he wades from Ypres to Nancy,
heedless of the shotted guns,
Dropping thoughts of Love and Maytime, dropping dreams of Cupid's spell,
Thinking only night and daytime how to give the Kaiser H—"

"Too light, too light!" said Dr. Johnson, impatiently. "Wouldn't do at all. I ought not to have to tell you, Alfred that a war poem should hold the boom and thunder of war, and not the tinkle tankle of the ballroom."

"Precisely," said Horace. "Precisely. Locksley Hall may suggest the blood-war, but not the strenuous kind we are talking about. Now personally I think old Jack Milton is the only real guy for war poetry in this bunch. Miltonic splendor is demanded—something that runs along with all the inexorable get-there-osity of one of those British tanks."

"Thank you, Horry, dear," said Milton, nodding his head gratefully at the great Roman. "It is very kind of you to say that and I appreciate it."

"Not at all, Milt," said Horace. "Not at all. You always were to my mind the heavyweight champion of Parnassus. If I wanted to steam-roll anything with poetry, I wouldn't tackle the job with Rossetti, or any one of those cute little ribbon-counter Elizabethans, but I'd ring you up on the 'phone, and I'd say: 'Jakey, old man, this is no job for a milk-fed nag like Pegasus I'm offering you, but a sixty-horsepower road tractor stunt. Hie thee to the Pierian garage, load up with forty gallons of three-star gas, and go to it!' Herrick for a sonnet to a lady's shoe-string, but for Armageddon give me old Jake Milton!"

"Generally speaking, thee is right," said William Penn, "but as a Quaker I feel that John would do the job too well for the comfort of the world. He would make war sublime."

"And so it is sublime," said Shakespeare. "At least this one is, and we want to keep it so. You wouldn't have it made ridiculous, would you, Bill? If that's your object, Edward Lear would be the poet for you with his limericks. Something like:

There was a smart toot at Pots-dam,
Who said: "I'm the only I am!"
But when put to the proof
He slid from the roof
To the earth with a sickening slam."

"Nonsense!" said Doctor Johnson. "Sure it's nonsense," retorted Shakespeare. "And if I may say so, it's darn good nonsense."

"You ought to give us one on von Tirpitz, Willie," said Nelson, with a laugh.

"That," said Shakespeare, "is impossible. You may be able to drive a needle through a camel's eye, but you can't squeeze von Tirp into poetry. He can't be made to fit. The only way you could get that old boy into poetry would be to chuck him overboard in mid-ocean and then write a poem on the ocean. Now von Hindenburg is different.

There was an old murderer smug
Whose name it was von Hinden Burg.
When they caught him they said
"Don't let's cut off his head,
But just let him live—with that mug!

"It's possibly devilish tough
To treat the old savage so rough,
But we think on the whole
For the good of is soul
'is punishment cruel enough."

"I want to be careful, Shakespeare," grinned Sir Walter Raleigh. "It—se lines should ever trickle through to Potsdam the Junkers would deny that you were a German instead of claiming you as a bright jewel in Germania's crown as they have been doing of late years."

"I should worry!" said Shakespeare. "The fact is it has galled me like the dickens to have them class me as a German product anyhow. You can search me, Walt, and if you find the words made in Germany etched anywhere on my person, I'll let you erase it with blue vitriol, and I won't take any other while you're doing it. I don't mind their saying that Adam was a Prussian, and they can have Ananias and Jonah if they want 'em, but not yours truly. Me? A German? I like that!"

"I shouldn't," said Homer. "I'd resent it with all my soul."

"And smite the bloomin' lyre that said it, eh, Home?" said Dante.

"You have said it, Alligator, you have said it!" returned Homer.

"My name is Alighieri, not Alligator," retorted Dante, angrily.

"O, what's the difference? Who cares?" said Homer, carelessly.

"I do, and there's a lot of difference," replied Dante. "When a man has worked as hard as I have to make a name for himself he doesn't care to have it pied by a careless compositor."

"You see, Homer," interposed Doctor Johnson, "Dante was himself the author of his own greatness. He wasn't like you, who never would have been heard of but for your translators."

"That's it," cried Shakespeare, coming valiantly to Homer's rescue. "We always owe our greatness to somebody else. A man no sooner pulls off an immortal stunt than he finds he didn't do it at all, but that the whole thing was the work of some retiring mollycoddle nobody ever heard of before. But don't you mind, Homey. They've tried the same trick with me, and let me tell you, old man, it's good press agent stuff. Every time any boob rises up to deny that you wrote your own works, it puts you back on the front page with Teddy Roosevelt and the Bolshevik. And another thing—I've always taken a lot of comfort in this thought: that if all the rest of these poets who are working overtime to keep their names in the papers had only got somebody else to write their poetry for them, the way they say you did, they'd have had some chance to be as great as you and I are. Think, Homey, how delightfully interesting the writings of Doctor Johnson would have been if anybody but Johnson had written them!"

"By Jove, Cromwell," laughed Wellington, as Johnson seized his cane and shook it with apoplectic vigor at Shakespeare, "how fine it would have been if all our troops had always been as ready for a scrap as these literary fellers are when they get together. I never knew anything this side of Kilkenny with her cats to equal them for sheer innate pugnacity of spirit. If it could only be directed to some good purpose, shedding the blood of iniquity instead of the ink of prolixity, what a noble army of unconquerable warriors we should have."

"All right," said Shakespeare. "Sneer away, Wellington. But you real warriors couldn't get along without us, just the same. Take the case of Ulysses over there, or those of Achilles, or Caesar, or Napoleon, or Alexander, or any of the rest of you historical Jack Johnsons—what would have become of the swashbuckling bunch if it hadn't been for us poets? Who'd ever have cared a hoot for Henry the Fifth if I hadn't put him on the map with my play? Who'd have known anything about Richard the Third wanting to swap his kingdom for a horse if it hadn't been for me?"

"Sure thing," said Macaulay. "And take the case of Horatius at the bridge. Why, if it hadn't been for that little lay of ancient Rome of mine the public wouldn't have known whether it was the Brooklyn Bridge or the grand slam that made him famous. If Hector is alive today, it is only because Homer and Virgil embalmed the old boy in imperishable verse. So you fighting men needn't get gay with us, and try to wipe out the poet's corner as a non-essential industry."

"Righto," said Wordsworth, gently. "As our beloved Bard of Avon once said, and he might truly have added that we poets constitute the publicity end of the business, without which no show would have the slightest chance of getting across."

"Eggsactly," said Pope. 'Lemme ask these warriors where Adam's great stunt of naming all the animals, or Noah's wonderful achievement in piloting that prehistoric zoo of his from Shemtown to the top of Ararat, would have been today if it hadn't been for Moses?"

"Well, you never did anything for me, that's certain," said Caesar. "I carved my place in history with my own Commentaries."

"Sure you did," retorted Homer. "Too stingy to hire a press agent, I guess. You were like some of these Arctic explorers who get themselves copyrighted before they leave home, covering all dramatic and moving picture rights, and then dole themselves out at seventeen dollars and eighty-two cents a word. I know the kind you were, Julius."

"Well, even at that," interposed Shakespeare, "I'd like to ask just where Brother Julius would be now if it hadn't been for me? He'd have been an unpopular course in college instead of a moving picture hero, that's where. Who wrote Mark Anthony's speech over your prostrate remains, Jule? I did. Who dragged you out of your sarcophagus and gave Brutus the high sign at Philippi with your spook, produced at the piscatorial moment?"

"Psychological moment, Bill," whispered Milton.

"Never mind," returned Shakespeare in a low voice. "These soldiers aren't overstong on entomology. Who did that, Julius?" he added in a loud voice.

"Why, little Willie Shakespeare did it, that's who. You were a side-show, Jule, and I turned you into a parade, and don't you forget it."

"Indeed," demanded Wordsworth, where would Hades have been if it hadn't been for Dante and Virgil?"

"Or paradise but for me?" observed Milton, thunderously.

"Or—er—or whatever it was that Byron wrote about if it hadn't been for Byron," chuckled Napoleon, who always enjoyed a literary fracas. "Yep—there's no two ways about it. If it hadn't been for the poets the world's history could have been summed up in those two noble, but disheartening words of the early Assyrian, nothin' doin'. Ulysses didn't do any oddysseeing at all. He just stayed home at Kalamazoo, and watched Penelope knitting sweaters, while Homer did the rest. I never got a look in at Waterloo. Why? Why, Byron was on the job, Alexander? Pooh! He never did anything. He is only great because some bard somewhere in eighteen hundred and something wrote a poem asking: "How big was Alexander, Pa?"

"And a thousand years from now it will be the same. This war that is going on upstairs will be reduced to a mere bit of airy poetic persiflage from the pen of a wandering minstrel named Bernard Pshaw, and even then they won't let it go at that, because some smart critic will rise up and prove conclusively that Bernard Pshaw wasn't Bernard Pshaw at all, but another man whose real name was either Lydia Pinkham, or William Waldorf Astor, the evidence is not clear which. The pity of it all is that in view of their direct responsibility for all the epochal things in history they aren't on the job right now, settling the kaiser and his gang for good and all. Of course, they could do it."

"Of course, we could," said Shakespeare. "I'd settle it in a minute if all the warriors on both sides would step aside and give me a chance."

"Sure!" sneered Napoleon. "Why not? Aren't you a poet?"

"Yes, sir, in a minute," reiterated Shakespeare, "I'd put the whole Potsdam outfit on a submarine, and——"

"Blow 'em sky-high, I presume," said Alexander.

"Gas 'em alive by reading Hamlet to 'em!" suggested Hannibal.

"No," said Shakespeare, rising, and striking his most impressive heroic pose. "No, gentleman, but——

To free the world, and save the human race,
They'd sink beneath the wave and leave no trace,
And not a sign remain upon the scene
To show that Kaiser Bill had ever been."

"Well," said Napoleon, "that isn't a bad scheme of yours, Bill, after all."

"No," said Shakespeare, twirling his moutachios rather vainly. "On the contrary, I think it most excellent."

"There's only one thing I can't quite make out about it," said Napoleon, with a sly wink at Alexander, "It's such a darned good idea that——"

"Yes," said Shakespeare.

"I can't help wondering where you got it," said Napoleon.



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In addition to special choral music organ numbers and color during the services, the musical directors in some cases have arranged short recitals to precede the evening services.

In the First Methodist Church, A. D. Jordan is giving an organ recital at 6:45 p.m., when he will play the following numbers: Gavotte (Iphigenie en Aulide), Gluck; Organ Concerto No. 5, Handel; Larghetto, Allegro, Alla Siciliana, Presto.

The soloists for the day in the First Methodist Church are Mrs. Edward Wyatt, Mr. Sidney Johns, Mr. Carman Learn, Mr. Wallace Matthews.

The Easter programs for the morning and evening services are as follows: Morning—Organ prelude, "Resurrection Morn" (E. F. Johnston); anthem, "Christ Is Risen" (Edmund Turner); offertory, baritone solor, "Victory" (G. Marschal-Loepke); anthem, "Alleluia, Sing to Jesus" (W. Berwald); soprano solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel); organ postlude, Grand Chorus, Op. 40, No. 4 (Alex. Guilmant).

Evening—Anthem, "O, Death Where Is Thy Sting" (Coleridge-Taylor); baritone solo, "Come, See the Place Where Jesus Lay" (Homer Bartlett); anthem, "To the Paschal Victim" (H. J. Stewart) (soprano solo with violin obligato); offertory, organ solo, "Reve Angelique" (Rubinstein); anthem, "The Day Is Past and Over" (J. Christopher Marks); (tenor and soprano duet); organ postlude, "Zadok the Priest" (Handel).

LONDON INSTRUMENTAL TRIO.

The London Instrumental Trio, composed of Grant Milligan, violinist; Gladstone Paul, 'cellist, and Clarence C. Gilmour, organist, will give a half hour's recital in the Church of St. John the Evangelist immediately before the evening service. The trio will play a melody in D, by Faure; an andante religioso, Thome; "Ave Maris Stella" (Grieg) and an "Evening Song" (Schumann). The trio will also play the accompaniment for Miss Simcox's solo, "Easter Morning" (Coleridge-Taylor), sung during the evening offertory. The canticles for the evening are "Cantate Domino in F, and Deus Misereatur in F, by Ferris Tozer. Mr. Gilmour, the organist and choirmaster, is playing as the organ postlude an impressive "March Pontificale" by Ferdinande de la Tombelle, which he have at the closing of his series of Lenten recitals a year ago. The morning service will include Te Deum and Jubilate in B flat by Sir Charles Villiers Stanford. Communion Service in C, King Hall, and a beautiful offertory anthem, "All Hail, Dear Conqueror," by Thomas Adams, with "Easter March," by Gustave Merkel, as the postlude.

Colborne Street Music.

Under the direction of Norman B. Adams, organist and choirmaster, the following music will be rendered during the Easter services in the Colborne Street Methodist Church:

Morning—Anthem, "Awake Up, My Glory" (Barnby); male quartet, "Christ Arose" (Lowry); soprano solo, "The Resurrection Morn" (Rodney), Miss Pearl Campbell.

Evening—Anthem, "Now Is Christ Risen" (Allen); bass solo, "Calvary" (Rodney Stone), Mrs. Fred Dowling; violin solo, selected, Professor Tirri; anthem, "This Is the Day" (Hall).

EASTER DAY IN ST. PAUL'S.

Special features of the musical services in St. Paul's Cathedral, prepared under the direction of Miss Minnie Raymond, organist, are:

Morning—Organ prelude (Corelli); Christ Our Passover (Humphreys); Te Deum in G. (Hopkins); Jubilate (Ouseley); anthem, "I Will Ransom Them" (T. Adiem), soloists, Miss M. Fox, H. Ellis.

Evening Service—Prelude, "Andante Cantabile" (Gregory); Magnificat in D, unison (U. Heins); Nunc Dimittis, in D, unison (U. Heins); anthem, "They Have Taken Away My Lord" (Stainer); solo, offertory, "Open the Gates of the Temple" (Knapp), E. N. Harding; postlude, "The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn, arranged by Gauntlett).

At New St. James'.

F. L. Willgoose, Mus. Bac., organist of New. St. James' Presbyterian Church, has promised a short recital before the evening service, beginning at 6:30 o'clock, when he will be assisted by Miss Lulu Campbell, soprano.

The special Easter music includes for the morning:

Organ, Processional (Dubois); anthem, "Christ is Risen" (Elvey); solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel), Miss Lulu Campbell; chorus, "The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn; organ, Scherzo Caprice (Moszkowski), and for the evening: Easter carol, "Ring, Ring the Bells"; duet, "Arise, O Lord God" (Bruhn), Misses Robinson and Guy; chorus, "Awake Thou That Sleepest" (Stainer); quartet, "On the Resurrection Morn" (Vail); organ, Toccata (Dubois).

PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA ASSISTING.

The Dundas Centre Methodist philharmonic orchestra of 30 pieces, conducted by D. H. Couke, with Mrs. (Dr.) S. E. Rutledge at the organ, will contribute several numbers to the musical service in the evening in the Dundas Centre Methodist Church, including the following: "Hosanna" (Granier); "Andante Religioso" (Thome), and, as a postlude, a selection from Farmer's "Mass."

A feature of exceptional interest will be "Gloria" (Mozart) for chorus, organ and orchestra, and the other, "The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn), with orchestral accompaniment. A tenor solo, "My Hope Is in the Everlasting" (Stainer), and a tenor and bass duet, "He Liveth Forever," by Mains, round out the evening program. The organist and choirmaster, J. Parnell Morris, has arranged for the morning service a program including organ, "Resurrection Morn" (Johnston); Anthem, "O Death, Where Is Thy Sting" (Turner); soprano solo, "Hosanna (Granier); organ, "Meditation in D Flat" (Cadman); anthem, "The Magdalen" (Warren), and organ, "Hosanna" (Dubois).

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

"The Symphony Romane," by C. M. Widor, founded upon the Easter chorale, "This Day," by Bach" will be used by George C. Lethbridge, organist and choirmaster, as the organ music at the Easter morning service in the First Presbyterian Church. Miss Josephine Campbell will sing a solo, and the choir will render the anthem, "The Glad Easter Morning" (Lyres).

The organ numbers for the evening are "La Cathedrale Englontie" (Debussy), and "Finale" from the "First Sonata (Guilamont). E. S. Crawford baritone, will sing "Jesus Lives" (Edwards Morzo), and the male quartet "Christ Arose" (Locorey), Anthems: "Behold, the Lamb of God" (A. E. Grell), "Worthy Is the Lamb" (H. Swart), "Beloved, if God So Loved Us" (Barnby), "He Humbled Himself" (Palestrina).

A CHILDREN'S SERVICE.

Last year a children's service was held on Easter Sunday morning in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, and it proved so interesting and inspiring to everyone, old and young alike, that it has been decided to repeat the experiment.

Singing will be led by a children's chorus of 50 voices, and several Easter carols will be rendered, including "The Bells of Eastertide," "Sing, Sweet Carols, Night Is Past," and "The Name of the King Is Jesus." Two young singers, Lorne Morrison and Hugh Webster, will sing solos and take the solo part in the chorus, "'Tis Easter."

Four girls, Kathleen Esterbrook, Margaret MacGregor, Alice Martin and Jean Rowat, are singing, "The Flowers Tell the Story."

The organ numbers will be a "Pastoral by Federlin and Postlude from "Les Hugenots" (Meyerbeer).

The evening program is as follows: Organ, "Andantine" (Lippa); anthem, "He Is Risen" (Meditation, Comfort and Joy), Atwater; soloist, Miss Cochrill; solo and chorus, "The Dawn of Hope" (Krogman), soloists, Miss Cochrill and Miss Shoebottom; solo, "Let Joy and Praise to Him Arise" (Budge), E. Webster; anthem, "Awake Thou That Sleepest" (Greene), for chorus and quartet; duet, "The Resurrection" (Holdon), Miss Cochrill and Mr. Pink; Postlude, "Alla Marcia" (A. W. Pearce).

Under the direction of R. G. Bowie, choirmaster, fine Easter musical services have been arranged for the Empress Avenue Methodist Church. Several special Easter hymns will be sung, and the organist, Miss Florence Dewey, will play special preludes, offertories and postludes. The morning program includes the anthems, "Break Forth Into Joy" (J. Barnby); "The Lord Is Risen" (R. W. Loveland); solo, Miss Ruth Lucas, and quartet, "The Day of Resurrection" (Berthold Tours) Mrs. McBride, Miss Rossiter, Mr. Schill and Mr. Rossiter.

In addition to the anthems, "Break Forth Into Joy" (Barnby), "The Lord Is Risen" (B. W. Loveland), and "Christ, Our Passover" (B. Tours), the evening musical service includes solos by Mrs. McBride and Walter Greenway; a quartet and a violin solo, "Thais" (Massanet), by Leslie Lucas.

Special Easter music, under the direction of Miss Katherine Moore, organist and choirmaster, will be rendered in the Cronyn Memorial Church.

Morning Service.

Prelude, (Dubois); anthem, "Christ Our Passover Is Sacrificed For Us"; Jubilate, (Ouseley); anthem, "They Have Taken Away My Lord," (Stainer); communion service, (Maunder); recessional, "Nunc Dimittis," (Bamby); postlude, (Hollins)).

Evening Service.

Prelude, (Lemare); Cantate, (Turle); Deus, (Foster); anthem, "Now the Earth in Resurrection Light," from cantata, (Shelley); postlude, (Guilmont).

AT THE CATHEDRAL.

Varied musical programs for morning and evening services have been arranged by Mr. Bert Weir, organist and choirmaster for the Centennial Methodist Church. In the morning there will be an anthem, "This Is the Day" (Hall), in which A. Tudor will take the solo part; the solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord" (Buck), and the quartet, "Christ Is Risen" (Parks).

In the evening a more elaborate program will be presented, the anthem, "Awake and sing" (Hammond), with soprano obligato by Miss Gertrude Wood; anthem, "On Wings of Morning Borne" (Miller); solo, "Hosanna" Gorne" (Miller); solo, "Hosanna" "There Is a Green Hill" (Gounod), Miss Gertrude Wood and Charles Hall; solo, "Easter Day," Van de Water, Miss Gladys Stanfield, and ladies' quartet, "Lead Kindly Light" (Parks).

Appropriate organ numbers will be rendered by Mr. Weir.

Mrs. J. N. Gunn will be the soloist at the Easter morning service in Knox Church, for which a musical program has been arranged, including the organ prelude, "Andante" (Batiste); Easter carol, "Hail the Glorious Easter Morning" (Schnicker); anthem, "Hosanna in the Highest" (Maunder), and organ postlude, "Marche" (Gounod).

In the evening there will be a violin offertory, Air on G String, Bach; organ prelude, "Chanson d'Avril" (Brewer); Easter carol, "Rejoice, the Lord Is King" (Nevin); organ postlude, "Marche" (Dubois).

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Musical Art Society Provides Opportunity for Public Song Rally—Everybody Welcome.

Next Wednesday evening any citizen of London who wants the opportunity to sing for the joy of singing is invited to the first sing-song of the London Community Chorus at the Y.M.C.A. Auditorium. The directors of the Musical Art Society have provided for the inauguration of the work, and regular weekly meetings will be held until the warm weather, when a monster outdoor sing-song will be held in one of the parks.

The London Community Chorus means and provides for the free, regular meeting of the people of London, any or all, irrespective of previous musical knowledge or training of any kind, winter or summer, indoors and out in public halls and parks, to sing together for the joy of singing and for what song can do to awaken and inspire the community spirit.

Each meeting will be a concert of music by the people. There will be a few special chorus numbers, but the main part of the program will be given by the whole audience. Camp songs and old-time favorites are being printed on song sheets—everyone will sing, and it is hoped to have a big family evening for London. There is, of course, no admission fee to these "songs" given by the Community Chorus, and everyone is welcome. It is not a choral society—there are no fees, no voice tests and no requirements for membership except this one—to have a good time by joining in the singing.

As there will be some slight expense in the way of rent and printing, boxes will be placed at the doors for voluntary contributions, but it is not intended that this should keep anyone away from these meetings, as they are to be free in every sense of the word.

It is expected that there will be people there from every section of London, and of every variety of interest—all coming together in this spirit of song—and out of the meetings, greetings between many hundreds, on a basis of kindliness and mutual appreciation. This influence should go far and be of lasting value to our city.

Invitations are being sent out through the trades and labor council and through the mothers' clubs and other organizations of the city.

The choir of the Musical Art Society will be present next Wednesday, and will render several selections from their recent successful concert. Mrs. Edward Wyatt will also sing, and a most enjoyable evening may be looked for. Come and hear yourself sing next Wednesday evening at the Auditorium at 8 o'clock. Cadets from the Collegiate Institute will act as ushers.

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Sonia Markova in **"THE PAINTED MADONNA"**

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LITTLE MARY McALISTER, in "A PLACE IN THE SUN."

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Scene from the "Bar Sinister," a stirring photodrama, dealing with one of the most vital problems confronting humanity. At the Patricia Theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

PATRICIA

"The Bar Sinister," at the Patricia next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"The Bar Sinister" is the feature screen production at the Patricia Theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

It is a stirring exposition of one of the most vital problems confronting humanity, a picture millions will wish to see, and yet by its careful and intelligent treatment of a delicate subject there is not one line, scene or situation which could offend even the most acutely sensitive.

From the gifted pen of Anthony P. Kelly, the most successful of all photoplay authors, "The Bar Sinister" will stand as a landmark in the evolution of motion pictures as an art because it is the first great original contribution to photodramatic literature. It is not an adaptation, but sets forth in actual pictures the processes of a wonderful dramatic lagination.

The underlying theme of "The Bar Sinister" is the spiritual equality of mankind regardless of race, creed or color.

Is a man or woman the better spiritually because he or she is white? Does the color of the skin make any difference in the fibre of the soul?

In the eyes of God are not all men equal?

"The Bar Sinister" does not pretend to solve these problems. It is designed to make one think. There is no escape from its utter drama.

There are, to be sure, many episodes that required masterful direction, for the views of men and women in Texas concerning race questions are apt to differ from those of men and women in New York. Therefore Mr. Lewis was compelled to weigh carefully every scene and every title, for he was treading treacherous ground. But he guided the story skilfully through the mine fields of prejudice 'into the open sea of tolerance.

The argument unfolded by "The Bar Sinister" is that the barrier of race is a social one and not spiritual and that the finest men in each race will be found fighting side by side to combat the lowest.

"The Painted Madonna," starring Sonia Markova at the Patricia next Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

"The Painted Madonna" is the leading screen attraction at the Patricia Theatre next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The story deals with Stella Dean (Sonia Markova), who is in love with John Radon (William Lampe), but Radon betrays her confidence and she flees from her home in Pleasantville, leaving a note of confession for her mother. The mother dies of a broken heart.

In Pleasantville before this occurrence there was an artist, Milton Taylor (Sidney Mason). One day Stella draws a Daddy Longlegs on his canvas. He catches her at it and falls in love with her.

He is heartbroken after Stella leaves. He goes to New York. Stella is there too, with a musical show. She is under the name of Clair Loone. She has entered on the wildest dissipation. The artist needs a model for a picture. He gets Clair, but does not recognize her until he has finished his picture of the Madonna and child.

When Clair sees it she is in a rage. It brings back her disgrace. She flees and sets out to aid betrayed girls.

The artist in his disappointment goes from bad to worse until finally he is compelled to return to Pleasantville for recuperation. There he finds Stella at prayer in a church. He watches her come out. She sees Radon taking another girl into an abandoned cabin as he did her years before. She rescues the girl, upbraids Radon and falls fainting into the arms of the artist.

Vaudeville Attractions at the Patricia Theatre next week.

In vaudeville at the Patrica Theatre next week, music lovers will be afforded the opportunity of hearing and seeing two good acts. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday "Three Boys and a Girl" present a noval singing and piano act. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The Carson Trio in a musical and singing novelty act is the vaudeville attraction.

MAJESTIC

Enid Bennett in "The Keys of the Righteous" at the Majestic Today.

The very newest production, "The Keys of the Righteous," a Paramount picture, is to be seen at the Majestic today, starring Enid Bennett, who has, because of a law suit which she only recently won, been enjoying some time of enforced idleness. Her friends will be glad to learn that "The Keys of the Righteous" gives Miss Bennett ample opportunity to use her great talents not only as an emotional ingenue, but also in parts of the picture as the winsome comedienne that only she can be.

Dorothy Dalton In "Love Me," a Thrilling Photopaly—At the Majestic Theatre Next Monday and Tuesday.

The Majestic Theatre announces for Monday and Tuesday the reappearance of charming Dorothy Dalton, this time in "Love Me," a photoplay from the pen of C. Gardner Sullivan. In this picture Miss Dalton takes the part of a breezy western girl, married to a wealthy society man whose family refuses to accept her as one of them, making her life among them all that is hard to bear. How she finally wins their hearts completely at a tremendous cost to herself is thrillingly told in the picture.

