

FOOD PRICES IN OLD LONDON ARE ONCE MORE SOARING

Millions of the British Capital Are Threatened With Famine Level Rates and Consternation Reigns Following Strike of the Transport Workers.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

London, May 23.—Once more London's millions are threatened with an immediate rise in food prices to famine level because certain sections of workers want more pay. One hundred thousand transport workers are on strike; the whole trade of the port of London, where 120 ships are lying at anchor, is at a standstill and prices

of provisions have already begun to soar. The food question, indeed, is the gravest feature of the situation, and consternation reigns at the chief markets. The immense markets in Smithfield are remaining open all of them, but the strike is fully operative. If the strike lasts any length of time the famine is bound to be much more acute than last year.

PICKPOCKET HAD HIS NERVE; TRIED TO ROB A POLICEMAN

Officer in Plain Clothes Was Warned and Captured the Alleged Thief.

A man giving the name of Thomas Francis ran foul of a snaf at the Grand Trunk depot yesterday afternoon, when, it is alleged, he attempted to pick the pocket of Policeman Alex. Ewen, who was in the act of assisting a lady friend into a coach on the 2:05 westbound train. Ewen being off duty at the time was in plain clothes.

Francis was taken into custody after a rather exciting chase, and is now at the Carling street station, charged with pocket-picking. Two other men who were operating with Francis made good their escape, although the officer at first had all three crowded into the narrow passageway in the coach.

It is thought that Francis is one of a party of men from the other side of the border, who came across to work on the trains in the holiday excursion crowds. The prisoner claims that his home is in Toronto, but Dayton, Ohio, car tickets were found in his possession.

He is a man of 40, is stout, weighs 220 pounds, stands six feet tall, although stooped, is clean shaven, and has a dark complexion.

A Warm Battle.

According to those who witnessed the affair, Ewen first became aware of the operations of the men when a man who was standing near by "tipped" him that his pocket was being picked. Jumping about quickly he showed the three alleged thieves his police officer's badge, whereupon they bolted from the car and made off.

Francis proved less fit for the sprint than the others, and was taken into custody in the premises of the Cook-Fitzgerald Company. While awaiting the arrival of the patrol with his man at the corner of Richmond and Bathurst streets, one of the pair who had escaped returned, but was not recognized by Ewen. As the pickpocket passed, however, he swung suddenly and struck the officer in the face, causing the blood to flow freely from his nose. The man then made off, but Ewen, with the assistance of others, managed to retain his hold on his prisoner.

The men, it is alleged, operated in the same manner in the narrow passage beside the smoking department as did Harry Davis, the little Hebrew who a few weeks ago was arrested in the act of "dipping" into the pocket of a Winnipeg man.

He is a man of 40, is stout, weighs 220 pounds, stands six feet tall, although stooped, is clean shaven, and has a dark complexion.

TODAY IN LONDON.

Baseball, Tecumseh Park, 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.
Aviation meet, Queen's Park, 2:30 p.m.
Opening Elmwood Bowling Club, 2:30 and 7:30.
Forest City Quilting Club, annual match, 2:30 p.m.
London Bowling Club, 9:30 draw, and 2:00 draw.
Mildred and Roulere at the Grand Opera House, matinee and night.
East End League, morning game.
Thistle Bowling Club, games morning and afternoon.
National Council of Women, Normal School.

CADETS WILL TRAIN AT GODERICH CAMP

Boys of the First Division Will Be Under Colonel Hodgins.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 23.—The camp of the cadets of the second division will open at Niagara-on-the-Lake on July 6. It is expected that upwards of two thousand boys will attend from the counties which are under Brigadier-General Gordon's command. Colonel the Hon. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, interviewed here tonight, stated that all the details for the camps would be left entirely to the divisional officers. The cadets will undergo training very similar to that of the militia corps, but modified considerably, as the boys could hardly be expected to stand the same amount of work which the militia corps have to perform. Musketry will take an important place in the instruction which is to be given to the boys.

The boys will range in age from 12 to 18, those under 16 and over senior cadets. There will be slight variations in the nature of the training to be undergone by each class. The camp of the first division under Col. Hodgins, probably will be held at Goderich, while that of the third division will be at Kingston.

SENTENCED TO DEATH

Extreme Penalty For American Who Killed Fellow Countryman in Mexico.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Mexico City, May 23.—Lawrence O'Brien was today sentenced to death for the murder of a young man of Dr. Hal. P. Clark, an American dentist. The murder was the outcome of a quarrel between the two men in the dentist's office. Both men had lived here for several years. Dr. Clark was a native of Cairo, Ill., and was a graduate of the Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons.

ANXIOUS FOR PEACE

Havana, May 23.—A report has reached here that General Evaristo Estévez and General Ivolet, leaders of the insurgent negroes, have sent emissaries to the camp of the commander of the Government troops near Guaniamano, to treat for terms of peace.

The Cuban Government is confident that it has the situation fully in hand, and is determined not to accept anything less than an immediate and unconditional surrender.

MEX. FEDERALS WIN DECISIVE BATTLE

Losses Heavy On Both Sides After Twenty-Four Hour Fight.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

El Paso, Texas, May 23.—A great and decisive battle, believed to mark the turning point in the Mexican revolution, has brought victory to the Federal forces after twenty-four hours constant battle in and around the village of Rellano, Mexico.

The losses have been heavy on both sides, but figures of the dead and wounded are only speculative at this hour. The Government, under General Huerta, had 4,000 men in the engagement. But they were outnumbered by the rebel army under General Oroco, who kept 5,000 men in action. Both generals directed the opposing forces in person, and General Oroco was frequently under fire from the long range artillery of the Federal forces. His lieutenants pleaded with him time and again to retire to safer ground.

Tonight the federal cavalry is pursuing the fleeing rebels north of Rellano. The rebels made a stand at Corralitas, 14 miles away, but a flank movement expected by the Federals caused them to retire a few miles.

ONTARIO WEST GIRLS PASS AS NURSES

St. Thomas and Tilsonburg Ladies Graduate From John Hopkins Hospital.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Baltimore, May 23.—Surrounded by scores of relatives and friends, 37 young women, who for three years had been students in the nurses' training schools of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, were given their diplomas this afternoon in the psychological building of the institution.

In the list of graduates were Misses Jessie Groves of St. Catharines; Alberta Myers of Peterboro; Winifred E. Robinson of St. Thomas; Rosalind M. Shantz of Preston; and Nellie Wilkins of Tilsonburg.

The scholarship was awarded to Miss Miriam A. Ames, of Toronto.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TESTS

Three Events Are Scheduled For This Morning.

Ald. Ashplant, acting chairman of No. 3 committee, has arranged for three tests for the fire department today.

The purpose of the tests is to try out the new hose equipment recently purchased. Among the different articles are: One turret nozzle, capable of throwing 1,100 gallons a minute; to be attached to the hose wagon; 4 ordinary hose each, and a nozzle for the aerial truck, recently ordered, capable of throwing 800 gallons of water a minute.

"With this new apparatus, and the aerial truck and combination hose wagon, the fire department will be well equipped for some time to come," declared Ald. Ashplant.



MISS CARRIE M. DERICK, Assistant Professor of Botany in McGill University, Montreal, who is a delegate to the convention of the National Council of Women.

STRONG EVIDENCE FOR PHYSICIAN

A Witness at Bad Axe Trial Shows Prosecution Inferences Astray.

MRS. SPARLING'S BANKING

Cashier Testifies That She Gave But One Note to Doctor and That in 1909.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Bad Axe, Mich., May 23.—At the Sparling case this afternoon, the defence again scored strongly when evidence was introduced, tending to clear up many of the transactions from which the prosecution had drawn inferences unfavorable to the accused.

Darley Leach, cashier of the Uby Bank, where both Dr. MacGregor and Mrs. Sparling did their financial business, was the first witness for the defence during the afternoon. He testified that in the four years subsequent to the death of her husband, Mrs. Sparling's business at the bank had been mostly on the debit side of the ledger. During that time he said the bank had discounted more than a score of notes for the woman, the amounts which she was indebted to the bank at the various times totaling \$5,381.90. Of all the notes which Mrs. Sparling gave during that period, the bank had record of but one for \$38.50, which had been given to the doctor, that being early in 1909. The witnesses testified that the latter part of last year Mrs. Sparling gave a mortgage of \$1,250 to clear all her notes at the bank as well as some trading bills and undertaker bills.

Nurse Gibb's Movements.
That the nurse, to return to her home in Port Huron, was due to act on the part of Dr. MacGregor, was the testimony of Miss Myrtle Duglis, who took the notes and swore that the failure to catch the train was accidental. She said that she with several other friends, who were with a Miss Gibb, were desirous of seeing a wedding party away, and that they also missed the train. The doctor was not there at the time, she declared.

Lemuel Douglas, a chum of Seyrel Sparling, testified that he was to the Bad Axe with the doctor on the night of August 2, 1911. He said that Seyrel was ill on that trip. That was two days before the time the prosecution claims the arsenic was administered. David Wright, an uncle of Mrs. Sparling, was sworn for the defence, and stated that he had worked on the Sparling farm. He declared that Albert Sparling had fallen from a pick-up truck, and that before he died, and that Seyrel had also sustained injuries by running into a wagon during the year 1910.

That the case will go into June is the opinion of the attorneys, who, nevertheless, are hopeful that it may be concluded this month.

ARRESTED BY POLICE, ONCE LIVED IN LONDON

Four Alleged Women Pickpockets Gathered In By Toronto Police.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 23.—Four women, alleged pickpockets, said to be known to the police all over Canada and the United States, were arrested tonight by Detectives Tipton and Cronin on charges of vagrancy. They were Mrs. Sadie Seymour and Cecelia Parker, alias O'Brien, of Chicago; Mrs. Estelle Emerson, Cleveland; and Sarah Gorman, New York. The latter claims to have lived in London.

That they have accomplices, the police feel satisfied. The four women told the police that they had been in the city only a few hours, but declined to say anything concerning their mission to Toronto. A few days ago the police learned that a game of alleged pickpockets were crossing the border at Windsor, but before the authorities there had time to gather them in they had boarded trains for different eastern points.

THE WEATHER.

TODAY—MOSTLY FAIR.

Toronto, May 24.—The low pressure has been transferred to the northern portion of the continent. Local thunderstorms have occurred today from the Georgian Bay region to Quebec, and showers have occurred in many portions of the Maritime Provinces. In the Western Provinces the weather has been fine and warmer.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 55-82; Vancouver, 48-58; Kamloops, 50-75; Edmonton, 36-70; Calgary, 40-64; Prince Albert, 34-72; Qu'Appelle, 32-62; Minnedosa, 42-68; Port Arthur, 28-52; Pelly Sound, 52-78; Toronto, 44-52; Kingston, 52-64; Ottawa, 48-78; Montreal, 50-70; Quebec, 42-62; St. John, 50-70; Halifax, 30-53.

Today's Probab.
Western Ontario—Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds; thunderstorms in some localities, but for the most part fair and warm.

COUNCIL OF WOMEN DELEGATES ARRIVE FOR BIG CONVENTION

Many Ladies From Eastern Canada Reached the City Last Night.

A large delegation of visitors to the National Council of Women's annual meeting arrived in the city last night, coming from Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton, Halifax and other places. They included members of the executive board, and some of the main officials of the Council. The St. John delegates arrived on the 10:30 train, and others will reach London by various trains today and on Saturday.

Among those who kindly loaned their autos and carriages for the use of the delegates were Colonel Galtshore, George H. Belton, Dr. Westland, George M. Reid, Philip Pocock, and others.

Several members of the local council formed a reception committee, composed of Mrs. Yarker, Miss McMillan, Miss

Moore, Mrs. Donald McLean, Mrs. R. M. Graham, Mrs. Samuel Stevely, Mrs. Turnbull and Mrs. E. B. Smith.

Today's Programme.
Starting with the devotional exercises this morning at 9:30 in the Normal school, the day will be mainly occupied with meetings of various committees, and at night a reception will be tendered the delegates in the Normal school. Members of all societies affiliated with the local council are cordially invited to be present at this reception. Addresses of welcome will be given by Mayor Graham and Mrs. Boomer, president of the local council, to which Mrs. Bullock, of St. John, N. B., will reply on behalf of the visiting delegates. This will be an excellent opportunity for the guests and local women to become acquainted, and as the same interests are shared by practically all who will attend there should be no atmosphere of formality in the gathering, and a pleasant time is assured.

TITANIC DISASTER REPORT TO BE SWEEPING ARRAIGNMENT

Captain Smith, Ismay and the British Trade Board To Be Censured.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, D. C., May 23.—The Senate committee on commerce today considered the report on the Titanic disaster, which the committee will submit to the Senate next Tuesday. It will be a sweeping arraignment of the conditions under which the great vessel swept along through the iceberg area to her doom, with its immense loss of life.

It is understood the report will severely criticize Captain Smith, of the Titanic, as mainly responsible for the disaster because of failure to heed the warnings of swift vessels, the British Board of Trade for lax inspection, J. Bruce Ismay, who was a passenger, and will point to the lack of discipline in the time of danger. Captain Lord, of the Californian, will figure in the responsibility because of failure to take necessary steps when near the Titanic, whose rocket signals of distress were seen aboard the Californian. Congress will be asked to reward Captain Rostron, of the rescue ship Carpathia.

Titanic legislation will be pressed as the result of the conclusions announced.

THREE GODERICH HOTELMEN HAVE LICENSES CUT OFF

Political Spleen Alleged To Be Cause of This Action.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Goderich, Ont., May 23.—The license commissioners met this afternoon and cut off the Huron House, J. R. Reynolds; King Edward, Robert King; and the British Exchange, M. J. Farr. The latter was instrumental in having three men arrested.

