

Weather Forecast:
Rain; Colder

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Aries Retake Trenches and Make Advance

WHY NO BOARD OF HEALTH CLOSE SMALLPOX HOSPITAL?

And Why Was Medical Officer
Allowed One Candle To
Fumigate House?

AGED HEALTH OFFICER
BEING MADE TARGET

Physician Says That in Spite
of Niggardly Policy City
Has Been Healthy.

While upon superficial examination much has been said as to the door of Dr. T. V. Hutchinson, medical officer of health, there are city physicians who say that with the restrictions placed upon him by the health board, and with the salary and expense account allowed him, he has done as well as any man could have done.

A Penurious Policy.
"When a health board and a city council are so penurious as to allow a medical officer of health only one formaldehyde candle to fumigate a house, it is not to be wondered at that there is dissatisfaction," said one physician. "The city, through the board of health, had the smallpox hospital closed, and this was hampering the medical health officer. As he says, there has not been a death from smallpox in twenty years, and much of the credit is due him. He is a man of more than 70 years of age, his salary has been small, \$1,400 a year, I believe, and he retired from active practice when bacteriology was in its infancy. In spite of this and other handicaps, he has done well. The city has had a clean bill of health, and practically no serious epidemic in his term of office."

Not All the Blame His.
"If there is blame it should not be laid entirely with Dr. Hutchinson. He has been a servant of the board of health. It was up to them to see that he had the necessary funds. Why did he and Dr. Burdon or any of the others permit this laxity? If the office he holds is to be investigated, it is of greater importance that the board of health should be investigated. The board of health holds meetings every week, and it should be able to handle the situation. The board should be thoroughly investigated, and should be glad to be investigated."

A Long-Standing Matter.
Dr. Hutchinson has never been in the good graces of Sir Adam Beck, and many regard the latter's attitude as the cause of his present position. The standing, sprung at an opportune time for certain purposes. When mayor of this city, Dr. Adam Beck made several attacks on Dr. Hutchinson, and on one occasion was successful in having his salary reduced. The situation of the tuberculosis situation was a factor.

Investigation Tuesday.
The motion put forward and carried to the city council called for an investigation into the office of medical officer of health and the board of health. The investigation will commence on Tuesday, January 5, and will be conducted by Dr. John W. S. McCullough, chief officer of health of the province. The sessions will open at 10 a.m., and the charges brought by Sir Adam Beck will be heard. Dr. McCullough will bring a court stenographer, and the sessions will be open to the public. Only the state attorney will be heard to be heard to be on hand on Tuesday next.

SOCIAL EVENTS AT OTTAWA CANCELLED

No Drawing-Room or State
Ball To Be Held This
Session.

[Special To The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—The drawing-room and state ball, the two great annual social events at the capital at the opening of every session of Parliament, have been cancelled, and the opening of the coming session will be devoid of pomp and splendor. Only the state dinner will be held. On New Year's Day His Royal Highness will hold the usual levee, when the public may meet him informally at noonday.

BRITISH MAIL

The next British mail (parcel post) leaves Thursday, December 31, at 2 p.m.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 33; lowest, 15.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 30; lowest, 17.

TOMORROW—RAIN; COLDER.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—8 a.m.

Forecasts.
Strong wind and rains, gradually shifting to west and northwest, snow and rain, turning much colder during Wednesday.

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Stations. High. Low. Weather.

Victoria	48	40	Cloudy
Calgary	30	20	Cloudy
Winnipeg	20	10	Clear
Port Arthur	12	10	Cloudy
Perry Sound	20	24	Cloudy
Toronto	34	24	Cloudy
Quebec	28	24	Cloudy
Montreal	28	24	Cloudy
St. John's	18	10	Cloudy
Halifax	18	10	Cloudy

Weather Notes.

A depression is developing quickly in the Upper Mississippi Valley, while a cold wave covers the western provinces. The outlook is stormy from the great lakes to the Maritime Provinces and continued very cold in the West.

States' Protest Aimed At Britain's Attitude

Not Result of Any One Violation of Alleged Commerce
Rights—In Friendly Tone Note Insists On Change
In Contraband Policy.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, Dec. 29.—Official Washington awaited with much interest the outcome of the expected conference in London today between Ambassador Page and Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, for the presentation of a long note from the United States Government insisting that the legitimate commerce of this country should not be unduly molested by the British fleet.

The communication, prepared by President Wilson and his advisers in the state department, reached London today, and was regarded here as the strongest representation on the subject of commerce made by the United States to any belligerent since the outbreak of war.

In view of the important principles involved in the note, it was expected to have a far-reaching effect on the attitude of other neutral countries toward the general subject of contraband. Some diplomats thought it might hasten the calling of the conference of neutrals proposed by Venezuela to revise the rules of international law for the protection of neutral commerce.

Against General Attitude.
The note was not the result, it is understood, of any particular violation by Great Britain of what Washington considers its commerce rights, but was inspired by a protest against the general attitude of the British Government toward the treatment of neutral commerce. The document points out that the United States was patient in the early days of hostilities, realizing the war had been declared by the British with serious problems. It declares that with

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CITY OVERDRAFT IS NEAR \$30,000

More Than \$20,000 of This
Directly Caused Through
Outbreak of War.

HOSPITAL COST \$71,000
This Was \$25,000 in Excess
of Amount Provided in Order
To Make a Showing.

The city of London ends this year with an overdraft of \$29,241.16. This is the largest overdraft in the history of the city, according to those who should know.

Included in this amount is the insurance of soldiers, amounting to \$17,644.66, an additional amount for relief purposes of about \$4,000, and about \$2,000 extra police allowance because of officers going to the war.

"Victoria Hospital shows the largest overdraft," the estimate for this institution was \$48,000, while the expenditure has amounted to \$71,000. In order to make a showing, the board of control established the hospital estimates, although it knew well that the amount spent would be much larger than was provided.