Beautiful Gowns Worn By Kittie Gordon In "Diamonds and Pearls" at the Majestic Monday and Tuesday, Matinee Only.

Both men and women like to see the latest thing in gowns, when the gowns are worn by a superbly beautiful woman. That is why "Diamonds and Pearls" is such a big hit—that, and the fact that it is a tremendously fascinating drama, forcibly played.

Miss Gordon's plays are always noted for the smartness and up-to-dateness of the gowns she wears, and "Diamonds and Pearls" is no exception to this rule. Miss Gordon wears no less than twenty distinctly different frocks in this production, and every one of them is the last word in fashion.

In this attraction Miss Gordon plays the role of Vialetta D'Arcy, who has the opportunity of marrying for love, or of marrying for money. She chooses the latter, but later finds that against her extravanges even the enermous fortune of her husband cannot stand. Then when she is pressed for money to pay her gambling debts and her other bills, she takes a step which leads to tremendous results.

"Diamonds and Pearls" will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday, matinee only.

Alice Brady at the Majestic Wednesday and Thursday Next in "Her Silent Sacrifice."

In "Her Silent Sacrifice," which will be shown at the Majestic Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday next, Alice Brady has a superb vehicle for her dramatic talents in a tale of true love conquering the falsities of smart Parisian society life. As Arlette, the innkeeper's granddaughter who grows up into beautiful maidenhood, she poses for Richard Vale, an American artist. He has for her only the artist's appreciation for beauty, but she loves him devotedly. At the arrival of the rich and influential Prince Bolssard, who grows infatuated with her charms, she promises to give herself to him if he will further Vale's career. This the powerful nobleman does successfully, and demands his payment. On the evening after the opening of the "Salon" where Vale's portrait of Arlette as a pagan nymph wins the grand prize, the prince holds a gorgeous fancy dress ball at which Arlette publicly acknowledges him as her lover. The artist is also present, and naturally misconstrues all she has done for him.

How Sarthe, the Hindoo, discloses the truth of her willing sacrifice, and how she is rescued from the appalling life that confronted her, to be the bride of her true love, makes a photodrama of intense emotion and thrilling heartthrobs.

Extra added attraction, "The Pendleton Round-Up," in two reels.



Olive Tell and David Powell in "He Sister," Mutual Empire production At the Unique Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.



At the Majestic Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.



Scene from that colossal production, "Cleopatra," starring Theda Bara, to be shown at the Patricia Theatre, April 8, 9, 10.



Thomas H Ince presents DOROTHY DALTON in "Love Me"

At the Majestic Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

AT THE THEATRES NEXT WEEK

MAJESTIC

MONDAY, TUESDAY—Dorothy Dalton in "Love Me." Matinee only—Kitty Gordon in "Diamonds and Pearls."
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — Alice Brady in "Her Silent Sacrifice," Added attraction, "Pendleton Round-Up."
FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Anita Stewart in "The Suspect." Special attraction, "Wild Youth."

PATRICIA

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY—"The Bar Sinister." Canadian Scenic Weekly. Jaxon Comedy. Vaudeville—"Three Boys and a Girl," novel musical act.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Sonio Markova in "The Painted Madonna." James Montgomery Flagg's "Girls You Know." Little Mary McAllister in "A Place in the Sun." Vaudeville—"The Carson Trio, musical and singing novelty act.

UNIQUE

MONDAY, TUESDAY—Olive Tell in "Her Sister." Chapter eight, "Vengeance and the Woman."
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — Mary Pickford in "The Little Princess." "The Crimson Stain Mystery."
FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Charlie Chaplin in one of his latest comedies.



Star in "The Suspect," a photoplay dealing with Parisian society life. At the Majestic Theatre next Friday and Saturday.



This famous English beauty will be seen at the Majestic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday—Matinee only.

UNIQUE

Mary Pickford, in "The Little Princess," at the Unique Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

An interesting picture of life in a fashionable London boarding school for girls is presented in "The Little Princess," Mary Pickford's latest Artcraft production which will be the attraction at the Unique on Wednesday and Thursday, and which is a film version of the story by Frances Hodgson Burnett, recounting the narrative of Sara Crewe, a character well known to the readers of the books by the famous Anglo-American novelist.

Olive Tell, in "Her Sister," at the Unique Monday and Tuesday.

From an unsophisticated young girl to recognition as the most fashionable "seeress" in New York, waging a constant battle to preserve the virtue of her younger sister, then, at last, accepting the shame of a road house scandal at the sacrifice of her greatest happiness, these are some of the real throbs in the life of a beautiful girl who at last won honorable vindication for both herself and "Her Sister." At the Unique Theatre next Monday and Tuesday

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The Prettiest Little Star in the Movies
ENID BENNETT
IN HER LATEST
"KEYS OF THE RIGHTEOUS"

THE ALL-STAR ATTRACTION BILLS NEXT WEEK
MONDAY AND TUESDAY
The Charming Star
DOROTHY DALTON
in "LOVE ME"
Dorothy Dalton is Past Mistress of Thrills, and this is the most exciting of all the Thrillers. Exquisite Gowns—In fact it will be a Fashion Show.

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A Heroine Who Dares Everything for Love
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In Her Latest Production
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See how the honest love of a country girl overcomes the empty smartness of Parisian society life. Guaranteed.

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY. — OLIVE TELL
The Charming Broadway Actress
in "HER SISTER" (five parts)
"VENGEANCE AND THE WOMAN" (Chapter 8)

WEDNES. AND THURSDAY — MARY PICKFORD
In "THE LITTLE PRINCESS."
"THE CRIMSON STAIN MYSTERY" (Chapter 3)
ADMISSION—10 CENTS

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY — CHARLIE CHAPLIN
IN ONE OF HIS LATEST.



Too Little Exercise

THE necessity of using medicine to regulate the action of the liver, kidneys and bowels is largely due to the changed conditions of life during recent years.

Our fathers lived a life of activity in the open air. If they ate heartily they had sufficient exercise to keep the liver and bowels active and to thereby remove the poisonous waste from the body.

To-day we get too little exercise and too little fresh air. The food we eat is more concentrated and artificial. The result is much discomfort and the development of serious disease from constipation of the bowels and torpid condition of the liver. Kidney disease, rheumatism, lumbago, backache—all have their beginning in the inactivity of the liver and bowels.

The great secret of keeping in health is to look to the regularity of these filtering and eliminating organs, and Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills is the most satisfactory medicine obtainable for this purpose.

If you read the reports appearing in this paper, from time to time, from persons who have used this treatment with good results, you will find that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are effective where ordinary medicines fail. This success is due to their combined action on the liver, kidneys and bowels. One pill a dose at bedtime as often as is necessary to keep the bowels in healthful action, will also ensure the regularity of the liver and kidneys and thereby keep the blood pure and the system free from the accumulating poisons which cause disease and suffering.

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GENERAL GIBSON SAYS EVERY SOLDIER WHO GOES TO THE FRONT SHOULD TAKE NUXATED IRON

Gen. John L. Clem, Who Was Sergeant in the United States Army at 12 Years of Age; Gen. David Stuart Gordon, Hero of the Battle of Gettysburg; Judge Samuel S. Yoder, for 18 Years a Practicing Physician and Formerly Surgeon Major in the Army, Also Tell How They Were Benefited by a Short Course of This Remarkable Product.

Dr. James Francis Sullivan and other physicians explain why Nuxated Iron helps to increase strength and endurance and build up weak, nervous, rundown folks.

What every soldier most needs is tremendous "stay there" strength, power and endurance, with nerves of steel and blood of iron. To help produce this result there is nothing in my experience which I have found so valuable as organic iron—Nuxated Iron, says Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital. "I have personally found it of such great value as a tonic, strength and blood builder that I believe if Gen. Gibson's advice were to be followed many of our fighting men would find it of great benefit. In my opinion there is nothing better than organic iron Nuxated Iron — for enriching the blood and helping increase strength, energy and endurance.

Gen. Horatio Gates Gibson says Nuxated Iron has brought back to him in good measure that old buoyancy and energy that filled his veins in 1847 when he made his triumphant entry with Gen. Scott into the City of Mexico.

Another remarkable case is that of Gen. David Stuart Gordon, noted Indian fighter and hero of the battle of Gettysburg. Gen. Gordon says: "When I became badly run down this year, I found myself totally without the physical power to 'come back' as I had done in my younger days. I tried different so-called 'tonics' without feeling any better, but finally I heard of how physicians were widely recommending organic iron to renew red blood and rebuild strength in worn-out bodies. As a result I started taking Nuxated Iron, and within a month it had roused my weakened vital forces and made me feel strong again, giving me endurance such as I never hoped to again possess."

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Dr. Schuyler C. Jacques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York City, said: "I have never before given out any medical information or advice for publication, as I ordinarily do not believe in it. But in the case of Nuxated Iron I feel I would be remiss in my duty not to mention it. I have taken it myself and given it to my patients with most surprising and satisfactory results. And those who wish quickly to increase their strength, power and endurance will find it a most remarkable and wonderful effective remedy."

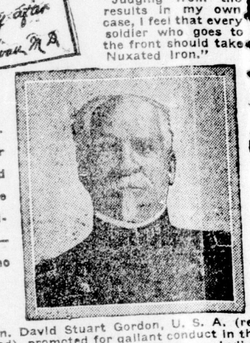
If people would only take Nuxated Iron when they feel weak or run down instead of dosing themselves with habit-forming drugs, stimulants and alcoholic beverages, there are probably thousands who might readily build up their red blood corpuscles, increase their physical energy, and get themselves into a condition to ward off the millions of disease germs that are almost continually around us. It is surprising how many people suffer from iron deficiency and do not know it. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day, after meals, for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained."

Manufacturers' Note.—Nuxated Iron which is prescribed by Dr. Sullivan and which has been used by General Gibson, Gordon, Clem, Judge Yoder and others, with such surprising results is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser, or they will refund your money. It is dispensed in this city by Standard Drug Company, Limited, and all other druggists.



Gen. John L. Clem, U. S. A. (retired), the drummer boy of Shiloh who entered the U. S. army as a drummer boy at the age of 11 years. He was promoted to be sergeant for gallantry at the battle of Chicamauga, when only 12 years old. He says that Nuxated Iron is the one and ever-reliable tonic—that he obtained most surprising results from its use in two weeks' time.

The above is Dr. Sullivan's prescription for enriching the blood and helping to make strong, keen, red-blooded Americans — men and women who dare and do.



Gen. Horatio Gates Gibson, U.S.A. (retired), who entered the City of Mexico in the war of 1847 with Gen. Wingfield Scott. Gen. Gibson says: "Judging from the results in my own case, I feel that every soldier who goes to the front should take Nuxated Iron."

Gen. David Stuart Gordon, U. S. A. (retired), promoted for gallant conduct in the battle of Gettysburg; well-known Indian fighter. Gen. Gordon says: "Despite my own advanced age, Nuxated Iron has made me fit and ready for another campaign, and if my country needs me, I stand ready to go."

Judge Samuel S. Yoder, statesman, jurist, and for 18 years a practicing physician, formerly surgeon-major in the army and now commander-in-chief of the Union Veteran Union, says: "Nuxated Iron restores, revivifies and rehabilitates the system. To the man of 70, as I am, it is just as certain, just as efficacious as to the youth in his teens."

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MONDAY, APRIL 1

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HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO DISPOSE of the complete contents of this well-furnished home of up-to-date, clean, household effects, in part: Leather morris chair, fancy tables, large Axminster rug, rockers, bookrack, pictures, whatnot, portieres, carpets, small rugs, clock, curtains, blinds, sewing machine plants, walnut buffet, table and diners, dishes, glassware, linoleum, canned fruit, pickles, dressers, bronze and enameled beds, springs, mattresses, toiletware, stretcher, Economy range, gas range, gasoline range, oil heater, mower, hose, sealers, wringer, boiler, tubs screens, steps, carpenter's and gardener's tools, kitchen tables and goods, etc. Large sale. Something for everybody. Come. Take West London car to end of line. Sale at 10 a.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 1

EVENING SALE.

368 PRINCESS AVENUE.

HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO DISPOSE OF THE FOLLOWING useful and clean house furnishings, in part: Bach square grand piano, parlor settees, chairs, rockers and tables, lounge, lady's desk, sewing machines, oak sideboard and table, dishes, bedroom suite, dressers, iron beds, springs, mattresses, linoleum, kitchen range, refrigerator, kitchen tables and goods, etc. Another evening sale well worthy of your attendance. SALE AT 7:30 P.M.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2

297 HILL STREET.

MRS. J. BRYAN HAS INSTRUCTED ME TO DISPOSE of her nicely-furnished home, complete, in part: Edison phonograph and records, davenport, rockers, easy chairs, settees, tables, lady's desk, magazine rack, screens, jardinieres and stands cushions, fancyware, ornaments, large and small rugs, carpets, oval walnut table, antique sofa, hallrack, pictures, curtains, blinds, clock, Singer drophead machine, sideboard, table and diners, dishes, glassware linoleum, corner china cabinet, plants, brass lamp, bedroom suites, dressers, iron beds, springs, mattresses, toiletware, wardrobe, Art Garland baseburner, Caloric gas range, small range, gas plate, Bell Oak heater, glass-top cupboard, fall-leaf tables, mower, steps, tubs, boiler, scales, ladders carpenter's tools and bench cement block machine, 300 pallets, kitchen goods, garden tools, outside effects, etc. Large sale of useful, clean goods. Be sure to attend.

SALE AT 10 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

103 CHESLEY AVENUE.

COMPLETE CONTENTS OF THIS NICELY-FURNISHED HOUSE of good, clean household goods, in part: piano-cased Dominion organ, 7-piece walnut parlor suite, rockers, chairs, tables, lamp, couch, secretaire-bookcase, pictures, clocks, carpets small rugs, portieres, curtains, blinds, ornaments, books, silverware, whatnots, plants, sewing machine, oak buffet, dishes, glassware, canned fruit and jam, oak bedroom suite, dressers, bureau, beds, springs, mattresses, bedding, toiletware, Happy Thought range, McClary baseburner, cupboard, wringer, boiler, tubs, granite and tin ware, sealers, screen doors and screens, steps, carpenter's and gardener's tools, mower, kitchen tables, chairs and goods, etc. Don't miss this large sale. SALE AT 10 A.M.

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 12 FORWARD AVENUE

Complete contents of this nicely furnished house of good clean house housefurnishings. Full list in next Wednesday's papers. Look for it. Sale at 10 a.m. b

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

152 DREANEY AVENUE.

HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO DISPOSE of the following household effects, in part: Raines grand square piano, parlor settees, rockers, chairs, and tables, leather couch, large and small rugs, oil painting, oak rockers, mantel clock curtains, blinds, pictures, lady's desk, buffet, table and diners, dishes, glassware, linoleum, dressers, beds, springs, mattresses, matting, Peninsular range, oil stove, steps, boiler, tubs, chickencoop, kitchen table, chairs, and goods, etc. A nice, clean sale of useful goods. Come. Sale at 10 a.m.

Cut This Add Out for Memo.

C. N. COOPER,

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258 Dundas St. Phone 1332.

AUCTION SALE of Valuable City Property

The undersigned has received instructions from Mrs. Edith Edwards to offer for sale, on the premises, on Friday, April 12, 1918, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following desirable dwelling houses: Nos. 380, 382, 386 and 390 Glebe street, London; also the vacant lot, 132x239 feet, in rear of sale.

All the above houses are well rented and in good condition. A good opportunity to invest in revenue-producing property.

The properties will be offered en block, and if not sold will be put up separately.

Terms: Ten per cent at time of sale, balance within ten days, or a portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage.

D. H. PORTER, Auctioneer, 110 Dundas street.

On Friday, April 12, 1918,

at 4 o'clock p.m., the undersigned will offer for sale at the Empire (formerly Duke of York) Hotel, 625 Dundas street, the equity in two desirable dwelling houses, viz., Nos. 758 and 760 Adelaide street.

These houses are desirably situated, near Oxford street, convenient to North Belt and Oxford street car lines, the C. P. R., and Military Headquarters.

Each of these houses is subject to mortgages for $1,600, at 6½ per cent, interest, which has some time to run.

The properties will be offered en bloc, and if not sold will be put up separately.

Terms: Ten per cent at time of sale, balance over the amount of the mortgages in ten days.

D. H. PORTER, Auctioneer. b

AUCTION SALE 31 Choice Holstein Dairy Cows

LOT 16, CON. 2, WESTMINSTER.

Half-mile east of Pond Mills, Stop 3, London and Port Stanley Railway, on Thursday, April 4, 1918, at 1 o'clock sharp. Positively no reserve. Andrew Cornish, proprietor. Laidlaw & Johnston, auctioneers. b

AUCTION SALE

of 20 head of Holsteins and 25 shoats, at Dorchester, April 1, 1918, at 2 o'clock p.m. Usual sale terms. G. F. Neely, proprietor. b

AUCTION SALE OF 100 HEAD OF CATTLE

LOT 14, CONCESSION 10, TOWNSHIP OF LONDON,

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1918.

8 Registered Shorthorn cows.
2 Registered Shorthorn bulls.
14 Grade Shorthorn cows.
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35 Heifers, 2 years old, due in April and May.
18 Steers, 2 years old.
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STANLEY, LAIDLAW & JOHNSTON, Auctioneers. b

AUCTION SALE

THE LONDON AND WESTERN TRUSTS COMPANY, LIMITED, assignees for the general benefit of the creditors of the Forest City Bottling Works, soda water manufacturers, London, Ontario, have instructed Mr. D. H. Porter, auctioneer, to sell BY AUCTION on FRIDAY, the FIFTH day of APRIL, 1918, at the hour of THREE O'CLOCK in the afternoon, at the premises of the Forest City Bottling Works, at No. 791 Dundas street, the business of Ross Bros., as a going concern, including all the PLANT, EQUIPMENT GOODS, TRADE NAME, etc., as follows:

Bottled and Cask Goods.
Cases and Bottles.
Corks, Crowns and Capsules,
Extracts, Syrups, etc.,
Accessories, Casks, Pails, etc.,
Machinery,
Delivery Equipment,
Sundries,
Office Equipment.

THE SALE will be firstly as a going concern, and if not sold the vendors reserve the right to sell in separate parcels, or in any way they see fit, the sale subject to a reserved bid.

THE TERMS OF SALE for the business as a going concern, 20 per cent cash and the balance in 30 days, or subject to a special arrangement of the vendor.

FOR SEPARATE PARCELS, cash for any articles under $100, for articles over $100, 25 per cent, balance in 20 days without interest.

FOR INSPECTION of goods or FURTHER PARTICULARS and CONDITIONS OF SALE apply to Messrs. Meredith & Meredith, No. 23 Bank of Toronto Chambers, London, Ontario. Solicitors for the assignee, THE LONDON AND WESTERN TRUSTS COMPANY, LIMITED, and Mr. D. H. Porter, auctioneer, No. 110 DUNDAS STREET, LONDON, ONTARIO. Mch 30, Apl 1,3

AUCTION SALE

Lot 2, con. B, London Gore, Friday, April 5, at 1 p.m. Eighteen choice dairy cows, fresh and springers, also brood sows, shoats and boar. E. Parker. b

IN THE ESTATE OF GEORGE BROWN, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CARADOC, IN THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, DECEASED.

Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are required to send particulars of their claims, verified by affidavit, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of April, 1918, after which date the executor of the will of the said deceased may distribute the assets of the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

The said executor will not be liable for any claim of which he had not notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated March 27, 1918.

T. A. McEVOY,
Executor, Mount Brydges.

Mar. 30, Apr. 4

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO

His Honor James Redmond O'Reilly, Esquire, judge, in chambers Tuesday, the 26th day of March, 1918, between Charles McNaughton, plaintiff, and Miles C. Rowe, defendant.

UPON THE APPLICATION of the plaintiff, and upon hearing the solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the affidavits of plaintiff and Clara W. Rowe and the exhibits therein referred to, filed herein,

1. IT IS ORDERED that service upon the defendant, Miles C. Rowe, of the writ of summons in this action, by publishing this order, together with the notice thereon indorsed, twice a week for three successive weeks, before the 15th day of April, 1918, in the London Advertiser, a newspaper published daily in the city of London, Ontario, be deemed a good and sufficient service of the said writ;

2. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the said defendant, Miles C. Rowe, do enter an appearance to the said writ of summons in the office of the local registrar of this court at Cornwall on or before the 25th day of April, 1918.

(Sgd.) JAS. R. O'REILLY,
L. of S. C.

NOTICE.

The plaintiff's claim is for $2,806.50, for money loaned and the proceeds of an automobile belonging to the plaintiff, sold by the defendant, the proceeds of which sale were retained by the defendant. Mar.30, Apr.6,13

Public Announcement re "THE FINISHED MYSTERY" and Bible Students' Monthly

To Our Many Friends and Sympathizers:

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Of the valuable farm property, being east half, Lot 10, Concession 1, township of West Nissouri.

That desirable farm property at the village of Wyton known as "The Pines," together with four village lots in the village of Wyton, and household furniture, farm stock and implements, the property of the late John N. Scatcherd, including,

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Three new milkers with calves.
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A quantity of fall wheat, oats, hay, turnips and potatoes.
Complete line of farm implements.

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Real estate, 10 per cent cash, balance in 30 days. Chattels, cash. Arrangements may be made with the vendors for a loan on the farm property for part of the purchase price. For further terms, particulars and conditions of sale, apply on the property or to The Canada Trust Company, Administrators, 446 Richmond street, London, Ont., or Thomas Clark, Auctioneer, Dundas street east, London, Ont., or Messrs. Cronyn, Betts & Coleridge, solicitors for the administrators.

Mar.30,Apr.2,4,6,

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Especial attention of the public is called to the fact that with this change, Michigan Central Railroad trains in Canada will actually arrive and leave stations one (1) hour in advance of the printed published schedules now in effect, which are compiled on present Eastern time.

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RIOT ACT READ AND MILITIA CALLED OUT IN OLD QUEBEC; BUILDING WRECKED BY MOBS

Anti-Conscription Demonstrations Are Serious.

REGISTRY RECORDS BURNED

Federal Officer Tied to Post and Whipped—Two Newspapers Attacked.

QUEBEC, March 29.—An anti-conscription riot broke out in Quebec tonight.

An angry mob destroyed two newspaper offices and wrecked the premises of the local registrar under the military service act.

The building in which the offices are located is adjacent to the Auditorium Theatre, and the theatre caught fire.

The intention of the crowd, it is believed, was to destroy all the records of cases which have been heard in the exemption courts.

Mayor Lavigueur read the riot act amidst jeers and called out the militia.

The appearance of the military had a pacifying effect on the throng.

The troops formed a cordon around the Auditorium Theatre, while the firemen worked to get the fire under control.

Delay In Official Act.

Mayor Lavigueur explained the delay in calling out the militia by announcing that he needed signatures of two justices of the peace in order to read the riot act. He had some difficulty in locating a justice of the peace in the excitement. The moment the legal requirements to the reading of the act were fulfilled, he read it, and the militia, who had been held in readiness, turned out at once.

The Chronicle office was attacked and now looks as if it had been struck by a cyclone. The presses were not badly damaged, and the paper will likely come out as usual. The interior of the office, however, was torn to pieces, the plate glass windows, partitions, etc., being broken into small pieces, the office furniture being turned upside down and all filing cases emptied, the staff being obliged to take refuge in the rear to escape the flying fragments of glass, coal, ice and other missiles which came from all directions, from a mob of a couple of thousand persons, many of whom, however, were merely spectators of the ravages.

Miscreants Escape.

Not a single miscreant was captured, though the mob took away a magnificent moose head, the property of Major-General Sir David Watson, which was in the outer office, and paraded with it at the head of the procession. They also took away the time clock with them, besides smashing up a couple of typewriters, snatching off the electric wires, etc.

The offices of L'Evenment was also attacked. These two papers have supported the military service act, the enforcement of which caused the outbreak last night, when three federal policemen engaged in rounding up absentees from duty were savagely attacked and badly mauled.

The police of the city appeared powerless to check the crowd. Mayor Lavigueur telephoned the Chronicle office and warned the employees there that an attack on the building was pending. The mayor was understood to ask the Chronicle "to do the best they could."

The crowd, after visiting the newspaper offices, rushed up to the Government offices, which are in the same building with the Auditorium Theatre. Men broke in the doors of the registrar under the military service act, and destroyed the furniture and records there. In the excitement a stove was knocked over and the building set on fire.

The firemen got the blaze in the registrar's office under control, but the records there appeared to have been destroyed. Many of them were thrown out of the window into the street. The mayor finally decided that there was no hope of pacifying the mob, and read the riot act. The militia were then given orders to turn out with orders to load their rifles and to fix bayonets. The troops marched through the streets, and the appearance of the soldiers had a quieting effect on the mob.

The mob began to disperse just before midnight, and the soldiers were soon left in sole possession of the streets.

Federal Officer Whipped.

Further reports to the police on the rioting here last night state that Arthur Evanturel, one of the federal officers, was hanged to a post and whipped into unconsciousness, when he emerged from the police station, where he took refuge with his companions. Leon Belanger is in the hospital with a fractured skull. Belanger was said to be resting easily at the hospital today. He may not recover.

The police are investigating reports that the crowd was enraged by a number of men recently forcibly enlisted. To prevent the possibility of further attacks on Belanger the hospital authorities announced that he would be moved to an unknown place.

Offer of the Militia.

It was stated today that Mayor Lavigueur was offered the use of militia to control the crowd, but refused it, as he considered the worst of the trouble was past at the time the offer was made Thursday night.

Another group of some 500 men gathered this morning on St. Joseph street, St. Roch ward, at the corner of Dorchester street, and cornered a civilian alleged to be a detective for the discovery of draftees.

They were not turbulent, and upon the man proving his identity he was released.

"Dire anarchy" is the description Le Soleil, the leading French daily newspaper at Quebec, gives of the rioting. The paper contends that such disturbances are deeply deplorable, and deserve the severest denunciation. It explains that the men attacked were simply accomplishing their duty in forcing the application of a law of the country. The detectives were within their rights in arresting young Mercier, because he had no papers. It was not up to them to chase about town to find whether the lad had his papers or not.

Numbers Exaggerated.

"The number of manifestants," continues the paper, "has been greatly exaggerated. There were barely a score of turbulents at the outset, and at most 300 or 400 all through, the rest being mere spectators. Even had there been provocation on the part of the detectives out of error of judgment, the law remains law, and as such has to be observed.

"When the police of a city are unable to protect public property and the lives of citizens, when the appeals of the prime magistrate of the city, and even the counsel and exhortations of the clergy are ignored, when it is found that a public corps called to maintain order practically sympathizes with the mob—anarchy, pure and simple, is what it must be called. The reign of the Bolsheviki was thus started.

"We feel that such a thing will not be repeated in Quebec, but this should be a severe lesson to our local authorities. All available measures must be taken to prevent the recurrence of such scenes."

Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice, has asked the military police of Quebec for a report as to the disturbances.

The Quebec Chronicle is one of the oldest papers on the continent. The president of the company is Major-General Sir David Watson, commander of the fourth Canadian division in the field.

The Chronicle office was attacked and damaged by a mob during the general election campaign last November. The Chronicle was an ardent advocate of conscription.

POLICE INDIFFERENT?

MONTREAL, March 29.—Early this evening the telegraph operator in the Chronicle office, J. E. Marchand, reported to the Canadian Press bureau here that a mob had attacked the office and that he was surrounded by angry men. The wire to Quebec was silent for a while, and Mr. Marchand then reported that he had moved to another portion of the building, as the front office of the Chronicle had been wrecked. Mr. Marchand later notified the Canadian Press bureau that he had been compelled to leave the Chronicle building altogether.

Mr. Marchand said that he saw no police action to check the crowd. He said he had to get out of the office by a back door, and break in a window of the premises next door to escape. Mr. Marchand announced later that all telephonic communication with the office had been broken down.

PREMIER DEMANDING EXPLANATION FROM THE QUEBEC MAYOR

Doubts if Serious Effort Was Made to Quell Riot.

OTTAWA, March 29.—Early this morning the prime minister had a conference with the minister of justice and the chief of the general staff, with respect to yesterday's riots in Quebec. Steps have been taken to obtain a full and accurate account of the disturbances. In pursuance of that purpose a representative of the Government left today for Quebec. Firm and adequate steps will be taken by the Government to enforce respect for the law, and to prevent the obstruction of officers appointed to carry out the provisions of the military service act.

The press dispatches indicate that there was no real effort on the part of the civic authorities to cope with the disturbance or to deal with those who attacked the Dominion police. It is possible that fuller reports may give some explanation of so remarkable a condition. The prime minister has addressed to the mayor of Quebec the following telegram:

"Ottawa, Ont., March 29, 1918.

"H. E. Lavigueur, M. P., Mayor, Quebec, Que.:

"The press accounts of yesterday's disturbance in your city, during which federal officers were obstructed in their duty and seriously assaulted, indicate that the attitude of the municipal authorities was passive, and that no real effort was made by the civic authorities to prevent the assault or put down the disturbances. I feel it my duty respectfully to request from you, as chief magistrate of the city, an account by telegraph of what took place.

"(Signed), R. L. BORDEN."

LOCAL MARKET

London's Easter market failed to come up to expectations, but was a good size compared with the markets lately.

A large quantity of flowers was offered, the chief offerings being daffodils and tulips.

Eggs were steady, there being a big demand for Easter eggs, selling for 45c a dozen retail, 41c for crate lots wholesale, and 42c for basket lots wholesale.

Maple syrup was plentiful and in demand, the best quality selling for $2 50 a gallon, but the average price paid was $2 25.

The butter supply was large, creamery butter, retail, bringing 55c per lb, and dairy pound rolls, retail, 50c to 52c.

There was a better supply of vegetables this morning than usual, rhubarb, celery and green onions being in great demand.

Oats dropped in price, $2 76@2 80 per cwt being paid.

Dressed hogs are higher. The live hog market is very firm. There was a fairly good supply of poultry on the market.

Only a few loads of hay reached the square. Straw is slow, selling from $7@8 a ton.

There are no changes in the price of butchers' meats.

Hides and wool are unchanged.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$2 75	to	$2 80
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu.	2 10	to	2 12
Oats, per cwt.	95 1-5	to	97 9-10
Vegetables—			
Celery, per doz.	50	to	80
Cabbage, per doz.	1 00	to	2 00
Home-grown potatoes, per bag	2 00	to	2 15
Rhubarb, dozen	1 00	to	1 00
Carrots, bu.	35	to	50
Parsnips, bu.	50	to	60
Radishes, doz bunches	40	to	60
Turnips, bu.	30	to	40
Onions, bu.	1 40	to	1 75
Beets, per bu.	50	to	50
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, per ton	11 00	to	18 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	55	to	55
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	50	to	52
Butter, crocks, lb.	48	to	49
Eggs, per dozen	45	to	45
Maple syrup, gal.	2 25	to	2 50
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	52	to	53
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	48	to	49
Butter, crocks, lb.	49	to	49
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	41	to	41
Eggs, basket lots, doz	41	to	41
Poultry, dressed, Retail—			
Chicken, lb.	33	to	35
Ducks, pound	25	to	28
Geese, pound	24	to	28
Turkeys, pound	33	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt.	20 00	to	20 00
Fat sows, cwt.	17 00	to	17 00
Small pigs, pair	15 00	to	18 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt.	25 00	to	25 50
Beef, per cwt.	16 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt.	20 00	to	23 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	20 00	to	20 00
Lambs, per cwt.	26 00	to	28 00
Hides and Wool—			
Wool, unwashed, lb.	50	to	50
Wool, washed, lb.	60	to	62
Calfskins, per lb.	15	to	19
Country hides	8	to	9
City hides	9	to	10

WALL STREET REVIEW.

New York, March 30.—War news completely obscured all other events in four full days of the week on the stock exchange. Every move in the terrific struggle on the battle front was watched with absorbing interest, but unshaken confidence in the outcome stabilized standard shares.

Active trading centred largely in the unprecedented demand for Liberty bonds, particularly second fours, which followed announcement of the terms of the next issue. Various theories were assigned for the movement, but in the last analysis it was evident that the buying had its origin in substatial quarters.

The remarkable showing of United States Steel Corporation for 1917, the intention of the Government to render necessary aid to railroads in financial straits, as indicated by the loan to the New Haven road, and the new schedule for steel and iron, were among the distinctly favorable factors of the week. Certain of the more speculative stocks, such as shippings, motors and war supply issues of an unclassified character were depressed at intervals for reasons especially applicable to those shares. These included reduced earnings, dwindling dividend prospects, and difficulties due to scarcity of skilled labor.

Bank clearings at leading centres reflected increased activity in many lines of industry, but the investment market was at a standstill, financial interests conserving their resources for the next Liberty drive.

WALL STREET.

New York, March 30.—Trading on the stock exchange during today's two-hour session was altogether insignificant. Attention was again drawn to events across the water, all other developments being ignored. A considerable part of the meagre dealings was in equipments, motors and tobaccos at gains of 1 to 2½ points. Coppers were strong, and Wilson Packing represented the specialties at a gain of practically 4 points. Standard rails and industrials were fractionally higher. The closing was firm. Sales approximated 100,000 shares.

New York, March 30—Wall Street, 10:10 a.m.—Trading was extremely dull at the opening of today's stock market, with minor fractional changes. Steels were lower, while rails and coppers hardened.

10:30 a.m.—Stocks were stagnant in the first half hour of today's brief session, traders showing no inclination to make new commitments in view of the greater tension in the war situation. Dealings were on the smallest scale yet reported, even for a week-end. In no important instance were changes more than fractional. In the speculative group a decline of 1 point in Royal Dutch Oil and an advance of 1¾ points in United Cigar indicated the irregular trend of the list. Liberty bonds were steady.

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Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, March 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	51¾	52	51¾	52
Erie, com.	14⅜	14¾	14⅝	14¾
Great Northern	90	..	..	..
Illinois Central	96¼	..	..	..
New Haven	29⅝	29⅝	29	29
New York Central	69¾	..	..	..
St. Paul	39⅝	41	39¾	41
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	83¾	..	..	..
Canadian Pacific	137¾	137¾	147½	137½
Southern Pacific	83⅛	..	..	..
Southern Ry., pf.	60⅞	..	..	..
Union Pacific	119	120	119	120
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	56⅜	..	..	..
Norfolk & West.	104	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	44¼	44⅜	44¼	44⅜
Reading Railway	80⅛	81¼	80	81¼
Industrials—				
American Can	40½	..	..	..
American Car	78	79⅛	77¾	79
Am. Smelters	72¼	72½	72¼	72½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	100	100¼	100	100¼
Baldwin Loco.	74¼	74⅝	74¼	74⅝
Central Leather	64¼	..	..	..
Corn Products	35½	35¾	35⅜	35¼
Distillers	40⅜	41	40⅝	40⅝
General Electric	137	..	..	..
General Motors	118⅛	..	..	..
Goodrich Rubber	44½	..	..	..
G. Northern Ore	27	27¼	27	27¼
Inter. Nickel	28	28¼	28	28¼
Marine, com.	24¼	24⅞	23⅞	24⅞
Marine, pfd.	90	90⅝	89¾	90½
Studebaker	40⅛	41⅝	40⅛	41⅛
Virginia Chemical	41⅛	..	..	..
Westinghouse	40½	..	..	..
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper	62½	63	62½	63
Chino Copper	40½	40⅝	40½	40⅝
Inspiration	45¼	46½	45¼	46½
Nevada Con.	18⅞	..	..	..
Ray Consolidated	23⅛	23¼	23	23
Tennessee Copper	16⅜	17⅛	16⅝	17⅛
Utah Copper	77¾	78⅛	77¾	78
Oils—				
Cal. Petroleum	15	15¼	15	15¼
New Mexican	92	92¼	91⅝	92¼
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel	77¼	77¾	77⅛	77¾
Crucible Steel	62⅝	63	62⅝	62¾
Lackawanna	76	..	..	..
Republic Iron	78	78⅜	78	78⅜
Railway Steel	51⅝	..	..	..
U. S. Steel	89½	90	89⅜	89⅞
U. S. Steel, pfd.	109⅝	109⅝	109½	109½
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's	90⅛	..	..	..

GRAIN.

Chicago, March 30.—Corn weakened today when news became public that the British had withdrawn from Mezieres toward Amiens. Previously the military situation had been regarded as more satisfactory, and prices had a slight upward bend. Trading, however, either on the upturn or during the dip was meagre. Opening quotations, which showed ⅛c advance, with May at $1 26⅜c, were followed by declines to well below the closing figures of Thursday.

Oats were again in demand from the seaboard, and showed considerable strength at first. Later the sellers were in a majority, as a result in some degree of the further pressing back of the British. After opening unchanged to ¼c to ⅜c higher, the market scored an additional gain, but then underwent a material break.

Chicago, March 30.—Opening: Corn—May, $1 25⅜.

Oats—May, 86⅝c.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, March 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Corn—				
May	$1 26⅜	$1 26⅝	$1 25⅜	$1 25⅞
Oats—				
May	86¾	86⅞	84⅝	85

LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 400; steady.

Calves—Receipts, 100 head; steady, at $7@21.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,500; slow and easier; heavy, $17 75@18; mixed, $18 25 @18 50; yorkers, $18 50@18 60; light yorkers, $17 75@18; pigs, $17 50@18; roughs, $15 75@16; stags, $13@14.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,800; strong; lambs, $13@20; others unchanged.

Chicago, March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market steady; beeves, $9 60@14 65; stockers and feeders, $8 40@11 60; cows and heifers, $6 30@12; calves, $10 50@16 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market firm; light, $16 70@17 40; mixed, $16 30@17 35; heavy, $15 50@16 90; rough, $15 50@15 80; pigs, $12 25@16 40; bulk of sales at $16 55@17 10.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market firm; lambs, native, $15 25@19 50; sheep $11 75@17.

U. S. STEEL RECEIPTS.

New York, March 30.—The United States Steel Corporation's receipts from sales in 1917, according to the annual report, amounted to $1,683,962,552, an increase of $452,488,773 over 1916, a year which supplied a maximum gross income up to that time, yet there was a considerable shrinkage in production by the corporation last year, high prices for iron and steel accounting for the expansion of earnings. The current assets when the past year closed amounted to nearly $800,000,000, compared with approximately $340,000,000 current liabilities.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Toronto, March 30.—Bank clearings for March, $246,559,204.

Ottawa, March 30.—Bank clearings for March, $23,677,409.

Montreal, March 30.—Monthly bank clearings, $305,158,929.

Halifax, March 30.—Monthly bank clearings, $14,457,473.

Hamilton, March 30.—Bank clearings for the month, $19,799,662.

MONEY.

New York, March 30.—Bar silver, 92⅛c per ounce.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT.

New York, March 30.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $61,399,120 reserve in excess of legal requirements, an increase of $6,433,290 from last week.

Canadians Let Loose Another Gas Avalanche

Confident That Enemy's Desperate Gamble Has Hastened His Defeat.

CANADIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS, March 29.—By W. A. Willison, correspondent of the Canadian Press in Flanders.—All units and all ranks in the Canadian army look to the future and the possibility of their being embroiled in the offensive now raging on their right flank with high courage and a steadfast determination that they shall be worthy of the Dominion and worthy of the high record of its forces.

While nothing approaching battle-like activity on the whole of our front has yet developed, our army has been busy day and night. With moonlight nights there has been great aerial activity, our planes being busy behind the enemy lines, whilst hostile machines have bombed villages on our front, in some cases flying so low that they have swept the streets with their machine guns.

Small parties of French civilians are to be met with on the road moving out of the shell area, but there is no general civilian evacuation, and hope and confidence have increased that the enemy, in his desperate gamble for a decision, has hastened his final defeat.

North from Lens to Hill 70 we gave the enemy another heavy dose of lethal gas early this morning. No fewer than 1,500 drums were projected on his front line communications in the battle areas. Thirty minutes later our guns opened up in a battle barrage which lasted for fifteen minutes, and swept the enemy assembly, support and front line areas.

10,000 FINNISH REDS CAPTURED IN BATTLE

London, March 30.—Finnish Red Guards have been defeated at Tammerfors, north of Helsingfors, by the Government forces, according to a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd. The rebels are said to have lost 10,000 prisoners and 21 guns.

JAPANESE FRIENDLY TO THE BOLSHEVIK GOVT.

London, March 30.—Premier Terauchi and Foreign Minister Montono of Japan according to a Daily Mail dispatch from Tokio, dated Tuesday, have announced that Japan is friendly to the Bolshevik Government, and no reason at present for armed intervention in Siberia.

REV. W. K. CONLY DEAD.

Edmonton, Alta., March 30.—Rev. W. K. Conly, pastor of Namayo Church, one of the best-known Methodist divines in the west, died at a local hospital yesterday, following an operation for appendicitis.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. G. R. Bartram, 59 Dundas.

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RECEPTION

To the returned men on furlough from city and district, and all other returned men, "wounded or otherwise," and all soldiers in uniform in the city, held in the Armories on Thursday evening, April 4th. This is to be a mass meeting of citizens to give a great welcome to our boys.

All Citizens Invited

Doors open to soldiers and friends at 7:30 p.m., and to citizens at 8 p.m. Light refreshments will be served to soldiers and their friends only.

Gallery reserved for wounded and furlough men and wives, good program. Sir Adam Beck will give an address of welcome. Music and band and orchestra, closing with a short dancing.

This general invitation is tendered by His Worship the Mayor and the City Council. 45u-ty

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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.

SUMMERS—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Summers of 693 King street announce the birth of a daughter on March 29, 1918, at Victoria Hospital. b

MARRIED.

CARROTHERS — GOVENLOCK — On Wednesday, March 27, 1918, by the Rev. Dr. Dougall, Miss Annie Govenlock, youngest daughter of Mrs. Margaret Govenlock of Windsor avenue, this city, to Mr. Byron A. Carrothers of 51 Briscoe street, city. 45u

CARTER—BAILEY—At the parsonage of Memorial Methodist Church, March 28, Miss Jean Bailey to Bernard Carter. b

DIED.

CARY—In London Township, on March 29, 1918, William H. Cary, eldest and dearly beloved son of Mrs. Elizabeth and the late William H. Cary, in his 44th year.

Funeral from his late residence, lot 19, con. 4, on Monday, at 3 p.m., services at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at St. John's Cemetery. In kindness please omit flowers. b

HOLT—At New York city, of pneumonia, Mrs. W. J. Holt, daughter-in-law of Mr. John Holt, Wortley road, city. b

LEACH — At Victoria Hospital, on March 30, 1918, Mary Leach, beloved wife of John L. Leach, in her 58th year.

Funeral from her late residence, lot 19, con. 1, Delaware Township, on Tuesday, at 2 p.m.; service at 1:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

St. Thomas papers please copy. 45u

MANN—In Westminster Township, on March 28, 1918, Abbey Helen Marie, eldest and dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mann, in her 10th year.

Funeral from the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Abbey Mills, Lambeth, on Sunday, at 2:30 p.m., services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Scottsville Cemetery. b

NILES—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 28, 1918, Lenora Elizabeth, dearly beloved wife of Clarence H. Miles, in her 30th year.

Funeral from the family residence, 59 Josephine street, Chelsea Green, on Sunday, March 31, at 2:30 p.m., services at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 44u

SOMERVILLE—Lieut. Kenneth Ian Somerville, 5th C. M. R., died of wounds at casualty clearing station in France, March 16, 1918, aged 22 years and 4 months. b

WATERMAN—In loving memory of Mrs. C. N. Waterman, who died March 30, 1917; sister of Dr. J. F. Cattermole, Woodstock. b

WRIGHT—At the family residence, 33 Elmwood avenue, South London, on Saturday, March 30, 1918, Harold Francis, dearly beloved and second youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright (late of the Hotel Metropole), in his 19th year.

Funeral on Monday, April 1, from the above address at 2:30; service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 45u

MEETINGS.

THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY meets Sunday evening at 8:30 in their rooms on Richmond street, near the Free Press. Miss Grace Blackburn will address the meeting. All welcome. b

HOME HYGIENE

At Institute of Public Health, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7:45 p.m. sharp. First Aid, 7:30, Tuesday evening, and Home Nursing, 7:30, Thursday evening. Royal Bank, Room 115, under auspices of Lord Kitchener Nursing Division, No. 28. b

MISSIONARY LOAN EXHIBITION, St. James' Church, South London, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 2 and 3, 2:10 p.m.; 15c before 6 p.m.; after 6 p.m., 25c; children, 10c. 45k

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE London Health Association for the election of directors and the transaction of general business, will be held at the council chamber in the city hall, London, Ontario, on the 3rd day of April, 1918, at 4 p.m., at which all members interested will please attend. Dated this 28th day of March, 1918. D. M. Cameron, secretary; Sir Adam Beck, president.

Owing to the absence of the president, the above meeting will be adjourned, to be held at the same time and place on Friday, April 5th, 1918. 43u-wt

FIELD CROP COMPETITION.—THE London Township Agricultural Society offers $100 for not less than five acres of spring wheat and $75 for same acreage of white oats. Seven prizes in each. Competitors must be members. There will also be prizes given at fall fair for calves and pigs fed by boys and girls under 16 years of age. For information apply to J. B. Carmichael, president; E. Douglas secretary-treasurer. 42u-xt

THE LONDON ROWING AND CANOE CLUB, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the general annual meeting of the shareholders of the above company will be held at the secretary's office in the Court House, London, on Tuesday, the 2nd of April, 1918, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the election of directors, auditors and for general business.

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260 acres—In Township of Orford, Kent County; clay and sand loam soil, 1½-story house, three barns, three miles to Muirkirk. Price, $11,500, part cash. Write our general agent, John E. Burgess, Chatham.

100 acres—In Tilbury East, Kent County; clay loam soil, six acres orchard, good fences, 1½-story house, frame barn 40x66, 3½ miles to Tilbury. Price, $8,500. Write our general agent, Mr. M. M. Dixon, Coatsworth.

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56 acres—Fruit farm, Lambton County, 11 acres peaches, 2½ acres excellent apple orchard in full bearing, and other fruit; the land is especially adapted for all kinds of fruit; near lake and on direct line to Toronto; neighborhood free from all early and late frosts; two houses and two barns; $6,500.

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FOR SALE.—ONE HUNDRED ACRES west half lot 17, concession 9, Brooke, Lambton County. Splendid buildings, new silo, land rich clay loam, well under-drained, orchard 150 trees (mostly winter fruit), good water. Everything in best repair. Apply to J. C. McDonald, Alvinston. Mar.9,16,23,30.

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ANGLICAN

Cathedral St. Paul's

Easter Sunday. Holy Communion, 7 a.m., 8:30 a.m. and at morning service. Morning service, 11; preacher, the lord bishop. Children's service, 3 p.m.: address, Mr. R. Heathcote. Evening service, 7; preacher, the rector.

Christ Church

Corner Wellington and Hill Streets. C. R. Gunne, Rector.

Services Easter Day: Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Children's service at 3 p.m. Evening Prayer at 7 p.m. Special Easter music at the 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. services. Preacher, the rector.

Cronyn Memorial Church

Rev. A. Quintin Warner, Rector.

SERVICES AS USUAL

St. Matthew's Church

EASTER DAY.

Services at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m., 3 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Easter music.

Church of St. John the Evangelist

St. James and Wellington Streets.

ORDER OF MUSIC EASTER DAY.

MATINS.

Processional hymn, "Welcome, Happy Morning"; Versicles and Responses (Thomas Tallis); Easter Sentences (Pelham Humphrey); Proper Psalms to Anglican Chants; Te Deum Laudamus (Stanford, in B flat); Jubilate Deo (Stanford, in B flat).

Holy Communion.

Kyrie Eleison (King Hall, in C); Gloria Tibi and Gratias (King Hall, in C); hymn, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today." Sermon, Rev. Canon Craig, B.D. Offertory anthem, "All Hail, Dear Conqueror" (Thomas Adams); recessional hymn, "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"; organ postlude, "Easter March" (Gustave Merkel).

EVENSONG.

The London Instrumental Trio will give a recital from 6:30 to 7 p.m. Mr. Grant Milligan, violin; Mr. Gladstone Paul, 'cello; Mr. Clarence Gilmour, organ.

Processional hymn, "Christ Is Risen"; Versicles and Responses (Thomas Tallis); Proper Psalms to Anglican Chants; Cantate Domino in F (Ferris Tozer); Deus Misereatur in F (Ferris Tozer); anthem, "All Hail, Dear Conqueror" (Thomas Adams); hymn, "The Strife Is O'er!" Sermon, Rev. F. G. Hardy. Offertory solo, "Easter Morn" (Coleridge-Taylor), Miss Dodo Simcox (with accompaniment for violin, 'cello and organ); recessional hymn, "Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven and Voices Raise!" Organ postlude, "Marche Pontificale" (Ferdinand de la Tombelle). Clarence E. Gilmour, organist and choirmaster. b

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Easter services will be conducted by morning and evening. Easter music.

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OF TORONTO, ONT.

At Gospel Hall, corner Hamilton road and Grey street, Sunday, at 7 p.m., March 31, 1918.

YORK STREET MISSION HALL — Morning, usual. Evening subject, "The Resurrection." Preacher, Rev. B. L. Hutton. Solo, Mrs. Harry Tull. The Lord's Supper.

BAPTIST

Adelaide Street Baptist

James H. Boyd, Pastor.

EASTER SERVICES.

11 a.m.—"The First Easter Morn."

7 p.m.—"The Resurrection: The Greatest Event in History."

Baptism of recent converts.

Special music by the choir.

Seats free. Come; bring your friends.

Baptist Church, South London

Pastor, W. McLaren Walker.

11 a.m.—The pastor. Subject, "The Easter Message." 3 p.m., Sunday school. 7 p.m., Rev. J. N. Norton. Everybody welcome.

Egerton St. Baptist Church

Rev. A. C. Bingham, Pastor.

Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Special Easter music and messages. Baptism at close of the evening service.

Talbot Street Baptist Church

Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., Pastor.

MORNING.

Anthem—"Christ Is Risen" .. (Turner)

Anthem—"O Son of Righteousness" .... (Nichol)

Sermon—"The Resurrection of the Body."

Solo—"The Resurrection Morn" .... (Paul Rodney)

Miss Gwendolen Ware.

EVENING—7.

Anthem—"Who Is Like Unto Thee?" .... (Tozer)

Trio—"Praise Ye" .... (Verdi)

Miss May, Messrs. W. Norfolk and C. Schott.

Anthem—"O Son of Righteousness" .... (Nichol)

Sermon—"John, the Beloved."

Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" .... (Handel)

Miss May.

Mrs. McHardy-Smith, organist and choir leader.

METHODIST

Askin St. Methodist Church

EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES.

10 a.m.—Men's Brotherhood. Address by T. H. Yull, "Advertising the Church."

11 a.m.—Sermon, "Life After Death—Can We Know?"

Anthem—"In the Early Morning" (H. A. Wheeldon).

Offertory—"God So Loved the World" (Sir John Stainer).

EVENING MUSIC—7 P.M.

Processional hymn.

Solo—"As It Began to Dawn" (Coombs), Mr. J. Ballantyne.

Chorus—"Who Shall Roll Away the Stone?" (Torrance).

Solo—"Easter Dawn" (Woodman), Mr. A. E. McCulloch.

Anthem—"Light's Glittering Morn Bedecks the Day" (Parker).

Solo—"Lift Up Your Glad Voices" (Hawley), Miss E. Fetherston.

Chorus—"Fling Wide the Gates" (Stainer's "Crucifixion").

Solo—"The Lord Is Risen" (Dudley Buck), Miss F. E. Cullis.

Short address by the pastor.

E. W. G. Quantz, organist and choirmaster.

Centennial Methodist Church

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SERVICES AS USUAL

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Dr. F. Louis Barber, Pastor.

11 a.m. subject—"Our Hope."

Anthem, "Awake Thou That Sleepest."

Soprano solo by Miss Campbell. "The Resurrection Morn."

Male Quartet, "Christ Arose."

7 p.m.—"What Did Christ Think of the Second Coming and Judgment?"

Anthem, "Now Is Christ Risen."

Solo, "Calvary," Mr. Dowling.

Anthem, "This Is the Day."

Violin solo, Mr. Tirri.

DUNDAS CENTRE

Rev. W. E. Pescott, B.A., Pastor.

MORNING.

Rev. Mr. Pescott's subject—"THE FIRST EASTER—WHAT IT DID."

Music—

Organ, "Resurrection Morn" (Johnston); hymn 140, tune "Martyn"; anthem, "O Death, Where Is Thy Sting?" (Turner); soprano solo, "Hosanna" (Granier); hymn 131, tune "St. Albinus"; organ, "Meditation, in D Flat" (Cadman); anthem, "The Magdalene" (Warren); organ, "Hosanna" (Dubois).

EVENING.

Rev. Mr. Pescott's subject, "A MESSAGE TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE."

Music—

Dundas Centre Choir, J. Parnell Morris, director.

Philharmonic Orchestra (30 pieces), D. H. Couke, conductor.

Organist, Mrs. (Dr.) S. E. Rutledge.

Orchestra, "Hosanna" (Granier); chorus, organ and orchestra, "Gloria" (Mozart); tenor and bass duet, "He Liveth Forever" (Mains); chorus, organ and orchestra, "The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn); tenor solo, "My Hope Is in the Everlasting" (Stainer); orchestra, "Andante Religiose" (Thome); postlude (orchestra), "Selection From Farmer's Mass."

Empress Avenue METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. J. D. Richardson, M.A., Pastor.

Special Easter services, morning and evening. In the evening there will be a full choral service by the choir.

First Methodist Church

MORNING.