In the investigation, wherein Chairman Patterson and Inspector Asquith were asked to resign. They have three months to sell out. Feeling is running high, as it is felt that a very unfair deal has been handed out to M. J. Farr, who has the nearest and best conducted farmers' house in town, and who would not condone crookedness. Political spleen is alleged by fair-minded citizens. All three men are Liberals.

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Report of Special Inquiry Into Immigration Problem Made Public.

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He makes suggestions as to an extensive propaganda in Britain and Europe, in view of the fact that Australia's competing propaganda last year attracted 65,000 settlers, against 32,000 in the previous year. If Canada, he says, were to spend as much per head of population for immigration as Australia is now doing, the cost would be over three and a half million, compared with a little over one million as present.

His criticism of the administration of the department under Hon. Frank Oliver is best described as mildly indefinite. He concludes by saying that he was not and is not an applicant for a Government position, and leaves the question of remuneration for his services to be decided on their value.

FIRE DISCOVERED IN NICK OF TIME

Threatened With Death by Industrial Workers, It Is Alleged.

[Canadian Press.]
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An incident that served to "put determination" into the Government officials to go to the bottom" as one of them expressed it, was the receipt of a note by Government Prosecutor Robinson threatening his life if he did not cease his activities.

"Stop your investigation into this case or you will turn up missing," the note said.

It was unsigned, and it was written on a piece of soap paper and shoved under the door of Mr. Robinson's office. A like note was received by Secret Service Detective Chas. Delacour, of San Diego

Warnings of the Ice.

London, May 23.—The White Star Company today delivered its reply before the Titanic board of inquiry to the assertion of the board of trade, supported by the evidence of the manager of the Marconi Company, that the Titanic was navigated in an oblong space in which, according to warnings sent out from several steamers, there was ice.

Counsel for the company recalled the officers of the Titanic to the witness stand, and all of them replying to a question said the only warning they could remember was that received from the Californian reporting ice north of their course.

The Solicitor-General, Sir John Simon, drew their attention to the fact that on their evidence in chief they had referred to warnings in the plural.

They replied that the other messages referred to a tank steamer, which was adrift in their track.

Sir John Simon also called attention to the fact that he was reported by the Californian on April 12, so that by the time the Titanic reached the position the ice would have drifted to the south.

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M'BRIDE ON WAY TO OTTAWA TO GET HIS POUND OF FLESH

Borden Government Placed in Embarrassing Position By B.C. Premier, Who Will Demand Pacific Coast Fleet and an Increased Subsidy.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., May 23.—Premier McBride is coming to Ottawa from England next month to collect his pound of flesh for delivering a solid Conservative contingent from his province last September. He wants two things: a Canadian naval unit with ship-building plant for the Pacific coast, and the fulfilment of his demands for better financial terms for British Columbia. Premier McBride's naval policy has been made pretty plain by the resolution he put through the provincial legislature at Victoria last session, and by his recent public statements in England. His insistence on a Canadian navy, at least for the Pacific coast, is proving even more embarrassing for the Government here than the opposition from the Quebec Ministerialists against embarking on any large naval schemes at all.

Holds Strong Hand.

In regard to the better financial terms sought by the Pacific Premier, it is very probable that he will get his demands. Ontario and Manitoba have served, and British Columbia is to come next. The case for increased subsidy is now being prepared, and Mr. Edward Goswell, an official of the British Columbia Government and ex-editor of the Victoria Colonist, is here getting the facts and documents in shape, and conferring with the justice and finance departments.

McBride will present his applications to Premier Borden as soon as he arrives from England.

HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE CERTIFICATES

Hon. Mr. Stratton a Witness at the Farmers' Bank Investigation.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 23.—Sir Wm. R. Meredith expects to conclude his commission of investigation into the Farmers' Bank by the middle of next month. The chief justice expressed his intention at the conclusion of today's sitting and intimated that the progress of the inquiry was being unnecessarily drawn out. He further suggested that the commission would visit Ottawa to take the evidence of Hon. W. S. Fielding. No reference, however, was made as to the prospective calling of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, Mr. Matthew Wilson, K. C., will be called on June 11.

Hon. J. R. Stratton was the principal witness today. He stated that he had nothing to do with getting the certificates for the Farmers' Bank—absolutely nothing. He had seen no member of Parliament nor anyone in the finance department. Moreover, he had not seen Travers nor anyone else connected with the organization of the bank.

NOT MUCH DANGER OF FURTHER SLIDE

A Big Section of Port Stanley Cliff Makes a Breakwater.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Port Stanley, May 23.—There is no immediate danger of a further landslide at Hillcrest. When a huge section of the hill, comprising hundreds of tons of earth, slid into the lake yesterday, it left a natural breakwater which will serve for some time to guard the new face of the cliff from undermining by the waves. Yesterday, however, the water was melting into the lake, and it will not be long before it has disappeared under the water. The new cliff face is now just up to the base of the bluff, which formerly stood in the centre of the hill.

The path leading around the base of the hill to the cottages on the east side is strictly obliterated, and it is necessary to climb the cliffs in order to reach them. There is some talk among villagers of taking steps to prevent further encroachment by the waves on one of the resort's best known landmarks.

C. N. R. AT EXETER

Surveyors and Engineers Laying Out Line to Grand Bend.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Exeter, May 23.—A party of surveyors and engineers of the Canadian Northern Railway were through here today in connection with the new radial to be built through from Stratford to Grand Bend. It was stated that work on the line will be rushed.

FALSE PRETENCES

Provincial Police Secure Conviction of Dr. Douglas.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, May 23.—Dr. Matheson Douglas will think some time before he speculates on his wits and the credulity of other people. He is now awaiting sentence at Cobourg under a conviction of false pretences. He was arrested last week by Inspector Boyd, of the provincial police, on a complaint made by Mr. Wm. Greve, a farmer a few miles out of Port Hope, one of a number of complaints that have come in during the past two years, and convicted today.

PRESIDENT DESCHANEL

Paris, May 23.—Paul Deschanel was this afternoon elected president of the French Chamber of Deputies.

JAPS AMBUSHED

Victoria, B. C., May 23.—Heavy losses by Japanese troops in Formosa occurred April 29 in a battle with natives, according to mail advices brought here by the steamer Awa Maru. Working toward a native camp, the Japanese forces were ambushed, and the commander, with many men, killed. Another detachment sent to Hak Ku, also was ambushed.

The Subsidy.

The claims of British Columbia for better preferential treatment have been outstanding since 1907, when Premier McBride, having failed to induce the conference of visiting premiers to agree to his demands, left the conference in anger, and carried his case to the foot of the throne. On recommendation of the other provincial premiers, the Laurier Government granted an extra \$100,000 of subsidy per year to British Columbia for a term of ten years. Premier McBride contends that this extra amount is not nearly enough to compensate the province for the disabilities under which it labors because of the geographical position; the abnormal cost of constructing roads and railways in the mountainous districts, etc. Moreover, he points out that the province, by reason of being shut out to a large extent by the barrier of the Rockies from selling its product to eastern Canada, is not on an equal footing with the other provinces, and contributes in customs revenue far more than it receives in return from the federal treasury. When in opposition, Mr. Borden, Mr. Foster and other members of the present Government practically committed themselves to a policy of more generous treatment for British Columbia, and criticized the late Government for not doing more than the last conference of provincial premiers was willing to grant.

ARTS EXAM. RESULTS AT THE WESTERN

Miss Faye Johnston Wins the Governor-General's Medal.

CONVOCATION NEXT WEEK

Students in Each Year Took a Very High Standing—Graduating Class Excellent.

The results of the examinations in the arts department of the Western University were made public last night. The students took a high standing in the large majority of the subjects, the graduating class doing particularly well. In all the years the results are very satisfactory.

In the following lists honor course students are arranged in order of merit in three classes—I, of 75 per cent and over; II, of 66; III, of 60. General course students appear in three grades. A, of 66 per cent and over; B, 50, and C, 40.

In the fourth year Miss Faye Johnston qualifies for the Governor-General's medal, hitherto annually awarded to the student standing highest in general proficiency.

In the second year Mr. Percy R. Pococke wins the U. A. Buchner medal for mathematics.

The announcement will be made tomorrow of the names of the winners of Mrs. Kerrigan's scholarship, and prizes given by members of the Alumni Association.

At the meeting of the university senate next Wednesday, the following will be recommended by the faculty: For the degree of B.A.—Kerwood Alexander, F. J. H. Campbell, A. D. Emory, H. W. Evans, Miss Faye Johnston, Mr. C. A. Redmond, Miss Irene Stockwell, Miss J. Weir, Rev. H. P. Westgate.

Convocation and conferring of degrees will take place next Wednesday evening at Western University.

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A new preceptory of the Royal Black Knights of Ireland, to be known as Inniskilling Preceptory, was organized on Wednesday evening in Aloughlin Orange Lodge, with the following officers: Worshipful preceptor, Sir Knight Harry J. Bennett; deputy preceptor, Sir Knight R. W. Sproule; chaplain, Sir Knight W. B. Walker; registrar, Sir Knight Jas. F. Connolly; treasurer, Sir Knight Geo. Geoghegan; lecturers, Sir Knights D. J. Patterson and Grant; censors, Sir Knights McDevine and Fuldner; standard bearers, Sir Knights Crofts and Fox; pursuivant, Sir Knight Fred Pepper; sir knights of committee, Sir Knights Jas. Little, J. McKenzie, A. F. Mantle, and Leonard.

Grand Officer D. J. Patterson was the installing officer, and a large class of young men were initiated. A number of sir knights belonging to Covenant Preceptory, including Jos. Murray and Geo. Loney, were present and witnessed the impressive dedicatory ceremonies.

The Royal Black Degree was exemplified by Sir Knight D. J. Patterson. After the ceremonies, luncheon was tendered the visiting sir knights, and the balance of the evening was spent in music, song and speeches.

JUDGE ROBSON APPOINTED.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Winnipeg, May 23.—Judge Cumberland, having resigned as public utilities commissioner for Manitoba, owing to ill health, the Government today passed on order in council, appointing Judge Robson, of the King's to the position.

STREET LIGHTING WAS LAID OVER

Extension of Ornamental System Will Be Further Looked Into.

WEST LONDON BRIDGE

Matter Was Before No. 2 Committee Last Night, But Was Allowed to Remain Over.

The petition presented by the water commissioners for ornamental lighting on Dundas street, from Wellington to Egerton streets, was laid over by the board of works at its meeting last night.

General Manager Glaubitz submitted plans and specifications, with the request that definite action be taken at once. The members of the committee, however, thought that it would be better to allow the proposition to lay over until the street lighting rates are definitely settled.

"If the streets are lighted on one side only, it will make seven times the amount of light they have now," explained Chairman Robinson. "If both sides are lighted, it will mean fourteen times as much light. We had better allow the question to stand until the rates are finally settled."

This was agreeable to the rest of the committee. The death of Delaware, the old fire horse, was reported to the committee. For nearly twenty years Delaware was in the department, and did great service. However, old age got the better of him, and he was sent to the city engineer's department. He worked for a time there, but during the past year or so has been a pensioner. The other day he departed for the haven of rest set apart for horses. The death was fittingly referred to by the members of the committee.

The matter of obtaining the services of an expert to report on the West London breakwater was laid over until the next meeting.

Perhaps when the West Londoners hear the opinion of the city solicitor they will not be anxious to improve the breakwater," said Ald. Robinson. "He informed me that the council could not make any permanent changes to the present embankment without a vote of the ratepayers, or by local improvement. We can add to the breakwater as it stands now, with the present construction, but nothing further."

Ald. Coles thought the whole city should bear the cost of the work, as it would be an improvement to the whole city. The matter will be dealt with as soon as Mr. Meredith's opinion is forwarded to the city council.

A New Church. The congregation of Latter Day Saints asked for special permission to construct a church on Main street. As nothing specific was mentioned, it was decided to lay the matter over until the congregation explained what special favors were required.

Mr. Sam Turner asked for damages for several chickens killed by dogs. His claim was filed. Complaints were received regarding the switch being laid from the Pere Marquette tracks to the McClary Manufacturing Company. The matter

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Economy is cleverly coupled with beauty and ample materials in our magnificent display of summer merchandise, particularly in the ready-to-wear sections for men and women. So noticeable is this fact that in very many cases the price tags would seem to be wrongly placed. Visitors who come to town in view of doing some little shopping while here will find it a profitable pleasure at this store, and the items on this page today will point only to a few of the many places of interest which will help to make your trip to London a most profitable one. The sale of American-made Silk Dresses will continue Saturday. Many were sold yesterday, but there is no pick or choice here—the last dress in the lot will be equally as good as the first—it's only a matter of getting your size and choice of color or style. These Dresses are selling at \$9.75, which is fully a third less than their regular value. We have also a number of makers' models in Men's Two-Piece Summer Suits selling at \$12.75. SEE THESE SATURDAY.

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subject, standing second, Miss Ginsberg's essay showed an intimate knowledge of Canadian history, and which showed considerable talent. Mrs. Bapty, Mrs. Leonard, and Miss Bullen, all members of the Women's Canadian Club, attended the exercises and made the awards, each giving a short address. A pretty feature was the presentation of a huge bouquet of

pale pink carnations, the school colors, by Miss Marie Walsh, Mr. Wallis, principal of the school, also spoke briefly. All the lessons this morning were of a nature appropriate to Empire Day intermingled with the singing of national airs. The entire school marched around the grounds, and when the flag was hoisted sang "O, Canada," and the National Anthem, winding up with three hearty cheers for the King.

on "The Power of the Vote for Good or Evil," won the Canadian Club prize in Grade VII, while the prize in Grade VIII, was won by Evelyn Hayman, Mrs. Yarker spoke a few words in behalf of the Victorian Order of Nurses, a work in which the school has been much interested for several years. The amount given by the school towards this object for 1912 was \$28.20.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, MAY 22.

