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PEACE CONFERENCE FACES NEW BOUNDARIES PROBLEM U. S. SYNDICATE TO LOAN FIFTY MILLION TO BELGIUM

Dominion's Need Is Building Plan and to Know Where She Is Headed Says Former Chief C.P.R. System

Sir George Bury Deals With Problems Which Confront Nation, Declaring Country Has Many Great Faults Which Stand in Need of Correction—Do We Lack a Sense of Direction and Are We "Boomers"?

The article herewith reproduced from Maclean's Magazine for the current month is from the pen of Sir George Bury, former general manager, and vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway. It deals with many phases of Canadian national spirit—or the lack of it—and during times when this country looks toward a horizon of great prosperity, The Advertiser considers it one of the most practical statements made by any of the men who are entitled to rank as real, horse sense, humanitarian nation builders.

BY SIR GEORGE BURY.
Three things in my railroad experience come to my mind in these days when "reconstruction" policies are the talk of every smoking-room.
The first of these is the story of a wealthy old lumberman who was seized with a fancy to build a line of railway through his timber limits. He was not—I may say—once—Mr. J. R. Booth. He declined to have an expert survey made by a railroad engineer, but built the road after his own fancy, and with no particular destination in mind. His steel arrived finally in a blind valley from which there was no escape, and his railway died, like one of the old gentlemen made a fortune, but not from his railroad. It failed because it had not been planned properly, or at all, and what makes one think of it now is the apparent lack of any plan—even a tentative plan—for the building of the Dominion of Canada. We are going somewhere—but where? Speech-makers assure us we have "a glorious destiny," but what is that? The country seems to be full of phrase-making and senseless chatter, but to be devoid of direction.

Say, if you will, that nations are matters of growth, of evolution, of slow development. Point to the United States, the European nations, some (one of them) like the bright diamonds of the Pacific, and you will find that they have a plan, and that they are following it. But Canada, diversified and often loose interest, under the paper seals of Confederation, is essentially an artificially-created country—not a normal, unconscious growth of evolution. And Canada must be forwarded toward the destiny by the abnormal and conscious plans of nation-builders.

But what is that destiny? And how can we know that the things we do are the right things unless we know the object of our nation-building? We have a plan, and to my mind we need one badly.
What Are Our Peace Terms?
We send a representative to a peace conference. At the peace conference, we are to be made which will profoundly affect the life and the prosperity of every nation. Canada wants to know what peace terms are. If the world were to rise up and say to that representative, "What are your peace terms?" "Canada," we've decided that you are to have first say in everything, and first choice of the best things the world has to offer.

New York Icemen Becoming Alarmed

Fear Serious Shortage Owing to the Mildness of Winter.

New York, Feb. 8.—Ice dealers in this city profess to be alarmed because the unprecedented mild winter had resulted in the harvesting of virtually no natural ice. It was said that for the first time in years the Hudson River will produce scarcely any ice.

THE WEATHER

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 30; lowest, 12.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 26; lowest, 14.

TOMORROW—FINE AND COLD.

Forecast.
Moderate northerly winds; fine today and on Sunday; not much change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES.

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

Station.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	44	6	Clear
Calgary	42	6	Clear
Port Arthur	32	6	Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	22	6	Clear
Parry Sound	22	8	Clear
Kingston	22	8	Clear
Ottawa	24	10	Clear
Montreal	24	20	Cloudy
Quebec	20	20	Cloudy
Father Point	20	20	Cloudy
Halifax	36	22	Cloudy

The general pressure distribution remains unchanged, with the barometer highest in Manitoba and lowest in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and British Columbia.
The temperature continues quite low in the Western Provinces and moderate from Ontario eastward.

A MAN WHO SEES OUR DEFECTS



SIR GEORGE BURY.

GERMAN CABINET PERSONNEL IS PRINCIPAL PROBLEM OF LAWMAKERS AT WEIMAR

Original Plan of Fifteen Members May Be Altered as Result of New Developments—Centrists Are Assured of Membership—Constitution Is Discussed.

Weimar, Feb. 8.—The composition of the cabinet appears to be the principal problem commanding the attention of the new German lawmakers, meeting here in the national assembly. The original proposition was to form a minority cabinet, with a majority of Socialists, and four Democrats. The majority Socialists, however, are now understood to be contending that they should be certain to have a majority in the cabinet. The Socialists are now understood to be contending that they should be certain to have a majority in the cabinet. The Socialists are now understood to be contending that they should be certain to have a majority in the cabinet.

PREMIER BORDEN APPOINTED AS A BRITISH DELEGATE TO CONFER WITH BOLSHEVIKI

Representatives of Allied Nations Will Proceed to Princes Islands For Discussion With the Russian Soviet Government Members.

Paris, Feb. 8.—The following have been appointed delegates to the conference on the Princes Islands with the Russian Soviet Government, according to French newspapers:
M. Comte, the French minister to Copenhagen, and Gen. Rampon, for UNABLE TO WRITE, PROTEST AGAINST FORCED EDUCATION

Quebec, Feb. 8.—The parish priests of St. Hilair, in the county of Charlevoix, have sent to Parliament a petition against compulsion in educational matters. About thirty parishioners signed the petition, and of these fifteen did not sign their names, but marked their "cross."

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PROPERTY OF MISS THOMPSON, WHO REFUSED TO GIVE UP CHILD, SOLD BY AUCTION FOR COSTS

Last Scene in Case Which Aroused Much Interest Played in Sheriff's Office—Employer of Brother Who Owns Half of House, Bids 50 Cents Over the Necessary Price and Secures House.

The sale today by Sheriff D. M. Cameron at his office in the court house of the interest of Margaret Thompson in the property at 188 Victoria street was a prosaic enough incident so far as outward appearances went, but to those who knew the circumstances it marked a phase in one of the most pathetic life-dramas which have ever been enacted in this city.
Margaret Thompson, who was one of the principals in the drama, is at present an inmate of the asylum driven there presumably as a result of brood over what she considered the wrong which was intended toward the child of her dead sister, the child which, since the mother's death, she had cared for and which, rather than deliver to the father on his second marriage, she has hidden and refused to divulge the whereabouts even to escape imprisonment for contempt of court.

Some people called her action pig-headed. Others, with more charity, maintained that she had carried loyalty to the ultimate degree. In any case, she went to prison and later to the asylum rather than deliver the child. The action brought by the father of the child to recover custody of it was before the courts for a considerable length of time as a result of the repeated attempts on the part of the courts to induce Miss Thompson to divulge the hiding place of the child, and considerable cost was involved, which was assessed against the defendant, Miss Thompson, since the decision went against her. It was to meet this cost, amounting altogether to \$339.50, that the auction sale was held of the property in which she shared with a brother, C. G. Jarvis, who at the time of the trial appeared as counsel for the father against her. It was to meet this cost, amounting altogether to \$339.50, that the auction sale was held of the property in which she shared with a brother, C. G. Jarvis, who at the time of the trial appeared as counsel for the father against her.

WARNING TO THOSE WHO HAVE HAD SPANISH "FLU"

New York, Feb. 8.—A warning that tuberculosis is an after-math of Spanish influenza was issued here today by the State Charities Aid Association which urges "every person who has been ill with influenza, and who has failed to make a reasonably prompt and complete recovery" to take the precaution of being examined by medical authorities. The charities organization has prepared leaflets for free distribution and tuberculosis committees throughout the state are asked to bring these to the public's attention.

CHAMPION STEER TO BE SERVED AS BEEF TO PEACE DELEGATES

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 8.—Byvie Knight, this year's grand champion steer at the National Live-stock show in Chicago, is to be served as beef to the peace delegates in Paris, it was announced here yesterday. The steer, which was raised by Purdue University, was sold to a Chicago packing firm for \$3,250. The grand beef has been offered to President Poincaré of France, and has been accepted by him, it is stated.

Public Park To Be Built on Sight of Evangeline's Home

C. P. R. Purchases Property at Grand Pre, N. S.

Montreal, Feb. 8.—The C. P. R. has purchased the home of Evangeline, built in 1792, on the site of the Grand Pre, N. S., and will maintain it as a public park. A statue of Evangeline, lying sculpted by Philip Hebert at the time of his death, will be completed by his son and will be erected on the land. The story of Evangeline has been immortalized by Longfellow in the poem of the same name. Upon the site purchased by the C. P. R. remain the well and willows within stone's throw of the birthplace of Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada.

AMERICAN SYNDICATE TO LOAN \$50,000,000 TO BELGIUM'S GOVT.

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TWO SUFFOCATED IN INDIANAPOLIS FIRE

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 8.—Two men are dead and eight others injured in a local hospital as the result of a fire in the Palace Hotel here early today. The dead were Frank Bracken and Elmer Reese. They were suffocated. The fire started in a vacant room on the first floor of the building occupied by the hotel. Damage to the building was small.

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POPULAR TRAVELER VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA



HARRY E. BUTTREY.

HARRY E. BUTTREY DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Well Known in City For Many Years.

PROMINENT IN SOCIETIES

Shriner, Knight Templar, Member of Scottish Rite and I. B. S.

Harry E. Buttrey died in St. Joseph's Hospital at an early hour today after a three weeks' illness from pneumonia. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure. He had been taken ill with pneumonia, and had been in the hospital for several days. He was a well-known figure in the city, and was a member of many societies, including the Shriner, Knight Templar, and the I. B. S.

JAPAN'S DELEGATE SAYS 1915 TREATY DOES NOT CONTAIN SECRET CLAUSES

Mikado's Government Pledged To Return Tsing-Tao To Chinese.

WHAT GERMANY DID Baron Makino Describes Efforts Tentons Made To Stir Up Ill-Will in East.

Paris, Friday, Feb. 7.—Baron Makino, senior Japanese delegate to the peace conference, made public today a statement in which he described the efforts of the Japanese government to stir up ill-will in the East, and to bring about a general war. He said that the Japanese government had made every effort to bring about a general war, and that it had succeeded in stirring up ill-will in the East.

BRITISH WERE FIRST TO USE DEPTH CHARGE

Weapon Against Submarine Not Developed Mainly by Americans.

London, Feb. 8.—Official attention has been called to statements made in the press to the effect that Americans were the first to use depth charges against submarines, and so did a general and the submarine menace.
The actual circumstances were:
The commander-in-chief of the Grand Fleet recommended in 1914 the adoption of a depth charge defence, and experiments and an investigation school took the matter in hand, and the submarine attack committee of the admiralty ultimately recommended the adoption of a design which was practically that used throughout the war. There were improvements from time to time, but the British navy adopted and developed the depth charge and method of defence two years ago, and before the United States came into the war. The British navy also led the way in the use and development of the weapon in the fitting out of special vessels for its intensive employment.
The actual "thrower" and other devices in connection with the mines were purely British.