Organ Prelude—"Resurrection Morn" (E. F. Johnston).

Anthem—"Christ Is Risen" (Edmund Turner).

SERMON—"The Resurrection Fact and Our Easter Faith," Rev. R. G. Peever, B. D.

Offertory.

Baritone Solo—"Victory" (G. Marschal-Loepke).

Anthem—"Alleluia, Sing to Jesus" (W. Berwald).

Soprano Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel).

Organ Postlude—Grand Chorus, Op.40, No. 4 (Alex. Guilmant).

EVENING.

Organ recital at 6:45.

Gavotte — "Iphigenie en Aulide" (Gluck).

Organ—Concerto No. 5—Larghetto, Allegro, Al'a Sicilliana Presto (Handel);

Anthem—"O Death, Where Is Thy Sting?" (Coleridge-Taylor).

Baritone Solo—"Come, See the Place Where Jesus Lay" (Homer Bartlett);

Anthem—"To the Paschal Victim" (H. J. Stewart). Soprano solo with violin obligato.

SERMON—"An Easter Message to the Individual," Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D.

Offertory.

Organ Solo—"Reve Angelique" (Rubinstein).

Anthem—"The Day Is Past and Over" (J. Christopher Marks). Tenor and soprano duet.

Organ Postlude—"Zadok the Priest" (Handel).

Soloists: Mrs. Edward Wyatt, Mr. Sidney Johns, Mr. Carman Learn, Mr. Wallace Matthews.

Hale Street Methodist Church

Rev. B. Snell, Pastor.

Sunday evening the choir will give the cantata, "Easter Angel," by Ferris.

Hyatt Ave. Methodist Church

Harvey Moyer, Pastor.

Morning theme, "The Empty Tomb." Evening, "Immortality."

Anthem—"Break Forth Into Joy" (Barnby).

Quartet.

Evening Anthem—"God Hath Appointed a Day" (Tours).

"The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn).

Solo—"The Light of the World," Miss Laura Phoenix.

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11 a.m.—The pastor will speak especially to boys and girls. Easter recitations and music by children. 2:45—Sunday school. 7 p.m. subject, "The World's Hope." Special Easter music by the choir.

Ridout St. Methodist Church

J. E. Holmes, Pastor.

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11 a.m.—"National Resurrection."

7 p.m.—"The Power of Christ's Resurrection."

The congregation will resume worship in the main auditorium tomorrow.

MORNING.

Organ, "Symphonie Romane" (Widor); anthem, "Christ Being Raised" (Elvey); solo, "The Glad Easter Morning" (Tynes), Miss Josephine Campbell.

EVENING.

Organ, "La Cathedrale Englontie" (Debussy): anthems, "Behold the Lamb of God" (Grell), "Worthy Is the Lamb" (Smart), "Beloved, if God so Loved Us" (Barnby), "He Humbled Himself" (Palestrina); organ, "Ave Maria" (Schubert); solo, "Jesus Lives" (Eduardo Marzo), Mr. E. S. Crawford; organ, "Finale, from First Sonata" (Guilmant).

George G. Lethbridge, organist and choirmaster.

King St. Presbyterian Church

W. R. McIntosh, B.A., Minister.

Easter services, 11 a.m., "The March to Calvary." 7 p.m., "The Land of Beginning Again." Special music throughout the day."

Knox Church, South London

Rev. J. G. Stuart, Pastor.

11 a.m.—Rev. James Argo will preach on "The Victorious Saviour."

7 p.m.—"The Gladness of the Disciples on Seeing Their Risen Lord." The pastor.

Special Easter music by the choir, assisted by Mrs. J. N. Gunn, soprano, and Master Walter Rennie, violinist.

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MORNING.

Organ—Processional .... (Dubois)

Anthem—Christ Is Risen ...... (Elvey)

Solo—I Know That My Redeemer Liveth .... (Handel)

Miss Lulu Campbel.

Chorus—The Heavens Are Telling .... (Haydn)

Organ—Scherzo Caprice..(Moszkowski)

EVENING.

Organ recital from 6:30 to 7 p.m., with solo by Miss Campbell.

Easter Carol—Ring, Ring the Bells .... (———)

Duet—Arise, O Lord God .... (Bruhn)

Misses Robinson and Guy.

Chorus—Awake Thou That Sleepest .... (Stainer)

Quartet — On the Resurrection Morn .... (Vail)

Organ—Toccata .... (Dubois)

Organist, F. L. Willgoose, Mus. Bac.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Corner Queen's Ave. and Waterloo St.

Minister, Rev. D. C. MacGregor, B.A.

11 a.m.—"The Easter Story." The minister.

7 p.m.—"The Immortality of the Soul." The minister.

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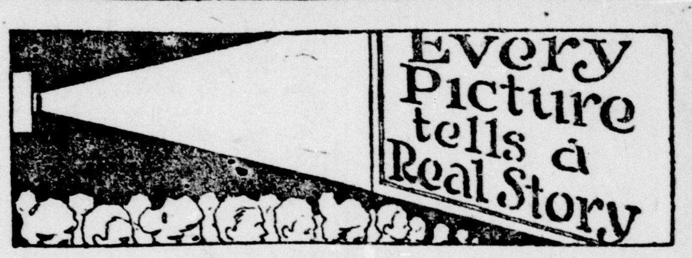
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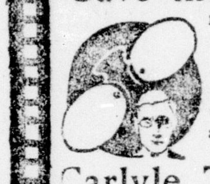
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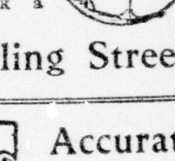
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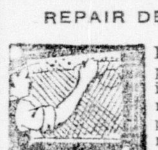
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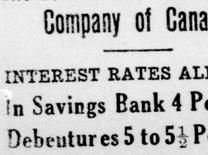
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Seven volunteers came from Detroit, three from Cleveland and one from Bay City.

The following is a list of Friday's volunteers: A. Dunsmore, C.E., Detroit; H. Hogarth, C.E., Detroit; A. Farquhar, W.O.R., Detroit; R. Lipke, unfit, Detroit; D. A. Davidson, C.E., Detroit; E. K. Crosbie, C.E., Detroit; F. Laskey, W.O.R., Bay City; V. A. Collins, G.M.P., Cleveland; H. C. Parker, unfit, Detroit; H. E. Willoughby, unfit, Cleveland; F. Didierickson, W.O.R., Cleveland.

ONTARIO FLAX COMPANY BUYS THEDFORD MILL

THEDFORD, March 29.—The Ontario Flax Company has purchased the flax-mill here from H. Fraleigh of Forest, and plans to operate it to capacity this year. Work has already commenced plowing the land for the flax crop. Andrew Crouell will be the foreman.

John Paisley has purchased the 100-acre farm of Joseph Lacey on the 6th concession for $6,200. Mr. Paisley sold his farm to A. Ross.

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The morning session was given over to routine business. Luncheon was provided in the diningroom at noon.

The reception of M. E. Sir Knight Chas. H. Collins, supreme grand master; R. E. Sir Knight John S. Master, provincial prior, and the visiting members was held in the afternoon.

The orders of the Knights Templar were conferred on a class of 20 candidates. The order of the Red Cross was conferred by R. E. Sir Knight A. Carrothers and staff. The officers and members of Cyrene Preceptory conferred the Order of the Temple, and the Order of Malta was conferred by R. E. Sir Knight C. W. McGuire and staff. The members report that the work of conferring the orders was ably carried out by the various officers.

The annual banquet was held in the evening, about one hundred and forty guests partaking of the refreshments. A. A. Campbell, past grand master, proposed the toast to the sovereign. E. Sir Knight C. H. Collins, and Provincial Prior R. E. Sir Knight J. S. Master, responded in well-chosen words. The toast to the guests was replied to by R. E. Sir Knight Kerr. The city of London was proposed by E. Sir Knight B. Nobbs. In response, E. Sir Knights Ald. Harley, Ald. Wilson and City Clerk S. Baker gave short addresses. R. E. Sir Knight A. E. Cooper proposed the toast to "Glorious Mothers of the Glorious Past." All present expressed the pleasure it had been to take part in the field day exercises.

MEETING OF VETERANS SATURDAY TO DECIDE ON NEW CLUB-ROOMS

The G.W.V.A. building committee will hold a meeting on Saturday to discuss the question of a new home. There are several places that are being considered and it is expected that the committee will decide upon one at this meeting.

The canvassing committee has collected $1,500 and it is thought that the other $500 needed will be collected shortly. The committee feels confident enough to proceed with the negotiations for the purchase of a building.

Signaller W. E. Capewell, who has been canvassing for the association, wishes it known that owing to the pressure of his duties he is unable to continue the canvass. Citizens who have not yet contributed and wish to do so are asked to hand their donation to Secretary J. W. Cuncliffe. The association desires to thank the public for their generosity.

DIAMOND PIN FOR PTE. CECIL NIXON

Pte. Cecil Nixon, who returned home recently after being invalided and being ill with trench fever, was honored last evening at a surprise gathering held at the home of his aunt, Mrs. McNaughton, at Arva, by being presented with a handsome diamond pin and an address. The presentation was made by Ewart McNeil, and the address was read by William Taylor. Pte. Nixon replied suitably. He went over with the 135th Battalion.

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In a volume of 80,000 words, Mr. Moorhouse has described the movements to the land in the northwest. He has seized the drama of the settlement and has pictured the early days of some of Canada's leading men who cast their lots in the vast prairie land. The work has been sold in advance to the extent of many thousand copies, and is certain to add to the reputation of the writer, whose stories have appeared in practically all American magazines of prominence.

Mrs. Moorhouse accompanied her husband to the city and will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. N. F. Willmot.

WILLIAM H. CARY IS STRICKEN SUDDENLY

William H. Cary, eldest son of the late Wm. H. Cary, collapsed suddenly while working in the barn at his farm on concession 14 of London Township yesterday afternoon and died a few minutes later. Death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage. Dr. McNeill, of Arva, was at once called, but death occurred before he arrived. Mr. Cary was a nephew of Capt. George Cary, formerly of the 90th British Regiment. He was unmarried and is survived by his mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ankenman have gone to Montreal and New York for a short honeymoon.

BOWLING POSTPONED.

The regular Friday night inter-city league features were not staged last night on account of the holiday.

Leg Sore!

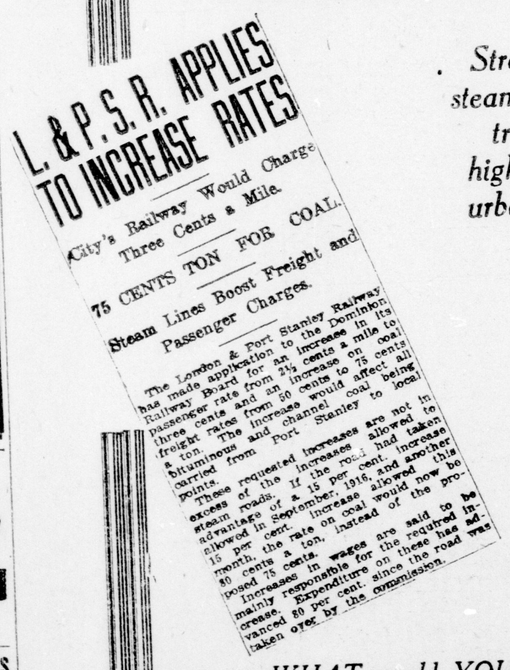
A huge sore—very deep—full of foul discharge. Agony all day; no rest at night. Then—just a few drops of the gentle, cooling liquid, D. D. D. Irritation and pain gone. Sweet, refreshing sleep at night. In due time complete cure. We guarantee D. D. D.

W. T. Strong, druggist; Taylor Drug Company, six stores; Standard Drug Company, four stores, London.

D.D.D. The Liquid Wash

Let Us Have Facts and Fairness---

War's Pressure



L. & P. S. R. APPLIES TO INCREASE RATES

City's Railway Would Charge Three Cents a Mile.

75 CENTS TON FOR COAL.

Steam Lines Boost Freight and Passenger Charges.

The London & Port Stanley Railway has made application to the Dominion Railway Board for an increase in its passenger rate from 2½ cents a mile to three cents and an increase in its freight rates from 50 cents to 75 cents a ton. The increase would affect all bituminous and channel coal being carried from Port Stanley to local points.

These requested increases are not in excess of the increases allowed to steam roads. If the increases are not forthcoming in September, 1916, and another 15 per cent. increase allowed this month, the rate on coal would now be 75 cents a ton, instead of the proposed 50 cents. Increases in wages are said to be mainly responsible for the required increase. Expenditure for these has advanced 80 per cent. since the road was taken over by the commission.

Street railways and steam railways; Great trunk roads and highly efficient inter-urbans have all felt the pinch

It isn't a matter of public ownership or private ownership, of this method or that

It's the War

WHAT would YOU do if you owned the street railway?

LONDON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY

MARCH 30, 1918. C. B. KING, MANAGER.

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CANADIAN FOOD CONTROL

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Who would look his best in his new Easter Suit, the proper shoe of the right quality, at the right price, will be found at

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By Eating PARNELL'S BREAD You Help Conserve Food

You naturally ask the question

HOW?

Because Parnell's Bread is full of nourishment,

Because Parnell's Bread is of finest texture,

Because Parnell's Bread is made of standard flour,

Because Parnell's Bread is made to give satisfaction.

To Eat It Is To Believe!

Try a Trial Loaf Today!

Parnell

The Breadman

PHONES 929-1390.

ROSS', Limited

Practice economy. There is no virtue in only talking of it. Food is needed to win the war.

FURS

WILL BE NEEDED NEXT WINTER.

Only a Few Days Longer at Clearing Prices

Then the Fur Department will be closed up for the season.

Those who wish to avail themselves of the present low prices will save many dollars on buying Furs now.

COATS, MUFFS, STOLES, NECKPIECES AND FUR SETS

Ladies' Wear Department



New garments, in the latest styles, and most up-to-date colors, in Velours, Gabardines, Tricotines, Poplins, Covert Cloths, Tweeds, Silvertones, etc.

Suits, in New York's latest, from .....$26.00 to $42.50

Coats, in tweeds .....$17.00 to $22.00

Coats, in new silvertone cloth $40.00

Coats, in American covert cloth .....$22.00 to $30.00

Coats, in poplins .....$24.50 to $35.00

Coats, in Burrella cloths $22.50

Coats, in American velours...$35.00 to $38.00

Coats, in gabardines ...$25.00 to $35.00

BLOUSES

The Blouse season is now on with its new attractive merchandise.

Voile Blouses.....98c, $1.50, $2.25, $3.75, $4.98

Habutai Silk Blouses $2.19, $2.98, $3.50, $4.50, $5.25

Crepe de Chine Blouses $2.98, $4.75, $5.50, $6.75, $7.50

Georgette Blouses $4.98, $6.75, $7.50



Wool Sweaters

Assorted colors.....$10.00, $11.00, $12.75

PERRIN'S SILK HOSIERY

In black, white and colors 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.25

NECKWEAR

Everything new and correct in this department.

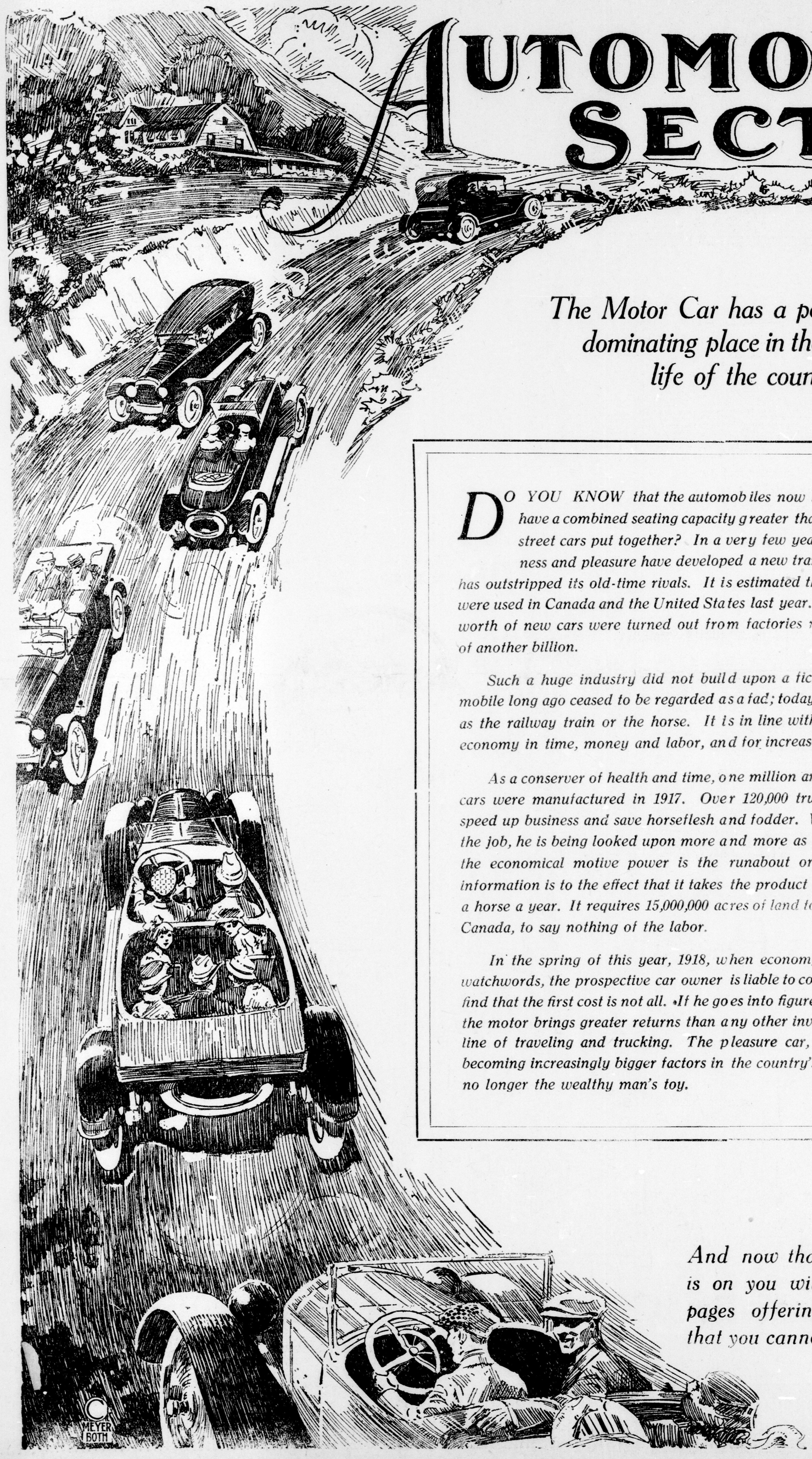
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SECTION TWO

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53rd YEAR. No. THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, CANADA. SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 1918. PRICE, TWO CENTS.



AUTOMOBILE SECTION

The Motor Car has a permanent and dominating place in the economic life of the country.

DO YOU KNOW that the automobiles now in use in North America have a combined seating capacity greater than all the railway cars and street cars put together? In a very few years the beckonings of business and pleasure have developed a new transportation industry which has outstripped its old-time rivals. It is estimated that 5,000,000 motor vehicles were used in Canada and the United States last year. Over one billion dollars worth of new cars were turned out from factories representing an investment of another billion.

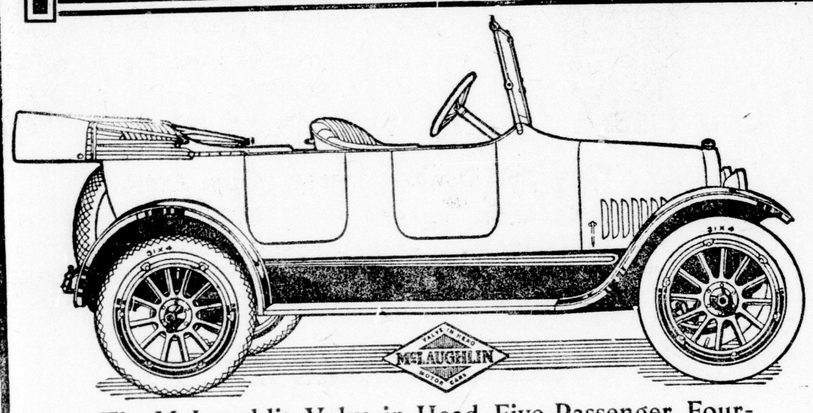
Such a huge industry did not build upon a fickle foundation. The automobile long ago ceased to be regarded as a fad; today it is as essential, in its place, as the railway train or the horse. It is in line with the present day trend for economy in time, money and labor, and for increased efficiency.

As a conserver of health and time, one million and three-quarters passenger cars were manufactured in 1917. Over 120,000 trucks were manufactured to speed up business and save horseflesh and fodder. While Old Dobbin is still on the job, he is being looked upon more and more as an expensive luxury, while the economical motive power is the runabout or tractor; for authoritative information is to the effect that it takes the product of five acres of land to feed a horse a year. It requires 15,000,000 acres of land to feed the 3,000,000 horses in Canada, to say nothing of the labor.

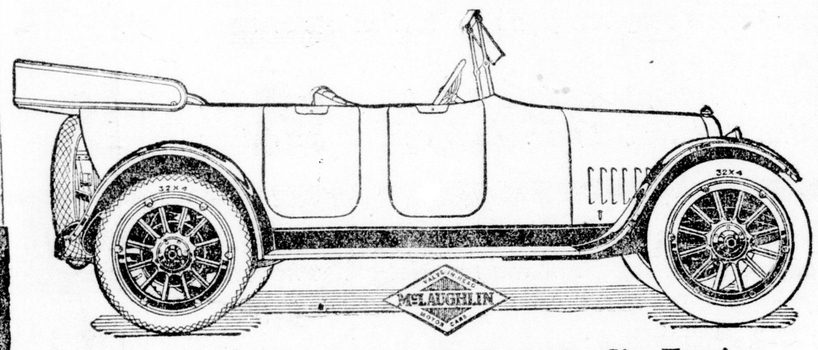
In the spring of this year, 1918, when economy and conservation are the watchwords, the prospective car owner is liable to count the cost first, and he will find that the first cost is not all. If he goes into figures at all he will discover that the motor brings greater returns than any other investment he can make in the line of traveling and trucking. The pleasure car, the truck, the tractor are becoming increasingly bigger factors in the country's economical life. They are no longer the wealthy man's toy.

And now that the Spring Drive is on you will find within these pages offerings in Motor Cars that you cannot afford to overlook

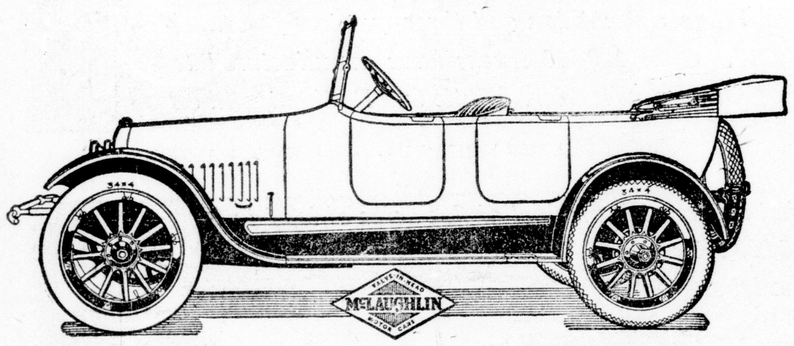
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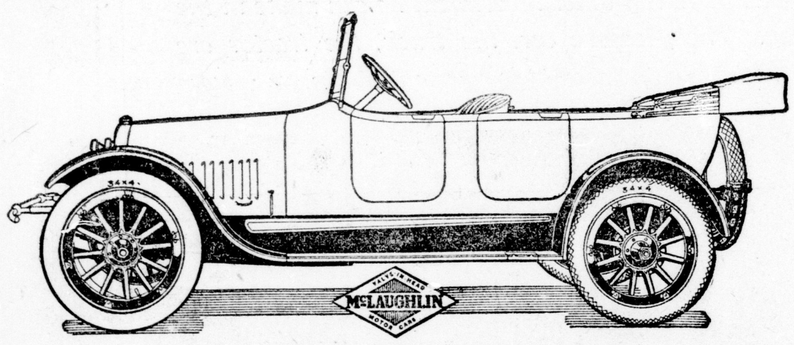
The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Five-Passenger, Four-Cylinder Touring Car, Model E-35.
Price $1,135.00 f.o.b., Oshawa.



The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Light Six Touring Car, Model E-63. Price $1.460.00 f.o.b., Oshawa.



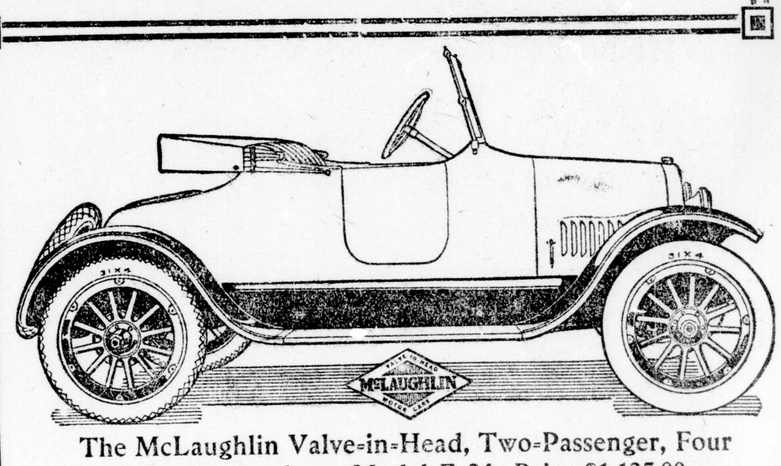
The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Five-Passenger Touring Car, Model E-45 Standard; Price $1,695.00, f.o.b., Oshawa.



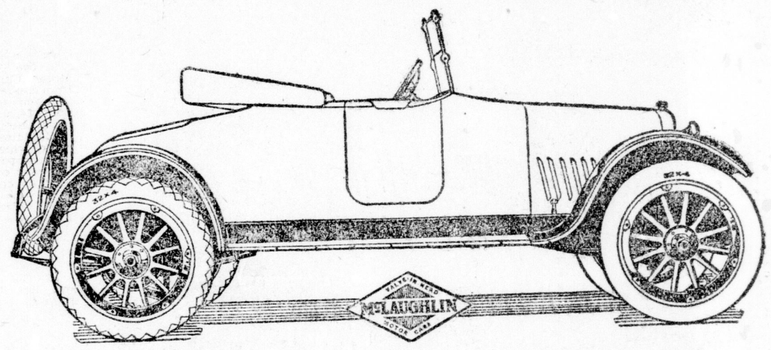
The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Five-Passenger Touring Car, Model E-45 Special; Price, $1,795.00, f.o.b. Oshawa.