THE LATE MR. McPHERSON.

A letter addressed to John McPherson, Postmaster, Tracadie Road, Nova Scotia, is still undelivered, Mr. McPherson having died five years ago. The late Mr. McPherson is a well-known name in the history of the province. The letter, written by the Hon. Mr. Pelletier, postmaster-general, contained notice of his dismissal on the ground that he had been charged with offensive partisanship in the general and provincial elections last year. Whether a wife is justified in opening her husband's letters has been a delicate domestic problem in many households, but even those who hold strict views on the subject will admit that there are extenuating circumstances when the gentleman is in his grave. Besides, Mrs. McPherson has been the postmistress since her husband's demise, and the large blue envelope pointed to postoffice business.

The date of Mr. McPherson's death is a strong presumption of his innocence of the charge, but the question of guilt or innocence is not involved in these matters. Mr. Pelletier has established the precedent that the laying of a complaint is equivalent to dismissal. The late Mr. McPherson's inability to deny the accusation is, therefore, immaterial. The case is chiefly interesting not on his account, but on Mr. Pelletier's. The Postmaster-General, who has a reputation for versatility and ingenuity, has given us some new varieties of the spoils system. He invented the rule that a member of parliament may procure the dismissal of any postmaster by merely asking for it. The Hon. Dr. Reid was so taken by it that he applied it to the customs department. The Hon. Mr. Nantel also introduced it into the inland revenue service. But making it retroactive, so that it covers the quick and the dead, is Mr. Pelletier's most original contribution to public morality.

Mr. Borden has lately voiced once more his pious aspiration for civil service reform. The other day Mr. Foster, speaking in Toronto, groaned over what he called the "damnable" of the Government by the patronage brigade. It is scarcely just in Mr. Foster to chide "the boys" so furiously, when they have been invited by Mr. Pelletier to help themselves.

"WHAT IS CONSERVATISM?"

Lord Hugh Cecil has undertaken to answer this question, and to put the answer into a book. He is the most intellectual man in the British Conservative party, excepting Mr. Balfour. He is the only one of the late Lord Salisbury's five sons who has the family genius. His politics are high and rarefied, and ordinary people of earth who profess and call themselves Conservatives will be startled at one of his first postulates, that the present competitive system is un-Christian and must go.

This particular position, however, becomes less alarming as you read further. You find that Lord Hugh Cecil absolutely rejects all state machinery for the cure of the evils arising from the existing social order. The state's one function is to protect property as it is, to keep laws regarding property and taxation from being changed; while it is the function of the church, primarily a state church forsooth, to change the hearts of employers and owners and eliminate competition by charity. Love shall be lord and king. To Cecil the state is a mechanism that can do nothing for society. As soon expect water to rise above its level. Society must be regenerated through the transformation of the individuals who compose it, and the function of the Conservative party is, therefore, fundamentally religious. This last statement will be humorous to some of our practising Conservatives.

Why it should be easier or more desirable to transform society through its individuals than its individuals through society, i.e., to do the work by hand instead of by machinery, Lord Hugh Cecil does not show. Dean Inge recently observed that conditions of life are of no importance compared with the state of the individual's soul; it is the pig, he says, that makes the sty, not the sty the pig. Dean Inge and Lord Hugh Cecil see eye to eye on such matters. But the fallacy in Dean Inge's analogy lies in the fact that men are properly men, not some of them pigs and some of them lions; if, then, some of them have come to resemble pigs, it is the sties, the cruel, foul environment, that have done it in many cases. "Character," says Lord Hugh, "will transform the social system, but it takes something more vivifying than a social system to transform character." This is only a half-truth. While character reacts on the social system, the social system also reacts

on character. There would, of course, be no need of "social reform" or any legislative remedies if all the individual members of society acted up to the precepts of the Sermon on the Mount, but the world, even on Lord Hugh's showing, is a long way from that ideal condition.

The logical result of Lord Hugh Cecil's point of view—and to do him justice, he does not shrink from it—is that he opposes any humanitarian effort by the state, any attempt whatever to bring about by legislation a more equitable distribution of property. Superstitions on wealth, old age pensions, and all other state devices to ameliorate the lot of the "have-nots" at the expense of the "haves," come within his condemnation. He throws on the rich the duty of providing for the poor, as a matter of charity and conscience. The problem of poverty is no concern of the Government.

Every selfish interest will say amen to this teaching. However, Lord Hugh pretends to be very much in earnest about the regeneration of the world along "Conservative" lines, and perhaps he is, in his way. He says there are bad sides to the Conservative party, dislikes the sham democracy of some of his allies, condemns "tariff reform," but asks his readers to judge the Conservative party by its best. His book professes to show the best.

BASEBALL.

Holidays in this country, whatever their ostensible purport, become nowadays more and more consecrated to baseball. It is a good game for the players, and a good game to watch.

It is often questioned by citizens whether professional ball helps sport and the spirit of games. Many people will say even that there is more sport in a game played without any exact rules than in the serious legal battle of the diamond with its technical code. But while there are no doubt some drawbacks to professional sport, it must be admitted that our Anglo-Saxon genius is to take our pleasures sadly, even grimly. You see it even in the little boys, who study the rule books till they are baseball jockeys. We British like law, and we can't help respecting a professional with all his faults, if he has them.

When the absolute power of the umpire and the nervous strain under which the players work are considered, one may be surprised after all that professional baseball games are as orderly as they usually are. In spite of emptying opportunities, players conduct themselves in an honorable as well as law-abiding manner. In this respect the game no doubt keeps improving, and it is noticeable that the presiding officers of the various leagues are making greater efforts than ever this year to put down the slightest tendency to rowdiness or unsportsmanlike action.

When the hot-headed Tyrus Cobb, the Georgian wonder, so far forgot himself the other day as to attack an insulting "bleacherite," he was showing that such things cannot be permitted. It may be significant of a certain falling away from the law-abiding spirit in a part of the American people that a large majority of the attendance at the game in which the offence was committed are reported to have voted that Cobb was justified in such action. But while the bleacherite deserved punishment, a player of reputation scarcely needed to stoop half-way down to the vulgarian's level.

It is not on the whole regrettable that such characters frequent a ball game as necessitate a stronger police guard. The great thing about baseball is its universal appeal to all sorts of people, including the ladies.

It is the democratic game of America. It is free and easy, jovial in spirit, comprehensive. When a world's series is going on, you will see in front of bulletin boards every make and species of hat from a silk tie to the cap tied on top. It is the same at every game, and so it is in London, where crowds stay home on the holiday and go to the games who otherwise might have gone out of town. Baseball among games is like Dickens among the authors, everlasting fun, abandon and a money-maker.

"The state, it is I," said Louis the Fourteenth. Theodore Roosevelt, ditto.

Henry Watterson turns his attention to Roosevelt, and shows that he has lost none of his faculty for writing with vitriol.

Inspector Galpin is a competent and conscientious official, but it is no part of his duties to express an opinion whether the number of licenses should or should not be reduced. The people, whose servant he is, will decide that.

London welcomes the National Council of Women. Their activities cover a wide field of usefulness, and the presence for a while in the city of women who are forces in various provinces should be helpful and stimulating to our people. While the parliament of Canada's better half is in session here, London is the capital of the Dominion.

WOULD BE BETTER.

[Satire.]
"That bridegroom is a pleasant man—he has that certain something."
"I'd rather have a man with something certain."

PEACE AND WAR.

[Windsor Record.]
Mr. John Lewis, a member of the editorial staff of the Toronto Star, and admittedly one of the cleverest writers in Canada, gave utterance to some striking thoughts in an address at Lake Mohonk

NOT WORTH MUCH.

[Detroit Free Press.]
"Is that dog of yours worth much?"
"I guess not. I've only lost him once in two years."

ENOUGH FOR WILLIE.

[Puck.]
Teacher—Willie, give three proofs that the world actually is round.
William—The book says so, you say so, and ma says so.

AN OBJECTION.

[Life.]
"Don't you think the coal mines ought to be controlled by the Government?"
"I might if I didn't know who controlled the Government."

THE REST EASY.

[Boston Transcript.]
She—I'm weary of being a bachelor girl.
He—Well—er—do you know I'm a bit sick of being a spinster man.

THE COMING STORM.

[Manitoba Free Press.]
Bilingualism has been making some stir in Ontario, but this is nothing to the storm that is coming in Manitoba. There is some reason to believe that the Minister of Education is beginning to realize the seriousness of the situation, but is restrained from adopting remedial measures by political considerations.

NOT THAT KIND OF WAR.

[Hamilton Herald.]
It is all very well to brag about that new British hydroplane, but let it be considered that Britain, as the chief naval power, has the most to dread from the development and use of this new instrument of war. Three or four hundred pounds of a high explosive dropped from one of these machines on to the deck of a battleship would be very likely to sink it in short order. And it will not be long before other naval powers are equipped with hydroplanes.

GOOD OLD ONTARIO!

[Sheffield (England) Daily Independent.]
Ontario has well been named "The Garden of Canada." It contains some of the loveliest fruit farms in the world. Fruit that in England will only grow under glass and with the tenderest care, is produced in the most lavish abundance, notably peaches, grapes, melons and tomatoes. Last year, in her 23,253 acres of orchards, she produced 75 per cent of all the fruit grown in Canada, the value of the same being three million pounds. Although four times as large as England, the thickest populated province of Canada, Ontario contains only twice the number of people that there are in Glasgow. She has an area of 140,000,000 acres, and only one-third of these has yet been surveyed. There are still 113,000,000 acres belonging to the crown, and containing every form of agricultural land and mineral wealth known to man, only awaiting the advent of a man to him with bounteous hands."

FAVORITE FICTION.

[Chicago Tribune.]
"I'll be tickled to death."
"I have no personal feeling against any of the other candidates."
"If this book causes even one reader to see the justice of our cause I shall be content."
"I shall ask your attention only a moment."
"The pleasure of your presence is requested."
"Until death us do part."
"Ever yours sincerely."

IT'S NEEDED ELSEWHERE.

[Chicago Tribune.]
Further from Ohio: The women of Cincinnati have issued a ringing declaration against the use of high heels and cosmetics. Let the good work go on!

THE BEST TALKERS.

[New York Press.]
Arthur Brisbane, the highest-paid editor in the world, admits he can write, but says he can't talk. He's no judge of that; he's one of the best talkers to an audience, because he's perfectly natural. Professional oratory is artificial, and artificial oratory always seems to be talking to the wind. The natural talker can make everybody in the audience think he is talking right to that one person. That's the way Brisbane, or any natural talker, plugs all the shots into the bulseye.

WHY IS IT?

[Toronto Star.]
When a man goes away from home he becomes somebody else. It is not afraid to be himself, when in his home town he feels compelled to be what he pretends to be or what everybody expects him to be? Explain it either way, but some kind of explanation is needed.

THE CITY OF UNREST.

[The Herald.]
They lay the asphalt pavement down and level it with care.
The purpose is to make the town a thing of beauty rare.
As soon as it is hardened to the wind and sun and rain,
They get a pickaxe and begin to dig it up again.
They lay it smoothly down once more;
Again they tear it up as of yore,
And then replace it as of yore,
Fit for the public use.
And those who travel seem to be
Like oceanic faeries lost.
The street is but a misty sea,
Forever tempest-tossed.

STILL CHANCE FOR HEROISM.

[Windsor Record.]
If you have any surplus heroism running through your system, adopt the plan of "women and children first" when you happen to be riding on a crowded street car.

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THE LAND OF LETTERS

UPTON SINCLAIR IN ENGLAND

Mr. Upton Sinclair arrived in England lately and cheerfully consented to be interviewed by "The Christian Commonwealth," an organ which exists for the special glorification of Rev. R. J. Campbell, but has a strong leaning towards Mrs. Besant, cries aloud in rapturous applause of woman suffrage, is extremely sympathetic towards socialism, and, in short, is as eager to champion any new thing as the most up-to-date corrector of society could wish. Hence Mr. Sinclair, the American stock-yard novelist, was choice meat for the Commonwealth editor. He sent a man post-haste to button-hole the author of "The Jungle," and, if possible, to extract from him some socialistic bonfire for English readers.

In spite of his late marital infidelities, Mr. Sinclair was in a buoyant mood. He gladly consented to be interviewed. The "Commonwealth" man in a naive sentence says: "I found Mr. Sinclair rather more willing to be interviewed than I expected." These English journalists do not know Mr. Sinclair; they do not seem to realize that half of the American novelist's joy of living consists in being trumpeted abroad through the columns of the press. That is good business; it means more sales for the novelist's books. Years hence the English author will realize that it is a cold business proposition when he is asked to whisper his secret thoughts into the ear of a great public. Mr. Sinclair was mightily interested in the coal strike; it thrilled him to the centre of his soul; but he put that subject aside in order to talk about one which thrilled him still more—himself.