BUTTE WORKERS MAY STRIKE AS PROTEST AGAINST WAGES CUT

Butte, Mont., Feb. 8.—The question as to whether a general strike of all industries in this city shall be called once as a protest against the reduction of \$1 a day in wages in the copper mines of this district, was expected to be determined today. At two mass meetings last night, said to have been called by the Industrial Workers of the World, resolutions were adopted calling for a general strike. Another mass meeting was set for today, at which the demands of the miners were to be formulated and presented to the mining companies.

TURKISH OFFICIALS PUT UNDER ARREST

Constantinople, Feb. 7.—The Turkish Government has arrested about forty members of the union of progress party, and has charged with profiting and the massacre of Armenians, the deportation and spoliation of Greeks and the those under arrest include Hussein Dhalid Bey, former vice-president of the Turkish Parliament; Hadji Adil Bey, former minister of the interior; Ismail Bey, former minister of food and supplies, and several other deputies.

ASPIRATIONS OF SMALLER POWERS DUE TO CREATION OF NEW BOUNDARIES IS ONE OF GREAT PEACE PROBLEMS

Number of Territorial Disputes Have Been Settled by Mediation—Some of Nations Insist On Permanent Blockade of Germany—Efforts Being Made To Reach Perfect Unity.

Paris, Feb. 8.—The most difficult problems now under consideration at the peace conference relate to the new boundaries to be created, and which have aroused the aspirations of many nations, especially the little ones, for the territory of their neighbors. It is regarded as necessary that the associated powers shall present a solid front when the delegates of the central powers are admitted into the conference. It is felt in some quarters, the enemy defeated on the field might succeed by cunning and intrigue in increasing disunion among the associated powers, and in getting better terms for themselves by offering tempting alliances. The main object of the conference toward the consolidation of their own fundamental principles, which are to govern the future relations of states, the various territorial disputes by mediation and in endeavoring to have such disputes submitted to the arbitration of nations when it is organized. A notable success in this direction has been in the conflict between Italy and Yugoslavia today in readiness for the great prospect of permanent blockade.

As these differences are overcome, however, others appear in the shape of demands for some elements for the position of smaller nations. Germany is not contained in the present armistice agreement, not only for the present, but also for the distant future. Some of these proposals are that Germany should be kept blockaded indefinitely, even after the signing of the final peace treaty, in order to permit France and Belgium to rehabilitate their injured industries so as to be able to compete with Germany in the world's markets.

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GERMANY'S COMMERCIAL FLEET READY TO BE HANDED OVER; ALLOTMENT NOT YET DECIDED

Commission On Blockade Presents a Report to the Supreme Council Session, Recommending the Lightening of the Blockade Restrictions in Mediterranean and Adriatic.

Paris, Friday, Feb. 7.—Many important matters were before the supreme council, comprising the council of the great powers, and the military council, to consider primarily the extension of the armistice to Germany, which expires on February 17. Although the final decisions went over until tomorrow, the council also considered the number of subjects demanding the council of the great powers, and the military council, to consider primarily the extension of the armistice to Germany, which expires on February 17. Although the final decisions went over until tomorrow, the council also considered the number of subjects demanding the council of the great powers, and the military council, to consider primarily the extension of the armistice to Germany, which expires on February 17.

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ARMED STRIKERS TURN BACK MEN WHO WOULD WORK

Mining Operations in Butte District Are Suspended.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 8.—Following plans agreed to at mass meetings held last night, the call of the local I. W. W. men armed, turned back men who started for work this morning, with the result that mining in the district is practically suspended today.

TEACHERS THREATEN TO STRIKE UNLESS SALARIES REVISED

Victoria, Feb. 8.—Refusing to accept an offer of the school board of a five per cent increase in salary, representatives of the Victoria Teachers' Association threatened to call a strike for Monday next if their demands regarding a revised salary scale are not met.

DECLARES STRIKE AT SEATTLE IS UNFAIR

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—The San Francisco Labor Council, it was announced today, after a long debate, refused last night to adopt a resolution under which the strike at Seattle was unfair, and that the local trade unionists were a committee of the Industrial Workers of the World, and that the strike at Seattle was unfair, and that the local trade unionists were a committee of the Industrial Workers of the World.

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PRESIDENT OF NORTH RUSSIA REACHES PARIS

Head of Provisional Government To Confer With Peace Delegates.

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Ex-Court Jester Entrusted With Royalty's Jewels

New York, Feb. 8.—Giacomo Serini, a Milanese, who claims that he was once jester to the late Czar Nicholas, appeared in court here today as a complainant against Arthur A. Dignam, electrician at a Broadway cabaret, charging that Dignam had stolen from him a ring encrusted with Mr. Romanoff's initials and other royal baubles valued at nearly \$5,000.

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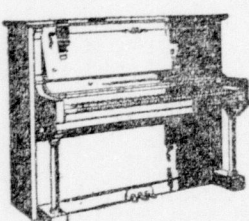


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WORKS MINISTER SEEMINGLY IN RECEPTIVE MOOD FOR INFLUENCE RE NEW GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS

"Get After Him," Urges S. F. Glass, in Regard Proposal For Joint Customs House and Postoffice.

In connection with the proposed new custom house and postoffice, S. F. Glass, M. P., has received a letter from Hon. F. B. Carvell, minister of public works, expressing a desire to have an interview with Mr. Glass at the earliest opportunity. Mr. Glass has been in communication with the minister of public works and has expressed upon the minister the necessity of a federal building in which the postoffice, custom house and all the Dominion Government offices could be located.

It is the opinion of the member for East Middlesex that the city council, chamber of commerce, and all other interested in the welfare of the city should get busy and let Ottawa know that the city as a whole is in support of the erection of a federal building as outlined.

Oppose Low Building.
Several of the prominent citizens of the city have expressed their disapproval of the scheme to Mr. Glass. One of the phases in connection is the fact that the Government has been considering for some time the erection of a new postoffice. It has been intended to erect a two-story building on the Carling Block, spreading it out in order to get sufficient space.

This does not find favor with the majority of the citizens, as they think that a two-story building of this type would not be an architectural asset to the city. Mr. Glass is convinced that if the citizens will get together and express their opinions to Ottawa the Government can be convinced of the wisdom of adding a few stories to the proposed building in order to provide room for the custom house and all the other federal offices in the city.

Will Provide Work.
Mr. Glass points out yet another reason for arguing that the Government take up the proposition and this is in regard to providing work for the returned men. The erection of a large building would employ many men and would be the means of clearing up much money in the city. It has been intimated to Mr. Glass that the Government is spending a large sum of money in London in military buildings and the intention is to spend yet more, that there will be lots of work without going ahead this year with the postoffice building.

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CANADA'S FIRE LOSS IN 1918 33 MILLIONS

Great Deal of the Economic Loss Preventible, Declares Conservation Officer.

DOMINION LEADS WORLD

Bad Building Laws and Other Influences Are in Measure Responsible.

J. Grove Smith, of the commission of conservation, Ottawa, at a dinner held under the joint auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club and the two Canadian Chambers of Commerce, declared that the fire loss in Canada last year, excluding forest and timber fires, was \$33,530,000. This was very far in excess of the figures for any other country in the world, and he expressed the belief that a great deal of this economic loss was preventable.

Some of the reasons he adduced as the reason why the loss was so heavy were that building bylaws were not enforced and that the bylaws were not uniform. What was permissible in one city or town was forbidden by the municipal authorities in another.

Referring to his statement that building bylaws were not enforced, he mentioned that on a certain occasion he was with a fire marshal in one of the provinces, and they passed a row of shacks in disreputable quarters which were a menace to a nearby factory. He asked the marshal why they were not torn down, and the provincial official said he preferred that the municipality rather than he should order their destruction. Asked why he was not inclined to exercise the authority vested in him by the province, he explained that the owner of the buildings in question was a member of Parliament, and that the attorney-general would certainly not "stand for" a prosecution.

In another instance, said Mr. Smith, he would announce the result of a building bylaw which had been modified and abrogated no less than thirty-two times for the benefit of influential citizens who wished to erect buildings not in conformity with the bylaw.

Many Insurance Agents.
Another reason for heavy fire loss was to be found in the fact that fire insurance agents, accepted in many cases, were not buildings which they never saw. He instanced a certain Canadian city in which it was found that four hundred people were agents for fire insurance companies. Only about one-quarter of this number were legitimately in the business of fire insurance, the balance being made up of clerks, bankers, lawyers, etc., who sold fire insurance only as a sideline.

He spoke of this matter, he said, to a minister of the Government of the day, and the minister declared that so long as people had buildings to insure, and so long as they had three dollars to pay for their license to act as an agent, the license would be granted. "But," Mr. Smith stated he said to him, "that indicates that you are concerned solely with the catching of votes, to which the minister replied, 'Why, certainly.'"

Montreal Beats Manchester.
Mr. Smith referred to the annual fire return of fire loss in Manchester, England, and Montreal, Canada, respectively, during a recent year. It showed that Manchester, with a larger population than Montreal, and with a fire loss of \$2,000,000. And that in spite of the fact that in and around Montreal were more numerous factories, involving a tremendous concentration of inflammable material than in any other whole country in the world.

So long, declared the speaker, as houses of different construction were scattered haphazard through our cities and towns, brick and frame construction mixed up, so long would our fire loss be much greater than it should be. Not one building in twelve hundred in Canada was fireproof, he declared. Poor construction was an important factor in the fire loss of the country.

Must Be Remedied.
Mr. Smith declared that the condition of the fire loss in Canada, respectively, was determined on that point, if he had to move heaven and earth to accomplish it, and he asked his hearers to back him. He said that the next session of the Dominion Parliament he intended to endeavor to secure an amendment to the criminal code, such a nature as to make anyone who was found to have caused a fire, through carelessness, guilty of an indictable offence, and subject to a fine of not more than \$1,000 or two years' imprisonment. He pointed out that although the general statute it was nearly so much so as the French law on the subject in the time of Napoleon.

That law made every household a firehouse was burned guilty unless he could prove his innocence. The British code did not allow a man to be presumed guilty while he could prove his innocence.

The fire departments of Canada, said Mr. Smith, were as good as those of any country of which he knew, but it was a waste of energy to try to break out and then extinguish it. The better method would be to prevent the fire. The campaign against fire loss should be one of offence, not of defence. We should follow the example set by the Canadians in the war of carrying the war to the enemy, not waiting for the enemy to come to us, and then concerning themselves only in stockpiling.

Strong Enough To Do Homestead Duty
Sidney Bent Gives the Credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Six Years Ago He Had Kidney Disease So Bad His Friends Said He Would Not Live Long.