Count Them on the Streets of London

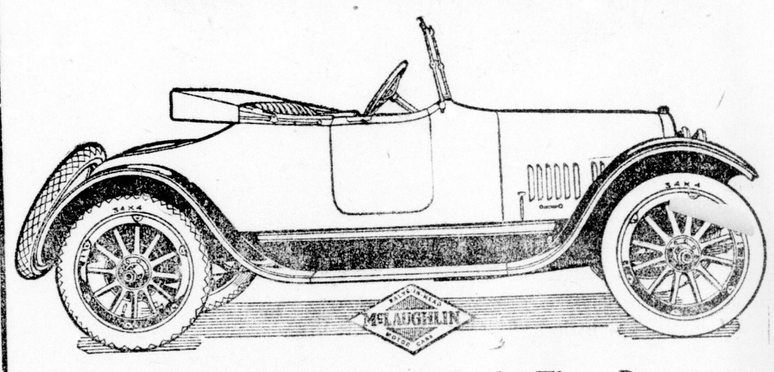




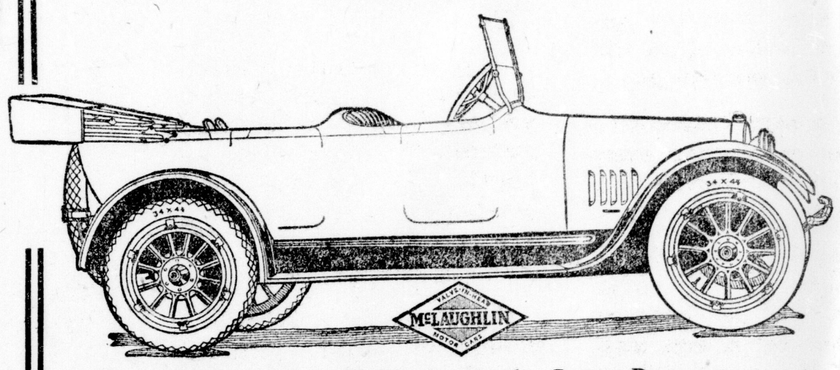
The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Two-Passenger, Four Cylinder Roadster, Model E-34; Price $1,135.00, f.o.b., Oshawa.



The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Light Six Roadster, Model E-62; Price $1,460.00, f.o.b., Oshawa.



The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Three-Passenger Roadster, Model E-44, Standard; Price $1,695.00 f.o.b., Oshawa.



The McLaughlin Valve-in-Head, Seven-Passenger Touring Car, Model E-49; Price $2,140.00, f.o.b., Oshawa.

The McLaughlin Carriage Company, Limited

Open Evenings Until 10 O'clock.

Factory Branch: Corner Richmond and Bathurst Streets, London, Ontario.

AFTER YOU HAVE BEEN IN A COLLISION

and you want to save money call MURRAY, Phone 2327 (formerly of the Ford Company). We specialize in wrecking work of all kinds. No dent too large for us to remove. Bodies rebuilt, remodeled and repaired. Smashed radiators made like new. Also all kinds of brazing.

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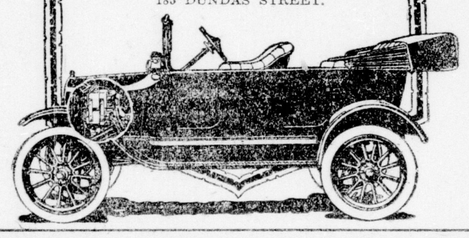
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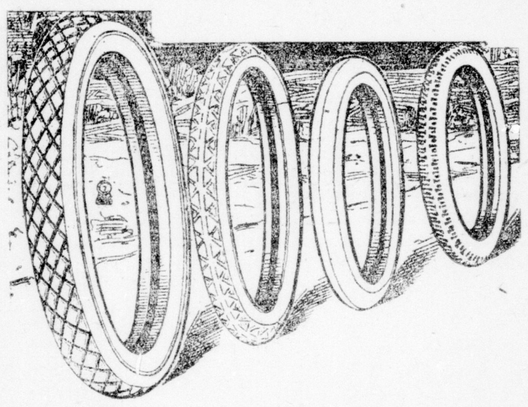
A starting and lighting system for your Ford car—that's what we want to tell you about—tell you of its simplicity and ease of operation, and of the charm and satisfaction of being complete master of your engine and lights without leaving your seat. This new type Gray & Davis system is one worthy of the name in every sense—has a starter that starts—a lighting system that lights—and can be attached to any Ford car at any time. The reliability of the system, together with the wonderful staunchness of the Ford engine, combines to make a power plant of great efficiency. Just stop and think what satisfaction it gives to be able to merely press the foot pedal and your engine is instantly started. Or, by pressing a button you can flood the roadway with steady, brilliant light.

Whether your engine is cold or stiff, or stalled in crowded traffic does not need to worry you—the starter will start it.

And plenty of light for all occasions whether your car is going or standing.

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Automobile Accessories.
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Cut Your Tire Expense In Half

LET LONDON'S ORIGINAL RUBBER EXPERT DO IT

When you spend your money to have your tires vulcanized you want the best work it is possible to obtain. You want the best materials it is possible to obtain used in that work, and you want only expert workmen employed on that job. Because if you do not get all these things your tires, after being repaired, will not give the satisfaction and wear they should.

We definitely settled on the policy of specializing on only satisfactory vulcanizing, because experience has shown that the public does not want to be pacified, they want to be satisfied. You certainly will be if you take advantage of our vulcanizing service, that really serves and costs no more than the average kind.

WE ARE THE ORIGINAL RUBBER REPAIR MEN OF LONDON.
WE GUARANTEE QUALITY WORK, NOT AVERAGE. THINK IT OVER.

Stop and think for a moment. Have you gotten entire satisfaction out of vulcanizing work done for you in the past? Have your tires stood up as they should after you have had them repaired? Have they given you the mileage they should? Or have you been out driving, miles from home, with a tire that you expected to work and did not?

OUR SPECIALTIES

RETREADING SECTIONAL WORK RIM CUTS.

Right now before spring driving starts is the time to have those tires repaired. Bring them in to us and let us give you unbiased expert opinion on whether they should be repaired or not. We feel sure that once you give us a trial we will be constant friends.

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A. WILKES, Proprietor.
354 WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite McClary's.
Phone 2334. LONDON, ONT.
We Repair Rubber Goods of All Descriptions.

STYLE PLUS ECONOMY FOUND IN MAXWELLS

Both Predominate in Cars and Trucks.

APPEAL TO CONSUMERS

Central Garage Offerings of World-Beating Machines Please Every Way.

With the cost of living high and growing higher, and the word "conservation" the most familiar in the language at the present time, the "Maxwell" car makes a stronger appeal to prospective buyers of automobiles this season, even than in former years. Successfully meeting all other tests, the Maxwell car has proved itself the world-beater from an economy standpoint. The Maxwell car and its big brother, the Maxwell motor truck, have broken the records for the maximum of mileage on the minimum of gasoline. A test of 12,000 Maxwell cars last year gave an average of 29 miles to a gallon of gasoline, a big consideration with gasoline skylarking in price.

It is not surprising that wholesalers, coal dealers and other businessmen who have big loads to transport are substituting Maxwell trucks for lorries and wagons drawn by horses. The economy feature is a convincing argument in its favor.

The manner in which beauty, style and comfort are combined with durability and economy in the Maxwell car is demonstrated in a new Sedan, which A. H. Burrows of the Central Garage, 72 York street, now has in stock. The Sedan in question is finished in black and blue, and upholstered in gray Bedford cord, luxurious enough and smart enough to appeal to the most fastidious.

Hobnobbing with the "Maxwell" at the Central Garage is the popular "Reo," for which Mr. Burrows is also district manager. The latest offering in Reo make, the "New Four," a five-passenger car, which has met with immediate popularity, is to be found at the Central Garage.

TWO FAMOUS LINES OF CARS HANDLED BY SERVICE GARAGE

Reputation and Character of Dodge and Page Cars Unsurpassed.

Reputation and character are no always synonymous terms, and it isn't just by chance they mean exactly the same thing where the Dodge Brothers' automobile is concerned. Dodge Brothers are known far and wide. The fact that 200,000 cars have been manufactured by the firm in the past three years insures this. The best part of it all is that the reputation has been founded not only on quantity turned out, but on sterling character.

The character of the Dodge Brothers' car brought a United States Government order for 10,000 cars for army purposes a year ago. Of this number, some 5,000 have already been delivered. The mere mention of the name "Dodge Brothers" is an immediate and sure passport to the favor of the prospective automobile purchaser who is looking for character as well as reputation in the car in which he invests his money. Dodge Brothers' cars are handled locally by W. L. Anderson and E. W. Stickney of the Service Garage, 354 Clarence street, and with it another famous line, the "Paige." Such excellent satisfaction have all of last year's Paige models given to owners that no change has been made in these, and just one new model added, the "639 Cabrolet," in the "Light Six" line, a three-seated, closed car, with collapsible top.

AUTO INSURANCE

That automobile insurance is taking an important place in the up-to-date insurance office is evidenced by the special arrangements being made by the Davis Insurance Agency to care for this class of business. An auto insurance salesman has been engaged for the city, while a branch agency has been established in St. Thomas in the office of St. Thomas' Rubber Man, and subagents have been appointed in various parts of the district.

The agency, feeling the need of more office space, has been removed from 206, Royal Bank building, to larger quarters on the same floor, and are now located at Number 208.

"We anticipate a lively three-months," said Mr. Davis in discussing the outlook for auto insurance yesterday. "Already we have had many inquiries, and when the buying season gets in full swing we will be more than busy. While the rush will be over about July 1, still the business will continue to require much of our attention for DaviserviceF follows our policyholders all through the year, and there will undoubtedly be many opportunities of serving our clients during the fall and winter.

"The enormous increase in the number of cars in use in London has added greatly to the hazards of the motorist. The public appreciate this, and there will be very few this year willing to take the chances without insurance protection. This is especially true in the case of commercial cars, which are soldom driven by the owners themselves. Care of this class are almost invariably insured."

STEPS TO TAKE IF CAR CATCHES ON FIRE

The average motorist probably has a vague idea of what should be done in extinguishing a fire on his car in case such a misfortune should befall him. The following suggestions from the fire marshal of Ohio may prove valuable in an emergency:

The most important thing to remember in case of a fire is to keep cool. A few seconds lost in panic at the start may result disastrously.

At least one small fire extinguisher should be on every car. It should be placed where it may be readily accessible. The small extinguisher is indispensable in handling a gasoline fire and is also useful in fighting any other kind of blaze about the car.

In the absence of an extinguisher sand or dirt can be used, but it should be remembered that if sand is thrown into the carburetor mechanism incalculable harm is likely to result.

Do not use water in attempting to extinguish a carburetor fire or other gasoline fire. This merely tends to spread the fire.

If the engine backfires use the starter to turn the motor. If this does not draw the flames into the manifold use the extinguisher. This should put out the fire with little difficulty.

If the fire has reached the drip pan extinguish that first and then work up to the carburetor.

If the fire is caused by ignition of gasoline from hot exhaust, short circuit, or other conditions about the car, the extinguisher should also be used with equally good effect.

Do not invite destruction of your car and probable injury to yourself by lighting a match to see how much gas there is in the tank.

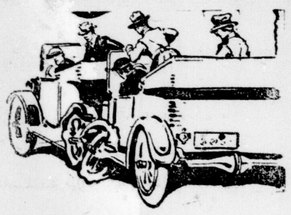
TO START FUEL AGAIN.

In every gravity fuel system there must be a means for air to enter the tank to replace the gasoline that has been drawn off. Usually the opening takes the form of a small hole in the filler cap. If this minute opening gets clogged with dirt, the flow of fuel will stop. Symptoms of this trouble are just the same as if the supply of gas had been exhausted, but investigation shows plenty of fuel in the tank. Removal of the obstruction starts the flow again.

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Who Pays?



AUTO INSURANCE

WHEN COUPLED WITH OUR SYSTEM OF SERVICE TO POLICYHOLDERS, RELIEVES THE MOTORIST OF MOST OF HIS WORRIES AND ADDS MUCH TO THE JOYS OF MOTORING.

List your car with us, then in the event of accident simply phone us and we make all investigations and assume all responsibility, settling claims at once wherever possible and defending any action that may be brought without any extra cost to the insured. The cost of a full year's protection is less than your solicitor's fee to defend you in a single case. We also cover damage to your own car through either fire or collision anywhere on the continent.

EVERY NEW CAR

adds one more chance to your liability of accident. The daily news columns furnish an appalling number of arguments every week against your going unprotected. Our facilities for handling this class of insurance are perfect, and our auto policies are issued by companies backed by millions of assets. Phone or write for rates for your car, giving name of car, model and year of manufacture.

The Geo. H. Davis Insurance Agency

208 ROYAL BANK BUILDING. 776—TELEPHONES—2922.

Represented in Elgin County by St. Thomas' Rubber Man, 709 Talbot street, St. Thomas.

Note the new address. The growth of our business has made more room and more salesmen necessary. We are now located two doors east of our former office on the same floor—208 ROYAL BANK BUILDING.

Agents wanted in unrepresented territory. Write for Terms.

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W. L. ANDERSON
who with E. W. Stickney owns the Service Garage.

M'LAUGHLIN CARS' POPULARITY SEEN BY NUMBER IN USE

"Count Them on the Streets," Says District Manager.

LONG WAITS ARE AVOIDED

Service and Satisfaction Sold as Part and Parcel of These Popular Canadian Cars.

Are McLaughlin automobiles popular? The answer to this question is "Count them on the streets of London." It is an answer which the district manager, Walker E. Gunn, can give with all confidence, knowing the credit counting will reflect upon his company, as well as upon his branch. The McLaughlin Motor Car Company has every reason to be proud of the wonderful success of its business in this section of Ontario, built upon the quality, beauty, durability and good service of these "Made in Canada" cars.

The McLaughlin automobile is the choice of particular people who want a sound investment, the kind of investment that will give them one hundred per cent returns in comfort, appearance and utility. With this car they obtain as well one hundred per cent in service. The fly in the ointment of many a motor car owner is the amount of time eaten up each season while his car is laid up for repairs. Such waste is entirely eliminated by the measures taken to insure perfect service by the district headquarters for McLaughlin car owners. The latest addition to the efficient garage which Mr. Gunn on Richmond street has installed, is a stock room for parts where a complete supply can be furnished at a moment's notice. Allowing time for replacing the damaged part, the owner is ready to proceed on his way rejoicing, knowing he can keep his engagements with only a little delay. In former days, or with less efficient service at present, he would be obliged to call off his plans for several days while the needed automobile part was being brought a considerable distance.

Further in regard to McLaughlin service, rearrangement has been made in the battery room and service department, and the gas and oil house completely changed in order to serve customers more quickly.

Selling a McLaughlin automobile means selling a high grade article. It means as well, selling the customer service and satisfaction. These are the reasons why the district manager can safely advise inquiries to "count McLaughlin cars in the streets of London," and of the whole district, for that matter, knowing there is no danger of a come back.

AUTO INSURANCE PROTECTS

Messrs. F. J. Hammond & Son, room 301, Royal Bank Building, city, are progressive in the automobile insurance business in London and district. Representing two of the strongest companies in the world, the Railway Passengers' Insurance Co. and the London Guarantee Insurance Co., both of London, England, they have written considerable automobile insurance in this district. "Every automobile owner should have his car fully insured immediately upon purchase," said Mr. Keith Hammond. "It not only insures them against loss of their car by fire and theft, but protects them from all accident damages as well."

SERVICE GIVEN IS SURPRISING.

The most surprising thing about automobiles is the simple fact that they render the splendid service they do. We now rely on them so confidently that we lose sight of the fact that they are in truth wonderful, complicated, and, in some respects, delicate machinery.

In the average car there are from 2,500 to 3,000 parts. In the motor alone are several hundreds of these. From out experience with the simple tools we all use in our daily work we know the possibility of any one part giving trouble. If we were told to operate a machine built of 3,000 parts we would wish we were expert mechanics.

NEW RINGS AND OIL LEAKS.

It frequently happens that after new piston rings have been installed for the express purpose of stopping oil leaks, the condition continues just the same. It may be necessary to lap in the rings for a really satisfactory job. If the cylinder has been worn out of round, it will be necessary to fit the ring to the altered shape, and lapping is necessary.

EXTRACTS
From Some Letters About
Gin Pills FOR THE KIDNEYS



PAIN IN THE BACK
"I suffered with a continual pain in the back. Having sold Gin Pills . . . I gave them a fair trial and the results I found to be good."

RHEUMATISM
"I have been for the last two years a cripple from Muscular and Inflammatory Rheumatism. Am now cured."

STONE—GRAVEL
"I had been suffering terribly with Stone in the Bladder . . . continued to take Gin Pills . . . I passed the stone on October 3rd."

KIDNEY TROUBLE
"Your remedy I find, at 60 years of age, to give perfect relief from the Kidney and Bladder Trouble, incident to one my age."

URINARY TROUBLE
"I had been suffering for some time with my kidneys and urine . . . the pain was awful. I took Gin Pills and they cured me in two days."
(NAMES UPON REQUEST.)

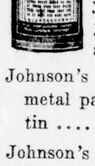
Gin Pills sell for 50c a box or 6 boxes for $2.50 at all good dealers. Sample free if you write to National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto; or to U. S. address, National Drug Co., Inc., 202 Main St., Buffalo, N.Y. 130

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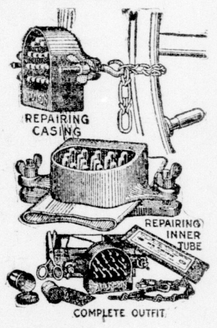
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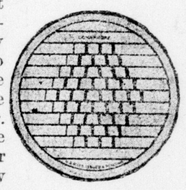
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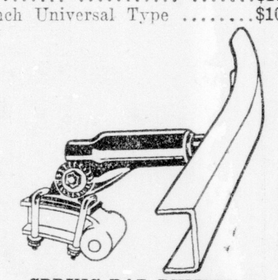
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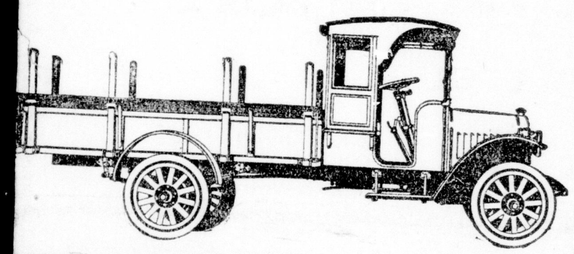
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SMITH FORM-A-TRUCK TO AID PRODUCTION

Its Use Will Release Men and Horses for Other Work.

SALE PROSPECTS BRIGHT

Progressive East End Firm Expects Many Orders For Them This Year.

"Convert your car into a delivery truck and thus cut down your expenses."

This is the advice of Fred C. Barton of Barton & Rumble, 696-698 Hamilton road, dealers in Smith Form-a-Trucks and automobiles.

"The prospects are bright for a good season in the sale of trucks," says Mr. Barton. "One delivery truck will do the work of four horse-drawn vehicles. Thus three men are released for other necessary labor and the horses can be utilized in other work where trucks cannot be worked to advantage.

"In these days when everything and every person is expected to perform the most necessary labor, the Smith Form-a-Truck is a necessity. The question is, 'Can I afford to be without it?' rather than 'Can I afford to buy it?' With the universal attachment any make of car can be quickly converted into a truck."

Barton & Rumble build the bodies to suit their customers' requirements. Thus one can have a body made to suit his own particular business. This is a great advantage, as everyone will readily see. Individual ideas can be followed in the design of the body. Trucks are supplied in one, two or three ton capacity. Many satisfied customers speak highly of the trucks turned out by this enterprising firm.

City merchants are realizing that a truck is beyond the experimental stage of development. It is now a necessity. The use of a delivery truck cuts down overhead expenses of any merchant, and thus increases his profits.

Farmers, also, are wide enough awake to realize the advantage of a good auto-truck in their business. Progressive men of the country are hauling their produce to market in Smith Form-a-Trucks. A trip that used to ocupy a full day can now be made in a couple of hours.

This summer, when every hour will be made to count in the production of food, will see many more trucks used by farmers than before. Inquiries are coming in from all sections of the county.

Barton & Rumble anticipate a large sale of these trucks this spring. They advise intending purchasers to place their orders as early as convenient, as supplies will be increasingly hard to secure as the season opens. One cannot make any mistake in purchasing a Smith Form-a-Truck, they state.

POOR BATTERIES ROB MOTORING OF ITS JOY, BUT SERVICE AVAILABLE

Gurd & Co. "Service" Provides Remedy for All Battery Ills.

If the batteries in a car are not right, there is little joy in motoring. It was with this idea in mind, and to enable the car-owners of London and district to keep their batteries in workable shape, that William Gurd & Co. installed its battery service station.

On its premises there is a veritable hospital for sick batteries, and the company is thoroughly equipped to handle work on any kind of storage battery.

In connection with this phase of its work, it specializes on starters, and provides an A1 repair service whenever starter troubles of any kind arise. It lays particular emphasis on its service in Gray & Davis starters, and is paying particular attention at present to the installation of that starting and lighting system on Ford cars, and cars of other makes which require them.

In addition to its work on batteries and starters, it handles a complete line of automobile accessories. Among these is the Standard speedometer, for the adjustment of which it has also arranged a service station. First-class repairs are made by this firm on all sorts of accessories, and new parts are supplied from the large stock carried at all seasons of the year. An excellent selection is offered in lamps, lenses, horns, and other necessaries for the up-to-date car owner.

"A starter that starts and a lighting system that lights" is the way it describes the Gray & Davis starting and lighting system. The system is one that can be attached to a Ford car at any time, and is the last word in electrical equipment for motor cars.

The system is the same as that used in the higher-priced cars, the identical units as used in all such starting systems, are used in that provided for equipping the Ford. Included in it are a self-regulating dynamo, a starting motor, battery and battery box, lighting and starting switches, sprockets, chain, wiring, and in fact everything required to make the installation, so that the purchaser of it is put to no further expense beyond the purchase price.

ARE THE WIRES CLEAN?

Did you ever wonder why the engine does not show the accustomed pep or why the lights burn dimly, or the ignition seems poor? Unfasten the wires and bars at the battery terminals and notice if they are clean. They must be clean if current is to flow freely. Scrape off with a stick any green or white deposit you see, and spread a little cup grease over the parts to prevent corrosion.

"IT BEATS ANYTHING I HAVE EVER SEEN," SAYS TORONTO MAN

McEwen Relieved by Tanlac After Suffering for Ten Long Years.

"I have the best reasons in the world for speaking up for Tanlac," said James McEwen of 269 Palmerston avenue, Toronto, recently.

"About ten years ago," he continued, "I began suffering from a disordered stomach and kidneys, and since that time I hardly knew what it was to feel well until now. Sometimes the pains in my back would get so severe that I would just have to stop whatever I happened to be doing and lie down. I suffered so I couldn't get any rest scarcely, and many a night I had to put hot water bottles to my back to ease the pain. I never had one bit of appetite, and what little I managed to eat always gave me indigestion. My food just seemed to lay in my stomach like a load and make trouble for me. I just felt tired, worn-out and bad all the time, and not so long ago I got in such a bad shape that I couldn't do a bit of work for three months.

"During those ten years I tried everything I knew about, but nothing ever helped me until I got Tanlac. Tanlac has relieved me entirely, and it beats anything I've ever seen. The pain has all disappeared from my back, and my kidneys never bother me at all. My appetite is great, and I never feel a sign of indigestion. I sleep like a child every night, and am feeling just fine all the time, and I am more than glad to let everybody know what I think of Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Drug, Limited, under the direction of a special representative and by an established agency in every town.





F. E. BARTON and W. C. RUMBLE, energetic and progressive motor car dealers on the Hamilton road.

CHALMERS, CADILLAC AND GRAY DORT IN THE LATEST MODELS

J. C. Beemer & Co., Ltd., Showing a Trio of Classy Motor Cars.

Cadillac, Chalmers and Gray-Dort, a trio of names that will make the most enthusiastic motorist sit up and take notice. The names spell the last word in motor car construction, combining beauty, stability, power and economy. All are sold by J. C. Beemer & Co., Limited, dealers in motor cars and accessories, 131 Queen's avenue.

To handle such a line of cars is sufficient reason for any motor dealer to congratulate himself.

Taking these cars in order, a brief description of each will perhaps simplify matters for the prospective purchaser.

First of all of this classy trio of motor cars comes the Cadillac, the car of perfection.

The engine is of the 8-cylinder V type, high speed, built in unit, three-point suspension. Cylinders cast in two blocks of four cylinders each, with water jackets and combustion chambers integral; detachable heads, 3½-inch bore by 5½-inch stroke. Piston displacement 314 cubic inches. Crankcase, aluminum, copper, alloy. Tungsten steel valves. Valve mechanism inclosed. Three bearing crankshaft 1⅞-inch diameter of chrome nickel alloy steel, special heat treated. Main and connecting rod bearings of liberal dimensions, Cadillac special bearing metal, with bronze reinforcement. Single camshaft, five bearings. Camshaft and generator shaft driven by silent chains from crankshaft.

The Cadillac cylinder-cooling system is the best known. Two centrifugal pumps force water for proper distribution to the required portions of the cylinder casing.

Fan attached to generator shaft, driven by silent chain. Water temperature regulated by Syphon thermostats. Radiator condenser, conserving alcohol in anti-freezing solution.

The carburetter is designed especially for this engine, insuring uniform gas distribution and maximum efficiency. Auxiliary air control to facilitate starting. Integral leaning device. Intake pipe, hot water jacketed.

The clutch is of the multiple disc, dry plate type; seventeen high carbon steel plates, 7¾ inches diameter; plates driven by flywheel are faced with wire mesh asbestos. Exceptionally soft and velvety in operation.

All the remaining excellent features of the Cadillac are of similar high character. Ask a Cadillac owner.

The Chalmers Car.

The Chalmers gives the motor car buyer the utmost in genuine economy. Unvarying quality is built into each Chalmers. And for such rare quality the Chalmers price is low. Chalmers properly balanced light weight insures low maintenance and long life. In the Chalmers long line of selection, ten new models in all, is a wide range of body design.

Chalmers performance is proven. On the speedway, in traffic, on the open road and in the hands of 70,000 enthusiastic owners, the Chalmers has conclusively demonstrated its dependable performance.

The new Chalmers engine is worthy of the utmost consideration by every motor car admirer.

Compared with other engines of the same size or thereabouts, it shows:

More power
More rapid acceleration
Greater economy
Greater length of life
Greater smoothness

And an amazing ability to start quickly on a cold day, and to "warm up" without delay.

The design of Chalmers cars reflects elegance and exclusiveness at a moderate price.

The Gray-Dort cars, the newest models now being shown by J. C. Beemer & Co., include many new improvements.

The bore of the Gray-Dort cylinder has been increased. Greater smoothness and a surplus of power are the results.