Mr. Sinclair has been before the public for a number of years, so long that I have always imagined him to be well on the way towards the avowed dupes and the baldness of the fifties. He assured the English interviewer, however, that he is still on the right side of thirty, but admitted that he was one of the young-old-kind of literary men. He has been a slave of the pen ever since the tender age of seventeen, when he knew nothing of socialism, when he had not shaped his philosophy of life. "When I was seventeen," he said, "I was writing 'dime novels,' at the rate of \$3,000 words a day, and keeping two stenographers going. I had written some of my most socialistic books before I knew anything about socialism. I did not find out socialism until I was about twenty-four years of age. I spent nine years in a university, and the professors very carefully kept me from knowing anything about socialism. I have never forgiven them."

When he was asked what led him to write his exposure of the Chicago meat-packing houses, he replied: "I was naturally curious. How many yokes of Bucks and Brights will we get in Egrement? We know we cannot get one yolk in Glenelg or Artemesia, so it's too far to go back fifty years to hunt them up."
Fish Didn't Fit Stream.
(Mount Forest Reporter.)
A big fish story is to hand already and, of course, it is true. Mr. N. Klopfer caught the fish, a grand old trout 13½ inches long which weighed 3½ lbs. on a Jameson's scales. The size of the fish is out of all proportion to the stream in which it was caught—Bowman's, in Egrement.
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to me, was that we never had any difficulty about our servants; we treated them as friends."

No wonder that house was to be only a temporary joy! It was too much of a dream to last always. And four years ago, when the dream passed off in tongues of flame and vapor of smoke, Mr. Upton Sinclair had to go back to the jungle again, had to take up his pen once more. Sic transit gloria mundi!

Joanhoe.

A Few Lines of Most Anything

A good paragraph to start the day with is just a couple of "Bangs!"

And one might write something about "Look at the balloon—airship!"

One idea of a confirmed tightwad is the man who fills his fountain pen at the postoffice inkwell.

Another coin clinger is the man who sees the ball game from the Ridout street hill through a field glass.

A young man is always willing to cut the lawn for his sweetheart's father, though the hay be high at home.

Roosevelt would rather be an ex-president than an ex-president.

"If you don't give us a holiday we'll all run away," is still heard among the children.

It cats have nine lives.
As the poets declare,
It must take a puzzle
To know when to wear
Mourning for those who
Have wandered away.
For they are quite apt to
Come back any day.

And fourteen linings can be called stinky measure by no one.

The stingers of these Busy Bees from Berlin can be extracted after all.

And the uniform emblem so much resembles a housefly that it's no wonder the team was swatted.

"I'll haf to square dis mit der Kaiser by smashing dem mid the whidewash brush tomorrow," says Herr Deauau.

Keeping An Eye on Ogle.
(Kincaidine Reporter.)

Mr. Ogle Russell is a regular visitor to our village this last while. There must be some attraction, Ogle—Kincaidine correspondence.

And it's Dangerous, Too.
(Forest Free Press.)

It's only the bachelor newspaper paragrapher who has nerve enough to joke about house-cleaning and mothers-in-law. The married ones know there's no joke about either.

Pete Ramage Not on a Rampage.
(Durham Chronicle.)

Mr. Peter Ramage, of the Review, and Ye Editor of the Chronicle, were in Harrison Saturday attending the annual meeting of the Grey and Bruce Press Association. Peter came home sober.

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German—II, Miss McCut, Miss Davidson.

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Chemistry—B, Jones, Bryden; C, Kest.

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The National Council Programme

SATURDAY, MAY 25TH.

9:30 a.m.—Devotional meeting.
10:00 a.m.—Meeting of finance committee.
11:00 a.m.—Meeting of executive committee, that is, the presidents of Local Councils and Nationally Organized Societies in Federation, or their substitutes, the conveners of standing committees, and the general officers.
2:30—Silent Prayer. Roll Call.
President's Address.
Correspondence.
Appointment of the returning officers and tellers for voting.
Annual report of the corresponding secretary.
Annual report of the treasurer.
Appointment of the auditors for the coming year.
Reports of the Provincial vice-presidents.
Reception at Victoria Hospital, given by the Hospital Trust and Nurses' Association of Victoria Hospital.
EVENING SESSION, 8 O'CLOCK.
Chairman, The Mayor of London.
Subject, "The Responsibility of Government and Municipality," Mr. W. A. Coote, London, Eng.
Address, "Character Building—Prevention Is Better Than Cure," Mrs. L. Hamilton.
Address, "Mothering," Mrs. D. M. Morrison.
[This meeting was arranged by the following Affiliated Societies: The Girls' Friendly Society, the King's Daughters, the Ladies' of the Macabees, and the women members of the I. O. F.]
Devotional: Hymn 619—"Stand Up, Stand Up, for Jesus."
Prayer—Miss Darch.
Bible Reading—Mrs. Gordon Wright.
Hymn 724—"Work, for the Night Is Coming."
Prayer—Mrs. A. T. Edwards.

CYNTHIA GREY'S CORRESPONDENCE

Destructive Mildew.

Dear Miss Grey: May we also apply for information. 1. Please tell us how to prevent the destructive mildew on linen and furniture where jardinières and pots are used in the parlor. 2. How to wash a cream serge skirt so as to deepen the cream shade as little as possible. 3. In the case of a very quiet home wedding, little more than the marriage ceremony, and the couple going right away to the groom's home town to board, whether the propriety or necessity of a wedding cake?
ENQUIRER

A.—1. If highly-glazed jardinières are used there should be no trouble. Terracotta, and other earthen vessels allow the dampness to come through, and this causes the white marks on varnished surfaces. If you dip the linen into a weak solution of chloride of lime and water, and spread in the sun, the spot will disappear after several treatments. Rinse in clear water each time. For the furniture, rub with a cloth wet with the spirits of camphor, and then with furniture polish or oil.
2. Use warm water, good white soap, and two teaspoonfuls of powdered borax. Rinse quickly and dry in a airy place. Begin to press into shape before the skirt becomes quite dry.
3. It would not be necessary if you do not desire to have one.

Leap Year Tickets.

Dear Miss Grey: 1. When a girl takes a boy to a dance, should she send him the tickets with the invitation? 2. How long should the skirts of a girl of seventeen be? 3. How should she wear her hair at a dance?
ANNA

A.—Not necessary. There may be given him when they start for the dance. 2. About five inches from the floor. 3. The latest style in evening hair-dressing is high, with a pretty ribbon band to match the dress in color. If the dress is white, the ribbon may be of tinsel or silver, or of any of the light shades.

Fire Don'ts

Don't block the fire escapes; you may need them yourself tonight.
Don't leave everything to the landlord; inspect your own house from cellar to garret and locate all exits.
Don't throw cigars or cigarettes out of windows. They drop on awnings and set them afire.
Don't allow children to play with matches.
Don't use matches or candles in dark closets or cellars.
Don't keep matches except in a tin box with cover attached.
Don't toss away a match unless completely extinguished, and then toss it into a metal or porcelain receptacle.

Mother's Vacation

First, I close the sewing machine (not to be opened for three weeks, that being the time set aside for my vacation). Next I hire the washing, ironing and all of the heavy work done. The expense is not great for that short time.
I buy bread and pastry—home-made if possible, if not the baker.
Food I buy prepared if possible, so with plenty of fruit the cooking is dispensed with. Every Sunday and sometimes during the week I have dinner at a hotel. We take little trips on the trolley or spend the afternoon in the park. Most of my time is spent reading and resting under the shade trees on our pretty little lawn.
Last summer at the end of such a vacation I was quite refreshed. I hope some other mother will try it.

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY.
You may expect good news from friends. Act with caution in all matters. If in business look carefully into any propositions before accepting.
Those born today will have the ability and rise through their own efforts and also by the help of friends. They will be successful and well liked.

Crackerjack Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey: Give recipe for popcorn crackerjack.
LOUISE

A.—Boil three tablespoonfuls molasses, one tablespoonful butter, one-half cup of sugar, one-third water and one-quarter teaspoon salt together until it spins, then pour it over popped corn. Stir well as it is being poured over the corn, so as to have each grain coated with the syrup.

She's Deeply in Love.

Dear Miss Grey: Could you once more give me your valued advice on the following questions:
1. Is talcum or rice powder injurious to the hair when used to make it fluffy? 2. Is the term "sweetheart" applicable to a man as well as a woman? 3. I am deeply in love with a man four months my junior. Should the difference of age make any difference to our marrying, since we love each other dearly? Thanking you in advance. Sincerely,
MILLY

A.—1. When talcum powder gets into the scalp it is difficult to entirely remove it, and this, of course, clogs the pores of the skin if allowed to remain on the scalp too long. Otherwise it does not do harm.
2. I think so; providing the man doesn't mind.
3. It should not effect your happiness if other conditions are favorable.

Willie Wants To Act.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a constant reader of your page and come to you for advice. 1. I would like to become a vaudeville actor such as are in moving picture shows. Could you please give me some information as regards to getting a title. 2. Should a young man raise his hat to one of his school mates, or just say "Hello B"?
WEARY WILLIE.

A.—1. Write William Weedon, manager Minor Vaudeville Dept., Morning Telegraph, New York, N. Y. 2. It would be better form to raise your hat.

The Loving of Mother

[A Chinese Story.]

They were seated under a spreading olive tree, Ku Yum, Shen-tau, Choy, Amoy and Fin Fan. She came along, carrying on her shoulders two little white doves.
"Why do I love my mother?" she asked.
"Because," said Ku Yum, "your mother loves you and takes sweet care of you."
"Because," said Choy, "she braids your hair with bright-colored silks and dresses you like a butterfly."
"Because," said Amoy, "she leads you through the bamboo groves to where the flowers grow and the rivulets sparkle and ripple."
"Because," whispered Fin Fan, "she is kind to you and fans you with a fan as round as a harvest moon."
She smiled and shook her head: "It is true that I love my mother for all the dear things that she does for me; but most of all I love her, because—she is my mother."

The Story of Starch

Four hundred years ago a certain Old Dutchwoman happened to discover accidentally that the best way to improve a small deficiency in the bust of her royal mistress, Queen Elizabeth, was to stiffen her collars, frills and laces. That Dutchwoman's fortune was immediately made, for Queen Elizabeth was overwhelmed with the improvement and straightway bestowed lavish gifts and great favors and privileges upon the lowly woman. In addition she was elevated to the position of chief inspectress of the court linen.

The fashion introduced by the Queen was, of course, soon followed by all the women of rank in the kingdom. The fad for this new art of starching became veritably a mania. Special professors sprang up and they established themselves in London and thrived in their profession. Among them was a Danish woman who seems to have had special capabilities along the line of starching and those privileged to be initiated by her in the art had to pay no less than five pounds for a lesson.

The staid fashion of white starching soon began to pall upon the fastidious Queen who then added a blue color to the starch. She found that the addition of blue gave a green hue to her complexion and being rather particular about her questionable beauty, she prohibited her subjects wearing any other than pure white starched linen, claiming that blue was injurious to health. Fashion, however, soon overruled the Queen and the use of blue starch continued merrily on, although many a good woman spent a few days in prison for transgressing.

THE DAILY MENU

BREAKFAST.

Fruit.
Creamed Fennel Haddies.
Corn Bread.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Fried Tomatoes. Cream Gravy.
Wafers. Orange Marmalade.
Tea.

DINNER.

Lamb Broth.
Fried Smelts. Sauce Tartare.
Creamed Potatoes. String Beans.
Sponge Pudding.
Coffee.

Sponge Pudding.

Beat stiff the whites of three eggs. Boil together one cup of water and one of sugar. Add one teaspoon of vanilla. Boil three minutes, then gelatin softened in cold water, and remove from the fire. Fold in the beaten whites of the eggs; divide into two parts, color one part with pink vegetable coloring and let stand until cold and nearly set. Pour one quart into a mold, keeping the other part just warm enough to prevent setting until the rest is solid. Then add the second part and set aside to get very cold and firm. Serve with cream.

Chicken Hash on Toast.

One cup of chicken (cold), one cup of white sauce, half cup sweet green pepper, one and a fourth teaspoonfuls onion juice, four slices toast, trimmed and buttered, will be needed for this recipe.
Cut the chicken in quarter-inch cubes, chop the green pepper very fine, add to the chicken and cook all in the white sauce until the chicken is heated through (use double boiler). Arrange on the toast and serve very hot.

Cheese and Ceremony

The English, the Germans, and the Norwegians are great consumers of cheese, but the people of Switzerland surpass them all. The cheese of Zermatt is so hard that one is obliged to scrape it or cut off chunks with a hatchet, and its use is considered most important on all ceremonious occasions. The rank of a Swiss family is known by the age of its cheese, and the more affection or respect a guest has for the host, the more cheese is cut in his honor. It is said that there are families in Switzerland whose cheeses date from the first French revolution, and these are served only at baptisms, weddings and after funerals.

The larger in every family is guarded with care and the cheese is named. Upon the birth of a new heir a cheese is made and called the name given him or her, and that particular cheese is never under any circumstances cut until the boy or girl grows up and is married. On such occasions each of the guests takes a piece of cheese from the bridegroom and from the bride and drinks to their felicity, the cheese held aloft.

FANCY TIN MOLDS

A young maid went shopping recently to find something for a tin wedding present, and at the same time she was confronted with such an assortment of dessert molds and molds of all sorts, shapes and sizes that she is still talking about them. She was so fascinated with the molds that she has invested in a supply for herself.

The large molds for fish mousse now have small individual fish-shaped tins to match. A most pleasing effect can be obtained by arranging the small molds of jellied fish around the larger fish on a large oval platter. Ring molds are always a valuable acquisition to one's kitchen, as they are made to hold one or more quarts and used for the concoction of artistic dishes, such as macaroni paste, rice mold, aspic meats, corn starch puddings or cranberry jelly.