Leviard, Sask., Feb. 7.—Strong and healthy, and able to do the heavy work of homestead duty, Mr. Sidney Bent, a well-known settler here, is telling his friends of the great benefits he received from using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Six years ago I suffered a lot from my back and kidneys," Mr. Bent says. "I tried a lot of medicine and drugs, but kept getting worse, till some of my friends said I would not live long."

"Four years ago I decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking the first box I felt so much better I decided to continue the treatment."

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"I would advise anyone suffering from kidney trouble to take Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have made their reputation by curing kidney diseases and the ills that spring from diseased kidneys. They are no cure-all. But if you are suffering from rheumatism, lumbago, sore back, diabetes, or some other form of kidney trouble, ask your neighbors who Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for them.

Ten Thousand Dollars.

We have got our ear down to the ground and listening real hard. To hear Sir Adam cover that bet. For we love to see real sportsmen take a fifty-fifty chance. And ten thousand dollars plus these days are hard to get. Sir Holt comes from Missouri and his cold cash backs him up. In his search for truth regarding hydro light, "strangely stirs our sporting blood." As the challenge flashes forth from knight to knight.

—FRED YOUNG, 15th Battalion.

with a defensive action. In order to do this united action was imperative, and he thought that the kind of spirit which had been bred of the war, the spirit of unselfishness, would help to bring about such co-operation.

Every Fire Counts.
Every fire, Mr. Smith, pointed out, while it was part of the total fire loss of the country, was in itself a local incident. The municipalities must take care of the individual fires, and if this were done the country's fire loss would decrease. The municipalities and the provincial legislatures should co-ordinate the efforts of the communities, and the Dominion Government would supply the driving power.

Principal C. C. Waller of Huron College, who said that he had been interested for some years in the question of fire prevention, particularly of the prevention of forest fires, asked what was the approximate loss from forest and bush fires, and also what steps, if any, were taken to fix responsibility upon the railroads for fire damage caused by them along their rights-of-way.

Mr. Smith said the forest fire loss could not be estimated, because a great deal of the forest fire loss was timber which was only potential. Until it could be logged to the railroad, and thence to the market, it was not a loss.

Government Only Offender.
As to the responsibility of the commission of conservation had jurisdiction over all the privately-owned railroads, and were given free passes so that they could travel up and down the lines and keep track of the damage done.

At the conclusion of Mr. Smith's address, which was received with many manifestations of pleasure and interest, J. A. Vining moved the following resolution, which was carried unanimously:

Whereas, Canada's annual fire waste is shown by the commission of conservation to be the highest of any country in the world;

And whereas these losses constitute a burden upon the whole country and endanger our economic future as a nation;

Therefore, be it resolved that this meeting, representing the London Chamber of Commerce, Rotary and Canadian chambers of commerce, and the important matter on the attention of the Dominion Government, with a view to the prevention of such losses, be promptly, and the inauguration of such policy as will result in the control of this serious source of loss.

Be it further resolved that a fire prevention association be formed as a branch of the Ontario Fire Prevention Association to co-operate with the provincial fire marshals in the work of his department.

And that the chairman be authorized to nominate a committee to carry out the matter for consideration.

And that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Sir Thomas White, acting premier of the Dominion.

BIG PARTY OF MEN EXPECTED TONIGHT

Due To Arrive Here at 10:30 Via G. T. R.

CAME ACROSS ON BALTIC

Many of Those On Board Have No Address Known to Authorities.

At 10:30 tonight, 383 returned men are expected to arrive via Grand Trunk, according to the latest reports received by the returned soldiers' information bureau.

This party of men is the one that arrived on the steamship Baltic on February 6, amongst the men are some who have been in the service for a number of years. On the list which has been received there are 156 men whose addresses are known. There is also one man whose name is Gunner A. T. Carvan, address unknown, who was discharged from the service in Halifax.

The Londoners' names are:

C. S. M. Hessey, 265 Simcoe street, Sgt. Gillingham, 265 Simcoe street, Sgt. Brand, 1025 Florence street, Sgt. Brown, 255 Dundas street, Corp. Caton, 269 Balfour avenue, Pte. Cornelius, 119 Wellington street, Pte. Dewar, 202 Hamilton road, Sapper Gunn, 130 Ridout street, Pte. Huddleston, 140 Dundas street, Sapper Hume, 202 Hamilton road, Pte. Lyon, 511 Ada street, Chelsea Green.

Corp. Little, 827 Steadwell street, Pte. Lindemann, 435 Ontario street, Sapper McMurtry, 23 Craig street, Pte. McNeil, 217 York street, Corp. McNeil, St. James' Park P. O., Pte. Nicholas, 2 Webb street, Corp. Piper, 509 King street, Pte. Spry, 715 King street, L. Corp. Scrimgeour, 27 Stanley street, Pte. Whitwell, 101 Charlotte street, Sapper Walsley, 28 Hope street, Pte. Anderson, 375 Marlford street, Sapper Barron, 343 Hamilton road, Pte. Clark, 16 Clark street, Sgt. Evans, White Cafe, Richmond street, Pte. Eley, 707 Elgin street, Pte. Good, 10 Dillhouse street, Pte. Knight, 19 Cavendish street, Sapper McNaughton, 231 Grosvenor street.

CANADIAN PRODUCTS REACHING ARGENTINA AS EXPORTS OF U. S.?

OTTAWA, Feb. 7.—That many Canadian products are finding their way into Argentina and credited as exports from the United States is an opinion expressed by C. B. Webb, a Canadian trade commissioner in Buenos Aires, in a report to the Canadian department of trade and commerce.

PROMINENT INGERSOLL CHURCH WORKER DIES; BURIAL AT EXETER

INGERSOLL, Feb. 7.—Thomas E. Handford, one of Ingersoll's best-known workers, died at the home, 10 Francis street, at a late hour Thursday night, following an illness that had continued for some time.

He was 60 years of age, and was in Exeter, where five years ago he was engaged in stockpiling.

Seven years ago he came to Ingersoll. Six years ago he organized the Bible Class of the Methodist Church, known as "The Handford Boys" and in the welfare of the Methodist Church generally he manifested a deep interest.

He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Miss Irene, a nursing sister overseas, and Miss Lillian at home. A memorial service will be held in the Methodist Church Sunday evening, and the remains will be taken Monday morning to Exeter for interment.

G. W. V. A. WILL GIVE STRIKERS MORAL SUPPORT

Promises This to Moulders at Executive Committee Meeting.

LOCAL UNIONS PLEDGED

Trouble at Beatty Bros. Over Getting Recognition of Unions.

Representatives of the striking moulders formerly in the employ of Beatty Bros., appeared before the executive committee of the Great War Veterans' Association last night, and received a promise of moral support in their fight to approach the firm through a neutral citizen, and have been told that while the firm is willing to meet anyone to discuss the matter, it will not recognize the union and the present demands being made.

Out Since November 21.
Some thirty of the Beatty Bros. moulders have been out on strike since November 21, over the question of having the union recognized and collective representation in the fixing of rates. A committee from the strikers has appeared before all the local unions in London and has secured pledges of moral and financial support from all of the union men of London.

A committee from the Tuckett Company has also appeared before the locals and secured a pledge of support.

Will Make Further Moves.
While the men say they have not given up hope of reaching a settlement, they promise that unless they secure the concessions they are asking they will make further moves.

At the same meeting planned by the trades and labor council it is probable that the strike situation in London will be reviewed by the speakers. Every local union in the city will have a large representation at the meeting.

GARBAGE WORKERS WANT MORE WAGES

No Sunday Work or Extra Pay.

POINT OUT BRANTFORD

Ten Cents an Hour More Paid in That City.

The garbage collectors of London, who appear under the name of Federal Labor Union No. 60, are anxious to secure from the city \$1.50 a day for work done every fifth Sunday, or that Sunday work be done away with. They are also asking that the city give them a half holiday on Saturday during the period between May 1 and August 31, and they are also asking for an increase in the payback they now receive for a ten-hour day.

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Where Is Borden Organ On Excess Profits Tax?

It will be interesting to ascertain the attitude of the Ottawa Journal proposes to assume toward the question of taxing wealth. Does it favor the position of the excess profits tax, while the extra tariffs are maintained in the interests of the manufacturer?

Does the Borden newspaper favor any effort toward the recovery of excess war profits which amount into the millions, and the possessors of which might well be regarded as the nation's moneybags?

Does the Journal believe that the newspapers could be rebated for the excess charges made by the newsprint combine, thereby swelling the combine's profits during war-time to the millions?

Does the Journal believe only in the conscription of life and never in the conscription of dollars?

London Should Move To Get Post Office and Custom House

The suggestion of Mr. S. F. Glass, M. P. for East Middlesex, gives to London a splendid opportunity which it should not lose. He suggests that the Postoffice and Custom House be combined. The present Custom House could be abandoned and sold for any purpose to which it could be put. It would make a good city hall for London for many years to come, and would save the city taxpayer hundreds of thousands of dollars, and if the city loses the chance there are banks and life assurance companies not likely to get so good an opportunity pass without taking advantage of it.

Objection has been made that the present site of the Postoffice is too small for a joint post-office and custom house. This is a great mistake. It is quite large enough, and easily the best site in London. With the city hall occupying the Custom House and the Postoffice and Custom House occupying Carling's block, surrounded by the cluster of banks and mortgage corporations and trust companies, it would be the financial centre of London, with St. Paul's Cathedral and square to finish the picture.

The answer to those who say the site is too small is plain—make the building a story or two higher than necessary for the present day, so as to provide for the reasonable growth of the future. The site is the best in the city, and if the best interests of the city and of the country as a whole are considered, it is the most economical too, and that means something in these times.

Asquith-Lloyd George Letters Have Cleared Away Some Fog

By the publication in the Atlantic Monthly of the Asquith-Lloyd George correspondence which preceded the British Cabinet crisis and Asquith's resignation, much of the mist and mystery which enshrouded that sensational incident has been dispelled. It will be recalled that Lloyd George was charged with deliberately manufacturing the crisis for selfish purposes. He was accused of treachery to his leader and disloyalty to the nation. Political enemies called him the tool of Northcliffe. Many of his staunchest friends and supporters in all parts of the empire lost some of their faith in his sincerity, which was only restored by his driving of the war through to success.