The finance department exceeds its appropriation by over \$2,000, the fire and light and market department by about the same amount. The relief department by approximately \$4,000, the manufacturers' committee by \$300, the garbage department by about \$6,000 (this includes the purchase of the horse equipment at \$7,000), the administration of justice exceeded the estimates by \$1,000, the police department by over \$2,000, the board of health by over \$14,819.41. This was provided for in the estimates.

The figures of the city estimates and expenditures for the year are as follows:

City Council Accounts.

	Estimates	Expenditure
Debt charges	\$304,148.15	\$307,148.15
Finance Dept.	68,470.25	70,743.74
Works Dept.	66,004.50	62,903.02
Fire Dept.	1,103,562.52	1,105,518.30
Police force bene.	500.00	500.00
Police force	11,000.00	15,045.24
Western Unit	10,000.00	10,000.00
Western Fair	1,500.00	1,500.00
Proclamation	2,500.00	1,800.10
Manufacturers	5,900.00	5,300.00
Garbage Dept.	16,035.50	43,509.87
Relief Dept.	7,000.00	7,000.00
Electrical In-	2,000.00	2,000.00
spection	2,416.91	2,416.91
Insurance of	17,644.66	17,644.66
soldiers	17,644.66	17,644.66
Other Boards Accounts.	\$648,502.87	\$698,352.99
Water Commis-	9,900.00	9,900.00
sioners	11,000.00	12,000.00
Justice	53,525.50	55,538.51
Police Dept.	800.00	635.15
Refund of taxes	500.00	345.82
Tr. and P. S. R.	150.00	150.00
Hospital	46,000.00	71,000.00
Board of Health	5,856.00	7,210.33
Summary.	\$127,631.50	\$157,023.17
Accounts City	\$648,502.87	\$698,352.99
Accounts, other	127,631.50	157,023.17
boards	127,631.50	157,023.17
Total	\$776,133.37	\$855,376.16
Total overdraft.	\$77,241.16	

**RECRUITS NEEDED FOR
PRINCESS PAT'S PETS**
Orders Seem to Indicate Regiment Will
Soon Be Fighting.

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, Dec. 29.—Indications that the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry are about to go into action are found by local officers in the fact that an order has been received to begin the recruiting of an extra one hundred and twenty officers and men for this regiment. Men in the second contingent are to be given a chance to transfer. The reinforcements will be sent to England as soon as possible, and be used to fill up the ranks of the regiment as they are depleted.

STEAMER SUNK BY MINE
[Canadian Press.]
London, Dec. 29.—The Glasgow steamer Gem, a small vessel of about 300 tons, has been sunk in the North Sea as the result of striking a mine. Two of the crew were rescued, but the fate of the others aboard the Gem is unknown.

SUIT FOR COMMISSION—John W. Smith. of this city, has issued a writ against Mr. and Mrs. Casper Howard, of Lunenburg, for \$247 commission on the sale of an automobile. The writ was issued by W. G. R. Burman.

CANADA READY TO HELP TO THE END

"What Remains To Be Done
Limited Only by Needs"
—Borden.

LIMITLESS RESOURCES

Germany Has Learned That
Canada Is Not Negligible
Country.

[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—"What remains to be done shall be limited only by the need," was the slogan coined by Sir Robert Borden, prime minister of the Dominion, in a speech delivered this afternoon before the Winnipeg Canadian Club, to express the attitude of the Government in the future in regard to the war.

Sir Robert, after referring to the unanimity of Canada in supporting the mother country in the conflict, pointed out that in this Dominion, confronted as we are with peaceful tasks that tax to the fullest extent our energies in the development of our vast territory, and in the upbuilding of a great free nation on the northern half of this continent, it is almost impossible to realize a complete withdrawal from the waging of a war as justifiable, desirable, and even a necessary means of national progress and development.

Third Time—Out.
Continuing, the Prime Minister remarked: "On three recognized occasions during the past ten years Germany has brought Europe to the verge of actual war. On two of these occasions she imposed her will upon Europe, but on the third Great Britain stood firm, resolved, and Germany recoiled."

"The events of 1911 have never been forgotten, and there is reason to believe that, but for the commanding influence and untiring efforts of Sir Edward Grey, the war which broke out in 1914 would have been forced upon Europe. It is always on the verge of boiling, although the people know nothing of it until the steam begins to escape. When the secrets of the diplomatic game come to be fully disclosed I do not doubt that in each of the past ten years Germany's aggressiveness will be found to have made war imminent or at least probable."

Empire's Resources.
"Not only are the British Isles military preparation has been perfect because of development has proceeded along the paths of peace. The instinct of the British people is against military preparation, but the British people are not viewed with favor. But in the British Isles and in the self-governing dominions alone there are at least 60,000,000 men, a population nearly equal to that of Germany. If our preparation for the struggle was insignificant compared with that of Germany, let us not forget that her resources are insignificant compared with those of this Empire. There

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**RUSSIANS HOLD CARPATHIANS;
REVERSAL OF AUSTRIAN FORM**

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[Canadian Press.]
London, Dec. 29.—12 (noon).—British observers of the progress of the war point this morning to the admission in the Austrian official announcements that Russia is once more master of the passes in the Carpathian Mountains, and that the troops along the entire Austrian front from the Biala River to a point northeast of the Dukla Pass, seem to be falling back.

This means the withdrawal of virtually all the Russian forces which swept across the mountains to form the extreme right in the concerted Austro-German attack on the part of the Austrian soldiers, whose battle fortunes since the outbreak of hostilities have been conspicuously erratic.

TEDIOUS WARFARE.
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The British press concedes the importance of the trenches near Hellesbeke, south of Ypres, which have been taken by the Germans, and points out that the strategic value of these positions has been emphasized recently in a dispatch from Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces on the continent. They command an important crossing of the River Lys, to which the Germans have been holding tenaciously. The taking of these trenches gives them a stronger foothold.

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Retaking of Alsace by French Army Progresses

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**SHELLING OF AEROPLANES
PRETTY SIGHT TO WITNESS**
At Distance Machine Looks Like Dragon Fly With Shells
Like Snowballs Bursting Around and
Near It.