Frozen desserts there are all right molds in all kinds and shapes, and these are necessary for things needing to be packed in salt and ice. Among the very newest molds are hollow affairs, like cones or pyramids, shapes, like irregular peaks. Other molds turn out wonderful desserts resembling bunches of flowers and fruits. There is a pronounced revival of the huge molds for frozen desserts, like the old-time monumental affairs used by our grandmothers. No doubt some of these curious old metal molds are stored away in pantries and cellars; if so, they should be brought out and put to use.

The gift chosen for this particular tin wedding was a dozen individual molds, so pretty for Spanish cream or other frozen cream desserts. The dozen included three hearts and the same number of diamonds, spades and clubs, particularly suitable to use for card party refreshments. These attractive little molds come in many other fascinating shapes, such as shells, stars and bunches of cherries or grapes.

Of cake tins the shopper found a bewildering assortment. They come in sheets containing a dozen and a half dozen, for the most decorative little fancy cakes for afternoon tea, children's parties and special occasions. Among these are hearts, birds, dolls, etc.

WILLIE'S AUTO BIOGRAPHY.

The teacher had asked the children to write autobiographies, and the essays were very materialistic.
"Now, children," she said, "I don't want you simply to write the happenings of your life; write what you really feel inside."
Little Willie, in his second attempt, wrote: "Inside I feel a heart, liver, lungs and stomach, and inside the stomach I feel an apple, a corn ball, a pickle and a glass of milk."

CURES POUNDING HEADS

No matter what kind of a headache is yours, there is a cure.

OMOND'S HEADACHE POWDERS are quite harmless, prompt in action, pleasant to take.

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At any of the P., L. and O. Stores—for a quarter.

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Phone 1427

THE PROGRESSIVE DRUGGISTS.

SPRING BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

Sale of 21 Tailor-Made Tweed Suits, Saturday For \$10.50



In this lot are Misses' Smart Suits and a few Ladies' Stylish Suits, in sizes 32 to 36 only—made of all-wool mixed tweeds, with a smart three-button coat, lined with silk twill, panel back skirts in the plain tailor-made design. The colors are light and medium grays and a few tans. Perfect fit guaranteed. Shop early Saturday **\$10.50** Morning to get one of these at

Clearing Sale of Sailor Blouses at 79c each

These are slightly mussed by handling, but are otherwise perfect. Made of good quality cambric, sailor collars, trimmed with navy and cadet blue, cuffs are similarly trimmed. Sizes up to 36 only. On sale tomorrow morning at each **79c**
Second Floor.

35 Panama Dress Skirts, \$3.59

These are made of good quality French panama cloth, in black, navy and gray. Panel backs, silk stitched and material thoroughly shrunk. These are splendid separate skirts, and the prices should attract you. Sizes 36 to 40. Saturday for **\$3.59**

Print Shirtwaists, 48c

Clearing sale of a few dozen Print Shirtwaists; made of printed percale, in navy and white and black and white. Sizes 34 to 40. Saturday for **48c**



SUMMER MILLINERY

See our big display of SUMMER MILLINERY for ladies', misses' and children's hats. All kinds of shapes, straws and the latest effects in trimmings will be found at the lowest prices

Bleached Table Linen, 89c yd.

Regular \$1.00 pure Bleached Table Linen, 72 inches wide, five patterns to choose from, two especially fine striped patterns among these, at yard **89c**
Regular 20c Organdies to clear Saturday, at a yard **15c**

Bath Towel Special, 25c pair

Good weight and size, Saturday, pair **25c**

44-in. Black Voile, at 39c yd.

A special for Saturday. A plain black voile with nice, fine, crisp finish, with even thread. Good black, at yard **39c**

Gray's

Ladies' Home Journal
PATTERNS

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batting, and if you like put a hot water bag over it. This has been used many times and has brought relief.

The Fan Bouquet



LATEST PARIS NOVELTY.

It is a neat silk fan hidden in a bunch of flowers. When milady is through dancing she just shoots the fan from the centre of the bouquet and it is ready for use.

\$9.75 SATURDAY

A few left of our own high-class tailored sample suits to clear. Your last chance for such a bargain.

SATURDAY \$9.75

Finch - Fashens

286 Dundas Street



She arose unsteadily to her feet, gripping the table, then the back of the bench, and thus helped, staggered, rather than walked, forward. A long, breathless moment she stood, grasping the window-casting, staring blindly into the dark, the snow flecking the glass, her shoulders bent and trembling. She slowly, shuddering, one hand shadowing her eyes. Twice she endeavored vainly to find voice; then, cleft, yet with the glistering of tears clinging to each word, she said:

"Jesus, Saviour, pilot me
Over life's tempestuous sea;
Unknown waves before me roll,
Hiding rock and treacherous shoal,
Chart and compass come from Thee;
Jesus, Saviour, pilot me."

While I live may I remember the wondrous change in her face as she sang—the effect pictured in those faces watching her.

"As a mother stills her child,
Thou canst hush the ocean wild;
Boisterous waves obey Thy will,
When Thou sayest, 'Be still,'
Vindictive Sovereign of the Sea,
Jesus, Saviour, pilot me."

She straightened, her fine eyes darkening, and I noticed Johnson leaning forward, clenching the table with his hand.

"When at last I near the shore,
And the fearful breakers roar,
Twixt me and the peaceful rest,
Then, while leaning on Thy breast,
May I hear Thee say to me,
'Fear not, I will pilot thee.'"

In the intense silence that followed she crossed to where I sat, placed one hand upon my shoulder, and bent down until her cheek pressed my cheek. By one of the men gravely fled into the darkness of the deck, leaving us there alone.

CHAPTER XXIX.

In Which We Survive a Storm.

We kept careful watch throughout the night, but the hours passed quietly, the breeze holding steady, and the ship galloping calmly to the eastward.

The fall of snow ceased soon after midnight, and the men on watch occupied themselves cleaning the deck of its accumulation, so that when all hands were called for the day's labor, the space between cabin and foremast was fairly open once more.

There is little need of my describing in detail the work done during the next three days. The weather greatly favored us, although we were quite roughly handled during most of the second day, and at one time had the longboat ready for launching, the Donna Isabel rolling most dangerously in the trough of the heavy sea, as we had not the slightest control over her. Yet we clung to the slippery decks and worked rapidly, accomplishing much considering the smallness of our company and the poor condition of the materials we found. I put De Nova in charge forward, with Sanchez, Johnson, Cole and Dade to assist him. The women begged to be given charge of the galley, thus furnishing us with an additional hand on deck. This party cleared away much of the tangle about the foremast, flinging the most of it overboard as useless, yet discovering two or three spars and a considerable quantity of cordage that remained serviceable. Steps were chipped out in the mountain of ice overtopping the sealed forecabin, and running rigging finally stretched between the top of the splintered foremast and what remained of the jutting bowsprit. This was a dangerous job, the work being accomplished without serious accident.

A block and tackle, operating an ingeniously constructed pair of sheaves, the invention of De Nova, enabled all hands to pull on, and, after some immensely hard labor, to elevate and secure sufficiently heavy spar at the top of the splintered mast. Unable to discover any carpenter's tool-chest on board, we were driven to many expedients, how best to make fast, succeeding after a fashion, but with no confidence that our fashioning would withstand any severe strain. While the spars of canvas we found were for the most part rotten, yet we managed with patience to piece out sections which had been preserved by the ice-coating, strengthening these by use of the longboat's sails, and thus constructed a fairly serviceable job. We patched together the remainder into a rather remarkable fore-sail, which was fastened at the bottom to deck-rings. It could thus be handled readily, though we realized that the first

severe puff of air would be likely to reduce it to ribbons.

Easily as these efforts are now recounted, they represented then, thought and an immense amount of labor, besides involving no little danger. The icy decks, the rotten cordage, the crazy pitching of the sudden bulk underfoot—all combined to add to the peril. In the meanwhile McKnight, Kelly and myself were equally busy. The three of us were crowded from the after-ports of the cabin, and began jacking away with knife and cleaver at the thick mass of ice fouling the rudder. They were two days at it before the huge wooden contrivance worked at all freely in its grooves, and then were obliged to patch and tinker at the blade. This was cracked badly, the outer section entirely broken off, but McKnight managed to bind all that remained firmly into place, going down twice entirely under water, and coming back on board sheeted with ice. The wheel had been carried away bodily, and the stanchions ripped out of the deck, and so we were obliged to rig up an improvised tiller, operating it by means of block and tackle.

While we finally had all these matters completed, the ancient craft certainly presented a sight for gods and men. However, the weather was now slowly obedient to her creaking helm, and leaving a broad, oily wake stretching away astern. Gathered in a group, about the galley, we went to the ice water, as the blunt bows began plowing the surges, pointing resolutely to the northward, the old canvas, dirty, patched, ragged and disreputable, puffing out bravely before the pressure of the wind. The old tub wallowed fearfully, the icy water slapping the wide deck amidships, even keeping the galley well awash, the load of ice forward dragging her down by the head. Nevertheless, she made better progress than I had supposed possible.

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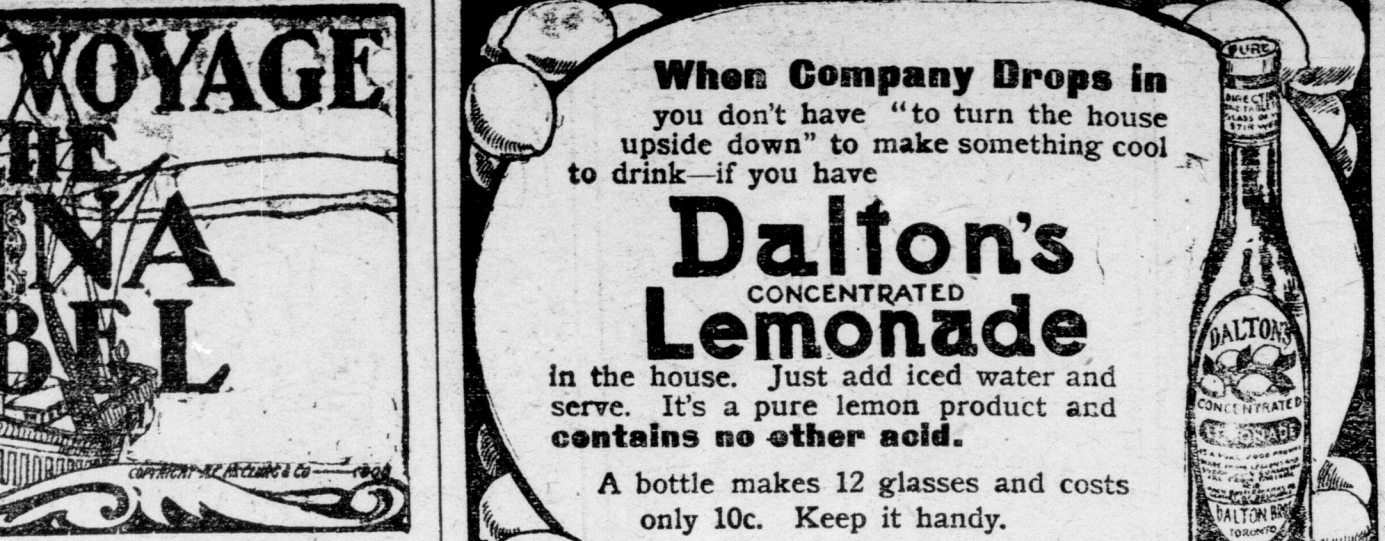
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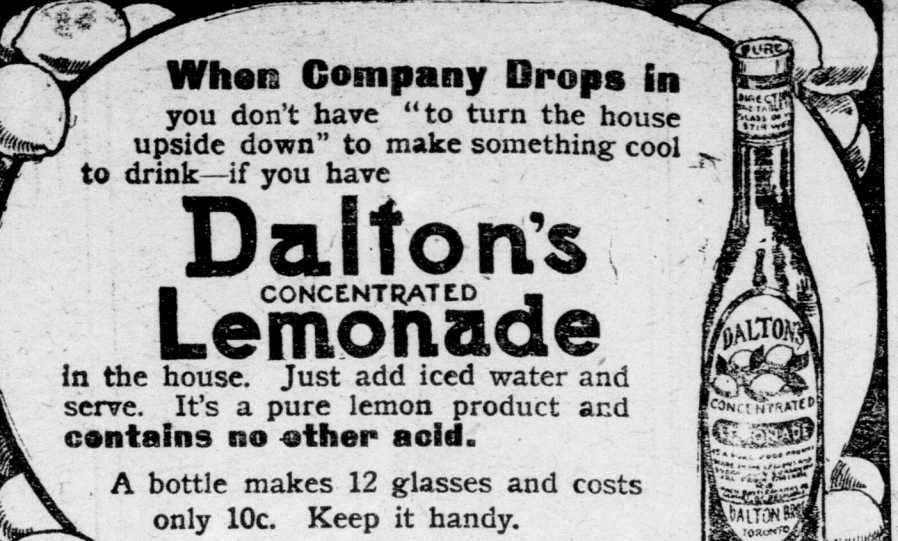
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CONCENTRATED in the house. Just add iced water and serve. It's a pure lemon product and contains no other acid.

A bottle makes 12 glasses and costs only 10c. Keep it handy.

At all Grocers and Druggists.

OLD HANDBILL TELLS THE STORY OF BIRTH OF 6TH FIELD BATTERY

Interesting Relic of 1850 Now in the Possession of the Corps—Late Col. Shanly Was Then in a Position to Ask for Volunteers for the Organization.