Already the smoothness and hill-climbing power of the Gray-Dort are favorably known to motorists. This new motor will enhance the Gray-Dort reputation. It carries to still further high standards the cornerstone of the Gray-Dort structural idea—simplicity. With simplicity primarily in mind, strength, sturdiness, reliability, accesibility, and longevity are the more easily achieved.

The efficiency of the Gray-Dort cooling system has been greatly increased.

New and larger water-jackets bring to every part of the engine the essential circulation of water. Not only are the waterjackets larger, but they are of a new type—graduated so as to spread over the entire engine water that is wasted in other types of cooling systems.

A new and larger radiator marks the New Gray-Dort cellular-core type so much to be desired.

A larger fan—four-blade, sixteen-inch—sturdy and greatly efficient.

The New Gray-Dort is equipped with the improved Carter carburettor, a wonder in simplicity. It is economical of gas, and efficient with low-grade gas. It starts easily and quickly. It will add to your motoring pleasure and decrease your motoring expense.

These beautiful cars Cadillac, Crailmers, and Gray-Dort are now shown in the latest models by J. C. Beemer & Co., Limited.

In addition to having the exclusive agency in this city for the above-named cars, J. C. Beemer & Co., Limited, provide excellent accommodation for their customers in their large and modernly-equipped garage.

MODERN EQUIPMENT

The Canada Auto Device Company, of which J. A. McLaren is manager, is the only exclusive wholesale auto accessories distributing company in London. Thus it has the exclusive agency for Portridge tires, Macbeth lenses and various other lines of modern auto equipment. A complete stock of high-grade auto accessories is carried at all times at the showrooms, 330 Dundas st.-et.

Speaking of Partridge tires, Mr. McLaren says that the fact that the Canadian and British governments are using them on their cars proves the merits of the tire. In these strenuous times the authorities will not take any chances on an inferior article.

Macbeth lenses, of which Mr. McLaren also makes a specialty, are the result of four years of experimenting by competent engineers. These lenses are scientifically constructed so that all the available light is utilized by redirecting it so that the driver is enabled to get a clear vision of the road 300 feet ahead. The glare is also eliminated. The necessary side-lighting is provided, however, by the Macbeth lenses.

The Canada Auto Devices Company is ready at all times to give prompt attention to the needs of retail dealers in accessories. Mr. McLaren reports that prospects are good for a busy season. Spring trade has opened up briskly and all lines are moving well.

ACTS AS DOCTOR TO SICK TIRES OF LONDON MOTORISTS

Head of Tire Repair Depot Has Had Long Experience in Work.

"Do not throw your old tires away. Bring them to us and we will rebuild them for you," advises A. Wilkes of the London Tire Repair Depot, 364 Wellington street.

Mr. Wilkes has been studying the tire troubles of London autoists for the last eight years. For 15 years he has been with the leading tire manufacturing and repair companies, and he is fully qualified to attend to all tire troubles.

For economy's sake one should get every mile that is possible out of a tire, he says.

"A tire repair man is as necessary as a doctor, and we are ready at all times to attend to any repairs. We always attend to our customers' needs on a moment's notice where necessary.

"We will give an honest, unbiased opinion on all work brought to us for inspection. Our plant is always open to the public, and we invite our friends to pay us a visit. They will see how thoroughly we do our work and the pains we take to give our customers value for their money."

DR. HIRSHBERG WRITES ON THE CARBURETOR

When the motor refuses to start on cold mornings, the trouble can be traced usually to the carburetor, writes Dr. Leonard Keene Hirshburg in the American Motorist. More gasoline is required in cold weather than in warm weather, and the adjustment should be made accordingly. The richer the mixture of gas going into the cylinders the more heat will be generated.

The outside air is much colder, and consequently the heat will radiate much faster from the cylinders than in warm weather. To get the same results from the motor, this extra loss of heat must be made up by supplying an extra amount of fuel. The cooling system should also receive careful attention to prevent any damage arising from freezing. The radiator cells have very thin walls for rapid cooling, and the lightest freeze is likely to develop leaks. The system should be cleaned out with a solution of ordinary washing soda and water, and then an anti-freezing solution of some sort used.

A solution of calcium chloride in water has been found to be very satisfactory in all conditions. Alcohol is expensive and requires frequent renewal. Use chemically pure calcium chloride. The commercial form usually contains acid that is injurious to the metal parts. Get a strip of blue litmus paper from the drug store, and if it turns pink in the calcium chloride put in ammonia or soda ash until it remains blue.

The amount of calcium chloride to use may be found from the following table:

Pounds of calcium choride per gal.	Freezing point, degree F.
2	18.0 above zero
3	1.5 above zero
4	17.0 below zero
5	39.0 below zero

CARS INCREASING CHURCH ATTENDANCE

Membership in Methodist churches has the largest increase in its history during the past year, while the number of church edifices decreased. The change is attributed by the official statistician of the Methodist Church in the United States to the use of automobiles.

"Almost every family in the middle west owns an automobile," he says in his annual report. "It is as easy to go five or ten miles to church as it used to be to drive half a mile. A large number of people meet together, there is more enthusiasm, better business, better preaching and larger social life.

"The effect is to shut the door of the white meeting house on the hill, just as it is to close the door of the red schoolhouse at the crossroads."

AUTOMOBILES TAKING THE PLACE OF TRAINS

Cutting down of the number of railroad trains, discouraging traveling by decreasing the number of cars and taking away from travel luxuries that have made it pleasant, to make room on the railroads for the transportation of freight, is commended by every loyal motorist of America. Motorists, through the very nature of their business, are great travelers on trains, and also by automobile and with traveling made difficult they will naturally turn to their motor cars for relief.

Touring will increase even in winter, for the opening of the roads for motor truck traffic in all sections of the country will provide roads for the passenger cars. The motorists will fly through the country and experience much pleasure in their unplanned for winter trips.

HE BUILT HIS HOUSE WITH HIS OWN HANDS

And the Help He Got From Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Neil C. MacCallum of Brackley Point, P. E. I., Tells a Story of Interest to All Sufferers From Kidney Ills.

Brackley Point, Queen's County, P. E. I., March 29—(Special.)—Mr. Neil C. MacCallum, an old resident of this popular little summer resort, never tires of showing visitors over his beautiful home, which is the work of his own hands. And he always finishes with the declaration:

"I never could have done this but for the benefit I received from Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was brought up on a farm," Mr. MacCallum continues, "but about ten years ago I took a very sore back. I tried plasters and pills without getting any real benefit.

"Then I thought I would try Dodd's Kidney Pills. Two boxes of them made me all right again. A year later I felt it coming on again, but another box of Dodd's Kidney Pills drove it away. Now I just take one or two boxes as a spring medicine, and you can see how healthy I am. I built this house from basement to chimney myself."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely a kidney remedy.

INSURANCE CHEAP FORM OF SAFETY

It Protects Car Owners From Fire and Theft.

AND ALSO DAMAGE SUITS

Every Motorist Should Realize Necessity of Carrying a Policy.

The necessity for a fire extinguisher, a spare tire and an adequate warning signal has been emphasized, but there is one accessory which is more important even than all of these. This particular accessory is not to be carried in the tool box nor even in the tonneau of the car. In fact, it is doubtful if it will ever be found on the car itself or even on the person of the owner; rather will it be reposing peacefully in the safe deposit box of the wise motorist.

Every motorist should be impressed with the vital necessity of an insurance policy protecting him against claims for damage resulting from personal injury to a pedestrian or occupant of another vehicle. The importance of such a policy as a standard "accessory" should be emphasized the more because its value is not always recognized. The motorist who is "careful" and who never drives so fast that the vehicle cannot be brought to a stop "within fifteen or twenty feet," is probably the most difficult one to convince of the practical utility served by such a policy. His arguments would be sound if accidents were always the result of careless driving; but they are not. The pedestrian himself is more often to blame.

Fire and theft insurance are advisable, but the protection afforded by such policies does not begin to equal that of the liability insurance policy. The loss through fire or theft can be no greater than the value attached to the car by the owner; the loss attendant upon an accident resulting in personal injury to another person, however, may be limited only by the sympathies of the jurors and the ability of the prosecuting and defending lawyers.

In instances accidents have been caused by a car when the owner had supposed it was safely housed in his garage.

So easy has it become to secure a claim for damages from a motorist guilty only of owning a car, that children, and even adults, in some portions of the larger cities, will deliberately walk into a slowly moving car or throw themselves down so that it may pass safely over them—with no more damage than soiled clothes—in order to prosecute the owner for the recovery of damages to which any number of willing perjurers will be ready to swear as caused by the unoffending driver.

Large corporations employing numbers of motor trucks in their businesses have realized the case with which suit may be brought and excessive damages obtained from even the most trivial accident, due solely to carelessness on the part of the person claiming the damages. The cost to the owner of defending one suit, however, is greater than the annual premium on a five to ten thousand dollar policy.

HINTS ON CARE OF TOP.

If a top is folded when it is wet or damp it is likely to be ruined sooner or later if the procedure is kept up very long. Dirt or grease on the top should not be removed with gasoline. The reason for this is that the latter tends to dissolve the rubber in the fabric and causes it to blister. Leather tops should be washed with soap and warm water, after which a suitable top dressing can be applied. The top will hold its shape better if it is left continually up. Whenever it is lowered care should be taken that the folds are pursbed well in from the bows to prevent pinching and sharp creasing. A good brushing inside and out will do much to lengthen the life of the top. Top curtains and celluloid windows that have been scratched considerably may be restored to their original transparency by giving them a coat of varnish.

FAMOUS DUPLEX HAIR CUTTER ON SALE AT HALF PRICE

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There are only two steel plants on this continent that can turn out the fine quality of steel necessary for the DUPLEX. Our contract with one of them expired on March 1, and then they raised the price 50%. We were then forced to charge $2.00 for the DUPLEX. We have just this week made arrangements with the other plant to supply us with enough special steel at the old price to make up 5,000 DUPLEX HAIR CUTTERS. These won't last more than a week or so, and when they are sold we will be forced to charge $2.00 again.

SEND $1.00 TODAY AND SAVE $1.00



No experience or practice is needed with the DUPLEX. You can't possibly go wrong. Over 60,000 now in use daily in Canada. Trims as long or as short as you want it to. Cuts while you comb. No scissors or clippers are needed. The Duplex does the work completely. Trims around ears and back of the neck. If you don't believe our statements send us your name and address for printed matter, and read dozens of statements under oath from people who use the Duplex, including opinions of well-known barbers!!

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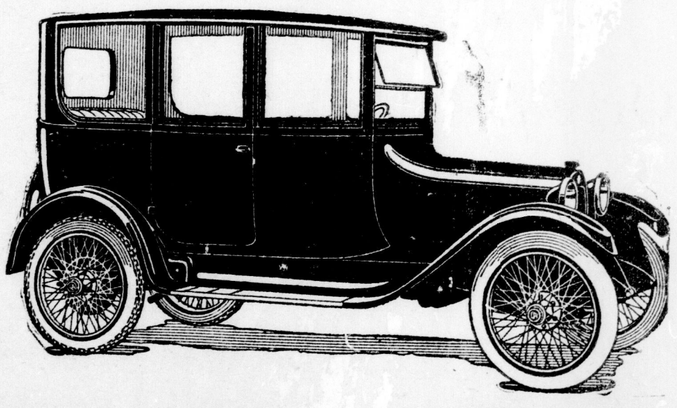
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MODERN EQUIPMENT OF ONTARIO GARAGE SAVES REPAIR COST

Welding Department and General Service Real Benefit to Motorists.

A cracked cylinder block does not necessarily mean the purchase of a new motor. Until recently the automobile owner who was unfortunate enough to break a motor block was under the necessity of buying a brand new one. This expense, sometimes amounting to from $50 to $100, can now be avoided, by taking the damaged motor to the Ontario Garage, where a complete modern welding plant has been installed, and where the motor can be welded together and turned out as good as new at small cost.

The welding equipment at the Ontario Garage can be relied upon to weld any kind of metal, or any sort of metal part used in a motor or in similar machinery.

This is only one of the many features that make the equipment of the repair department of the Ontario Garage commendable. In the repair shop there is a full staff of experienced mechanics, who are competent to make repairs on all makes of cars, both large and small, in a manner that will guarantee satisfaction to the car owner.

The management of the Ontario Garage takes considerable pride in the fact that although its repair department has sent between 20 and 25 men to the front in the Mechanical Transport Section of the Canadian Army Service Corps, it has still been able to maintain a full and competent staff of motor mechanics to handle repairs of all kinds.

Efficiency of service is aimed at not only in the repair shop, but in all departments of the Ontario Garage. In the office where trouble calls are received, in the repair shop where defective motors are adjusted, and in the sales department through which new cars are shown to prospective buyers, courtesy, promptness, and competent service are given to the fullest extent possible.

Not only does the sales staff aim to be of service to prospective purchasers of cars, but the members of the sales staff also endeavor to keep in touch with those who have bought cars, and to see that their needs are attended to in a competent and helpful manner.

With the equipment of the Ontario Garage at their disposal, Londoners have at their service one of the most reliable and up-to-date garages in Western Ontario. With a complete battery-charging service station, batteries of all classes can be re-charged at short notice. Another part of the equipment is a wash-rack, where cars are given a thorough cleaning at a reasonable charge. In order to carry out the idea of complete service, the management keeps the garage open day and night, the full twenty-four hours.

One of the largest among the dealers in automobiles, the Ontario Garage handles the Chevrolet car and the Federal truck. So largely has its business expanded in the past year that they have found it necessary to open another branch in the east end of the city. There, at 619 Dundas street, they have remodelled and equipped a new garage, which is being prepared to handle a portion of their growing business in the near future.



LONDON'S FIRST TOURING CAR-VINTAGE OF 1902.

Here it is! The picture, from which this illustration was made, was dug from the auto archives of the city of London, and depicts the first touring car ever driven in London. J. C. Beemer, now head of Beemer & Co., Limited, was the owner and driver, and is seen at the wheel of this car. The picture was taken in 1902 near Woodland Cemetery. Some change in the past 16 years!

SHAFT BEARING HINTS.

In replacing a bearing on a front wheel spindle for which it is a tight fit, the car owner sometimes slips the bearing on the taper end of the spindle and then uses the wheel as a hammer to force it home, wheel and bearing sliding into position on the spindle at the same time. This is poor business, as the strain on the bearing may break the hardened shoulder of the inner race, whic his meant to withstand wear, but not shocks of this kind. The best way of accomplishing this work is to slip a short length of pipe over the spindle, the inner end resting against the inner race of the bearing. By hammering the outer end of the pipe carefully, the bearing will slip into place without trouble.

TERMINAL CONNECTION TIP.

In making an ordinary connection to a battery terminal, the stripped end of the wire should be wound around the binding post in a clockwise direction. When the screw is tightened, it will be turned to the right, and with the wire wound in the same direction, there is a tendency for it to wrap all the tighter around the post. When the wire is wrapped the other way around, it tends to unwrap when the screw is tightened.

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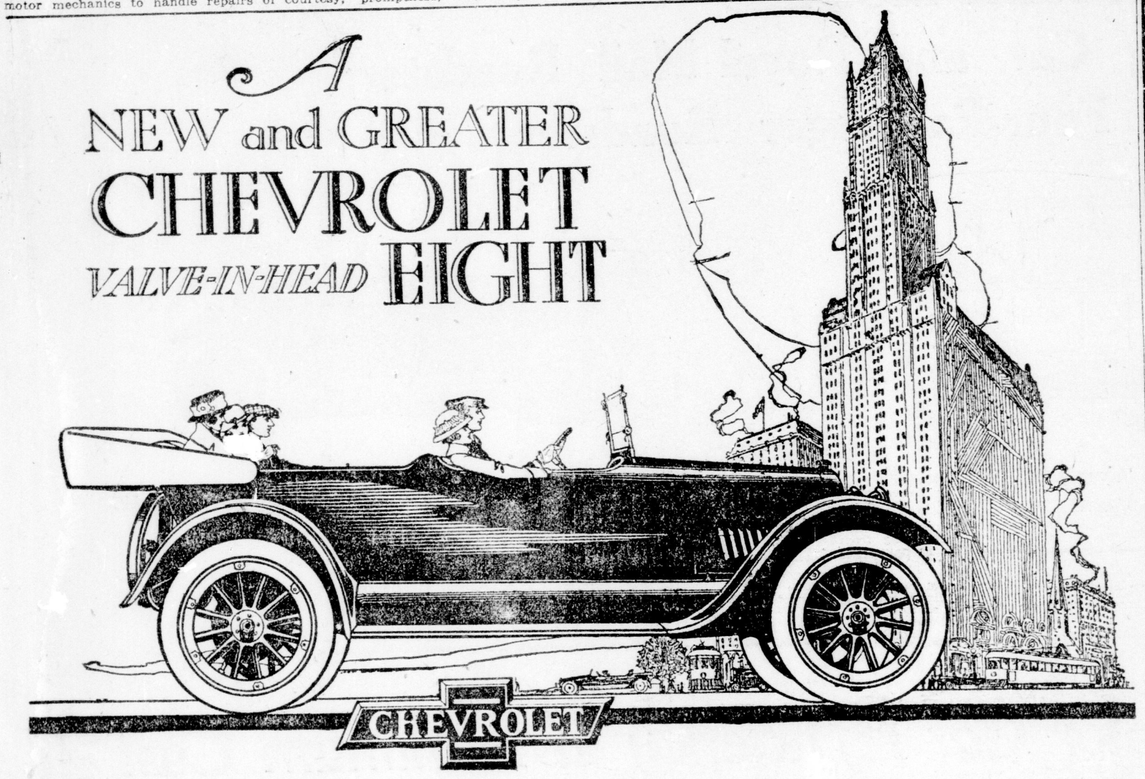
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The system of handling the work at the Reliance has enabled the firm to set a schedule of flat rates on labor. This schedule has been arrived at by data secured in comparison with Reliance garage records with the records of the largest service stations in the big cities.

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An experienced auto repair man is at the service of Ford owners and ready at all times to inspect cars free of charge. Two specially equipped cars carrying all the necessary Ford parts for road repairs are available at all times.

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This feature reduces to a minimum the delay that would ordinarily arise while delivery cars were being repaired.

In addition to the prompt and efficient service rendered to Ford owners it must not be forgotten that the Reliance sells Ford passenger cars, trucks, accessories and oils.

Compressed air is on tap at all times, both inside and outside the Reliance station.

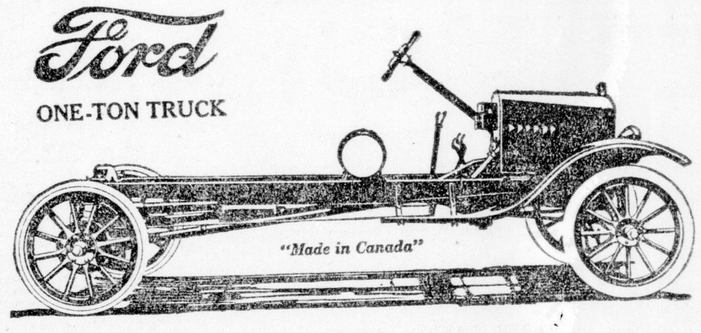
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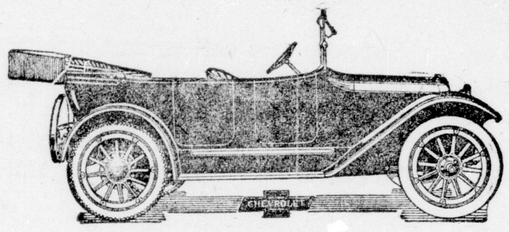
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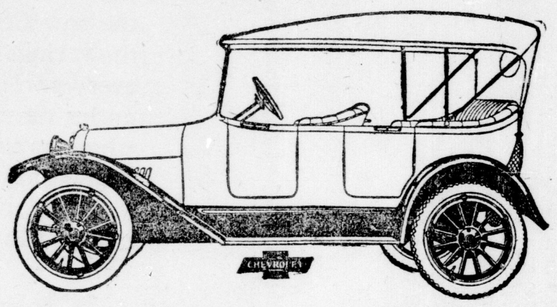
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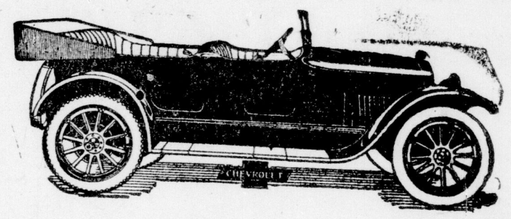


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WAS SICK FOUR WEEKS

JUST ABLE TO CRAWL ABOUT

Mr. Weldon T. Hawkes, Curryville, N. B., writes: "Last spring I was taken very ill with a severe cold. I got wet and it started with a chill. I was sick four weeks, and was just able to crawl about. People all said I had inflammation of the lungs, and I think I did. I told a friend to get me two bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before the first one was taken my cold and cough were broken up, and the second did its work completely. I am raising a family and I find that it is a good medicine for the children."

There is no remedy that will cure stubborn colds or coughs, the kind that won't let go, like Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

It allays the inflammation, soothes the irritation, heals the diseased mucous lining of the lungs and bronchial tubes, and rids the system completely of all the bad effects of lingering coughs and colds.

There are so many spurious "Pine" preparations on the market that you should see you get "Dr. Wood's" when you ask for it.

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To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning to flush from the system the previous day's waste, sour fermentations and poisonous toxins before it is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to suck in only nourishment to sustain the body.

If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless means of washing the waste material and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Men and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexion, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, bilious spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphated hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, purifies and freshens the skin on the outside, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs.

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Anyone who tries this pleasant tasting home-made cough syrup, will quickly understand why it is used in more homes in the United States and Canada than any other cough remedy. The way it takes hold of an obstinate cough, giving immediate relief, will make you regret that you never tried it before. It is a truly dependable cough remedy that should be kept handy in every home, to use at the first sign of a cough, night or day.

Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents' worth). Pour this into a 16-oz. bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. The total cost is about 55 cents and you have 16 ounces of the most effective remedy you ever used.

The quick, lasting relief you get from this excellent cough syrup will really surprise you. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma.

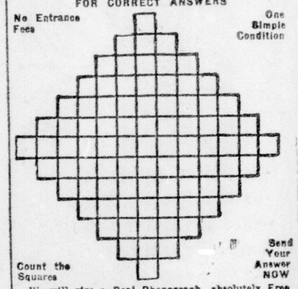
Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

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Take one or two Cascarets tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand, your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath sweet, stomach regulated and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store now and get straightened up by morning. Stop the headache, biliousness, bad colds and bad days. Feel fit and ready for work or play. Cascarets do not gripe, [illegible] inconvenience you the next day like salts, pills or calomel. They're fine.

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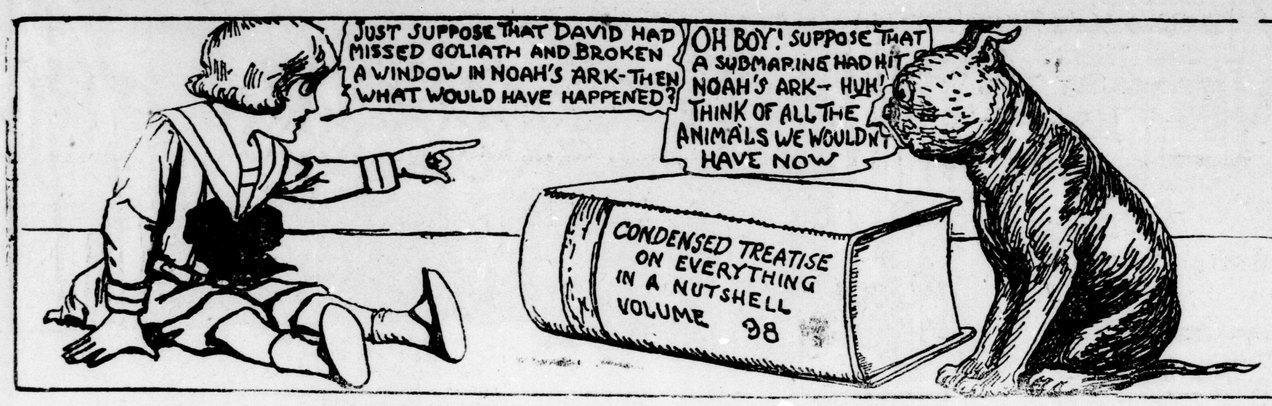


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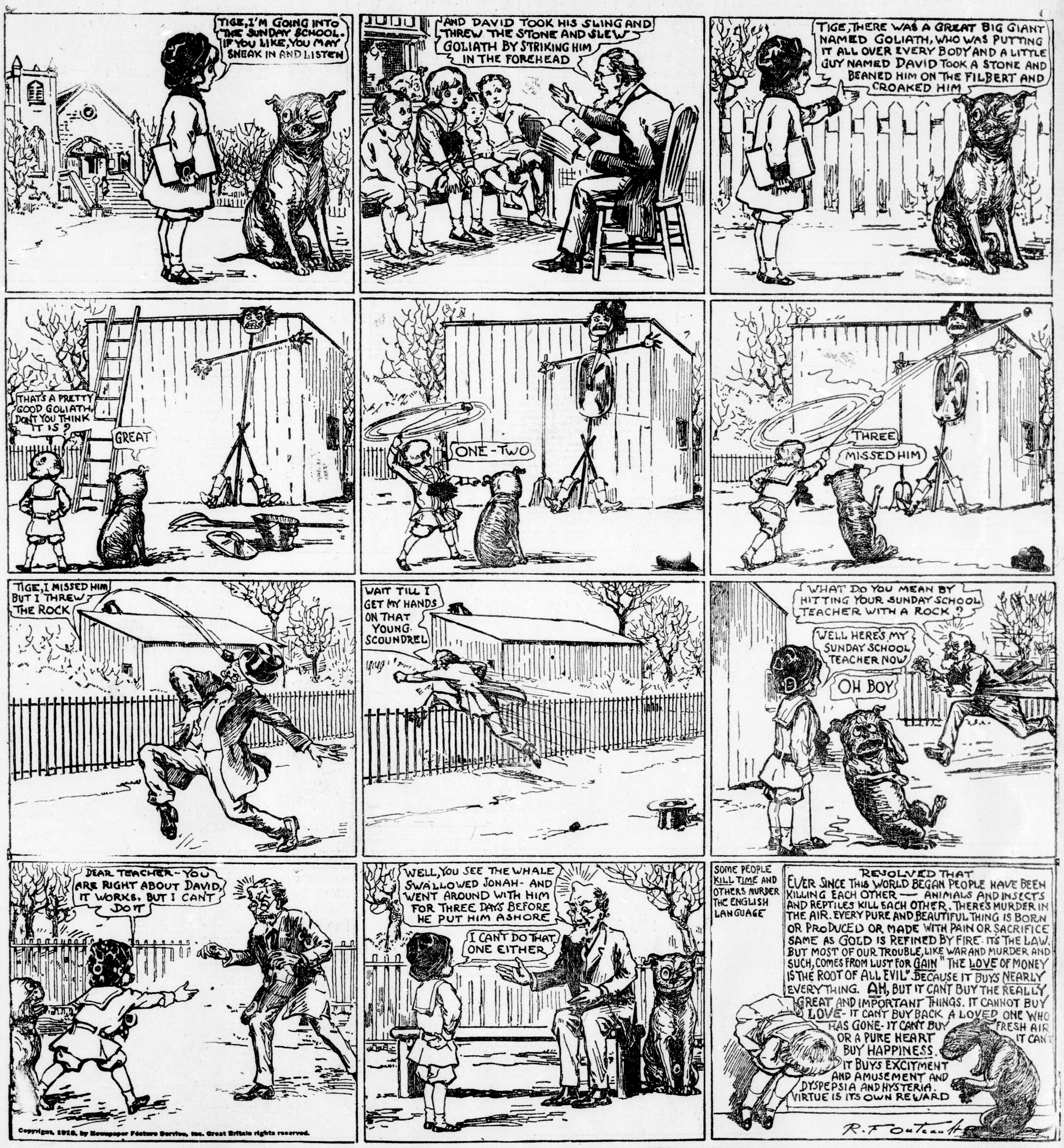
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Dear Eddie
Smithy's mother says Jonah was the first captain of a submarine. Say kid there was'n't any periscope on Jonah's boat. Smithy's ma says if the Kaiser does'nt quit fighting he'll get his name in the papers. She says she thinks war is wrong and some one ought to stop it. Oh she's got the right idea all right. She thinks up a lot of things. She says the best way to end the war is for us to go over there and whip them. She's a wonderful woman - she's there with the big thinks
Yours Burton

HIS AIM WAS SLIGHTLY AT FAULT.