Special Correspondence.
London, Eng., Dec. 29.—An English officer at the front writes home the following interesting letter about war in the air:

"The prettiest thing of the whole lot to watch, if you aren't an aviator, is the German shelling of one of our aeroplanes. They have a special anti-aircraft gun, which must, I think, be mounted on a motor carriage, as it is very mobile, and which obviously can be fired at any angle from the horizontal to straight up in the air."

"It must work on the skyrocket principle, as it lets go a regular string of shells, and considering the tremendous difficulties of the target the Germans are amazingly skillful with it."

"They use a fuse which can be set to burst at a fixed height above the ground. When they spot an aeroplane they first burst three or four shells with different lengths of fuse, to discover its height. Having got that they lose off in rapid succession anything up to a dozen shells, all bursting at the same height. If they are lucky they burst all around the machine; they hope that even if they do not actually hit it the explosions will make air pockets which, disturbing its balance, will make it fall."

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GERMAN STATEMENT.
Berlin, Dec. 29.—Via London.—This official statement on the progress of the war was given out in Berlin today:

"In the progress of the war we have gained some ground, after relatively unimportant engagements, near Nieuport, and to the southwest of Ypres. Several German counter-attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy. We captured 200 prisoners."

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GLAUBITZ CHARGE GONE TO MAJOR-GEN. HUGHES

Martial Law In Pretoria, U.S.S.A.



Wives of citizens are shown in the above picture carrying their husbands' rifles to the military headquarters in compliance with the order to turn in all firearms when martial law was proclaimed.

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THAT GERMAN WIRELESS

French Official Statement Jokes About German Story That
Captured Shells Will Not Explode.

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, Dec. 29.—A second official announcement was made by the French authorities this afternoon. It said:

"An official German communication, dated Dec. 26 and transmitted generally to all stations where wireless telegrams are copied, refers to the fact that it often happens that the shells used by the German field artillery do not explode. At the same time the statement is made that these shells

were captured from the French or the Belgians."

"The Germans, who daily have excellent opportunities to observe the efficacy of the French artillery, have now discovered a new quality in our guns. This is that they are dangerous only when operated by Frenchmen."

"Let us believe that this is only one more of the romantic tales painstakingly spread abroad by the German wireless system."

This Given as One of Reasons
Why Council Did Not
Respond.

COMMISSION NOT PLEASSED

Wished To Have the Charges
Taken Before County
Judge at Once.

The refusal or failure of the city council to attend in sufficient numbers to take up the Glaubitz charges yesterday afternoon was the subject of varying opinions today.

Those who asked for an investigation before the county judge contended that the city council was unfair in that it refused to take the necessary action to bring the matter to the attention of the county judge.

On the other hand, the aldermen say that the utilities commission ignored them when they asked for investigation, and that its employees refused to appear before the committee appointed to look into the charges.

In Hands of Hughes.
Further they state that the city council's resolution has been sent to Major-Gen. Hon. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, and that as their request for a military investigation has not yet been refused, the proper authorities have been consulted. They say that Brig-Gen. Hodgins has not been consulted, and that it is not for him, but for Major-Gen. Hughes to decide the matter. They say that if necessary the whole facts will be laid before the head of the militia department, and that as the question is one of the former general manager's loyalty to the country, it should be a subject for military inquiry.

Time Not Sufficient.
It is said that the public utilities commission was anxious to have the matter investigated before election, but this would not have been possible, as the evidence could not have been arranged for in time, according to the aldermen.

This morning Mr. Glaubitz was in consultation with Chairman Pockock, but he has no comment to make in the matter.

One phase of the question is: What will be the status of Mr. Glaubitz and Mr. Hunt, when the present council adjourns sine die at the end of its present term? Will the new council reaffirm the resolution adopted, or will the utilities commission reinstate the two officials without further investigation? The general impression, however, is that the matter will be investigated when the proper authorities have given their decision with the consent of all parties.

"CHERISH ALL IDEALS"
**VON HINDENBURG GIVES
AS CHRISTMAS MESSAGE**

German Commanders Advise
Thoughts and Wishes For
Day's Celebration.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Dec. 29.—The Christmas number of the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger, which reached London last night, contains the symposium of opinion from commanders of the German and Austro-Hungarian armies on the reply to the question: "With what thoughts and wishes do we greet the people and the army celebrate Christmas?"

The replies are:

The Crown Prince—Keep cool and stick to it.

The Crown Prince of Bavaria—Not words and wishes, but strong belief in our ultimate victory over all the enemies of the fatherland, as hitherto, the sentiments wherewith the German people and its armies approach the celebration of Christmas, 1914.

Co-operation.
Archduke Frederick of Austria—Strength lies in the whole-hearted co-operation of all.

General von Falkenhayn, chief of the German general staff—Set us trust in eternal justice and the strength of the German sword.

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WANTS STATES TO RECALL CONSULS

Germany Says Some of Them
Must Be Withdrawn From
Belgium.

BELGIUM MAKES PROTEST

Declares It Would Be an
Acknowledgment of Ger-
man Sovereignty.

(Canadian Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—The German Government has formally notified the State Department that American consuls in Belgium must be acceptable to the German military authorities and that it is desirable that some of the consuls be withdrawn for the present at least.

Secretary Bryan declined today to make public the text of the German communication or to comment on it until he had full opportunity to consider it.

The understanding in official circles, however, is that the notice is similar to the one sent Argentina and other neutral countries and that while the German Government does not insist that consuls in Belgium take out new exequaturs from German officials, it announces that such consuls must exercise their functions only by permission of the military authorities in control of the territory in which the consuls are situated.

Only Four Consuls.
The United States has consular representatives only in Brussels, Antwerp, Liege and Ghent, and since the war began they have had little work of the ordinary character to do. Their activities have been devoted largely to looking after refugees and aiding in relief work.

The request for the withdrawal of certain consuls is said to be entirely impersonal and to be based upon the law of military necessity, which recognizes the right of a military officer in command of occupied territory to dictate absolutely the amount and extent of civil business and the manner in which it shall be conducted in that territory.