The letters, published without his knowledge and sanction, demonstrate clearly that Lloyd George's determination and desire to speed up the prosecution of the war—give it the winning punch—brought on the clash between the two men and caused the split. The primary incidents of the affair were Lloyd George's demand that the "cumbersome" war committee be displaced by a war council of five to be given great freedom of action, allowed the right to act on occasion without calling in the premier, and the latter's refusal to accept Sir Edward Carson as a member of the cabinet. Asquith insisted that as head of the Government he should be supreme, that his should be the final and deciding voice in all matters; as secretary of war, Lloyd George complained that this would cramp operations at home and at the various fronts. He frankly charged his leader with lacking the vigor and vision necessary to the task of conducting the campaign. Hesitation and delay on the part of Asquith, according to Lloyd George, sacrificed the opportunity for early victory.

To prove this point he instances the case of Rumania, where failure to send war supplies promptly, as planned by the war committee, but blocked by the premier, handed that ally over to the enemy. His arraignment of Mr. Asquith in part is as follows:

"I have striven my utmost to cure the obvious defects of the war committee without overthrowing the Government. As you are aware, on several occasions during the last two years I have deemed it my duty to express profound dissatisfaction with the Government's method of conducting the war. Many a time with the road to victory open in front of us, we have delayed and hesitated whilst the enemy were erecting barriers that finally checked the approach."

"There has been delay, hesitation, lack of forethought and vision. I have

endeavored repeatedly to warn the Government of the dangers, both verbally and in written memoranda and letters, which I crave your leave now to publish if my actions are challenged; but I have either failed to secure decision or I have secured them when it was too late to avert the evils. The latest illustration is our lamentable failure to give timely support to Rumania.

"I have more than once asked to be released from my responsibility for a policy with which I was in thorough disagreement, but at your urgent personal request I remained in the Government. I realize that when the country is in the period of a great war ministers have not the same freedom to resign on disagreement. At the same time I have always felt—and I felt deeply—that I was in a false position inasmuch as I could never defend in a whole-hearted manner the action of the Government of which I was a member.

"We have thrown away opportunity after opportunity, and I am convinced after deep and anxious reflection that it is my duty to leave the Government in order to inform the people of the real condition of affairs and to give them an opportunity before it is too late to save their native land from a disaster which is inevitable if the present methods are longer persisted in. As all delay is fatal in war I place my office without further parley at your disposal."

The upshot of the controversy was Asquith's resignation, which followed Lloyd George's threat to step out and place the whole matter before the public. Lloyd George's subsequent success seems to prove clearly enough that he was in the right. Under his administration the entire war machine developed a tremendous striking power. The blockade tightened, the Mesopotamian and Palestine campaigns grew from chaos and confusion to victorious offensives, and at home all influences were girded and guided into harmonious and irresistible backing up of the armies.

Lloyd George's reasons for insisting on the inclusion of Carson in the cabinet are not explained in the correspondence. That Asquith should be incensed at it is not difficult to understand. Carson had been an obstacle to every attempt to settle the Irish question, even to the point of preparing for civil war. He was exasperatingly arrogant and reactionary, by his policy and personality an impossible colleague for a man of Asquith's political faith and record. The Irish Orange leader's brief and fractious stay in the ministry seems to have borne out Asquith's conviction of his unfitness for a cabinet task. And he had an unsavory history in so far as Germany was concerned.

The correspondence makes it clear too that Lloyd George was not co-operating with Northcliffe to wreck the ministry. He states distinctly that he had no influence over nor was he influenced by the owner of the Times.

The publication of the correspondence clears Lloyd George of imputations as to his honesty and sincerity. In the light of what followed it seems to prove that Mr. Asquith was not the man for the job, but his loyal and hearty support of his successor shows that, however unequal to the task of leading the nation in war, his intentions were of the best.

Standardize Womens Clothing Is Bold Idea But Impossible

Not all the bold spirits are the warriors. Civil life has its daredevils. One of these is a Montreal man who seriously suggests that the Government standardize women's apparel from her hat to her high heels. Cloth my lady and my lady's maid exactly alike, he says, and you will take a big step towards breaking down detestable class distinction and bring about a great piece of economy.

As a piece of organized atrocity this would appeal to Lenin. The prospect economically is alluring; scenically it is maddening, as a very little reflection on the subject will show. Take the matter of the skirt's length. Doesn't this fellow realize why some are worn long, some short and others shorter? As he walks the streets are his eyes always focussed on the heavens? Does he not understand that some do not possess or have not achieved an architectural affinity with the abbreviated costume? Are there not curves graceful, ungraceful and disgraceful to be considered?

And the hats, those "dear" and "darling" things. Hasn't it been the inalienable right of every woman since Eve sprang her first "dream" on Adam to decorate her headpiece any old way she desired? It has, and we defy any government to take it away from her.

And an order-in-council that would decree a single design of hat for the women of the nation would be inflicting a horror on the public. Imagine the tall and stately Arabella who is constructed to frame a picture hat compelled to wear the turban, which is so fetching and roguish on the diminutive Nancy? Then there is the species that droops indolently over one ear. How imperfectly that would suit the girl who goes in for those stick up severe creations which she parks on three or four hairs. It can't be done. The hat that would please and be becoming to them all hasn't and can't be produced.

It's a grand idea that of standardizing women's clothing, but its bold inventor has got hold of the wrong end of the matter. What is needed first is a standardization of faces, forms and feet. And if we did that wouldn't we miss her "infinite variety"? You bet we would.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

With Paderewski as president Poland will, of course, want a part in any concert of the powers.

Princess Patricia is to wed a commoner, and Miss Asquith is to wed a prince. This old world is certainly standing on its head these days.

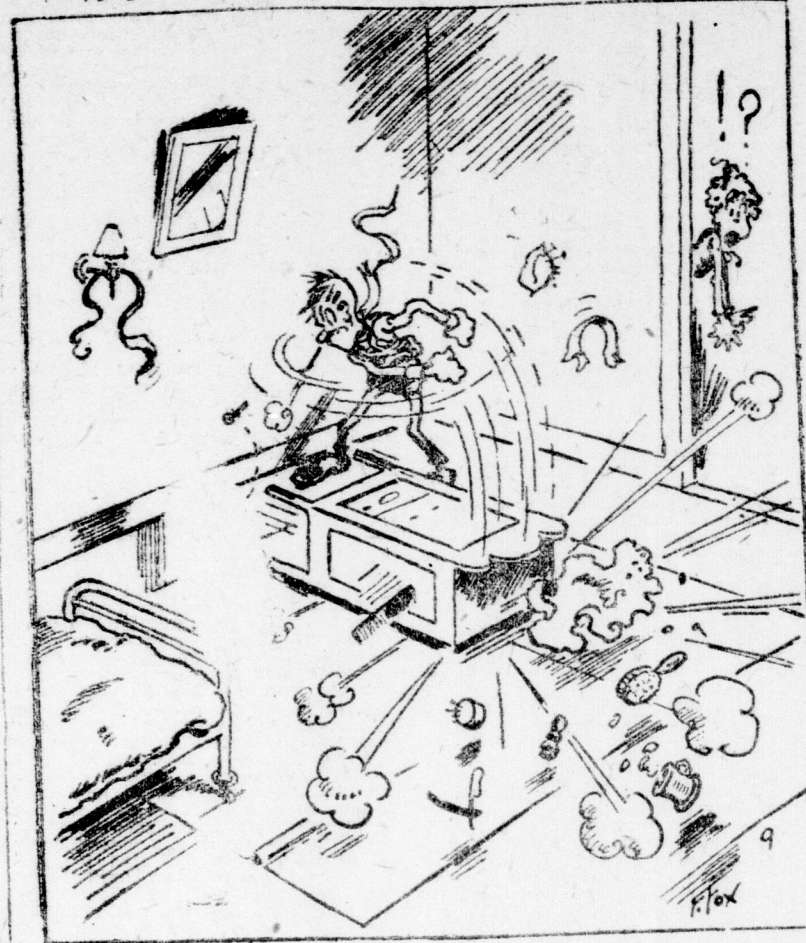
Somebody complains there is too much "scrapping" at the Versailles conference. Better to settle all differences now and make it certain that the peace pact will be no "scrap of paper."

Detroit's Own cannot wait the Bolsheviks alone and are in grave peril.—Detroit Free Press. Cheer up. The Scotch troops who are doing about 90 per cent of the fighting will take care of them.

THE TERRIBLE TEMPERED MR. BANG

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1. Terrible Tempered Mr. Bang's collar button rolled under the dresser.

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THE PLUGGER.

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Malcolm McDougall was officially known as the city editor of the "News," but any title from office boy to managing editor could have been applied to him—not that the "News" was a small, one-horse paper, but Malcolm was a shrewd, powerful plugger in the true sense of the word. Work, "clock in the morning to midnight" were easy hours for him! Nothing was done right unless he had a hand in it. No matter how well a story was written, Malcolm could always find a place that needed attention. No wonder reporters didn't like him. He was a nice fellow personally, he absolutely wouldn't allow another man to bring forth his individuality or originality.

Of course, with a man like Malcolm at the head of affairs the staff of cubs and one senior man, Larry Montrose, was that senior—a senior of a junior, if you will.

One day, when Malcolm was sitting at his desk, he noticed a small object on the floor. He picked it up and looked at it. It was a small, round object, about the size of a button. He looked at it for a moment, then he looked at the floor. He saw that the object was a button, and that it was a collar button. He looked at the floor again, and he saw that the button was a collar button. He looked at the floor again, and he saw that the button was a collar button.

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ing her little warm fingers, and as he talked he squeezed them very gently now and then.

"I was all for you, dear," he whispered just so she could hear. "All the hard work was for you, and for the happiness I thought it would bring you. I thought you would understand, dear, but now I am dead you didn't."

"I did understand, dear boy," she answered, in just as low a tone, "and I knew it was all for me—that was why I was content in my loneliness. I knew some day that we would earn the glory that we were enjoying now. It was a mystery to me, though, for I had my big surprise to think of. Look! She took a magazine from the rack by her side and said again as she held it to his eyes. There before him was her surprise. A short story of Marian Leithbridge—his wife! In one of the leading magazines, too!

"But your letter to Luzzette, dear heart!" he asked in wonder when he could get his mind to read. "You said you were lonely and didn't have anything to do."

"It was my turn to confess," Larry and Betty answered from out of the shadows. "I wrote that letter," Betty confessed. "And I told her to go and help her," came glibly from Larry.

"But why?" Malcolm looked from one to another.

"We wanted you to give Larry a chance at the office—a chance to do some of the work that we were doing. It was a chance to be of more value down there and get a raise in salary, and he wanted to have happiness, too, because she wasn't really happy. It has got everything we wanted."

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"You are a very clever boy, and I'm going to make you a lawyer. With your brains, if you stick to your work, you should become a lawyer. In an unguarded moment the boy told this story to the other boys, and then he had some exceedingly uncomfortable days, but he seems to have the laugh on the other boys today."