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Daily Magazine Page for Everybody

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Insanity Not a Disease of the Brain, But of the Senses

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG, A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University.)



DR. HIRSHBERG

To be a little weak mentally and somewhat frail in mind as compared with what had been manifested heretofore if often the measure of the sanity or insanity of a particular individual. A three-year-old child is not a great deal more intelligent than an ape. Pigs are smarter than rats or crows. Monkeys are brighter than pigs. Large apes use their minds most of all; they even show decided signs of thought. These are some of the facts established by Prof. Robert M. Yerkes of the department of psychology at Harvard, after many months of experimenting.

Julius, a young orang-outang, was Prof. Yerkes' star pupil and demonstrated in one instance that he thought more quickly than a three-year-old child. The child gave up the task of trying to get a banana suspended in the air, whereas Julius, through the exercise of his mind, piled up some boxes near at hand and eventually obtained the prize.

The exact frontier and border line between a mild type of lunacy and an original genius who is surely sane is not easily apparent to the every-day man. He is only able to call a man insane if he is so definitely of unsound mind as to have openly acted or expressed himself in permanent delusions, illusions or hallucinations.

Brain May Be Sound.

When anyone is said to be "out of his senses," he is actually crazy. This means that he fails to appreciate truly and to value in real worth impressions received by some of his senses. He may be hard of hearing and deaf to language, sounds and actions conveyed to the mind by the sense of audition; he may hear voices and commands which are non-existent, or he may misinterpret a poor or slightly heard noise as something else.

If these illusions, hallucinations and delusions are persistent and permanent, they finally supersede the person's capacity to correct them. In other words, the false impressions become, like the German delusions of a whole nation, accepted as real and true. Then the affected person begins to make the most absurd and ridiculous excuses and explanations for an unreality, which he has convinced himself to be true.

Obviously a man (or a government) out of his senses is a lunatic, even though his medula oblongata and his brain are as sound as a bell. It is idle rot, hopelessly antiquue, to say that insanity is "a disease of the brain."

Sum of Several Faults.

Until the fact is taken into account that injuries and maladies of the way station and switchboards—the brain—cause only a part of the various kinds of madness, their corrective measures will fail in many mental complaints.

It is not partial deafness that puts a man out of his senses. More than this is involved. Blindness, however, is less often responsible for mental deterioration, because spoken language is more intimately associated with thought, memory and muscular action than are the eyes.

Disturbances of a serious nature, which involve the muscle-sense, hearing, touch and the other skin senses, if they last any great length of time, interfere largely with sanity.

These facts explain why anyone addicted to alcohol, morphine, hypnotics and sedative drugs really warps his intellect. The sensations received are dulled, twisted, blighted or perverted and the victim is truly alienated from things as they really are in the world. His impressions are faulty, partial, untrue, fanciful, unreasonable, deformed and exaggerated.

Such a person cannot have knowledge, cannot know the truth and cannot have a good mind because his senses are not capable of taking in objects as they are. Therefore, they cannot correctly bring up the proper and corresponding past memories and experiences which are necessary to perceive what is going on in all its bearings and intelligible relations.

Answers to Health Questions

C. G. P.—Q.—Will you kindly publish some remedy to banish the habit of smoking.

A.—First the will to stop smoking must be invoked. Then gum or caramel candies are to be chewed when the impulse to smoke appears. Slippery elm, licorice balls and a full stomach help to counteract the craving. Glycerite of tannin may be applied to the gums, tongue and smoke-thirsty parts.

M. L.—Q.—Kindly tell me what will make my hair thicker, as it is getting thinner every day.

A.—Massage a little of the following into the scalp about three times a week.

Quinine	1 dram
Pilocarpine	2½ grains
Salicylic acid	15 grains
Lanolin	½ ounce
Petroleum	½ ounce

A. B. C.—Q.—Kindly advise a remedy for a burning tongue.

A.—A little alum water or slippery elm in the mouth occasionally helps.

CONSTANT READER.—A.—If you will send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your queries repeated I will be very pleased to give you the desired information.

N. F. S.—Q.—I am very much annoyed with blackheads on my nose. How can I get rid of them?

2. I had pimples on my face which have disappeared but left scars. Kindly advise me how to get rid of them.

A.—Massage your nose gently with a sterilized piece of absorbent cotton or chamois, followed by an application of a little paste made up with the following:

Fullers earth	4 drams
Glycerine	2 drams
Vinegar	3 drams

2. Scars very often disappear gradually by themselves. Massaging them with oils of various kinds, perfumed oils, cocoa butter and the like very often helps.

FROSTY.—Q.—Will you please publish something that will help me to get rid of frost bites?

A.—Use a little of the following on your feet every night:

Ichthyol	1 dram
Tannic acid	1 dram
Benzoin	1 dram
Rosewater	1 ounce

Take two teaspoonfuls of compound syrup of hypophosphites in water before retiring.

Dr. Hirshberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He cannot always undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally, if a stamped and addressed envelope is inclosed. Address all inquiries to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, care this office.

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FOR THE EASTER BRIDE

White Satin, Embroidered in Silver, Suggests the Conventionalized Lily.

By ANNETTE BRADSHAW



Charming Costumes for the Bride and Her Tiny Flower Girl.

THERE'S something almost mediaeval in the simplicity of this gown for the Easter bride with its panel front ornamented with motifs of silver embroidery that suggest conventionalised Easter lilies.

The bodice is extended to form loose panels which fall gracefully over the draped satin girdle both in the front and at the back. The collarless neckline is bordered with a band of silver embroidery. The full sleeves are of white chiffon and are gathered into wristbands of silver embroidery. Shoulder caps of satin, solidly embroidered in silver come well over the sleeves.

A panel train of satin bordered with silver embroidery is hung from the shoulders.

The veil of real lace is arranged to hang from a "halo" cap ornamented with clusters of orange blossoms.

The small flower girl wears a charming frock of pale blue chiffon taffeta with an underdress of cream lace. The overskirt hangs in deep, cascaded points and the lace foundation is extended to form a portion of the girdle.

ADELE GARRISON'S NEW

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

Is Made Correct in Her Estimate of Drake's Thought?

As Allen Drake's long, facile fingers turned the leaves of his notebook and jotted down figures and other symbols upon the pad of paper at his side I watched him with fascinated mystified eyes.

What he was doing I hadn't the slightest idea. Of course, I had never presumed to examine the mysterious rice-paper from my father which had been in my care for so long. And Mr. Drake held his notebook in such a position—whether intentionally or not I couldn't determine—that I couldn't see, even if I had wished to do so, the surface of the paper.

After he had made an apparently endless calculation upon the pad of paper by his side he looked up abruptly at me.

"Take this," he said laconically.

There was no hint of courtesy—not even a "please." It was as if he had snapped a command at some menial. I stiffened in resentment at his rudeness, then remembered that I wasn't my own self in this expedition, that I was under Lillian, a humble member of the service in which this man held a high place. Then, too, I saw from Mr. Drake's demeanor—to do him justice—that he was so completely absorbed in the work at hand I was to him simply a human machine sitting opposite him.

I made him no answer, simply lifted my pencil and held it poised above the paper.

"Ten times ten," dictated Mr. Drake, "plus fifty times six; less fifty-nine, take the square root, less one, divided by four."

"Ah, a Lightning Calculator!"

I had made the calculation mentally, and as he paused expectantly, I wrote down the number seven, and waited for his next orders.

"Why didn't you put down those numbers?" snapped Mr. Drake.

"I thought you simply wanted the answer," I replied.

"What is your answer?" There was a tinge of disbelief in his voice that stung me. I was beginning to understand the reason for my vague dislike of and pique against Mr. Drake.

"Seven."

"Ah, a lightning calculator!" he answered, and I fancied that his voice held a sneer. He made a rapid calculation upon his own sheet, wrote down a final number, and then looked across at me.

"You happened to get it this time," he said, "but please don't do that sort of thing again. Take down the figures as I give them to you, and work the calculation out on paper."

"Very well," I answered meekly, although I longed to reach across the table and box his ears.

And then, for ten minutes he kept me busy with computations that to my mind seemed as silly as saying the multiplication table forward and backward, but the results of which to him evidently were important, for he invariably matched my answer with one he had himself arrived at as a result of a similar computation, and jotted the result down at different points of his notebook, always referring back to the mysterious page of rice-paper so deftly fastened upon a page of the book.

When mine host of the inn appeared bearing the tiny clams which were the first course of our dinner I saw Mr. Drake quickly closed his notebook and slip it into his pocket, and at almost the same instant turn the pad of paper at his side face downward, so that it presented a blank surface. Without waiting for a hint from him I did the same thing to the pad of paper at my left, and we discussed our clams as though there were no such things in the world as mysterious papers and ridiculous computations.

Mr. Drake dropped his arbitrary manner, and became once more the polished, courteous man of the world I remembered from the dinner he had eaten at our home. But his conversation was of a distinctly different flavor from the highly interesting talk of world affairs with which he had dazzled Dicky and me at that time. I had an unpleasant impression that he was "talking down" to me as he would to a child.

As we finished our clams he set his plate to one side, and without waiting for the landlord to remove it, pulled out his notebook and turned his pad of paper face upward again. I followed his example with outward docility, but I was inwardly flaming with indignation.

For there had flashed upon me the reason for the patronizing manner which he had adopted toward me, and the vague prejudice I had against him crystallized into active dislike.

Allen Drake, I was sure, belonged to the class of men who regard women as inferior beings mentally. He was putting up with my aid because he couldn't help himself.

He admired what he was pleased to call my pluck, but he had no real confidence in my ability to handle the work I was attempting.

Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silver

Illustrated by Gruelle.

FIDO'S EASTER NEST.

Fido could hardly wait until his little mistress went to bed. Then off he trotted out the gate down the road until he reached Mr. and Mrs. Bunny Rabbit's house, where he knocked very loudly.

Mr. Bunny poked his head out to see who it was before he'd let Mamma Rabbit and the children come to the door.

"Well, well, it's Fido!" he cried. "Come right in!"

"No, indeed," panted Fido, who was almost out of breath. "I'm in a dreadful hurry. I came on an errand. I've spent the biggest part of the day helping my mistress make a nest of grass out in the front yard for her Easter eggs." Fido stopped and looked at Bunny Rabbit.

Bunny Rabbit poked his hands in his pockets and looked at his wife.

"Goodness me!" she exclaimed. "If I hadn't forgotten all about Easter! You wanted some eggs, I bet."

"That's what I came for," barked Fido, "and here's a bone to pay for them."

"We don't like bones," laughed Mrs. Rabbit, "but if I had an egg on the place I'd give it to you."

Fido's tail stopped wagging and his ears drooped as he put the bone back into his pocket, and with a sigh he turned toward home.



"Come Right In!"

He hadn't gone far when Mrs. Rabbit had an idea, and Bunny Rabbit and the little ones scooted after Fido and brought him back.

"I just happened to think that maybe the hens could help us out," cried Mrs. Rabbit. "Let's go and ask them."

So off they started for the barnyard, the youngsters hanging to Mamma Rabbit's skirt.

At first the hens weren't interested in the affair, but when Fido promised to leave the garden gate open for them the next morning it they'd help him out they finally agreed.

"That's a bargain," cried Red Rooster. "My hens will fill the nest if you promise to let the gate stand open."

Fido promised, and the three friends trotted home.

The next morning Fido led his little mistress out to her nest. Sure enough, there lay eight beautiful snow white eggs in the little green nest.

His little mistress, too happy for words, carried them into the house, and when she told her mamma where she had found them, her mamma declared that it must have been a nest one of the hens had stolen away for setting.

Fido wagged his tail and laughed to himself, but he never said a word. He walked right out and pushed open the garden gate. Then he curled up in the sunlight for his nap.

The hens all flocked into the garden and were having a great time scratching for worms when Fido's master saw them and chased them out.

Fido was blamed for opening the gate, and had to go without his dinner to pay for it, but what did he care? He'd been the means of his little mistress having a lovely Easter, and he had paid his debt to his friends, the chickens.

To-morrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MARCH 31, APRIL 1.

Sunday should be set aside to intellectual avocations and to Easter observances. Little is presaged in either social, domestic or material affairs. There will be an impulse to be busy and energetic, but this should be deflected to study or research, particularly on lines of the abstruse, metaphysical and occult, or in investigation of the higher natural forces, as these will all thrive under the sextile of Mercury to Uranus. Do not travel or move.

Those whose birthday it is should have an active year, but should not move or travel much. A child born on this day will be active, clever and enterprising.

Monday—yes, April Fool's Day—promises to be exciting and eventful, with unique experiences and perplexing predicaments manifested on various planes of interest and endeavor. Neptune forces are strong, though benefic, bringing singular experiences and favoring plots, intrigues and secret alliances. Saturn friendly, removes dangers and obstacles, and brings favors from elderly friends and Saturnine channels. Jupiter does not promise any financial returns directly or through risk or speculation, but favors these ultimately. Women may expect some peculiar experiences, and should be most circumspect and conventional in all affairs.

Those whose birthday it is may have a changeable year, but should not risk money or speculate. A child born this day will be steady and fortunate, and gain through marriage or inheritance.

"Let's Ask Mother"

"My children are so fond of pumpkin pie," said the caller, "but the doctor forbids them pastry."

"I don't believe pumpkin pie ever hurt anyone," said Grace. "Let's ask mother what she thinks about it."

"Some persons think that pies aren't wholesome for children," said mother, "but why not make the same filling as for the pie and bake it as you would cup-custards? It is delicious, and with the high cost of shortenings is a decided economy."

"I intend to make individual custards and pies after this. There's less waste, too, for a pie, once cut, dries out, while the cups can be covered and will keep almost indefinitely in fine flavor."

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"DOING MY BIT"

Practical Suggestions on Individual Ways to Help Win the War.

BY ALBERT BARRETT SAVRES.

Transplanting Vegetables the Right Way.

One of the problems about a food garden the amateur may puzzle over is that of transplanting shoots from seed beds and thinning plant beds when the plants are growing too close together for hardy results. How is this necessary part of successful food gardening to be accomplished without hurting the roots of transplanted plants?

A few hours before removing the plants from the seed bed or the plant bed they should be well watered—the water being allowed to soak well into the soil. This aids the soil to adhere to the roots and prevents the plants from wilting when they're transplanted. Sometimes it's possible to run a knife between the roots of the plants and to cut the soil into cubes, which can be transferred with them to the places where they are to grow in the garden.

But if the soil doesn't adhere to the roots it is well to plunge the roots immediately into a mixture of clay, cow manure and water—inquiry at the nearest agricultural college or experiment station will bring free information about correct proportions—so there shall be a coating of moist earth about the roots of each plant, thus preventing the air from reaching the rootlets and helping to bring the roots into direct contact with the soil.

When you're setting your plants in the soil of the garden it is well to water them when the hole is about half-filled and to cover this moist soil with dry soil to prevent baking. The best time to transplant is when there is plenty of moisture in the air, and there are clouds before the sun. If the plants can be set just before a shower there's every good chance they will grow well.

In some communities last year there was so great a danger of crops rotting in the nearby fields for lack of hands to harvest them that businessmen agreed to give holidays to employees who would go to the aid of the farmers. In more than one town a full holiday was made of the farmers' aid day, and the crops were gotten in without loss.

While it may be true that many "city men" are worse than useless to farmers—as some farmers emphatically declare—nevertheless, in work that doesn't demand special crop knowledge they may be of great assistance. Have you the strength and the time to aid a farmer near your home? If you have, get in touch with some farmer and lay your proposition before him.

Spare-time assistance may be of almost vital aid in localities where farm labor is at a premium. Those men who aren't skilled laborers may find in this need an opportunity to better their conditions. Those who desire to go into farm work will find assistance and directions given by the Government; representatives of this service are to be found nearer your door, perhaps, than you believe. Why not make inquiries?

Serving Baked Potato Pie.

When thinking of the potato as a meat or other vegetable saver it isn't necessary always to think of it in the terms of "spuds." The sweet potato may often be used to great advantage. Here's a recipe that introduces it in a special role:

Cream two tablespoonfuls of butter or a butter substitute with half a cupful of brown sugar, add half a teaspoonful of cinnamon, a large pinch of salt, one beaten egg, a cupful of mashed sweet potato and a cupful of skimmed milk. Mix well and bake as you would a custard pie.

THE SPRING TONIC FOR PALE, THIN PEOPLE

If You Want to Gain in Weight and Recover Your Appetite, Energy and Ambition, Try This Well-Known Remedy.

With the passing of winter many people feel weak, depressed and easily tired. The body lacks that vital force and energy which pure blood alone can give. In a word, while not exactly sick, the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon them, and a blood-building, nerve-restoring tonic is needed to give renewed health and energy, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an all-year-round blood builder and nerve tonic, but they are especially useful in the spring. Every dose helps to make new, rich, red blood, and with this new blood returning strength, cheerfulness and good health quickly follows:

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A COMPLETE WRECK.

Mrs. C. Forsythe, R. R. No. 2, Fisherville, Ont., says: "At the age of 14 my daughter Viola was feeling very much run down in the spring. Then she was attacked with whooping cough, which left her a complete wreck. She had no appetite, could not sleep well nights and was subject to chills, which sometimes kept her in bed for the day. She was doctoring steadily, but not apparently getting the least benefit, and I naturally grew very anxious. One of my neighbors suggested giving her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I got a box. When she began using the pills she weighed only 87 pounds. Before the box was all gone I sent and got six more boxes, and under their use she constantly grew stronger. Her appetite improved, the color came back to her cheeks, she could sleep well, and feels and looks like a different person, and with all this while using the pills she gained 20 pounds in weight."

A SALLOW COMPLEXION.

Miss Gladys Marshall, Chatham, Ont., says: "I suffered from nervousness and my blood was in a very poor condition. My face broke out in pimples and my complexion was very sallow. I took doctors' medicine, but without beneficial results. I was feeling much discouraged when a friend recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I used in all six boxes, and was overjoyed to find that my complexion had become quite clear, pimples had disappeared, my nerves were strengthened and my old-time health and ambition returned. I shall always have a good word to say for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

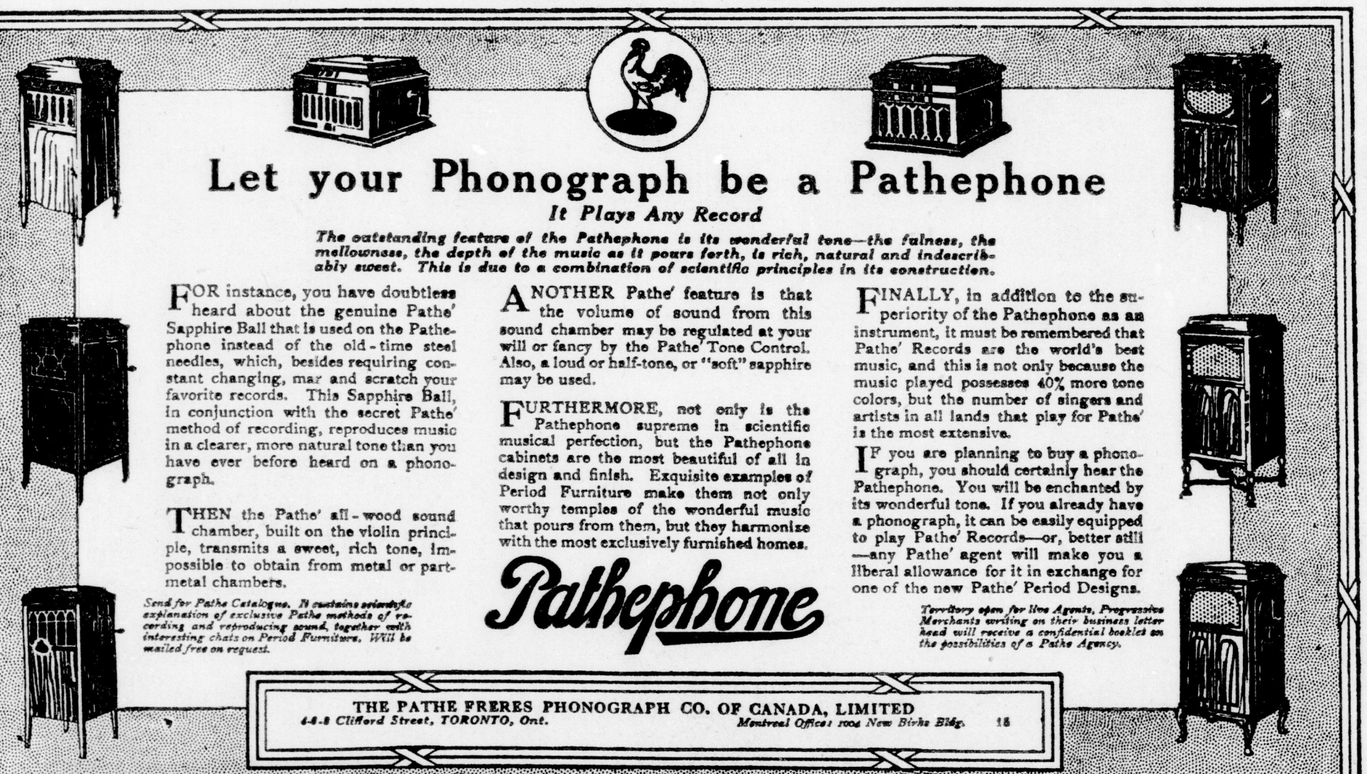
GAINED IN WEIGHT.

Mrs. M. B. Rickert, Kitchener, Ont., says: "I was weak, run down, and losing weight when I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I took the pills steadily for a month, and the difference they made in my condition was most gratifying. I gained both in strength and weight, and feel since I used the pills like a new person. I also recommended the use of the pills to my daughter-in-law, who was pale, thin and weak. When she began using the pills she weighed only 103 pounds and when she discontinued their use she weighed 127 pounds. For all weak people I think there is no medicine can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

A SPRING COLD.

Mrs. Chas. Winegarden, Delhi, Ont., says: "Last spring my daughter Ruby was taken with a bad cold. She seemed weak, had a constant pain in her side, grew pale, and as the remedies usually used in cases of this kind did not help her, we feared she was going into a decline. I decided to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and got six boxes. Before she had used them all she was again well and strong. The cough had left her, she had a good appetite, the pain in her side disappeared, and a nice rosy color had returned to her cheeks. I have, therefore, much reason to speak warmly in praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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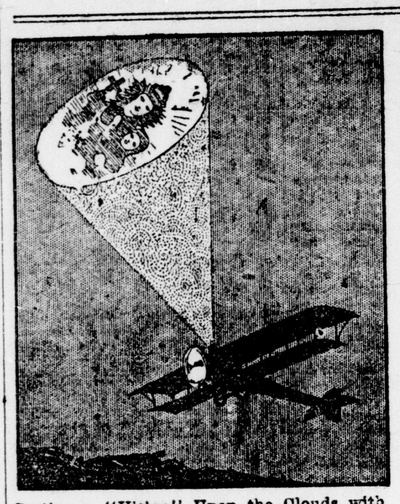
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Is This a SOLUTION of the STRANGE "VISIONS" Soldiers SEE?

EARLY in the war soldiers began to report seeing marvellous "visions," which the great majority of non-combatants were inclined to dismiss as hallucinations resulting from shell-shocked nerves and overwrought minds. At the battle of Mons British soldiers claimed they saw a company of ancient English bowmen on the firing line discharging arrows at the enemy, and several cases have been reported in which French soldiers said they were led by a vision of Joan of Arc. At different times flaming crosses and other supernatural sights were said to have been seen in the sky over the battlefields.

These "visions" have had a tremendous effect upon the fighting men who claim to have seen them. This can be readily understood as a result of the great spiritual revival due to the great war, with which also has come a renewal of superstition. In this latter fact, which military experts seemingly were not slow to grasp as an effective weapon against the enemy, may actually be found a solution of some of these strange visions which soldiers say they have seen flaming in the skies at night.

That such visions have appeared can scarcely be doubted, and since it is possible for modern science to have produced them, it is unnecessary to seek for any but natural causes. There is good reason for believing that the solution of some of these visions may be found in the workshops of the airplane and stereopticon makers.

One case in particular is cited as proof of how military science has called superstition to its aid—that of the vision seen in the sky above Przemysl during the series of terrific assaults that ended in the capture of that fortress city by the Russians early in the war. The story of this vision has been repeatedly told by soldiers of both Austrian and Russian armies, as well as by residents of the city. So detailed and uniform are the accounts coming from widely different sources that, judged on the basis of evidence alone, the stories must be accepted as substantially true. In Przemysl and the surrounding country there are thousands of persons, many of them claiming to be eye-witnesses, who are positive that visions of the Virgin Mary and the Christ Child repeatedly appeared in the sky above the beleaguered city, and who are convinced that these visions were of supernatural origin. It is believed, however, that the officers in charge of the defence simply took advantage of the latest developments in flying craft and projection apparatus to spread the conviction through the ranks of both armies that the city was under divine protection.



"In One Case a Russian Commander, Suspecting a Trick by Austrian Airmen, Ordered a Battery to Fire at the 'Vision,' but Instead of Obeying Every Man in the Battery Fell on His Knees and Prayed."

The following explanation given by J. E. Murphy, in an illustrated account in Popular Mechanics Magazine, is designed to show how the Przemysl visions could have been produced easily by equipment that is now in every-day use.