The disposition of the department apparently is to recognize the right of the authorities of a captured territory to prescribe the order of temporary conditions under which consuls shall discharge their duties, and it is contended this can be done with or in any way consistent with the United States to a political recognition of the right of the military occupant of a territory to its possession.

Excuse for Withdrawal.
Regarding the withdrawal of consuls from certain points, under color of military necessity, it is said that there need be no actual interruption of commerce in consequence because under American consular regulations in the absence of a consul—a not infrequent happening in normal times—two reputable merchants may render an acceptable certificate in an invoice of goods.

The Japanese Government already has indicated its collection of the presence of foreign consuls in the territory of Kiao Chow recently captured from the Germans. In that case there is no question of who shall issue exequaturs, but the presence of the consuls is a question of who shall issue them, no matter what may be their legal status. Several applications have come to the State Department from mercantile interests, urging the return of American Consul Peck to Tsingtau, but in the face of Japanese opposition and in the knowledge of the fact that the order of exequaturs is against consuls of all nations alike, the State Department has not felt called upon to force an issue by ordering the return of Mr. Peck to his post.

Belgian Minister Protests.
Mr. Hainaut, the Belgian minister, called at the State Department today, after the German notice had been received. Later he issued this statement:

"The Belgian minister has been informed that the German Government has notified the neutral powers of its intention to cancel the exequaturs accorded by the Belgian Government to foreign consuls in Belgium."

"The Belgian Government has protested against this step. The issue as well as the cancellation of an exequatur are questions which concern the sovereignty of the state from which they emanate. Now, a power in military occupation of a territory only enjoys de facto occupation, which cannot be transferred, insofar as its relations with neutral states is concerned, into a state of sovereignty."

FLOOR GAVE WAY AT

NOMINATION MEETING

Twenty-five Electors Fell Through, But
Escaped Unhurt.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

ADELPHI, Dec. 28.—The floor gave away here today when the nomination ball was crowded with 200 electors, and 25 of them fell about two feet to the ground beneath. All escaped serious injury, although several were badly shaken up.

TORONTO MAN SHOTS

HIMSELF THROUGH HEART

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—E. L. Bess, 40, residing at 272 Scarborough road, committing suicide late this afternoon by shooting himself through the heart with a .45. Caliber. Domestic troubles are said to have been the cause.

PARIS READY FOR

GERMAN ATTACKS

Is Centre of Entrenched
Camp of Sixty Miles
Diameter.

GREAT TASK FINISHED

Points of Observation Es-
tablished All Along
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ANOTHER DEATH.
[Canadian Press.]
Ottawa, Dec. 28.—Casualties in Canadian expeditionary forces:
Death—December 28th, No. 23128, Private George Meads, No. 11 Field Ambulance, at Bulford Manor Hospital, of influenza. Next of kin, Miss Fanny Meads, Heth, West Beeston, Oxfordshire, England.
Seriously ill—No. 28574, Private Jack Omond, 17th Battalion, Bulford Manor Hospital, of endocarditis. Next of kin, Mrs. S. Omond, 60 Victoria street, North Shields, England.

Finest Jail Ever, He Says

Experienced "Visitor" Has Praise for Middlesex County Cooler and Its Eats.

"This is the finest jail I have ever been in," declared James P. O'Hollern, who has spent the past two months in the Middlesex County Jail, "and the food is the best I have ever tasted in such a place, and compared to the stuff they feed us in South Africa, it is fit to go on the King's own table."
"Well, you don't look like a criminal," said the warden, Archie Campbell, "I'm not, when I am in my senses," returned O'Hollern. "When I get a few drinks in me I don't know what I am doing. I generally go out and steal something, and wake up in the police station next morning, charged with theft. The drink habit is a hard one to break."
O'Hollern went on to describe the Middlesex County Jail, Police Inspector Matthews gave the prisoners a week ago Sunday. He declared that he had never tasted such a fine breakfast, even when he was in the English army in Egypt and India.

RICHMOND STREET IS LATEST SPEEDWAY

When a man, giving his name to the police as John Chantler, colored, and who had imbibed rather too freely, mistook Richmond street for a race course, and urged the horse which he was driving, to a gallop, the police were obliged to close the road for a short time last night. His "joy ride" was abruptly brought to a halt by the police, who were checking the animal. The animal served suddenly. The captured horse and man were taken to the police headquarters by P. C. Smith. Chantler had to be carried into the station, police stating that he was put up at a nearby hotel. Chantler was discharged by Magistrate Judd in police court today.

WIRE BUT NO THIEF

Police Make Unusual Capture of Stolen Goods.

An unknown man, who eluded the police last night, is being sought by the detectives today on a charge of stealing seven coils of copper wire, valued at \$15, which are now at police headquarters awaiting an owner.
Early in the evening the man secured a horse and cutter from Boardman's East side livery. Some hours later, Patrolman Brammer noticed a man driving on the wrong side of the road, and as he stepped out to tell him to get on the right side the man jumped out of the cutter and disappeared into the darkness. Brammer then discovered the wire. When the officer taken back to his red cutter had been exchanged for a black one.
The St. Thomas detectives have been notified of the theft, the local detectives believing that the wire was stolen from the Railroad City.

WAS NOT WOUNDED

London Officer Had "No Such Luck," He Writes.

Mr. K. Macbeth received a letter from Captain H. F. R. Griffith, from his home in Winchester, Eng., which Captain Griffith, R. R. C. Company of London, enters a vigorous denial to the story recently appearing in the local papers to the effect that he was seriously wounded and invalided to England.
"No such luck" is the way Captain Griffith puts it in his letter to Mr. Macbeth. "I was in the North India," he writes, "on the 17th of November, and arrived at Plymouth on the 10th of December. An under order from Ottawa to join the first Canadian contingent at Salisbury. If this falls, I shall next week for Halifax."

The letter is dated December 12. Captain Griffith was formerly in charge of the barracks here, and has many friends in the city. Mr. Macbeth recently qualified in the school of instruction as a lieutenant, and has been appointed to join the R. R. C. the second or third contingent.