A member of the Sixth Field Battery, of London, has handed to the Advertiser an interesting relic of the early days of the battery. There are not many of the residents of London that know that the battery was organized in 1850, but the following handbill gives a brief story of the inception:

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Chiclets REALLY DELIGHTFUL

The Dainty Mint Covered Candy Coated Chewing Gum

Chiclets for Digestion.—Fastidious women serve Chiclets at their luncheons and teas—as after-dinner mints—at bridge parties and all social gatherings where a crisp confection is *en regle*. Chiclets are the refinement of chewing gum for people of refinement.

Look for the Bird Cards in the packets. You will find one beautiful bird picture in each packet of Chiclets. Send us any fifty of these pictures with ten cents in stamps and we will send you—free—our splendid Bird Album.

For sale at all the Better Sort of Stores, 5c. the Ounce and in 5c., 10c. and 25c. Packets.

CANADIAN CHEWING GUM COMPANY, Ltd. Toronto

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. J. SHANLY, JUN. Captain Commanding V. F. B., London, Aug. 2, 1856.

Talbot and Siddons, printers, opposite City Hall, Richmond Street, London.

AWARDED \$1,000 Judge Says Women Can Wear Skirts to Suit Themselves.

[Canadian Press.] Boston, May 23.—The supreme court of Massachusetts has decided that women are not bound to lift their skirts in alighting from street cars. Moreover, they have a right to wear skirts as long as they choose.

Miss Miranda Martin was getting off a car some time ago when her skirt caught on a sand plunger, which projected from the front platform. She was flung to the street, and sued the company. The company alleged that the woman had been negligent in failing to lift her long skirt high enough to clear the sand plunger. The supreme court holds that the company's objection is untenable.

RESTORED TO LIFE Surgeon Makes Heart Beat Once More by Artificial Means.

Schenectady, N. Y., May 23.—After her heart had stopped beating and respiration ceased completely, Miss Anna Loeb, of this city, is alive and out of danger.

Dr. Charles G. McMullen had successfully operated on Miss Loebenstein at Ellis Hospital, and was suturing an incision in her abdomen, after removing gall stones, when her heart ceased beating.

There would be no "Titanic Death Roll," if the spar deck of the liner had parted from the lower portion of the vessel, and floated away with all lives on board.

That is how the crew of a fruit steamer was saved thirty years ago when the boat went to the bottom of Lake Michigan. Then, the top deck, supported by rotten stanchions, broke away from the rest of the ship and floated about as a raft.

The accompanying sketch shows how the successive layers of decks, each made water tight, could slip off the hull as the boat foundered and float as separate rafts until aid could be rushed to the spot.

Such a raft-deck would be fastened securely but in such a fashion that at a moment's warning it could be loosened and made ready to float when the ship tipped downwards. In very large ships it would be advisable to divide the deck up so that there would be several rafts in each division. Fresh water lifeboats and provisions should always be in each division.



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American multi-millionaire for \$250,-
000.

"It has been a long job getting idea formed into practical realization but it is done at last, and I am less for home now assured that the project will be an unqualified success. And

beneficial both to British industry to the Canadian consumers, for reason that it will bring the British manufacturer, for the first time, direct and intimate connection the Canadian market, and thus ren-

Mrs. J. Bruce Ismay, wife of the managing director of the White Star Line, who escaped from death in the Titanic disaster. Mrs. Ismay is prominent in London.

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WARM WEATHER WEARING APPAREL

ATTRACTIVELY PRICED

Classy Embroidery Dresses for \$6.50

Right from fashion centre the swell Embroidery Dresses, made with open pattern all-over embroidery waists and kimono set-in sleeve, with deep open pattern flounce; sizes 34, 36, 38 and 40 bust. Saturday special **\$6.50**

Young's Special Dollar Corset

Five different styles in both Coutil and Summer Percale Corsets, all made with rustproof boning, perfect fitting, in either medium or low bust, with long soft skirt. Sizes 18 to 30 bust. Saturday special **\$1.00**

Queen Quality Black Cotton Hose for 12 1/2c Pair

Three cartons of plain Black Cotton Hose (Queen Quality). On sale Saturday, at pair **12 1/2c**

25c Linen Collars for 15c

Odd lines of regular 25c Linen Collars, neat embroidered patterns. Special at **15c**

27-Inch Embroidery Flouncing for 39c

10 pieces of Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, 27 inches wide. Regular 65c value. Saturday for **39c**

65c Fancy Dress Silks for 25c

800 yards left of Fancy Dress Silks, comprising Tussock Silks, Roscoe Silks and Stripe Tokio Foulard Silks. Values up to 65c. Saturday special **25c**

50-Inch Cream Serge for 49c

All-Wool Cream Serge, 50 inches wide. Priestley's make. Regular 70c value. Saturday only **49c**

Dollar Black Paillette

Yard wide. On sale Saturday for **69c**

Cotton Foulards at 15c

New Cotton Foulards, in sky, navy, black and white and rose. Special, yard **15c**

65 Only Pillow Shams

Hemstitched and embroidered. Sizes 30x30. On sale Saturday, at each **39c**

New Summer Sunshades at \$1.00 to \$2.50

A splendid showing of new Summer Sunshades in all the latest colors. Special at **\$1.00 to \$2.50**

R. J. Young & Co.

BRUSSELS.

Brussels, May 23.—Brussels Intermediate football team will play the opening game of the series at Wingham next Tuesday. Brussels, Wingham, Seaford and Brucfield constitute the district. A fine post delivery van was shipped to F. Longfoot, Stratford, recently, by the Ewan Carriage Company, of Brussels. The Mailand has been at flood-tide this week owing to the constant rainfall. The adult Bible class of the Methodist Sabbath School presented their teacher, Mr. S. Bailey, with a kindly worded address, accompanied by a silk umbrella with gold-cropped handle. A fine time was enjoyed at Mr. Bailey's home. Next Sunday communion will be

ROYAL YEAST MAKES PERFECT BREAD



A \$250 PIANO

We are introducing to the public this month the "Canada Piano," a POPULAR-PRICED PIANO. This instrument is the production of The Williams Piano Company, Limited, who are always seeking to give the Canadian public the value of every dollar they spend in purchasing a piano. We believe this piano has all the qualifications of a four hundred dollar instrument. The introductory price for the balance of this month will be two hundred and fifty dollars. The terms will be ten dollars with order, and balance at six dollars monthly. The low price we are offering this piano at, prohibits us from accepting old instruments as part payment.

The Williams Piano Company Limited
194 DUNDAS STREET.

observed in Melville Presbyterian Church. Mr. Hugh Edgar was elected an interim director of Howick Mutual Fire Insurance Company, owing to the death of James Edgar, who was one of the promoters of the company. The celebration of Victoria Day in Brussels was called off by the committee owing to the continual wet weather. It may be held at a later date. The former well known young Brussels were married recently. Reginald Fletcher, of Winnipeg, took Miss Pearl Powell, of Toronto, as his life's partner, and Norman Smith, of London, Saskatchewan, wedded Miss Stewart, of Victoria, B. C. The latter couple are away to Honolulu for a wedding trip.

BOUGHT GEMS FOR JUNK

Alleged Burglar Says He Paid \$500 for \$20,000 Worth. New York, May 22.—Jewelry and diamonds valued at \$20,000 have been found by the police in a safe deposit vault of the Harlem branch of the Colonial Trust Company, which was rented by Bert Curtis, the alleged burglar of the "Beau Brummel" type, who was arrested last Sunday. Curtis, who has refused to make a statement, accompanied the police to the Colonial Trust Company, where scores of men and women, whose homes have been robbed within the last year, had gathered to identify the hidden plunder. "I bought that junk from another man," Curtis said, as the detectives removed the five packages from the strong box. "I paid \$500 for the whole bunch of it." Several wealthy men and women, including J. P. Morgan, Jun., have reported losses by robbery recently.

FATAL GANG FIGHT.

New York, May 22.—Three men were wounded, one fatally, in a war between rival gangs which broke out in a crowded ballroom in Williamsburg early this morning. A rattle of revolver shots at midnight interrupted the merriment and caused a wild rush for the exits, in which a number of the 1,000 persons present were painfully injured. When the smoke cleared three men were stretched on the floor. David Levy, 20 years old, was mortally wounded; his brother, Lewis, had bullet wounds in the hands. Only one arrest was made.

STOCK AND CROP CENSUS

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 23.—A bulletin of the census and statistics office, issued today, makes the following report on the crops and live stock of Canada: The area sown to winter wheat last fall was reported as 1,097,900 acres, of which 737,200 acres were in Ontario and 360,700 acres in Alberta. From reports of correspondents at the end of April, it is estimated that about 21.50 per cent of this area has been winter killed, the proportion being 28.72 per cent in Ontario and 38.50 per cent in Alberta. This represents a total deduction from the area sown of about 345,000 acres (320,000 acres in Ontario and 116,000 acres in Alberta). The average condition of winter wheat on April 30 was 72.62 of a standard (71.24 per cent in Ontario and 76.80 per cent in Alberta). From these figures it is calculated that the yield per acre from winter wheat in 1912 is likely to be about 20 bushels per acre, or 12 per cent less than the average yield of the three years, 1909-11, viz., 23.33 bushels per acre, provided that average conditions prevail between now and harvest. In the Maritime Provinces spring seeding on April 30 had only begun here and there, most of the ground being still under snow. Very little progress had been made by the same date in Quebec, the amount of seeding done

JURY SELECTED FOR TRIAL OF MRS. QUINN

Take Oath to Inflict the Death Penalty if the Woman Is Found Guilty.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chicago, May 23.—Twelve men completing the panel to try Mrs. Jane Quinn, took oath this afternoon that they would inflict the death penalty on her if the evidence warranted the jury in finding her guilty of killing her husband, John Quinn. The case is being heard before Judge Pettit. Immediately after twelve men had been accepted, Assistant State Attorney Lowe began the opening statement for the state. The chief testimony given against her at the coroner's inquest was by Elmer Thorpe, the son of her husband, who for several years had sworn vengeance on his step-mother, it is declared.

Mrs. Quinn was married to a man named McDonald, and resided in this city about twenty years ago. Later McDonald died in Michigan. It is said, under mysterious circumstances.

NEW BOOK BY ARTHUR STRINGER (?)
(Toronto Mail and Empire.) We may expect a publisher's prospectus to announce "The Phoenix," by Arthur Stringer, the gifted young Canadian author.

NO QUARREL WITH SUCH SOCIALISM.

[Woodstock Sentinel.] The social democrats of Woodstock have decided to enter upon a municipal campaign in favor of free medical inspection of schools and the free medical treatment of school children. This phase of socialism is not calculated to provoke a very serious alarm. Medical inspection has already come to be regarded as an important and necessary part of the school system in many places, not only in Europe and the United States, but in Canada as well. Canada has been somewhat backward in this respect; but even in Canada a beginning has been made.

LOVE BORN IN LAST 100 YEARS, HE SAYS

Declares That Ancient Regard For Women Was Solely Physical.

FEMALE ALWAYS HAD IT

In Olden Times Man Mastered the Weaker Sex, Now It Dominates the Male.

Vienna, Austria, May 22.—Emil Lucka, Austria's poet and philosopher, has been talking in Vienna about the nature of love. Lucka is the author of "Death and Life," "Isolde Whitehand" and several other semi-romantic, semi-philosophical works which show great insight and imaginative power.

He propounds the thesis that real love between the sexes is not a universal fact of nature, but has existed only since the dawn of modern times. Love is essentially a union of earthly and divine feelings, and that being so it is a modern product.

Lucka affirms that in ancient times spiritual love to woman was entirely unknown. Oriental love was physical and the idealized love of Plato was not love of woman at all, but only love of the good, beautiful and true.

When spiritual or intellectual love was invented, it also was not love in the modern sense. This was 1,500 years later, in the age of the troubadours and of the Renaissance. The love of the troubadours was only spiritual; it did not demand reciprocity and the lover was content and even happy with hopeless love.

Bases of Early Love. The Italians of the age of Dante idealized love to women, but this merged in the Madonna cult and had nothing to do with modern love. Dr. Lucka says that at certain stages of the Renaissance the Madonna cult was in danger of ousting the Christ cult. This love was not the love of man to woman. So that while the ancient idealized only physical love, there was a stage in the later Middle Ages in which only an intellectual love was understood.

The real, or modern love, which is a combination of the two, began only at the time of Rousseau and the German romanticists. This love merges the sexual love of the Orientals and ancient Greeks and the pure, idealized love of the troubadours and of the Renaissance. In modern love there is no longer a limit between senses and soul. Personality, which is the essence of real love, unites the two, and the sexes have been trying to transcend either his senses or his soul and to attain a homogeneous, personal love.

This development, Lucka says, has been undergone only in the love of man to woman. The love of woman to man has been through no such change, because it did not need it. The man transcended either his senses or his soul and to attain a homogeneous, personal love.

Woman Had It For Years. Woman has not been dominated by man at no time has she been dominated by purely physical or purely spiritual love. She possessed all along the homogeneous love which man has had to fight for thousands of years in order to attain.

Lucka defines love as "essentially personal." It is the love of an individual, devoted to, devoted to, on the other hand, the stronger is a man's nature, the stronger is his desire to find what he wants in one person. The more intensely he feels, the harder it is for him to find it. The man with intense feelings is erotically differentiated and is, therefore, entirely bound up with one woman, and he cannot conceive finding a substitute for her.

The "love-death," says Lucka, is the highest final form of modern love. The ideal of the love-death springs from the fact that the perfection of the world always baffles the supremest love of man and woman.

Lovers seek death because death affords the ecstasy of solving world problems and world sorrows. Normally men set love and death apart, as they do marriage and funerals. They are the two poles of existence. But the spirit of love unites them. "The highest spirit of life should be its end." That is metaphysical eroticism.