EQUIPPED HAMILTON WATERWORKS.

(Galt Reporter.)
Early in 1855 the late John Goldie and Hugh McCulloch brought the "Humphries Foundry" from James Crombie, Expert mechanics, with a Scotch training, they assumed, for the time, a heavy burden for industry and ability constituted 90 per cent of their capital. With only 22 hands in their employ these young men tendered for the equipment of the Hamilton waterworks, the plans calling for the most modern machinery. It was a bold stroke and involved a large risk, but the personal attention given the order, the hard work of the young foundrymen, and the loyal support they received from their little band of employees produced the desired result. It made the firm of Goldie & McCulloch known all over Upper and Lower Canada.

UNTRAMMELED JOURNALISM.

(Kitchener, Pa., Exchange.)
The mother who allows a 15-year-old daughter to float around the township in a top buggy until 2 a.m. with a countess sport of weak wits and weaker morals, merely opens the front door to grief and disgrace.
I don't know what company your daughter keeps, or what time of night she turns in, your room when positive Goldie will sound about as pathetic as the wheeze of a Jew-harp. The girl who insists on spooning with her body in the corporation limits ought to be taken back to the woodshed and reeveled of her overboard affection with a No. 11 slipper, laid carefully across the hips. We had sooner see a chance partner six nights a week in the front parlor with the lights turned low. It is harder to marry off a girl who has been pawed over by a boy in the community than it is to fatten sheep on plebeian ice. You can't goldbrick a sharp-eyed girl with second-hand goods any more than you can fit a bathing robe on a goat.

THE PROVINCIAL HIGHWAY.

(Burford Advance.)
There is a much discussion at present over the route likely to be taken for the provincial highway from Brantford to Woodstock, and the general opinion expressed is that it will go by Paris. This opinion has been strengthened by facts that have leaked out from parties in close touch with the provincial authorities. Just why the Government should favor this route is a mystery to all thinking people, as the Paris-Gorham road route is the best of the grades at Paris worse than Hamilton Mountain grade at Ansonia; two expensive bridges in Paris to build and maintain, it will parallel two electric railways from Brantford to Paris, and one steam railway. It will parallel the main line of the Grand Trunk Railway nearly all the way from Paris to Woodstock, and not pass through any village or thickly populated district between Paris and Woodstock, and the country on the western end of the route mentioned is generally thought to be none too good or productive at least through the north-west part of Brantford Township) and the only conclusion to be arrived at is that the highway is to be built by representatives in Paris, who should have the interests of their whole country at heart instead of one little route, as we said before, is shorter, the grades very light, the better roads and the road would pass through many villages most of which have no railroads, and the route generally much more thickly populated than the Governor's road route, and from Cotuit through East Oxford the road went on to the north.

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so many points scored. Attendance, willingness to try new strokes and dives and excellence of execution will all be taken into account by Mr. Butterworth, who will act as judge. Prizes will be awarded to both beginners and advanced pupils. This contest, which will cover a space of ten weeks, will be conducted in the pool of the Lord Roberts School.

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

For the Glory of the Bride

Gowns For the Early Spring Wedding As Revealed in the Latest Modes.

(By Madame Francis, Famous Creator of Fashions, New York City).

The Fashion Forecast

Dinner gowns of tulle with snug waists and bouffant skirts will be much used this spring and summer. Shades of pinkish yellow, flesh pink, turquoise blue, rose and orchid, will be chosen for these gowns.

Orange Blossoms. Could any flowers

breathe a sweeter fragrance? Then come the gowns designed for a matron of honor. It is made of orchid chiffon, bordered with pale sea green chiffon on the edges of the graceful sleeves and tunic. The embroidery is in shades of blue and green, and is worked in heavy silk floss. In the velvet girdle runs a line of orchid blue and green. The sleeves are outlined above the green border with a soft velvet ribbon of pale orchid, just a transition of tone in the same shade.

What shall I say of the hat which should be worn with this picturesque gown? A broadly picturesque shape of the expanse of the crown, which makes blue eyes the color that the Japanese call "hyacinth." This gown and hat are striking in their loveliness.

For a bridesmaid I have designed a gown of sea green chiffon velvet. The bodice is of sea green velvet, and the skirt is of sea green velvet. The gown is made of sea green velvet, and the skirt is of sea green velvet.

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Now comes another suggestion for a matron of honor. It is a gown of sea green velvet, and the skirt is of sea green velvet.

Orchid velvet. This is the color of the sea, and the skirt is of sea green velvet.

With both these colors the bridesmaids should carry orchids, or if a carry long-stemmed purple iris tied with pale orchid ribbon.

Valentine Tea Will Be Held on Tuesday

Senator Coffey Chapter, I. O. D. E., Will Be Hostesses in K. of C. Hall.

A Valentine tea, given under the auspices of the Senator Coffey Chapter, I. O. D. E., will be one of the interesting social affairs of next week. The occasion will be the opening of their new rooms in the Knights of Columbus Hall, 461 Bloor street, west of Dundas street, on Tuesday, Feb. 11, and the proceeds will be devoted to comforts for returned soldiers.

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Syrup is Mouldy.

Dear Miss Grey—Last year I purchased maple syrup and put it away in jars as I had many a time done before. Now when I come to use it I find four jars which are covered with mould and taste of it all the way through. Never before did this occur. I tried boiling it over, and adding milk to sweeten it, but the taste remains though not quite as pronounced.

Now for the benefit of The Advertiser editor, I must say I enjoy reading "My Soldier Husband" and think the characters in it are very realistic. The story of a man who is a soldier and a husband is a very interesting one. I hope you will continue to write for us.

Thank you, Stranger.

A Stranger (Anon)—Please accept our thanks for the coupons enclosed for "Lonesome Reader" towards the lady's bicycle.

For "Mrs. All Trades."

Dear Miss Grey—Thought I would try and help the mother out for her little ones by sending her some water terms of mittens and so forth. If the readers that have trouble with using gasoline would put it in a pan, and

PERPLEXED.

Gratuity or Pension.

Dear Miss Grey—It is quite a while since I called on you, so thought I would see if you still have room for me. We have tried some of the recipes sent in by some of the writers. The lunch cake is splendid, so is the bread baked by a "Kitchen Farmerette." Now, Miss Grey, here is a question: Do you know if the widows of soldiers and sailors (who have died in Canada) receive a pension? I think they should, but at some say they are not, and others say they do not. I thought perhaps you would know.

Best wishes to all for 1919.

MELBA.

Ans.—It appears to be rather a tangled question, but so far as I can ascertain by studying the articles of the committee of repatriation, these widows receive not a pension, but a gratuity. Is that clear?

Princess Pat's Furs.

Dear Miss Grey—I was just sitting here thinking, so I picked up the pen and wrote some of my thoughts. No Lady Borden thinks Princess Pat should have a set of furs. Well, well! How some people like to make themselves famous by giving something to someone who has more than is good for them. What did Princess Pat ever do for Canada? I would like to know that the people of Canada should send her a set of furs? The only thing I ever saw any such do to ride around the country in a special train on a big dowry and show them-

For Luncheon or Baking

"Spreads Like Butter"

Ingersoll Cream Cheese

Canadian Lard (Edmonton)—You ask for a stocking-foot pattern and crochet lace pattern. Send neither stamp nor envelope. Please consider this a broad hint.

Orange Blossoms—What a terrible thing to happen to you, my heart aches to think of it. You really ought to have laid advice for the lady's sake if not your own. It would never do to have him half-grown and then have to change; better far to get it right at once. A lawyer will tell you just what to do.

Beth from Down East—Thank you for design enclosed for "Newcomer." I have forwarded it to her.

Advertiser Patterns

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A YOUTHFUL DRESS.

2682—This could be made up at attractively in color castor velvet, with green for collar and cuffs. Its distinctive feature is the plastron, which could be embellished with a touch of velvet, or of blue or white material. Width of skirt at lower edge is about 134 yds.

The pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 14, 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 16 will require 2 1/2 yards of 24-in. material. Width of skirt at lower edge is about 134 yds.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

Name

Town

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Age of child's or miss's pattern)

Measurement: Bust..... Waist.....

Caution: Be careful to measure the bust and waist, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is sent, you need only mark 34, 36, or whatever it may be. When it may be, if a skirt, give waist and length measure. When miss's or child's pattern, give only the size and age, sending the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "yards." Patterns cannot reach you in better than a week from the date of application.

Then set the pan in another pan of hot water and let it get warm, they would have better luck. Try going over your patterned ceilings with blue water before painting them, and also carpets, and you will be pleased with it, as gives them a decent finish, so it will not take so much paint.

Ans.—It is a real pleasure to forward the clippings enclosed to "Mrs. All Trades" and others for whom they were intended.

Wants To Exchange.

Dear Miss Grey—Have you found that recitation tree yet? If you have, please a few for me, as I too, have been looking for one. I would like to have "Empty Head" and I could exchange. I noticed that "Sweet Sixteen" wanted a "Country Lass." You may forward my address to her. I am trying to be a little assistance to you, so the returned men and women, and I hope that they are the same as yours. P. S.—I would also like to exchange some recitations with "Country Lass."

—L.

Ans.—Blessings on that "Curly Head" for those patterns. They helped me out considerably on a busy day.

It's Much-Prized.

Dear Miss Grey—I am sending a small, but very different, pattern I would like some different crochets. I would like some different crochets. I would like some different crochets.

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NATIONAL EXECUTIVE REPORT SUBMITTED BY MRS. G. WRIGHT

Local Council of Women Takes Action on Mothers' Pensions, Immigration and Soldiers' Preference.

The Local Council of Women met yesterday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. building, Mrs. H. A. Broomer occupying the chair. The main object of the meeting was to hear Mrs. Gordon Wright give her report of the national executive meeting held at Kingston last month. In this report, most ably given, she dealt at length on the subject of the clearing of Lady Aberdeen. "It was one of the most serious and momentous executives ever held," she declared. "And we all rejoiced that God worked in such a marvelous way that both Lord and Lady Aberdeen should be cleared."

Mrs. Wright also made mention of the action taken by the national executive on the much discussed question as to whether the Canadian council should include representatives from enemy countries. It was felt that as the international council had received no communication from the women of enemy countries since the beginning of the war, and would accordingly not ask them to attend the next international council, there was no reason why the Canadian council should sever its connection with the international. The hope was also expressed that the O. C. D. E. would see fit to come into affiliation with the national council once more.

Three new organizations were proposed and accepted for affiliation with the national council. These were a new branch of the United Fruit Growers, and the Canadian branch of the International Order of Allied Mothers in Sacrifice, an outgrowth of the Associated Kin.