Gammage For Controller, 1915

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING



MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM TURNBULL, 497 Ontario street, who celebrated their golden wedding on Christmas Day at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. G. Simpson, 568 Dundas street. Mrs. Simpson, her husband and son Willie also appear in the picture.

EXAMINE H. W. LYONS FOR ORINATION

Presbytery to Ordain Men's Federation Secretary This Evening at Meeting.

The London Presbytery, at a special meeting held this morning in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, examined Harold W. Lyons for ordination, which will take place tonight at a public meeting in the same church.
Mr. Lyons will have shortly for India. He is a member of the secretary of the London Social Service Federation, and has been in charge of the relief department of the London and Middlesex Fairtrade Fund Association since the association was formed shortly after the outbreak of the war.
The effect of the war upon the status of the British overseas dominions and their relation to the control of the Empire's foreign and imperial policy was discussed by Mr. Lyons, who will be inducted at the end of January.

A committee who will look over the new Book of Praise to be issued shortly was appointed. It will report at the regular March meeting of the London Presbytery. Those on it are Rev. J. C. Stuart and Rev. Dr. L. McRae.

KING GEORGE FIRST TO CONGRATULATE WILSON

President of States Observes Birthday Anniversary.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 28.—President Wilson tonight began receiving messages from rulers of foreign countries congratulating him on his fifty-eighth birthday anniversary.
The first to arrive came from King George of Great Britain.
A call was presented from the cabinet called at the White House tonight to extend their congratulations. Because of the suspension of all state dinners and receptions since Wilson's death the gathering of the cabinet was the nearest approach to a state affair held in the White House for many months.

Wedding Bells

DEAN—DENFORD.

A quiet wedding took place Saturday evening at the home of J. Murray, 3111, St. George street, when Miss Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Denford, of Devonshire England, became the bride of Mr. Louis Dean, of this city, who is a member of the second contingent now stationed at Toronto. The bride was becomingly dressed in cream velvet and carried a bouquet of white carnations and orchids. She was supported by Mrs. Minnie Garver, of Hamilton, while Mr. Murray supported the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. N. McCann, of Colborne street Methodist Church on Saturday, December 26, 1914.

THOMSEN—BENDLE.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bendle, 224 Ottawa avenue on December 25 by Rev. G. N. Hazen, when their daughter, Correna E. (Rena) was united in marriage to John C. Thomsen, son of J. C. Thomsen, East London, Ontario. The bride entered the room leaning on the arm of her father, wearing a pretty travelling suit of blue, carrying a bouquet of white roses and a ring. The bride received many handsome and useful presents. The couple will reside in this city.

ALDERSON—ROBINSON.

The marriage took place in the city hall, New York, on December 21, when Miss Alderson, organist and choir-master of Adelaide Street Baptist Church, and Miss Robinson, late of England. The bride was given away by John Noble, a friend of the groom, and Mrs. Bodel supported her as matron of honor. The bride was a nine-month trial union, and taken up navy blue, with which she wore a be-coming grey picture hat trimmed with navy blue, with which she wore a be-coming grey picture hat trimmed with navy blue, with which she wore a be-coming grey picture hat trimmed with navy blue.

INTERNET POPULAR.

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, Dec. 29.—That internment is getting popular here is being proved by the discovery that a number of Italians and Russians, who can speak German, have tried to get themselves sent to detention camps. The men, when discovered, have all explained that they are out of work.

PRINCETON WOMAN NEARLY ASPHYXIATED

Mrs. Hull Found Unconscious in Bed—Coal Stove the Cause.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Princeton, Dec. 29.—Asphyxiated into unconsciousness, Mrs. James Hull, of this village, was discovered just in time this morning to give her a chance for life, though that chance is only slight. Mrs. Hull is about eighty years of age and lives in her own house in the family of John Grist. As she did not rise at the usual time this morning, some of the Grant family went to her room and in opening the door were met with a sickening rush of gas. They were able to get the old woman and her pet dog into the air, where both were found to be still living, though unconscious. Dr. Staples was called and believes there is some hope of Mrs. Hull's recovery, though her condition is critical.
The gas evidently came from a coal stove in the bedroom, which has only been in use a short time. The old woman was unused to coal. It is thought probable that the stove was not properly attended to.

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STATES' PROTEST

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The American note declares the relations between the two countries are those of peace and normal times and not of war. The words "absolute" or "conditional" are not used. The United States insists that the facts proving that a hostile destination is intended must be shown at the time of a vessel's seizure. It claims that the presumption of guilt should not rest on the shipper in neutral commerce, but that the vessel must be placed on the belligerent. Similarly, a cargo consigned "to order" is sent to a specific destination in a neutral country, but is not of a suspicious circumstance, according to the contention of the American note.

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NEWS

ANNUAL TREE.—The York Street Mission Hall will hold its annual Christmas tree and entertainment Thursday evening, followed by a night watch service.

NEW YEARS TURKEYS.—W. W. Gammage, the local florist, has presented each of his 25 employees with a large turkey for New Year's dinner, as is his usual custom.

NO ENGINEERS DRILL.—On orders of Major F. W. Farcomb, officer commanding, there will be no drill of the Seventh Field Company, Canadian Engineers, this evening.

TIES UP STREET CAR TRAFFIC.—A broken fire wire tied up street car traffic in the vicinity of Rectory street and Hamilton road for a short period during the noon hour rush.

PRESENTED WITH A ROCKING CHAIR.—The Ladies' Guild of the Consumers' Co-operative Society presented Mrs. Howard, wife of W. Howard, the manager, with a rocking chair at a social party last evening.

IS SLIGHTLY BETTER.—Governor James Carter, of the county jail, who has been seriously ill at his home, 2 Horn street, for some time, was reported this afternoon as being slightly improved.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR D. R. O'S.—A meeting of deputy returning officers to receive instructions in the forthcoming elections will be held tomorrow night at the city hall. A similar meeting scheduled for tonight is called off.

BOOTS CAUSE FIRE.—A pair of boots, placed on top of a furnace to dry, caused fire and damaged the boiler and flooring, with the result that the fire brigade had a run to R. W. Kings' residence, 355 Princess avenue, at noon today.