A BLOW AT FREEDOM.

(Toronto Star.) The Ontario Government has decided to spend five million dollars for the development of New Ontario, which is good. It has taken away from the Legislature all control over the expenditure of the money, which is bad. It does not understand, or it despises the spirit of the British constitution. It has struck a blow at those free British institutions on which this Province prides itself, and at the rights and liberties which were won by centuries of struggle in England and in Canada.

KNOWS NOW.

Doctor Was Fooled By His Own Case For a Time.

It's easy to understand how ordinary people get fooled by coffee when doctors themselves sometimes forget the facts.

A physician speaks of his own experience: "I have used coffee for years and really did not exactly believe that it was injuring me although I had palpitation of the heart every day. (Tea contains caffeine—the same drug found in coffee—and is just as harmful as coffee.)"

"Finally one day a severe and almost fatal attack of heart trouble frightened me and I gave up both tea and coffee, using Postum instead, and since that time I have had absolutely no heart palpitation, except on one or two occasions when I tried a small quantity of coffee, which caused severe irritation and proved to me a small bit of butter in the pot when boiling and allow the Postum to boil full 15 minutes, which gives it the proper rich flavor and the deep brown color."

"I have advised a good many of my friends and patients to leave off coffee and drink Postum, in fact I daily give this advice." Name given by Canadian Post, "Co., Windsor, Ont." Many thousands of physicians use Postum in place of tea and coffee in their own homes and prescribe it to patients. "There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in packages. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.



Each and every 5-Pound Package of

Redpath

Extra Granulated Sugar contains 5 pounds full weight of Canada's finest sugar, at its best. Ask your Grocer for the Redpath 5-Pound Package.

CANADA SUGAR REFINING CO., LIMITED, MONTREAL.

DR. CURTIS WILL HAVE A VERY BUSY TIME

Will Address Numerous Gatherings on the Playgrounds Movement.

Dr. Curtis, of Worcester, Mass., is preparing for a busy time, when he comes next week to speak on behalf of the playgrounds movement.

The dates for the meetings have not been definitely settled, but it is expected that the official programme will be announced on Saturday. He will speak to various organizations of all kinds.

Among the gatherings he will address are the McClary factory employees, York Street, National Council of Women, Grand Trunk employees, London Teachers' Association, Horticultural Society, Board of Education, Askin Street Methodist Church, Talbot Street Baptist Church, First Congregational Church, Mini-sterial Alliance, McClary foundry employees, (Chelsea Green), Mothers' Clubs, Canadian Club, V. M. C. A., Volunteer Workers, Separate School Board, public rally at which the Trades and Labor Council, Charities Organization Society, Humane Society and other organizations will be present.

Much interest is being manifested in his work, and it is expected that a great deal of good will result from his lectures.

TO PREVENT FIRES ALONG THE RAILWAYS

Commission Lays Down Rules Regarding Locomotive Handling.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, May 23.—The railway commission today issued an order laying down the new regulations for fire protection along the lines of Canadian railways, made as a result of the recent hearings of the matter at which the railways, some of the provinces chiefly affected and the conservation committee were represented. The new regulations embody nearly all the recommendations of the conservation commission, and take the place of all previous orders of the board with respect to fires along the lines of railways.

The Regulations.

The regulations are, in effect, as follows: All coal-burning locomotives to be fitted with specified netting spark arrestors.

Locomotive ash pans to be specifically constructed with a view to preventing the escape of live coals.

Railway companies to be required to provide locomotive inspectors at terminal and divisional points. Those inspectors to examine weekly the fire-boxes, etc., of each locomotive running into such divisional points. The records kept by these inspectors to be available for the chief of fire inspectors of the railway and of the commission.

The railway board to employ a chief fire inspector for the Dominion, who will be given wide powers in the matter of keeping railway right-of-way free from inflammable materials and or requiring the construction of proper fire guards. He shall also prepare each year a detailed statement for the measures that they will be required to take to prevent fires.

Sectionmen and other employees of the companies to constitute emergency fire fighters.

Will Be Liable.

The companies to be held liable for losses caused by their locomotives, where the regulations of the railway board have been disregarded.

On portions of railway lines where oil locomotives are used the regulations may be suspended.

Railway companies shall not burn lignite coal in their locomotives as fuel for transportation purposes unless otherwise ordered by the board.

Any fire starting within three hundred feet of a railway track shall be presumed to have been started by the railway, unless otherwise proved.

A fine of \$100 for railway companies and \$25 for their employees is fixed for contravention of any of the regulations.

Clyde Leavitt, forester of the conservation commission, and chief fire inspector of the railway commission, left this morning for British Columbia, where he will visit various railway lines and make provision for the enforcement of the new regulations.

STUDY INDIAN DIALECTS

Norwegian Explorers Use Phonography in Making Records.

Christiania, May 21.—The explorer Christian Leden and Harald Thaulow have just returned here from an expedition to Northern Canada, which was undertaken with the object of collecting phonographic records of the folk songs of

the various Indian tribes and comparing them with those obtained in earlier expeditions to the Eskimos with the view of establishing how far was their common origin. The largest tribe visited was the Crees, who number over 20,000. Their chief, Mantongik, was at first hostile, but after a few presents of tobacco and glass beads and after having been told that the explorers had been sent by the King of Norway to make his tribe famous he became more amenable to the wishes of the explorers. They brought back with them a most interesting collection of films and records of Indian life and music. Leden will go in the fall to Greenland for further investigation in the spring of 1913, and a long final expedition to Northwest Canada which will extend for three years. He will visit tribes that have never been in contact with the whites.

BRITISH LADS ILL FED?

A Congress Going to Look into the Fare

Supplier at Schools. London, May 23.—From time immemorial it has been the dearest privilege of the British schoolboy to complain of his school meals, just as it is his father's time-honored custom to criticize the club chef. Now the National Food Reform Association is determined to rob the schoolboy of his pet grievance, and has summoned a congress on diet in schools. Charles E. Hecht, the secretary of the association, declares that in schools "the food question is generally left to take care of itself, and the effect of this neglect is felt by the boys for the rest of their lives." He cites the result of a physical examination of 1,000 public school boys undertaken by Dr. Clement Duke, honorary consulting medical officer to Rugby School. The boys were between the ages of 13 and 15, and, without giving any specific details, Mr. Hecht declares that the results "are calculated to cause great alarm." Acquired and preventable deformities, indicative of inferior assimilation and nutrition, are said to have been found among "this most favored class of boys," and the National Food Reform Association has determined to find out where the evil lies and correct it.

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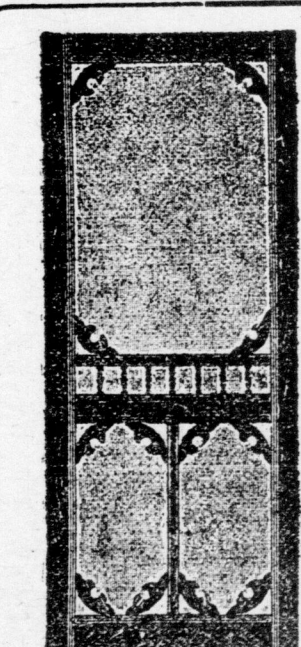
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[Special to The Advertiser.]

New York, May 23.—The advance in International Paper is the natural result of the expiration of some unprofitable long time contracts and the revival of general business which calls for the use of greater quantities of paper.

Formal announcement is made of a new financing to be done by the American Ice Company. This announcement was made in this column about two weeks ago, but the details have yet to be made public. Sale of the bonds was arranged for at the time the original announcement was made. The return of C. W. Morse has no connection whatever with the recent out of the company and will stay out. The company is very prosperous, and unless the politicians raid it again this summer the stock will be considered a very good speculation.

Rubber heavy. The street does not like the new financial conditions of the stockholders and is objecting to it. Considering all the charges that will be created by the new stock issue, the company will be paying 10 per cent interest for the \$10,000,000 to be raised. If this money were raised outside of the company, there would be an absurd price to pay on money that can be had for the asking at 4 1/2 per cent. But this interest is to be paid to the stockholders themselves, and since it is all in the family, it is difficult to see why anybody should care. It is true the plan has hurt Rubber as an investment stock, but it is not to be done for the stockholders themselves, and since it is all in the family, it is difficult to see why anybody should care. It is true the plan has hurt Rubber as an investment stock, but it is not to be done for the stockholders themselves, and since it is all in the family, it is difficult to see why anybody should care.

Railroad Business Good. Reports from 90 per cent of all the railroad mileage in the United States for the month of March show a material increase of business and income over a year ago. The operating revenue is \$12,651,901 above the same month last year. The operating expenses, however, are greater by \$12,532,394, leaving a net gain of \$117,507. The greater volume of this business explains in a measure the heavy tonnage of steel, for with these figures at hand nobody can question the activity of business. Judging from the testimony of the Union Pacific system, added his testimony to that of the experts. He says the Texas outlook is the best in years. Officials of other railroads in the West give similar testimony. There is no reason for believing that the crops this year will be anything less than record-breakers.

PRODUCE.

[Special to H. C. Becker.]

WINNEPEG, May 23.—July wheat closed at 1 1/2.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—September wheat closed at 1 1/2.

ONTARIO GRAIN.

TORONTO, May 23.—Quotations at the board of trade for No. 2 white, red or mixed, \$1.03 to \$1.04; Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.09; No. 2, \$1.08; No. 3, \$1.07; No. 4, \$1.06; No. 5, \$1.05; No. 6, \$1.04; No. 7, \$1.03; No. 8, \$1.02; No. 9, \$1.01; No. 10, \$1.00; No. 11, \$0.99; No. 12, \$0.98; No. 13, \$0.97; No. 14, \$0.96; No. 15, \$0.95; No. 16, \$0.94; No. 17, \$0.93; No. 18, \$0.92; No. 19, \$0.91; No. 20, \$0.90; No. 21, \$0.89; No. 22, \$0.88; No. 23, \$0.87; No. 24, \$0.86; No. 25, \$0.85; No. 26, \$0.84; No. 27, \$0.83; No. 28, \$0.82; No. 29, \$0.81; No. 30, \$0.80; No. 31, \$0.79; No. 32, \$0.78; No. 33, \$0.77; No. 34, \$0.76; No. 35, \$0.75; No. 36, \$0.74; No. 37, \$0.73; No. 38, \$0.72; No. 39, \$0.71; No. 40, \$0.70; No. 41, \$0.69; No. 42, \$0.68; No. 43, \$0.67; No. 44, \$0.66; No. 45, \$0.65; No. 46, \$0.64; No. 47, \$0.63; No. 48, \$0.62; No. 49, \$0.61; No. 50, \$0.60; No. 51, \$0.59; No. 52, \$0.58; No. 53, \$0.57; No. 54, \$0.56; No. 55, \$0.55; No. 56, \$0.54; 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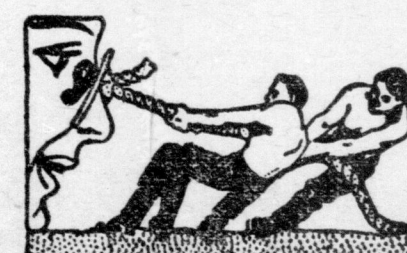
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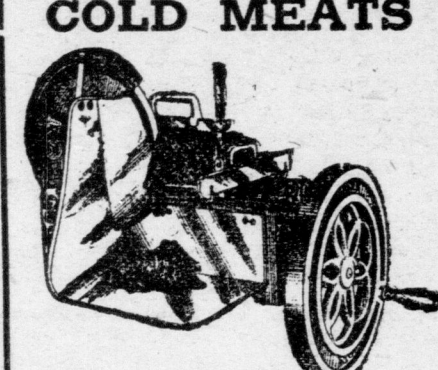
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Realty Sale.
Mr. L. A. Weaver, auctioneer, disposed of the Gould estate, 43 Regina street, on Wednesday. The bidding was very keen and the property sold at a good figure.

In London Pulpits.
Special reference will be made on Sunday by the clergymen of this city, to the congress of women, and to the excellent work being accomplished in various ways by the women of Canada.

No Increase Here.
While dispatches from New York State report an increase in the price of hard coal there, owing to the recent increase of ten per cent in wages given the men at the mines in the settlement of the strike, local dealers state that they have as yet heard nothing of any change. However, some official information may be forthcoming here within a few days.

Death of Mrs. Carter.
Mrs. Catherine Carter, wife of Mr. George Carter, of 93 High street, died at her residence Wednesday, aged 78 years. Mrs. Carter was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, but has lived in this city for a great many years. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Clarke, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. J. G. Kistler, of the First Presbyterian Church, will conduct the services.

Miss Duval's Funeral.
The funeral of Miss Edna Lillian Duval was held on Tuesday afternoon from her parents' residence, 422 Charlotte street. The pall-bearers were: W. Joyce, A. Joyce, W. Crawford, G. Martin, R. Gladie, J. Anderson. Among the friends sending floral offerings were: Employees of the Asylum, employees of H. A. Burton & Co., Grand Opera House Orchestra, London East Boys, Mr. and Mrs. Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. English, Mr. George Martin, Mrs. Stanfield, Mrs. Mortimer, Mr. J. W. Borden, Miss Crawford, Miss Lillian Dodge, Miss Gwendolyn Fowler, Messrs. R. H. and B. C. Craig, Miss Lottie Young, Miss Myrtle Pike and Mr. and Mrs. Willis.