A resolution asking the Government to grant mothers' pensions was sent forward to the Government by the executive. It was also suggested that the women throughout Canada have a clean-up week, as a sort of fire protection.

Some interesting statistics on reconstruction were brought up at the national executive by Mrs. Plimpton. On investigation she found that taking the statistics of 3,400 manufacturing concerns in Canada, there were 756 more women in employ since the signing of the armistice than previous to the war, which fact would show that women are not being thrown out of employment now that the war has ceased.

Mrs. Chennell Speaks.

Mrs. Chennell of Montreal, who is to speak at different associations throughout the city in a war stamp campaign, at the suggestion of the Government, was also present at yesterday's meeting, and made her introductory address. Mrs. Chennell explained that the Government aimed at raising \$50,000,000 in Canada by this means, all to be spent in the country for reconstruction work.

Several important matters came up at yesterday's meeting on which the council took action. One of these was a resolution memorializing the Government to grant mothers' pensions, which carried unanimously. Mrs. Keene of the Soldiers' Aid Commission pointed out how necessary were these pensions at the present time. "But we do not want them next year," she declared. "We want them this year."

Another resolution dealing with the immigration question, read as follows: "Approve of Restricted Immigration."

Another resolution was moved, to place on record their sympathy and approval of the Dominion Government's proposed action in the restriction of immigration to our country.

A companion resolution read: "Also that our returned soldiers be given in every case preference over all aliens in any position they are capable of filling. In cases of aliens, the same to take out of the country, and in cases of our returned soldiers, to be given preference in any position they are capable of filling. In cases of aliens, the same to take out of the country, and in cases of our returned soldiers, to be given preference in any position they are capable of filling."

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So, with every Red Cross branch throughout Military District Number One, please send your material as fast as possible into our hands for these poor people. We think we have a right to have the material, and we don't want to have to put it together. Let us all get to work on our own shelves, Scarves and sweaters, as well as socks, are greatly needed.

Until March 15.

We are given until March 15 to finish, and are asked to ship the product of our work about the middle of March. This is a very short time, and should be gathered together here at London headquarters some time before the end of the month. We have been granted an extension of time, but we don't want to have to put it together. Let us all get to work on our own shelves, Scarves and sweaters, as well as socks, are greatly needed.

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Yes, it is needed very badly. Not to ship overseas, but for use in the surgical department of our hospitals here. Please save all your old pieces, making them as big as possible, and send them to the local Red

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Remember How Big Your Dollar Seemed Last Dollar Day?

How it bought articles you never dreamed it would buy. Well, this year will be a repetition, only on a larger scale. More merchants have entered the Association and BIGGER and BETTER BARGAINS than ever will be offered. Truly, it will be a day of economizing for everyone. Be out early in the morning and make it a real holiday. Visit all the stores. See the wonderful displays of merchandise and buy all you can because it will be some months before another DOLLAR DAY will be put on in London again. The man or woman who did not participate in the DOLLAR DAY offerings last year was certainly disappointed when he or she learned of the bargains Mr. or Mrs. Neighbor brought home. Don't be the disappointed one this year. Get out with the crowds early and get in on the biggest buying and selling party this old town has ever seen.

If You Want To Economize Make DOLLAR DAY Your Buying Day

THE DOLLAR DAY MERCHANTS have been working on preliminaries of Dollar Day for some time and have everything in readiness for a "humdinger." Stocks have been sorted and in practically every store in the city thousands of dollars worth of every conceivable kind of merchandise will be on display, every article plainly marked with the official DOLLAR DAY PRICE TAG. Thursday will be a strenuous day for the merchants, and you can do your part and help the merchants considerably by getting out early to do your buying.

O, Listen to the Band! Gee, the Music's Grand!

All day long the huge band of the C. G. R. will be on duty through the streets of the city. The merchants want to make this a banner day for London and in order that everyone may enjoy themselves have arranged for the band all day Thursday. It will parade the streets of the city playing all the latest popular airs.

All Roads Lead to London Dollar Day!

There are many trains coming into the city on the Grand Trunk, the C. P. R. and the Electric Line, and there are many leaving the city during the afternoon and evening, which will give visitors from cities and towns in Western Ontario an opportunity to come into London in the morning, make their purchases, pay a visit to a theatre and get home early in the evening.

Farmers with rigs and automobiles will find plenty of room to put up their horses and park their automobiles throughout the city. Last year thousands of visitors came to London for Dollar Day. This year a record-breaking crowd is expected.

Tell Your Neighbor About Dollar Day and Bring Him With You for the Fun!

Where To Buy Dollar Day Goods

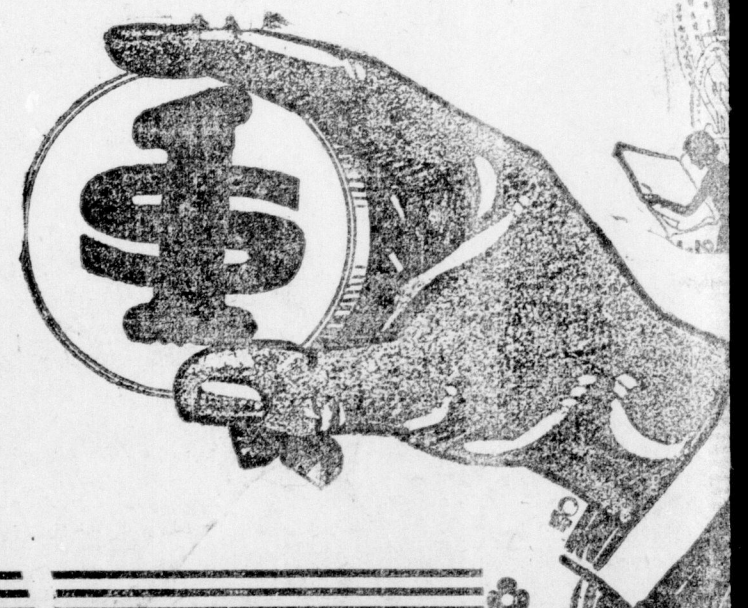
Every merchant who is interested in Dollar Day and who has Real Dollar Day Bargains to offer will have the official Window Sign in Red and the official Price Tags.

Do not buy where these are not displayed because any merchant who does not show them is not a member of the Dollar Day Association.

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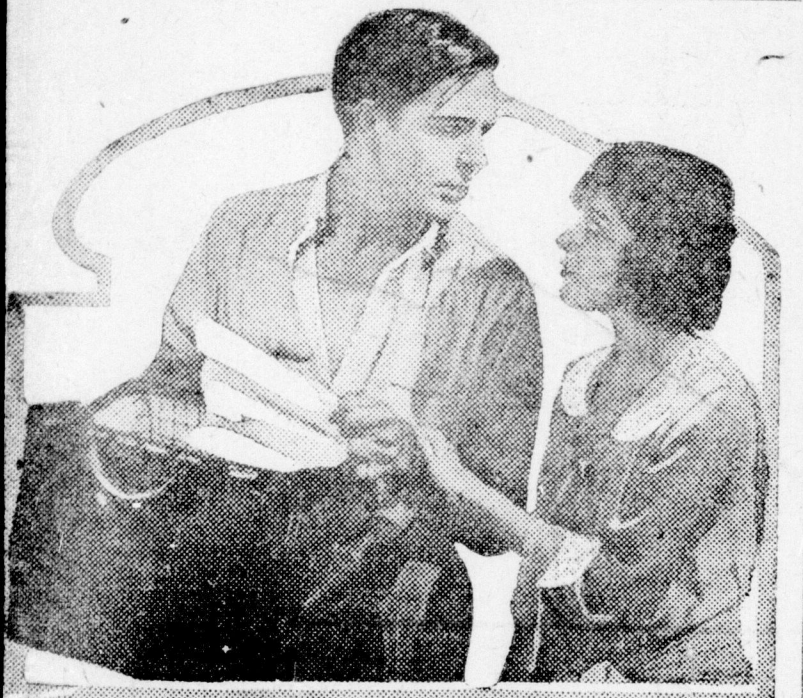
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FAVERSHAM IN "SILVER KING," WALLACE REID IN "THE DUB," ALICE GRAVES IN VAUDEVILLE FEATURES OF MAJESTIC BILL

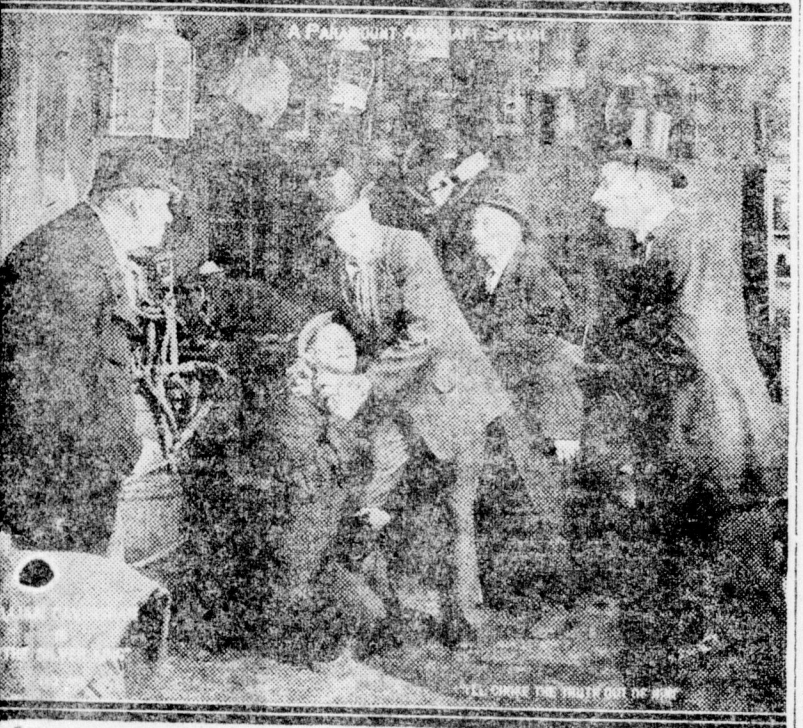
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Princess Pats' at Majestic in Pictures Today.
Shown in the pictures of the "Famous Canadian Regiments in France" today at the Majestic is a number of views of the famous Princess Pats, that gallant body of Canadian soldiers who wrote the name of Canada not only in the history of the great war, but in the hearts of the people. Many Londoners will have an opportunity of seeing their soldiers' faces who belonged to this famous



Discovery of the hidden papers
WALLACE REID in "The Dub"
A Paramount Picture

AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

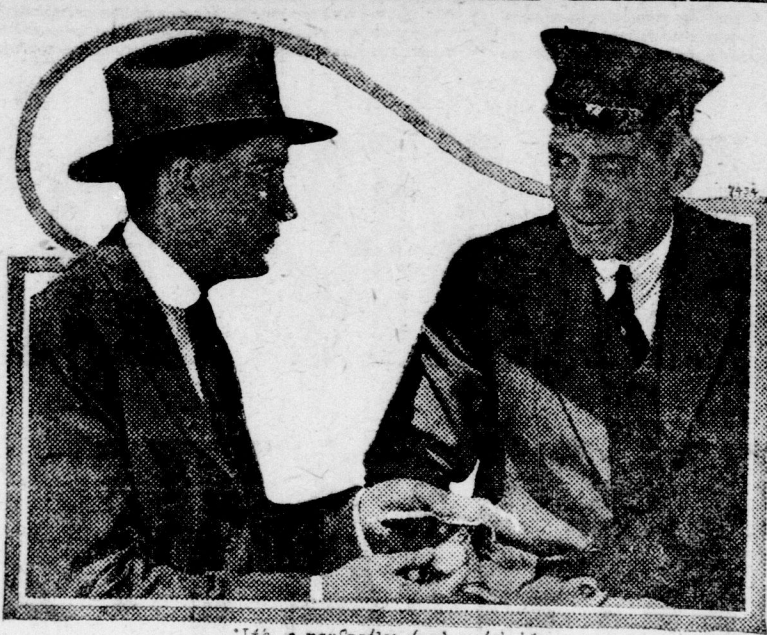


Scene from the Paramount Artcraft Special of William Faversham in "The Silver King," the great film spectacle, shown at the Majestic Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, next week.