A SLANDER WRIT.—Miss Julia Gallagher, a former waitress of the City Hotel, has issued a writ against the proprietor's wife, Mrs. C. J. Gallagher, asking damages for slander. The writ was issued by W. G. R. Earman.

STILL GOING BACK.—Two parties of recruits from the Western States passed through here today en route to their homes in Europe, where they have been notified to report by the military authorities. The first party consisted of sixteen Russians and the second of eight Italians.

PROVISIONS GOING TO ENGLAND.—A report which gained wide circulation in the city in the past few days, to the effect that the Dominion Abolition Company is sending large shipments of provisions to Denmark, it was stated at the city hall today that that since the war has begun, no company sent anything to Denmark, but large shipments are being made to their agents in London, England.

ORGAN RECITAL AND CONCERT.—On New Year's night, A. D. Jordan, First Methodist and choir leader of the church, will give a recital of the organ on the magnificent new organ that has recently been installed in that church. In this he will be assisted by the church choir and soloists. A fine program has been arranged, and the musical treat is in store for those who avail themselves of this opportunity.

FAMILY THROWN FROM CUTTER.—Sunday afternoon, between 3 and 4 o'clock, a horse driven by Allan McCurdy, of South London, became unmanageable, kicked viciously, and seriously damaged the cutter. The occupants, Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy and their eight-month-old baby, were thrown, but were unhurt. John Swanwick, at whose home they had been visiting, ran to their assistance, and passengers also volunteered help, and to quiet the horse.

PHILLIPS INQUEST TONIGHT.—The inquest into the death of Clive Phillips, the young man who was killed by a C. P. Hunt engine, at the second crossing east of Crumlin, on December 8, will be resumed by Coroner Dr. A. MacLennan tonight. On the death of Mr. Phillips, a railwayman, confined to St. Joseph's Hospital, suffering from the injuries he received in the accident, Coroner MacLennan has arranged to have his evidence read to the jury, and with this testimony it will return its verdict.

SAYS HE FOUND GOODS

Man Accused of Box Car Robbery Pleads This as Excuse.

Evidence in the case of Henry Johnston, of 354 York street, charged with the theft of cases of candy and tobacco from a Pere Marquette box car on December 16, was heard in police court today. Johnston was held for a week, when he will appear before Magistrate Judd for judgment.

Johnston was arrested on December 17 by Detectives Eggle and Down, who went to the prisoner's home on York street and found there the boxes of candy and tobacco, broken open. Johnston, who was a week in jail, he found the goods in a lane behind his house on the night of the theft, broken open. He said he was walking home through the lane when he came upon three men, who walked away as he approached them. Near where they were standing, he says, were the goods, which he carried into his home.

Johnston's defence, as argued by R. Meredith, his counsel, brings up a point which Johnston's attorney, Magistrate Judd will have to settle for himself before he gives judgment in the case a week from today. Johnston was never in a police court before, and has many recommendations of good character.

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METROPOLITAN LIFE TO BE MUTUALIZED

Policyholders By Great Majority Vote For Control.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Mutualization of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company was endorsed by the policyholders at a meeting held here today. Only about 1,600 voted against the plan, while 65,000 gave their approval. The proposal now goes before the state superintendent of insurance, and if he gives his approval, control of the company will pass into the hands of the policyholders, who will elect directors.

TORONTO'S ASSESSMENT INCREASES \$63,063,536

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—The city's assessment for 1915 totals \$76,444,529, showing an increase of \$82,063,536 over the present year, made up as follows: Land, \$31,628,157; buildings, \$23,329,126; business, \$4,489,235; income, \$3,037,013. There are 93,243 buildings, of which 37,076 are occupied by owners and 56,167 by tenants.

The religious census shows: Anglicans, 137,784; Methodists, 82,329; Presbyterians, 96,119; Roman Catholics, 50,620; Hebrews, 30,310; Baptists, 22,016; Congregationalists, 2,292; Salvation Army, 2,997; Lutherans, 1,329; Disciples of Christ, 1,394; Christian Science, 1,053; Unitarians, 475; Miscellaneous, 37,320.

GRAIN.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Wheat—Spot was steady. No. 1 Manitoba, 10s 8d; No. 2, 10s 6d; No. 3, 10s 4d; No. 4, 10s 2d; No. 5, 10s 0d; No. 6, 9s 10d; No. 7, 9s 8d; No. 8, 9s 6d; No. 9, 9s 4d; No. 10, 9s 2d; No. 11, 9s 0d; No. 12, 8s 10d; No. 13, 8s 8d; No. 14, 8s 6

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Will commence the manufacture of the above products about January 5th, 1915, with headquarters in this city.

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Ask ONLY and ALWAYS for

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MRS. HOUSEKEEPER!

Christmas time you have a little extra money. Why not make the home a present of an **EDDY WASH-BOARD** and an **EDDY INDURATED FIBREWARE TUB**?

YOU WILL FEEL THE BENEFIT

every washday in the year, for the Indurated Tub keeps the water hot for so long that it saves much lifting and carrying of water—and the Wash-boards have a special crimp which, without tearing the clothes, loosens the dirt very easily.

Buy your home an Xmas present, Mrs. Housekeeper, BUT BE SURE THEY ARE **EDDY'S**

How To Get Rid of a Bad Cough.

A Home-Made Remedy That Will Do It Quickly, Cheap and Easily Made.

If you have a bad cough or chest cold which refuses to yield to ordinary remedies, get from any druggist 25 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a 16-ounce bottle and fill the bottle with 16-ounce granulated sugar syrup. Start with a teaspoonful every hour or two, but do not stop until you are completely cured. The Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in quinine, which is so healing to the membrane.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Company, Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLEYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea.

Gems From Literature

The first installment of a new feature, and one that should prove interesting to our readers, young and old, in city, town and country, will be found on this page today. The feature will appear daily, under the heading "Gems from the World's Best Literature," and will contain stories, essays, poems, etc., with a short synopsis of the writer's life. Today's installment is a humorous story from the pen of the inimitable Samuel Lover, entitled "The Gridiron." Watch for the continuation tomorrow.