"According to reports," writes Mr. Murphy, "the visions invariably appeared at night. It is a safe presumption that they appeared only when the sky was overcast with low-lying clouds, and that these were made to serve as a screen for the images projected by a stereopticon. Rain clouds are usually at a height of about half a mile above the earth. To project images so great a distance as this would be impractical. Too powerful a light would be required, and other difficulties would be introduced that might be impossible to overcome. The thing could easily be done, however, with the aid of an aeroplane, carrying an ordinary stereopticon, and flying from 700 to 1000 feet below the clouds.

"Clear motion pictures have already been projected a distance of approximately 400 feet. By equipping a stereopticon with a searchlight instead of the usual arc light it would be entirely practical to project still pictures a distance of 1000 feet. This would be sufficient for producing visions of an awe-inspiring nature, and with the exception of a special mirror for the searchlight, which could probably be found without any necessity for special manufacture, all the apparatus required would be such as can be obtained at any time on the market.

"Using the standard stereopticon slide, 2¾ inches square, with a projecting lens having an equivalent focal distance of 16 inches, which would make a convenient apparatus for the purpose, the image cast at a distance of 100 feet is 18 feet, 6 inches in diameter. At a distance of 1000 feet the image would have 10 times this diameter, or 185 feet. Spreading the image over as big an area as this would result in an enormous loss in brilliancy if the ordinary arc light were used. With a searchlight this could be more than overcome. To produce an image of this size the airman would fly in a level line about 700 feet below the clouds. Viewed from the ground half a mile below, the image would have the same effect as a highly luminous object 30 feet in diameter, seen at a distance of a city block. The appearance of such an object in the sky above a city, darkened because of a siege, would be a striking spectacle, indeed. Soaring above the city with this simple equipment, the airman, by merely throwing an electric switch, would be able to spread hope or panic as far as his picture could be seen.

"Several persons who saw the visions have said that they were 'like the holy picture in the church at Czenstochowa.' If the details of the undertaking are ever told, it will not be surprising if it is found that a photographic reproduction of the Madonna was used, for the reason that no picture in the world could have been used with better effect.

"The monastery of Czenstochowa is located about 100 miles west of Przemysl and was in possession of the Austrians at the time of the siege. The painting is familiar to the inhabitants of all that part of Europe and is so venerated that before the war it was visited annually by an average of 400,000 pilgrims, many of whom came from East Prussia, Galicia and West Russia, as well as from Poland. According to tradition, it was painted by St. Luke and there is a belief current that it is sometimes miraculously illumined. A reproduction of this picture cast on the clouds, 'surrounded by a halo of bright light,' as reported, which would mean that the stereopsicon slide had been made with a liberal margin of clear glass around the edges, would be readily accepted as a divine message by the people of simple and strong religious belief.

"Whatver may have been the precise means for projecting the images, there can be no doubt that they produced the effect intended. Whenever the image of the Virgin Mary was seen hovering over the city, the Austrians, believing they were under divine protection, took fresh hope, while the Prussians became panic-stricken. For hours after each appearance of the vision it was impossible to persuade or force the Russian soldiers to fire, and it is reported that because of this the capture of the city was delayed for weeks. In one typical case, a Russian commander, suspecting a trick by Austrian airmen, ordered a battery to fire at the vision, hoping in this way to bring down the aeroplane that was causing such demoralization among his troops. Instead of obeying, every man in the battery fell to his knees and prayed."

The "IRON HORSE" on the FARM

By GEORGE SAINT-AMOUR

THE Iron Horse has "points" as definite and as important as Dobbin and promises to become just as certainly man's best friend. These times, when Uncle Sam has decided that the Iron Horse is one of his most efficient war-making instruments—in that one tractor literally replaces several men and horses, sent to the aid of his allies—it is well for all citizens to study these points. And "all citizens" includes milady, too, for a woman can handle a tractor precisely as well as a man.

Every one of the forty-odd different tractors on the market has its individual good features. Just as surely, however, one kind of a farm needs a certain kind of machine, while another kind of farm needs a machine quite different.

But there are features of general excellence which every farm tractor should have, or be barred from the race for supremacy. Some day the farm tractor will be standardized, but until that time arrives the tractor buyer needs careful guidance.

There is the matter of packing the soil, for instance. How much does the machine weigh? How much soil surface has its wheels or caterpillar traction track? Calculate closely how much pressure per square inch it puts on the soil, for if it packs the soil too hard, no air can reach plant roots, and plants positively will not grow unless their roots are fed air.

Speed—At what speed does the machine haul, say, three plough bottoms? What is its highest speed on the road used as a truck? This is very important. Horses travel about two miles an hour with plough or heavy road load. A good tractor should carrry not less than three ploughs at least three miles per hour, and should make about six miles an hour on the road, or hauling crops from field to barn or elevator.

Pulley power—Each tractor manufacturer advertises that his Iron Horse takes the place of the old-fashioned stationary engine. Look into this carefully. Will the tractor run a full-size thresher or separator? Can it be regulated to run the butter churn without wastage of gasoline? Will it cut silage and then hoist the silage into the silo? Will it run a circular saw briskly through knotty green logs? Will it stand firmly on the barn floor when used as stationary power, or does it need a lot of tiresome blocking and wedging to make it firm under belt pull?

Will the tractor engine run on kerosene, after having been started up on gasoline?

Are its bearings protected from dust, dirt, mud and rain? They must be if the machine is to give good, durable service.

In how small a space will it turn? This makes a great difference in practical field work. Think over it a moment. Draw a mind picture of the repeated turnings at field ends, whether ploughing, mowing hay, reaping and binding, harrowing or cultivating.

And will the tractor cultivate corn up to a height of, say, four feet? You grow corn, of course. How are you going to cultivate it with your tractor?

Buy a tractor as you buy anything else, any other implement, after reducing to precise figures its cost of operation, repairs, maintenance and earning power. Determine its capacity to earn profit, its "man power," and then go ahead.

No man should buy a big tractor because his neighbor has a big tractor. No man should buy a small tractor because a friend has a small machine. The majority of us, being merely human, are inclined to brag about what we have, rather than acknowledge that we have made purchasing mistakes. It's fun to say, "I've got the best tractor in this county!" Make your own calculations.

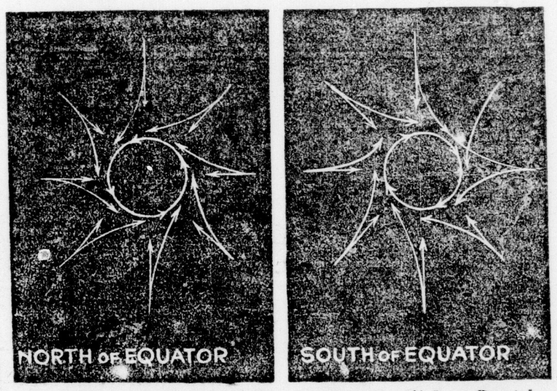
The state of Ohio is about to furnish "community" tractors. Start a movement to that end in your state. Ohio is going to place a few tractors in each county, with experts to operate them, and hire out men and machines to farmers. This scheme, tried in Canada, proved a great success.

How the ORIGIN of CYCLONES Is EXPLAINED

CYCLONIC disturbances, variously known as hurricanes, typhoons, cyclones, etc., each year leave in their paths lasting impressions of their devastating force.

The study of cyclonic disturbances has been and is still most ardently pursued the world over, and especially in this country by the United States Weather Bureau. The most valuable instrument in foretelling the existence and approach of cyclonic storms is the mercurial barometer, an instrument in which the weight of a column of air of given cross sectional area is balanced against that of a column of mercury having an equal cross-sectional area. The pressure of the atmosphere is measured in inches instead of pounds, i. e., the pressure of the atmosphere is a certain number of pounds to the square inch and is equivalent to the pressure produced by a column of mercury of so many inches.

"Many theories have been put forward to explain the origin of cyclones, none of which is entirely satisfactory," says a writer in the Scientific American. "However, they originate over the ocean between the equatorial hot belt and the trade wind regions. Here unsettled conditions of barometric pressure prevail and the generally accepted theory connects the development of the disturbance with the existence of a preliminary abnormal sultry, rainy and squally condition in the lower strata of the atmosphere with a coincidence of abnormal low temperatures in the upper strata.



In a Vortex Called the "Eye of the Storm," Is a Partial Vacuum Around Which the Air Swirls.

These conditions produce a violent upper draft in the lower layers of the heated and saturated air, and consequently result in the further lowering of the already existing low barometric pressures in this locality. A general overthrowing of the atmosphere occurs, violent inrushes of the air from surrounding areas of high pressure take place, increasing in intensity by the formation of clouds and rain in the ascending currents of air, which in their liberation of latent heat act still further to accelerate the violence of the upward and inward rushing currents.

The indrawing currents as previously explained take up the characteristic cyclonic rotation. A vortex called "the eye of the storm," is soon established and in this area of small diameter a partial vacuum exists. Around this vortex the air swirls at varying rates and the storm as a whole takes up a motion of translation following the trough of low barometric pressures. The direction of this translation is in general away from the tropics and to the westward until the elastic yet impenetrable barrier of higher pressure is encountered which causes the storm to curve off into higher latitudes and to eastward.

In the early stages of cyclonic storms they are of small area but great intensity. As they progress they spread out in area and diminish in intensity. The velocity of rotation is greater when the eye of the storm is small and well defined, attaining at times a rate in excess of 100 miles per hour. The velocity of translation varies from a few miles to approximately 40 miles per hour, depending greatly upon the barometric gradients over which the storms pass.

The earliest indications heralding the still distant cyclonic storm usually result in an abnormal rise of the barometer, with cool, dry, fresh winds and cessation or complete reversal of the land and sea breezes and with a very transparent atmosphere; also in the heavens will be seen light, feathery plumes of the high cirrus clouds radiating from a point in the horizon marking the storm's centre.

At sea, a long, low swell with occasional high hurricane rollers is sometimes noticed. These waves outrun the storm by hundreds of miles and when no intervening island or coast line affects them, their direction indicates the bearing of the centre of the storm. As the storm draws nearer the sky becomes hazy with a thin uniform cirrus veil, halos are noticed by day and night, the barometer begins to fall, and later becomes unsteady, the air becomes heavy, hot and moist, red and violet tints are seen at dawn and at sunset, fine misty rain falls, and at last the low, rugged looking cloudband of the hurricane appears on the horizon, which at sea looks like distant land.

The storm wave or general rise of the level of the sea near the eye or centre of the storm, due to the inrushing winds of low pressure, sweeps along with the storm, sometimes precipitating devastating floods on islands and coasts in its path.

The UNIFORM of the AMERICAN SAILOR

MANY old customs and traditions have left their trace on the uniform of American sailors of the present day. The wide, flaring trousers suggest a waste of material when seen on a city street, but they are really the most practical shape for duty on shipboard. Because of the looseness they may be rolled up snugly to the knee when the sailor is holystoning the decks, and the flare also prevents them from binding at the knee when the bluejacket is climbing the shrouds. Another important advantage of the looseness is that, combined with the arrangement of the buttons on the side, the trousers may be easily slipped off in the water.

The 13 buttons across the top of the trousers are said to represent the 13 original states.

One explanation of the three white stripes bordering the collar is that they commemorate three great English naval victories: The destruction of the Spanish Armada in 1588, the battle of Trafalgar in 1805, in which the Spaniards again were defeated, and the battle of the Nile, where, in 1798, the British and French fleets came to grips.

The black tie, prescribed by regulation for American bluejackets, apparently was handed down from the British navy. It was worn by the sailors of his fleet in memory of Nelson after the death of the great naval hero.

The bit of white undershirt showing at the neck is associated with a famous American leader, Admiral Farragut. After his death the sail in which his body was lowered to the water was divided among his sailors, with the request that the pieces be worn across their chests. This established the custom of wearing a white dicky, which is now replaced by the portion of the undershirt.

THE TRUNK FISH

By JEANETTE YOUNG NORTON

MAY I introduce you to the trunk fish? Although this fish is more or less of a traveler, it appears so seldom in our markets that it is a stranger to most household buyers. Besides this fact, the trunk fish uses so many aliases that it is difficult to discover. Trunk, cow, rock shell, chapin or plate fish are some of them.

The trunk fish is different from others of its species—a sort of left-handed cousin of the shellfishes, its body being encased in an odd bony thatched shell, the jaws, fins and tail being free, but like those of other fishes. Large and serious eyes, a cowlike head and a small mouth give this fish a mild and benign expression. If caught in a net, the fish can exist out of water two or three hours and when put back apparently does not suffer from the experience.

These fish tour the waters around the West Indies, where they are abundant, visiting the coast of Africa, traveling from Brazil to the Chesapeake, and in the Gulf stream to Woods Hole.

The full-grown trunk fish is about 16 inches long and heavy in proportion. The flesh is delicate, like that of the crab, and the flavor unusually agreeable.

One general way of cooking the trunk fish is to boil it 20 minutes in salted water, drain, cool and remove the meat from the shell. Clean the shell and throw it into cold water. Flake the fish and add to it a beaten egg, half a cupful of crumbs, half a gill of melted butter, the same amount of cream or rich milk, pepper, salt and the juice of an onion. Dry and grease the shell, fill it with the mixture and bake for 20 minutes in a medium oven.

The meat may be used in any way in which crab meat is used. Curried and baked in piecrust tartlet shells, it makes a dainty and attractive fish course. It is also excellent flaked and mixed with French dressing and spread thinly on rye sandwich rounds. If the rounds are first spread with mayonnaise, the sandwiches will be a little richer in flavor.

The INFLUENCE of the MOON on CROPS

THE old belief that the moon has some sort of influence on plant growth still persists in some farming sections. Some farmers, it is said, refuse to plant crops or to kill hogs unless the moon is in some particular position.

The influence of the moon on the growth of crops, or on other agricultural operations, has always been denied by scientific men. The following brief statement by C. F. Marvin, chief of the United States weather bureau, printed in the Rural New Yorker, shows what they think of the matter:

"It is the general belief of scientists that the moon has no appreciable influence on temperature, rainfall, or any other weather element, or on plant growth.

"Plant growth depends upon temperature, light, humidity and plant food (both in the soil and in the air), and its availability. Obviously the moon neither mellows the ground nor fertilizes it, neither does it alter the composition of the atmosphere; hence it affects neither the mechanical condition of the soil nor the kind or quantity of available plant food.

"If the moon has any influence on plant growth, it would seem that it must exert this influence through its light. Experiment, however, shows that when a plant is so shadowed that it gets only one one-hundredth of normal daylight, it grows but little better than it does in absolute darkness. Full daylight is about 600,000 times brighter than full moonlight; hence one one-hundredth of daylight, already too feeble to stimulate appreciably plant activity, is still 6000 times brighter than full moonlight. The conclusion is that, even in respect to light stimulus, the moon's influence on plant growth is wholly negligible."

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T.R. MAY ADVANCE TIMETABLE TO MEET U. S. DAYLIGHT LAW

P. R. Will Hold Incoming Trains Hour at Border.

ANGE COMES MONDAY

P. R. Trains for U. S. Will Run as Usual and Be Hour Late on Other Side.

MONTREAL, March 29.—Because of e adoption of daylight saving by the ited States all trains from New York, ston, Chicago and other American nts over the Canadian Pacific Rail- y, will be held an hour at the border, inning next Monday. This is made cessary, the C. P. R. announced to- ay, because of the fact that trains have en advertised to leave points between ere and the border at certain times, nd that the schedules cannot be roken.

Incoming trains from the United States will leave their points of depar- ture an hour earlier, according to Cana- dian time, and will run on the regular time in Canada.

Outgoing trains will leave at the sual time and will run an hour late n American territory, according to American time.

So far as could be learned this morn- ng the Grand Trunk Railway plans to un trains an hour earlier and change ts timetable to correspond. This ar- angement is not final on the Grand Trunk Railway, however. The officials re still working on the matter, and ay yet adopt the Canadian Pacific ailway plan. The permanency of the ew regulation will depend upon whe- er or not Canada adopts the daylight ving bill now before the House of ommons at Ottawa.

ESPERATE FIGHTING LIKELY TO CONTINUE 2 MONTHS LONGER

German Drive May Spur America to Greater Efforts.

LONDON, March 29.—Referring to remier Lloyd George's urgent appeal o the United States for men as sent hrough Earl Reading, Britis. gh com- missioner, the Daily Mail says: "This ation and its allies must be prepared or another month, or perhaps two onths, of continuous fighting. To meet he stupendous efforts and evident des- eration of the enemy, our efforts and hose of our allies must be on an equal cale."

The newspaper then briefly sums up America's effort since entering the war nearly a year ago, and continues:

"With this record many Americans re by no means satisfied. It hurts hem to think that in this battle of battles they are not playing a greater part. We think their self-reproaches xaggerated, but undoubtedly the Ger- an offensive will not have been with its use if it spurs America to con- ntrate on the problems of raising and ding in France the greatest number trained soldiers. That is the main ssistance America can render at this risis."

CLASS "B" MEN TO BE CALLED OUT FOR NON-FIGHTING DUTY

ecessary to Secure More Men for Construction and Other Work.

OTTAWA, March 29.—Responding to demand from the military authori- es, the military service council has ecided to call up for service men in edical category B under the military ervice act. Category B men are liable r overseas, but not for combatant ervice. They are being called out be- f the necessity of securing more railway construction and simi- ice. The official memorandum

ilitary demand for men for rail- nstruction and other similar work esen, and it has therefore be- necessary to draft all men in al category B in respect of whom ther grounds for exemption exist. military service council is there- e issuing instructions to registrars to e immediate steps to call up such en.

Under the procedure heretofore opted questions arising in regard to e exemption of men in medical cate- ry B on other grounds were postponed til men in the same medical category ould be called up, and these men, as ll as their employers and relatives, ll therefore be given an opportunity presenting claims for their exemp- ."

DER RESTRICTING THE USE OF MEAT AND FLOUR PERPLEXES HOTELMEN

TORONTO, March 29.—Restaurant- pers and hoteimen are greatly per- xed as to the interpretation to be ced on the recent order issued by e Canada food board at Ottawa, fur- er restricting the use of meat and ur. A dozen of the largest restaurant oprietors in the city today met and uss the regulations at length, rned without arriving at any clusions, and request will the food board to send a ve to Toronto to meet the and hotel proprietors and order.

MEATLESS DAY ORDER SUSPENDED

ASHINGTON, March 29.—Suspen- of the meatless day regulations 30 days beginning tomorrow, was dered tonight by the food administra- n in instructions telegraphed to all ate food administrators.

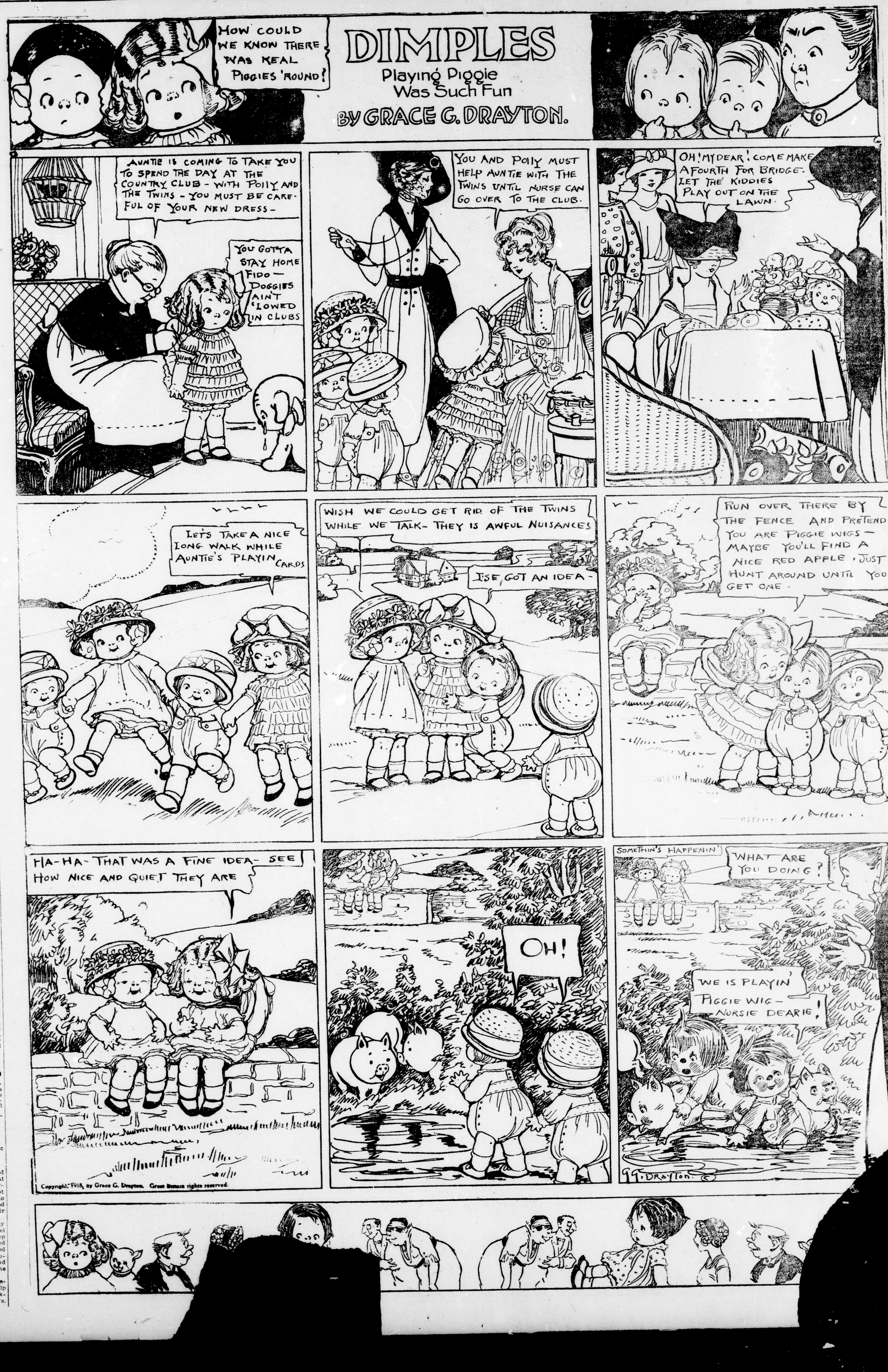
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od's Sarsaparilla, the Reliable Tonic Medicine, Builds Up.

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et Hood's Sarsaparilla from any ggist. It will make you feel ter, look better, eat and sleep ter. It is the old reliable, tried true all-the-year-round blood ilder and enricher, tonic and ap- izer. It revitalizes the blood, and especially useful in building up the ilitated and run-down.

od's Sarsaparilla is helping thous- s at this time of year. Let it help Get a bottle today and begin tak- t at once. Be sure to get Hood's. ing else acts like it.



Daylight-Saving To Be Rushed Through Both Ottawa Houses

Parliament Hopes to Obviate Border Confusion by April 15.

OTTAWA, March 29.—The inconveniences at the border in connection with the train services due to the bringing into force of daylight saving in the United States on March 31, will, it is expected, continue for a couple of weeks only. As soon as Parliament reassembles, the daylight-saving bill, which is now in committee stage, will be pressed to a third reading.

When the Senate resumes on April 8 this will be the first important Government measure dealt with. It is anticipated that the bill will be through both Houses and be assented to in time for daylight saving to become effective in Canada by Monday, April 15.

M. S. A. Records Not Burned By Rioters in City of Quebec

QUEBEC, March 30.—The exemption records of the registrar for the Quebec military district, the destruction of which is believed to have been one of the chief aims of the rioters who last night attacked the offices of the Chronicle, L'Evenement, fired the Auditorium building and brought about the intervention of the militia under the provisions of the riot act, are safe.

At an early hour this morning it was announced that the records had been deposited in a specially constructed vault and were intact. A number of papers were destroyed, but they were of an unimportant character. The damage to the Auditorium building is estimated at $30,000.

There have been no arrests, and so far as is known no serious personal injuries resulted. Chief of Detectives Thomas Walsh had his face badly cut while attempting to make an arrest, and two clerks in the Chronicle office were hit by flying glass and slightly cut.

Military men with rifles are guarding the newspaper offices and the city has regained its usual quietness, the streets being deserted, except for little groups here and there discussing the affair.

The mayor denies having read the riot act and says the troops were called out on instructions received from Ottawa.

HOTELMEN OF U. S. WANT ABOLITION OF WHEAT PRODUCTS FROM MENUS

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Absolute abolition of wheat and wheat products from the menus of all first-class hotels in the United States was asked of 700 hotelmen by Food Administrator Hoover here today. The response was an outburst of cheering.

Rising to their feet the hotelmen raised their right hands and pledged themselves to effect a 100 per cent saving in wheat to be sent to the Allies.

TWO MORE AVIATORS KILLED IN ACCIDENTS

Fort Worth, Texas, March 29.—Cadet John Scott Rowan, of the Royal Flying Corps, was killed in an airplane accident here at 9:30 this morning. The accident was due to a spinning nose dive from 300 feet up. His next of kin is James H. Rowan, Gabriola Island, Br. Cha.

Cadet F. J. Dwyer, of the Canadian Royal Flying Corps, under instructions here with the Royal Flying Corps, lost his life at 10 o'clock this morning, in an accident while he was engaged in a cross-country test. His next of kin is E. O. Bowan, Montreal.

MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN COLLISION

MONTREAL, March 29.—One man fatally injured and some small damage was done to the rolling stock of the C. P. R., when two freight trains collided at Grasset, near White River, Ont., this morning. The accident was the result of a misunderstanding of orders. The man who lost his life was Lorne Berry, Merrickville, Ont., a stock man, who was crushed under material in the car in which he was riding.

CORP. NOBLE DREW IS INTERNED IN HOLLAND

Rev. N. D. Drew has received a cable saying that his son, Corp. Noble R. Drew, 14th Canadian Battalion, has been interned in Holland.

Corp. Drew has been a prisoner of war in Germany for three years, and has been hoping for the transfer for some time.

TOO EXTRAVAGANT.

CLINTON, March 29.—The county council passed a resolution asking that the Government employ greater economy in the transaction of its business. It was also decided to ask the Government to send five more tractors to Huron County.

THEDFORD.—Miss Kreta Kearney, teacher at S. S. No. 2, has resigned to accept the junior department in the local school.

MOTHERS PRAISE BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Every mother wishes her little ones to be well—thousands of mothers have learned the secret of keeping them well. They have found by experience that an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets will prevent sickness, or if sickness comes on suddenly the Tablets will promptly give relief. These mothers have nothing but praise for the Tablets. Among them is Mrs. Gustave Lord, St. Perpetue, Que., who says: "I have been using Baby's Own Tablets for my little ones for a number of years and have found them a perfect medicine. They regulate the bowels; stop vomiting; in fact, they are good for all the little ailments of childhood." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

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