Beautiful Floral Offerings.
The floral offerings received by the family of the late Harold Legg, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Legg, of 230 Richmond street, who was drowned in a canoe accident near Woodland Cemetery on Sunday afternoon, were very beautiful and included gifts from the following: H. E. Buttery, S. Stevely, employees of the Havana Cigar Company, employees of Boomers, employees of the National Drug Company, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brady, Mr. and Mrs. William Lee, Mr. and Mrs. William Haslam (St. Thomas), Mrs. E. Hoffman and daughters (Detroit), Miss Bertha Legg, Mrs. Cassidy, Misses, Ladies Aid of Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Canadian Order of Chosen Friends No. 27, Misses McReddy, A. McDonald and E. Godbout and Mr. Dell Godbout, Mrs. T. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Mr. and Mrs. McWain, Mr. and Mrs. A. Light, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sadler, Miss Phoebe McArthur, Miss E. Gauld, Mrs. Upchurch and son, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Pirie, Messrs. Ed. McCullough, S. W. Gray and R. Marley, Thomas McCullough, T. R. Hamilton and Mr. Beale. The pallbearers were Messrs. William, Arthur, Walter Legg, Charles and John Cunningham and A. R. Brock.

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LISTOWEL CHURCH GETS

BEQUEST OF \$1,000

Former Resident Dead in Winnipeg Left \$25,000 to Charity.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Listowel, May 23.—Word has been received here that George Veile, formerly of Listowel, who died recently in Winnipeg, has left more than \$25,000 in bequests, as follows:
"I direct my executors and trustees to pay to the trustees of the Methodist Church at Glen Allan, \$500.
"To the trustees of the Methodist Church in the town of Listowel, \$1,000.
"To the Winnipeg General Hospital, \$5,000.
"To the St. Boniface Hospital, \$1,000.
"To the Sick Children's Hospital in St. Johns, Winnipeg, \$1,000.
"To the St. Joseph's Orphanage in St. James, Manitoba, \$1,000.
"To the Children's Home in Winnipeg, \$5,000.
"To the Young Men's Christian Association, Winnipeg, \$1,000.
"To the Ninette Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, \$5,000.
"To the Canadian Society for Tuberculosis, Winnipeg, \$2,500.
"To the Newboys' Club, Winnipeg, the sum of \$1,000."

MADRID GOES WILD

OVER BULL FIGHTER

Women Vent Frenzied Enthusiasm When Last Year's Hero Returns to the Ring.

Madrid, Spain, May 23.—In spite of all the dangers threatening Alfonso's throne, Spain is gay today. For Bombita, the most famous living torador, is back again in the bull ring and has been greeted by thousands of Spaniards, especially the women, with frenzied enthusiasm.
His daring was such that last year he received an ugly wound, being gored by a bull whose agility he estimated a shade too highly. Doctors said he would never perform again, but strength of will in their patient has since aided the surgeons, and today there is no weakness discernible in the national favorite.
So much does he excel that Spanish queen, right up to the king and queen, delight to show him honor. He receives enormous fees, runs his own automobiles and is met with in most exclusive salons.
On his first performance after his recovery his cool audacity, in the face of the angry bulls, roused the vast gathering to such transports that when he at last dispatched the animal the air rang with cries of "The ear!" "The ear!" by which they signified their wish that Bombita should carry away the bull's ear as a proof

of prowess and popular approval.
King Alfonso joined in the clamor, and the ear was accordingly awarded to the dexterous performer.
The queen was there, too, in joyous raiment, but though she does her best to conciliate Spanish opinion, she has small taste for bull fights and takes but a languid interest in incidents that send her companions into wild excitement.

THINK DRAMA DEAD

Some French Writers Declare It Does Not Benefit Public.

Paris, May 24.—A French literary review addressed to a number of well-known writers the following questions: "1. What is your opinion on the prevalent taste of modern society for the theatre? Does it indicate advance or decadence? Does the play develop the same faculties as the book? Which, in your opinion, is the most profitable, listening to a dramatic performance or reading a book?"
A number of interesting replies were received. Only two writers, Paul Sauday and Mazel, saw in the passion for the play a serious evidence of intellectual development. The great majority pronounce firmly against the drama, the modern craze for theatre-going.

"The taste for drama," writes Maurice Barres, "which is now becoming something between a vaudeville and a caricature, indicates a tendency to take the line of least effort."
Rene Boylve also considers it as a proof of laziness; but he, in addition, sees in it a manifestation of social decadence. People he thinks go to the theatre not so much to enjoy themselves as to provide themselves with topics of conversation.
M. Colrat believes the real drama to be extinct and that nowadays the purely spectacular element prevails on the stage. In this he is at one with Sar Peladan, who hold that there are only eight real dramatists—three Greek, two English, two French and two German. Vincent d'Indy, an eminent composer, prefers, even for music, reading to representation.
Edmond Pilon also declares for the book, which he declares paradoxically, alone can insure immortality for the true drama. "The passion of Racine," he says, "the grace of Marivaux, the irony of de Banville, the language of de Musset are much more apparent and appreciable in the calm and thoughtful atmosphere of the study than before the glare of the chandelier and the flashing of the spotlight."

Personal Mention

Mrs. James Gammack, of Port Huron, is visiting Mrs. Robert Webster, Bruce street.
Mrs. Matheson, Sudbury, will be the guest of Mrs. Burnham, 145 Worley road, during the national council convention. Mrs. McNaughton, of Montreal, stays with Mrs. A. A. Campbell, Wellington and St. James streets. Miss Shobottom, of Euclid avenue, is entertaining Mrs. Asa Garden and Mrs. Deacon, of Ottawa; and Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Campbell, of Toronto, will be with Mrs. Weir, 12 Beaconsfield avenue.

PIONEER OF DOWNIE

Mr. Robert Thistle Came From Ireland as a Boy.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Mary's, May 23.—Mr. Robert Thistle, is dead at his home, concession 6, on the Gore of Downie. He was 73 years old, and came to Canada, when a boy from Tyrone, Ireland. He is survived by four sons and two daughters. William, Arthur and Alfred, at home, and Alexander, in West Superior, Wisconsin, and the daughters are Mrs. Kay, of Blanshard, and Mrs. W. Lowe, of Downie.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING VICTORIA DAY?

A great many people are anxiously looking forward to Victoria Day for their first summer outing. Fortunately, this year, the holiday falls on Friday, which offers pleasure-seekers a long day's vacation, with practically no loss of time. The Canadian Pacific Railway will issue return tickets at special rates between stations in Canada, east of Port Arthur, also to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, N. Y., and 22 and 24. Return tickets good going May 23 and 24, and returning May 25. See that your tickets read via Canadian Pacific Railway. City ticket office, 161 Dundas street, corner Richmond, London.

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The Williams Piano Company store have just received a complete list of Disk Records, made in England by English artists, concert hall singers, bands and orchestras. Call and hear them while the stock is complete. 1311

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On Saturday, May 25, the Grand Trunk Railway will sell round-trip tickets to Detroit for \$1.00, good going at 11:35 a.m., and returning any day (except No. 16), not later than Monday, May 27. Full particulars and tickets at "Clock Corner" R. E. RUSE, C. P. and T. A.

Victoria Day Excursion to Detroit.

On May 23 and 24 the Grand Trunk Railway will sell round-trip tickets to Detroit for \$1.00, good going on any train and returning on any train up to and including May 27. Trains leave London 3:32 a.m., 6:35 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 8:10 p.m. Trains leave Detroit (London time) 8:50 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 3:45 p.m., 7:05 p.m., 8:40 p.m., 11:30 p.m. Full information and tickets at "Clock Corner" R. E. RUSE, C. P. and T. A.

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Trains to Western Canada.
Via Chicago and St. Paul, April 16, 23 and 30, and every second Tuesday thereafter until Sept. 17. Inclusive. Tickets will also be on sale on certain dates via Sarnia and Northern Navigation Company. Special train will leave Toronto 10:30 p.m. on above dates for Edmonton and points. At all points on Grand Trunk Pacific Railway west of Winnipeg. Through coaches and Pullman tourist sleepers will be carried fully equipped with bedding and porter in charge. Berths may be secured in sleepers at a low rate. This is an exceptional opportunity for those wishing to take advantage of the remarkably low one-way rates of round-trip homeseekers' excursions through the American cities. No change of cars. Secure tickets and berth reservations from any Grand Trunk agent, or write A. E. Duff, district passenger agent, Union Station, Toronto.

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Choice Pineapples We have some excellent quality, and they're just right for preserving. \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$3.00 Per Dozen.

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LONDON SHOPKEEPERS WANT THESE MILLIONS

Too Much of American Cash Going to Paris, They Claim.

London, May 23.—The enforcing of the new shops act is causing no end of a middle in London. The act requires that on one day in each week shops and stores must close at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, in order to give the assistants one half-holiday in the week.

Even restaurants, tea shops and chemists come under the law, and there is some pretty strong language floating around.

There is, of course, a way out. An old lawyer used to say that there never was an act of Parliament through which you could not drive a coach and four, if only you knew the way. And the shops act is no exception. The sage legislators who brought in the bill had not foreseen enough to see that.

The act was designed for one thing only. It does not stipulate that any shop should close on any particular day, so long as the shop assistants get their half-holiday. Still, it is causing an immense amount of trouble, and will until shopkeepers get things adjusted.

Hurts Assistants.

Furthermore, instead of benefiting the shop assistants, it is working out to their detriment. Even if they wish, the law will not allow them to put in five days in one shop. They must take their half-holiday, but the law does not stipulate how they should spend their day or half-day off.

Restaurants and tea shops are feeling the pinch most. There have been agitations from time to time demanding that restaurants and tea shops should be kept open all seven days in the week, and that the compulsory closing of restaurants at 12:30 five nights, at 12 on Saturdays and 11 on Sunday should be abolished, so that theatre and concert goers might be able to take their suppers in comfort.

It was never imagined till now that the shops act, allowing only five nights in the week, was meant to apply to them. Hereafter, therefore, the compulsory waiters, waitresses and other assistants, they will take them on for only five days in the week and employ extra hands for the sixth and seventh days.

Thus, while they do five days at one place, they can fill up their other days at other shops, and the police authorities cannot kick.

Sales Are Restricted.
For chemists and druggists it is worse. Certificated assistants are not to be hired by the day, and though they may sell medicines and surgical appliances on the prescribed half-holidays, they cannot sell anything else. Supposing a man wants eau de cologne or a bottle of meat extract for a sick wife, he cannot be served.

There will be police inspectors calling round making such purchases for purposes of prosecution. Nothing can be obtained without a physician's order.

One of the absurdities of the act is that under the terms "shop assistants" clerks in the counting-house of the shop or store, errand boys, carmen and others engaged in the delivery of orders to customers are not included. They might work the whole of the 168 hours in the week if they had the physical power to do so and nobody could stop them.

PRINCESS PAT.

[Toronto Telegram.]
The Princess Patricia looks her name. Teller than her father, she carries herself with a willowy grace, coloring, and beautiful dark eyes, hair and a wistful mouth. Saturday she wore a simple white cloth gown, the little yoke of fine lace made with high-pointed collar, edged with black. Her black girde was narrow at the back and very wide in front. With a broad-brimmed black hat trimmed with a mount of white hollyhocks, she wore a webby veil of black lace.

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SOME WALKER IS MRS. BEACH! HOW SHE LOOKS ON HER 1,000-MILE TRAMP



The picture shows Mrs. David Beach, who is walking 1,000 miles from New York to Chicago on a diet of raw food, passing through a town on her route.

THE SPUR

Said the wise ones, "Stay single, a wife handicaps you. She weakens your courage and palsies your arm. And down to the routine of living she straps you. Trying to keep you from danger or harm!" But I went and I married a dear little girl. Who promised to stick till old Gabriel's trump. And since we were wed I have risen up early And kept myself evermore right on the jump!

SHE'S urged me to chances I'd never have taken. She's prodded me on when I wanted to quit. And when I've come home with my courage all shaken She's stiffened my nerve with her daring and wit. And though she has babies to shelter and mother, She's made me fight on while the rations were short. And when I think over things—one and another—I know that my wife is a good little sport!

You can take it from me—where ONE fellow is hampered By having a wife, as will sometimes occur, There are twenty at least, who've successfully scampered "Clean out of the mob—with a wife for a spur!" There's many a man who is only a plodder. That nevertheless has arrived at the top. Because of a wife with a sharp little prodder Who hurried him on when he wanted to stop!

THAT NAVY OF OURS.
[Toronto Star.]
At an early date a couple of members of the Borden Government will go over to London to discuss with the Admiralty the question as to what part Canada is to play in the naval defence of the empire. So far, it must be confessed, there has been no evidence of haste at Ottawa to get into grips with this problem, but assurances have been many that once the job is begun it will be handled in a large way and will be well done.

It became more probable every day that the Borden Government will, after a convenient period of delay, and after consultation with the Admiralty, decide to carry out pretty much the same policy as that originated by the Laurier Administration.

WON \$8,750 PRIZE.
[Canadian Press.]
Melbourne, Australia, May 23.—The first prize in the competition for a design for the federal capital site has

been awarded to Walter B. Griffin, of Chicago. The value of the prize is \$8,750.

WELCOME EXPLORER.

[Canadian Press.]
Buenos Ayres, May 23.—Capt. Raold Amundsen, the discoverer of the South Pole, arrived here today from Montevideo, and was greeted by great gathering of the Norwegian colony and other persons who all joined in singing the Norwegian national anthem.

PRETTY TOUGH LUCK.

[Gore Bay Recorder.]
The Recorder did not appear last week because the transportation failed to deliver our paper. We are sorry to disappoint our readers, but must people who have any shipping to do will understand the circumstances.

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