Old Songs and Poems

THE CHURCH IN THE WILDOOD.
Copied from "Aunt Priscilla" sent by "D. P. H." "Farmer's Wife," "Nona," "Tulip" and "X. Y. Z."

There's a church in the valley by the widdow,
No lovelier place in the dale;
No spot is so dear to my childhood,
As the little brown church in the vale.

Chorus—
Oh, come, come, come, come (alto)
Come to the church in the widdow,
Oh, come to the church in the dale;
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How sweet on a clear Sabbath morn-
ing,
To list to the clear ringing bell;
Its tones so sweetly are calling,
Oh, come to the church in the vale.

There, close by the church in the valley,
Lies one that I loved so well;
She sleeps, sweetly sleeps, "neath the widdow,
Disturb not her rest in the vale.

There, close by the side of that loved one,
'Neath the tree where the wild flowers bloom,
When the farewell hymn shall be chanted,
I shall rest by her side in the tomb.

Some Gems From the World's Best Literature

Samuel Lover was born in 1797 in Dublin, being the son of a stockbroker. From his mother he inherited his musical gifts, and his father, an upright character, who when the boy was twelve years old, but her influence never left him. Lover's father was determined that Samuel should enter business, but the boy's love for music was so strong that he eventually became a professional musician. He was a popular singer and composer, and his songs were widely known. He died in 1868, leaving behind a large body of work, including many songs and poems that are still popular today.

THE GRIDIRON.
Or Paddy Mullooney's Travels in France.

"Bye-the-by, Sir John," said the master, addressing a distinguished guest, "Pat has a very curious story which something you told me today reminded me of. You remember, Pat, (turning to the man evidently pleased at the notice thus paid to himself), 'You remember that queer adventure you had in France?'
"Throth I do," grins Pat. "What?" exclaims Sir John in feigned surprise. "Was Pat ever in France?"
"Indeed he was," cries mine host; and Pat adds "Ay, and faith place your Honor."
"I assure you, Sir John," continues my host, "that surprised me very much respecting the ignorance of the French."
"Indeed," rejoined the baronet, "Really I always supposed the French to be a most accomplished people."
"Throth thin, they are not, sir," interrupts Pat.
"Oh, by no means," adds mine host, shaking his head emphatically.
"I believe Pat," it was when you were crossing the Atlantic," says the master turning to Pat with a seductive air and leading into the "pure and true account" (for Pat had thought of a "reason for his bad" in the autumn of the year ninety-eight).
"Ye sir," said Pat, "the broad Atlantic—favorite phrase of his which he gave with a brogue as broad almost as the Atlantic itself. 'It was the time I was lost in crasse' the broad Atlantic comin' home," began Pat de- cayed into the recital: "When the winda began to blow and the sea to roil that I thought the Colleen Bhaas (that was her name) would not have a mast left but what did roil out of her."
"Well, sure enough the masts went by the board at last, and the pumps were choked (devil choke them for that name), and as coarse the water gained in an us; and throth, to be filled with water is neither good for man or beast, and she was sinkin' fast, settin' down as the sailors call it; and I was in my life and I liked it then less nor every accordingly we prepared for the worst, and put out the boat and a sack of bhiskinis and a cask of whisky and a bag of wather, and a thrife of rum aboard, and any other little mat- ters we could think iv in the mortal hurry we was in, and faith there was no time to be lost, for my darlints, the Colleen Bhaas went down like a lump of lead afore we was many strokes of the oar away from her."
"Well, we drifted away on that blanket and the ind as a pole as best we could, and then we sailed ligant, and we didn't show a stitch of canvas the night before because it was blow- ing like bloody murder, savin' your reverence, and sure the sea and the sky and the wather and the rum—throth they are no great things when you have nothing else to look at for a week to- gether, and the barest rock in the world, so it was land, would more wel- come, and then soon enough, throth, our provisions began to run low; the bhiskinis, the wather and the rum—throth that was gone first of all—and oh! it was thin that starvation began to stare us in the face."
(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

Advertiser Patterns



No. 1099—A Simple, Pretty Frock for the Little Miss.

Girls' Dress, With or Without Collar, Sash and Ruffle, and With Long or Short Sleeve—Lawn, muslin, or dimity, batiste, silk, crepe or cashmere are all suitable for this style. The dress is cut in bishop style, and may be trimmed with insertion and lace, or with embroidery. The ruffle may be omitted. The pattern is cut in four sizes, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years. It requires 2 yards of 36-inch material for sizes 2 and 3, with 2½ yards for size 4, and 3 yards for size 5. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of ten cents in silver or stamps.

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Please send above-mentioned pattern, as per directions given below, to:

Name
Town
Province
Age (if child's or misses' patterns)
Measurement—Bust..... Waist.....

CAUTION—Be careful to include the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is past measure you need only mark 22, 24 or 26 inches, as the case may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26 or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the inches or yards. Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from date of receipt.

Richards' QUICK NAPHA WOMAN'S SOAP

Fad of the Hour---Brazilian Polka

Here It Comes With a Skip and a Dip---Merriest of New Dances
Is the Lively Brazilian Polka.

From South America comes the latest addition to the new dances—the Brazilian Polka, which isn't even remotely related to the tango even though it does come across the South American border.

Miss Edna Neil, a pupil of Pavlova's, for two years a member of the Imperial Russian Ballet, studied the Brazilian polka in London last summer, and it is one of the several new dances she is teaching London Advertiser readers.

BY MISS EDNA NEIL.

Formerly with Pavlova and Mordkin in the Imperial Russian Ballet.

The Brazilian Polka opens with the skating step. The gentleman and lady face the same way as in Fig. 1. Gentleman's right arm around the lady. Lady's right hand resting on gentleman's right. Gentleman's left arm extended. Lady's left arm extended—her hand resting on gentleman's left hand.

The skating step is really a two-step with a dip in back. Or gentleman slide left foot up to right—slide left foot again and bend while drawing the right foot up the second time. This is done first with left and then with the right foot.

The count in this figure is 1, 2, 3 or left, right, left with a slight dip on the third count.