"Will you take a note—or a ring from me?"
VIVIAN MARTIN in "Jane Goes A-Wooing"
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At the Majestic today. An entertaining photoplay, with lots of action.

At the Majestic

TODAY—Charlie Chaplin and Roscoe Arbuckle, in "The Puggist"; Bryant Washburn, in "The Way of a Man With a Maid"; Pictures of Toronto Regiment (3rd Infantry Battalion).

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Wallace Reid, in "The Dub"; Harold Lloyd, in "Love's Young Scream"; travelogue, Comedies, British News Films.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY—William Faversham, in an Artcraft Special, "The Silver King"; Montgomery Flagg's Comedy, "Tell That to the Marines."

NEXT SATURDAY ONLY—Vivian Martin, in "Jane Goes A-Wooing"; Pictures of Famous Canadian Regiments in France.

ALL NEXT WEEK—Miss Alice Graves Singing in Her New Vaudeville Song Revue.

ture, were delighted by his whimsical characterization of a clerk working for a small salary, in this charming narrative by Ida M. Evans.
The story of "The Way of a Man With a Maid" deals with Arthur McArney, a notions clerk who has a hard time of it living the life of a man about town on a salary of \$21 a week. He meets Elsa Ovenson, a pretty stenographer and of course, loves her. His rival is Sankey, a wealthy broker, whose prodigality makes McArney look like a piker in Elsa's eyes.
He has trouble in keeping up his end of the contest for Elsa's hand, and his taxi and restaurant bills appear staggering to him and even to his rival. How he wins his sweetheart's hand is shown in this entertaining photoplay.

Charlie Chaplin Knocks Out "Fatty" Arbuckle at the Majestic Today.

Charlie Chaplin and "Fatty" Arbuckle are appearing at the Majestic Theatre today in "The Puggist." Charlie, with his accustomed moustache, swaggy stick and peanut hat invades the ring, and although no heavyweight champion, manages to create quite a bit of trouble for his opponent, to say nothing of the audience, and everybody else into. However, he is able to wiggle out of trouble as a fish wiggles off a hook, the one complication being that he seems to always wiggle into a greater trouble, sort of out of the trying pan into the fire. But somehow or other Charlie seems always to come out the victor, much to the fun of the audiences, and to the greater consternation of his enemies.

Wallace Reid in "The Dub" at the Majestic Next Monday and Tuesday.

The physical strength of Wallace Reid is well known. This young actor is splendidly set up, and his entire physique is a study in itself. He is always in excellent shape for a tussle. But his fine restraint and mental strength are no less important, and both phases of him are exhibited at their best in "The Dub," his next Paramount picture, which will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday. In that story he plays a young man



MISS ALICE GRAVES, who will sing at the Majestic Theatre all next week. Miss Graves introduces a special vaudeville song revue.

whom several men think a dub and a coward. He is sent on a dangerous mission and he carries it out showing throughout the character of a man of splendid courage in the face of difficulties which is Mr. Reid's natural heritage.
In real life Mr. Reid has met difficulties in the same way that he does in this picture, surmounting them with the same determination. He has been newspaper reporter, survivor, cow-puncher, writer and director, and always his quick thinking and courage have been his greatest assets. Nina Byron is his leading woman.

William Faversham in "The Silver King," Showing at the Majestic on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday Next.

After holding the stage in England and this country for more than thirty years, "The Silver King," the famous melodrama of English life, written by Henry Arthur Jones and Henry Herman, has been pictured with William Faversham in the stellar role, and this great Paramount-Artcraft special picture will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.
"The Silver King" deals with the adventures of Wilfred Denver, an English country squire, who is ruined by a supposed friend in revenge for cutting him out in the affection of a beautiful girl whom Denver marries. Years later, Ware induces Denver to bet all he owned upon a Derby race, the result being that he is impoverished. When Denver hears Ware, plotting over the success of his scheme, he goes to the latter's house at night with the intention to kill him, but Ware instead is slain by the leader of a band of robbers.
Denver is suspected of the crime, but he evades arrest by fleeing to this country and he amasses a fortune as a western mining camp. His wife and friends, as well as the police, believe him to have been killed in a railway accident and when he reappears in England under an assumed name, exciting events ensue. Denver's innocence of murder is established and he is reunited with his family.
Mr. Faversham is supported by Barbara Castleton.



CHARLIE CHAPLIN at the Majestic Theatre today in his greatest, two-reel comedy, "The Puggist." To see Charlie give "Fatty" Arbuckle the knockout is worthy the price of admission alone.

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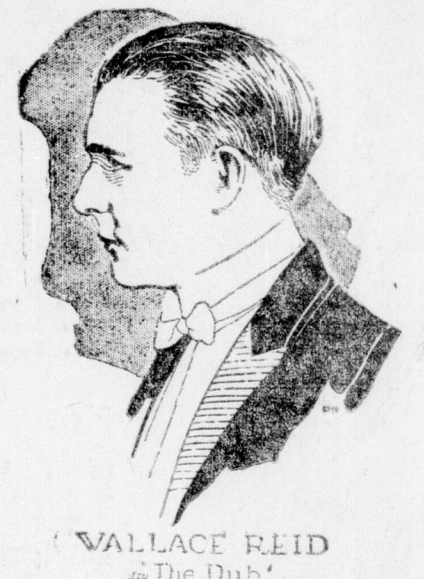
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para Castleton, who plays opposite to him; Washburn Gamble, John Sutherland and other well known players.
"Tell That to the Marines," a James Montgomery Flagg Comedy.
Filled with speedy action and teaching a salutary lesson to pacifists, "Tell That to the Marines," the third Paramount-Flagg comedy, starring Olin Howland and Beatrice Tremaine, will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.
Everybody will recall the superb Flagg poster known as "Tell That to the Marines," which has done so much to inspire patriotism among the young men of the country in the last few months. The man with the prognathous jaw who is peeling off his coat and getting ready for action, is a familiar figure in every city and hamlet in the United States. Mr. Flagg's new comedy is based upon the idea conveyed by this picture and it is a powerful stimulus to patriotism in these stirring days.

Miss Alice Graves at the Majestic All Next Week.

Miss Alice Graves, the young lady who made such a happy impression on Londoners a week or so ago in Mr.

Meredith's society show, has been engaged by the management of the Majestic to sing at that popular theatre all next week in her new vaudeville song revue. Miss Graves is popular on the musical comedy stage in the United States, and her charming voice and the new songs will be certain to again delight theatre goers of this city.

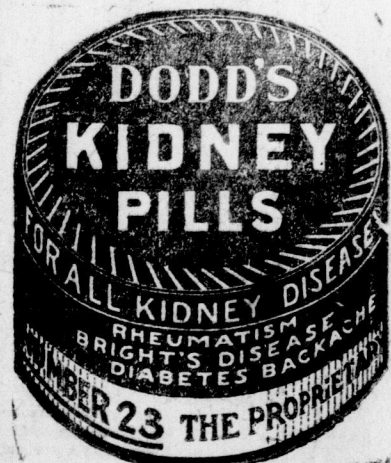
Vivian Martin at the Majestic Next Saturday in "Jane Goes A-Wooing."

Presented at the Majestic next Saturday only will be Vivian Martin's latest picture "Jane Goes A-Wooing." Supporting Miss Martin will be Niles Welsh and Casson Ferguson. It is one of the most delightful of the new Paramount comedy features, and pictures the trouble of a pretty little stenographer, who cannot make up her mind which to marry, the poor man or the right man. The others in the cast besides these three stars are Spottiswood Aitkin, Helen Dunbar, Herbert Standing and a cute pair of twins, the McKenzie kids. Jane had a splendid bit of philosophy, "If you want a thing hard enough and go after it hard enough, you will get it," she said, and the poor man heard her, and he did, and he got her.

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William S. Hart in "Breed of Men."
Enid Bennett in "Happy Though Married."
Dorothy Gish in "Boots."
Henry B. Walthall in "Tense Faces."
Marguerite Clark in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."
Ethel Clayton in "Maggie Pepper."
Artcraft Special, "Private Pest."
Bryant Washburn in "Venus in the

East."
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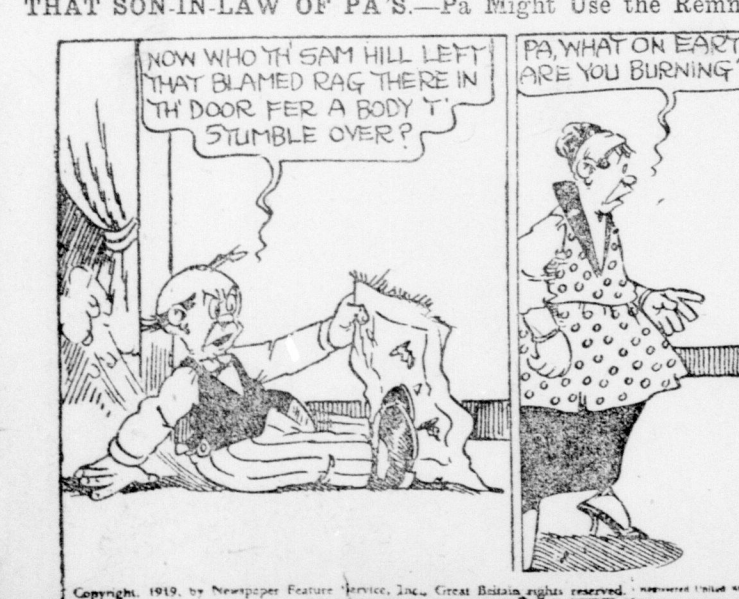
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TO BE HELD
Tuesday, Feb. 11th, at 4:15, in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium,
WELLINGTON STREET.

SPEAKER—MRS. ADA CHENNEL
SUBJECT—Thrift and War Savings Stamps.

MUSICAL PROGRAM.
BRING YOUR FRIENDS, AS THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING.
At the next meeting of the Club, February 14, Prof. G. C. Selley of the University of Wisconsin, will speak on "Education After the War."

MISS GRACE BLACKBURN, President.
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THE RIGHT REV. M. F. FALLON, D.D., will preach in St. Peter's Cathedral tomorrow evening. His subject will be "The Bible and the Blessed Virgin Mary." Visitors will be entirely welcome.

GOOD TEMPLARS ARE SPECIALLY
invited to hear Bengough at the First Congregational Church Sunday evening.

INDEPENDENT LABOR PARTY—Rooms, 380 Richmond Street. Public educational meeting, Sunday, Feb. 10, 10 o'clock. For discussion, "Labor's Lessons From the War" and "Labor's Interest in Street Car Service" at Cost." Everybody invited.

Tractor Course
Farm power, including tractors and gasoline engines. A two-day course of instruction at the Tecumseh House, February 10, at 1:30 and 8 p.m.; February 11, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED

BORN.
ISAAC—To Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Isaac, 675 Corns street, on Friday, February 7, 1919, a daughter, Ruth Virginia.

MARRIED.
MERCEUR—HUNTER—On Saturday, Feb. 1, 1919, by Rev. C. E. Embley, chaplain, Veda Ray Hunter, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunter of Delaware, Ontario, and Thomas Mercer of London, Ont.

DIED.
BUTTERY—On Saturday, Feb. 8, 1919, in St. Joseph's Hospital, Henry Ed- win Buttery, eldest son of the late Henry Edwin Buttery.

FRANK—At the residence of her nephew, Mr. Richard Frank, 269 Thompson Avenue, on Saturday, Feb. 8, 1919, Elizabeth Emma Frank in her 79th year.

FUNERAL—On Monday, Feb. 10, from the home address at 230, Service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

HANDFORD—At Ingersoll, on Thursday, Feb. 6, 1919, Thomas E. Handford, in his 66th year.

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WAGH—At 111 Hamilton road, Elizabeth Ellen Wagh, widow of the late J. W. Wagh, and youngest daughter of the late Richard Hillson.

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Considerable anxiety was caused her relatives last night by the disappearance of Mrs. Trafford from her home, 125 Elmwood avenue. Mrs. Trafford, who is advanced in years, was missed about 7 o'clock, and the police were notified to look for her.

Shortly after midnight she was found near the kennels by Major Frank Spence, of the district military headquarters, and was brought to the police station, so that her home address might be learned. From there she was taken to her home.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

THE VIRGIN MARY.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I see Bishop Fallon has a long letter in The Advertiser of the 5th inst. on the Immaculate Conception. I do not see that it makes any difference to any person whether the Virgin Mary was tainted with original sin or not. Sufficient for us to know, she was the mother of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, and Saviour of mankind, and that she was a good woman, who would not have chosen her to be the mother of Jesus. But prayers to the Virgin Mary are of no avail; they will save no one. There is only one mediator between God and man, Jesus Christ. His is the only name given in heaven or on earth whereby we must be saved. When Jesus was told his mother was waiting to speak to him, he said, "Who is my mother? Those who do the will of my Father who is in heaven, the same is my mother and my sister and brother." So you will see, Jesus did not tell his mother before other women who did the will of his Father. The bishop tries to make the public believe the Roman Catholic Church was founded at the time of the apostles, for the name he mentions, who lived in the early centuries. But I think he should study his history a little better, and he will find Rome was pagan, but Paul, one of the apostles, preached Christianity in Rome and other places before he was put to death. As for Peter, on whom the Roman Catholic Church is built, I question very much if ever he was in Rome, as he was an apostle to the Jews, not to the Gentiles.

It was not until the time of Constantine that the Roman Catholic Church was founded, in the fourth century, and as there were great wars among his subjects, the early Christians and the pagans, he made a compromise religion, part Christian and part pagan, which has continued to be till this day. As the pagans were idolaters, I suppose in order to please them the Second Commandment of the Decalogue was expunged from the Douay Bible. Yours respectfully, R. B. SCOTT.

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CANADA LIFE MEN

REPORT PROSPECTS OF

COMING YEAR BRIGHT

Eighteen leading representatives of the Canada Life Assurance Company throughout Western Ontario met in conference in this city Friday and reports presented at the meeting indicated a bright outlook for business during the coming year.

A. G. Ramsay, assistant superintendent of the company, Toronto, addressed the meeting, dealing with the upbuilding of business and the wonderful opportunities before the insurance men today.

The conference terminated with a luncheon at the Tecumseh House, which proved most enjoyable.

ENGINEERS' MINSTRELS

SCORE SUCCESS AT CAMP

The Y. M. C. A. hut was crowded to capacity on Friday evening at Carling Heights, when the Engineers staged a concert in the form of a minstrel show. This is the second of seven competitive concerts for a handsome shield to be awarded by the Y. M. C. A.

As the curtain went up, the troupe received a great ovation from the audience. About a dozen gentlemen, all Engineers, with real curly wigs, black lips and playing guitars, sang first, the famous "Swing Upon the Swallow River." Each was in a dress suit with white gloves, and wore a huge red rose in his buttonhole.

Jokes of the "down south niggers" were told the audience in real nigger language, evoking screams of laughter. One of the colored gentlemen claimed to be Irish and said that he never felt homesick for Ireland while Gen. Shannon was around; it was as good to have a chat with him as to sit by the River Shannon.

"Ring Out Sweet Bells of Peace," sung by the entire chorus, was especially well rendered. A contralto, also member of the Engineers, delighted the audience with some clever tricks and added greatly to the variety of the program. For a closing number, with lights turned low, minstrels sang "Goodnight Ladies," and were compelled to respond to an encore.

The hut was prettily decorated with bunting and flags of the Allies for the occasion and the stage was attractively lighted with myriads of little colored lights. The judges of the various contests to be given are Miss Minnie Ramsay, Mrs. Alice Henderson and Col. Ramsay.

H. D. S. A. STAGED FINE

CONCERT LAST NIGHT

A grand benefit concert was staged by the Honorable Discharged Soldiers' Association in Duffield Hall last evening. Some excellent talent participated.

A selected song by Mrs. Frost (soprano), late of Guelph, was greatly applauded. The Scotch dancing and singing by Miss Ruth Fitzgerald and Carl Barclay were the features of the evening. The audience seemed to enjoy the chairman requesting that they be called to the platform again. Carl Barclay is the son of Carl Barclay.

Sergeant-Major Grant showed great ability in his piccolo solo. Miss Annie Barclay of Guelph, rendered a beautiful song called "Thoria." Pte. Walter Bellard, impersonator, amused with his comic songs and recitations. Mr. Carter's comic songs took well. Pte. S. H. Chapman, whistler, was also on the program and gave those present a taste of some real whistling. Ex-Cadet A. F. G. Stead rendered a violin solo, which was one of the musical features of the evening. Miss Draper, Miss Chelon and Miss Ruth Fitzgerald made up the piano solos. Other singers were James R. Haslett, Miss H. S. Esdall, Miss Conover, Miss Allen, Mrs. Ferguson and E. Crawford.

Those who acted as accompanists were Miss C. Udy and Mrs. Flint.

After the concert a dance was put on in the dance hall in the Duffield Block as a slight change after the long but most enjoyable program.

POLICE HAVE NO RIGHT

TO COMPEL PEOPLE TO

OPEN SUSPICIOUS BAGS

Toronto, Feb. 7.—Police officials here admit they have no authority to compel people suspected of carrying liquor to open bags or go to a police station.

FAVORS GOLD EXCHANGE FUND.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Willington to undertake development of an international gold exchange fund to facilitate financial transactions between nations without actual shipment of gold was expressed today by the federal reserve board in its report for 1918. This arrangement would be similar to that now maintained by the board to settle balances between banks with the United States.

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Residence Entered While the Family Was Out.

Apparently all burglars have not large feet, for the person who entered the house of Fred Chambers, 151 Tecumseh avenue, while the occupants were out yesterday afternoon, chose a pair of 6½ brown shoes with needle soles as part of the spoils. A lady's gold watch on which was inscribed "Nellie Burnett," and a gold fob were also taken.

With a taste for jewelry, the intruder annexed a small diamond ring and a pair of cuff buttons, initialed F. W. C. A brown suit was also taken from the residence. Other small articles are missing.

While there is as yet no trace of the culprit, Detective Harry Down is working on the case and expects soon to capture the person or persons implicated.

LONDON MINISTER

ACCEPTS CALL TO

PETROLEA CHURCH

Rev. J. D. Richardson To Succeed Dr. R. W. Knowles in Methodist Pulpit.

Rev. J. D. Richardson, M.A., pastor of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church of this city, has accepted a call to the Petrolea Methodist Church, and will undertake his new duties there in July.

Mr. Richardson will succeed Rev. Dr. R. W. Knowles, who is going to take charge of the Devine Street Methodist Church, Sarnia.

Recently Rev. Mr. Richardson preached in Petrolea, and the call came to him unanimously as a result.

Before coming to London he held two important posts in the Montreal conference, having been four years at Cornwall and four years at Perth.

THREE AUTO ACCIDENTS

LEAD TO COURT CASES

Three auto accident cases were on the list of the first division court, which was held at the courthouse yesterday.

In the case of Norman J. Roberts and Mildred Roberts vs. J. C. Lamont, the jury gave a verdict for the defendant.

The case was the result of an accident, for which the plaintiff alleged the defendant was to blame. The plaintiff's claim was for \$600.

Just gave a judgment for the defendant, with costs.

Another auto accident case, that of A. E. Miller vs. William McDowell, was non-suited. Both parties were of the opinion that the other was to blame for the accident.

In the case of Higgins vs. Handysides, which was also the outcome of an auto accident, judgment was reserved.

The session of the court was a long one, continuing from 10 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the evening.

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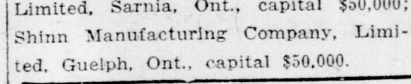
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