The dip is what gives the skating step the effect of skating, and should be done very smoothly.

Now the gentleman steps directly in back of lady as in Fig. 2, and continue the skating step, except that the lady and gentleman both slide to the left, describing a circle. First the gentleman extends the left arm with the lady's right hand on his left—then he extends the right arm the same way. Now they continue the slide step, with first the left and then the right arm extended.

Now the lady gets into position for the cotillon step by turning several times around the gentleman's hands, as in Fig. 3, and stopping when facing the gentleman.

First the lady steps back on her left foot on the first count, on the second count she points her right foot back- wards, which she holds for two counts, and then brings the right foot forward in the fifth count, at the same time raising the left foot high in back.

The lady takes her position by making a half turn, placing her right hand in the gentleman's right hand, as he puts it around her waist.

Both start with the right foot just off the floor—then put right foot forward three counts, and left foot backward three counts, raising the right foot each time that they come back.

Now the lady and gentleman go forward facing each other—starting with the gentleman's right—the lady's left—walk—one-two and on the third count draw the foot up in a slight kick—continuing this step by turning several times around the gentleman's hands.

To close the dance, repeat the first skating step.

Oh, Woman, what is the thing you do,
And what is the thing you cry?
Is your home not warm and cosy,
Is your heart not full of joy?

And have we not toiled to build for you
A peace from the winds outside,
That you seek to know how the battles
Go and ride where the fights rise?

You have taken my spindle away from me,
You have taken away my loom,
You bid me sit in the dust of it, at
peace without doing a stitch of work.

You have shut me still with a sleepy
will, with no evil nor good to do,
While our house the world that we
keep for could be garlanded
and sweet anem.

I who labored beside my mate when
the world was young,
The watch I kept while my children
slept I will keep today; Man,
I have crouched too long by the little
hearth at the bidding of Man my mate—
I go to kindle the Hearth of the World,
that Man has left desolate!

(Margaret Widdener, in the Independent)

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX
(Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to answer all letters, but all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.)

It's a Pleasure.
Dear Miss Grey,—I wonder if you could tell me what day of the week September the 15th, 1895 and also September the 15th, 1910 came on. Hoping to see the answer soon, I am,
Ans.—1. Wednesday; Thursday.
Thank you, Ermo, for your kind wish.

Letter From Lydia.
Dear Miss Grey,—I do not know just how best to tell you about my folks visiting your Mail Box, as, I presume, it is supposed to be a feminine domain. However, I know of several men beside myself who read the letters, and your wise answers each day, so therefore I venture in.

It is in regard to an issue coming up at the London elections that I wish to write. I refer to the by-law giving married women the vote. I hope the electors of the city accord their wives, mothers and sisters the privilege of voting. It is a question that is coming more and more to the front all the time, and while I am a countryman, and therefore have a little bias in favor of the franchise, I don't think I am alone the least interested. Many of our Ontario women, in the country sections particularly, seem to care little about the franchise. But don't you think, Miss Grey, that time will alter this and that women will come to take as great an interest in joining husbands, fathers and brothers in municipal house-keeping as they now do in home, business and church life? I hope so, surely, and I should indeed welcome them to be, and I have firm faith that woman's influence would have a cleansing effect without injuring the woman herself.

My sisters and wife (and I hope my two girls when they grow up, while they read your page with keen interest, also read the war news and general political movements at home and elsewhere. They understand them fairly well, and can talk upon the frays of the questions. If they were called upon to vote on election day, I believe that they could mark a ballot as intelligently as many of the men in this district. Yet they do not call themselves "suffragettes"—unhappy term, which seems to antagonize so many people—and can make as good bread and butter as any of the women within fifty miles.

All of which sounds, I suppose, like saying a lot and getting nowhere. My idea was simply this, with your permission, to start a little discussion in your columns upon the subject. As I have stated before, it is one that is surely, if slowly, coming to the front, and I know my women-folks as well as myself, would enjoy some letters from others about women's franchise. I do not know if you will publish them.

Butter-Making.
Dear Friend,—In response to your request for the experience of women who have made butter, I am enclosing a short explanation of my method, which I hope may be helpful to inquirer in your Woman's Page, as I have often got good ideas from the perusal of same. You certainly give some helpful hints and good advice.

Ans also enclosing copy of an old song



Miss Neil, and Paul Armand illustrating the Brazilian Polka for London

Advertiser Readers. The large picture shows the opening figure of the dance; the "skating step" is shown in the upper left picture. The lower picture shows the "whirl," one of the prettiest movements in the dance.

THE HOUSEKEEPER.
The evil things that have waxed and grown, while I sat with my white hands still.
They have meshed our World till they twined and curled through my very soul.

Shall I sit and smile at mine ease the while that my house is wrongly kept?
It is mine to see that the house of mine is straightened and cleansed and sweet!

My daughters strive for their souls alive, harried and starved and cold— Shall I hear it long, who was swift and strong in guarding them while of old?

My children cry in our house the peace, neglected and hard-pressed— Is my right not then to command all men to be still while the children rest?

Dear Miss Grey,—Could you give me a fortune rhyme or couplet for the month of the year? I would be awfully obliged.
MARY ANN.

A.—Here is the only one I could locate. Hope it suits:
January—
Gabriel as thy true divinity
Brings consolation, and gives constancy.

February—
Barchiel guards thy healthy youthful days,
And checks thy imperious will which passion sways.

March—
Michael divines thy modest power,
But knows thy courage in a dangerous hour.

April—
Though often repentant thou art inno- cent,
Ashmole knoweth of thy good intent.

May—
In love successful, Amiel doth declare
That Hope will give of blessing, thy full share.

June—
In pools of love great Muriel declares
For thee long life of luxury and ease.

July—
Vercueil invests thy speech with elo- quence,
And from loyal friends is thy defence.

August—
Consort thyself, Hamateli shall be
True guardian of thy heart's felicity.

September—
May Tauriel preserve thy life from care,
And give of happiness a well-earned share.

October—
Injustice and misunderstanding may distress,
But Barle will give thee happiness.

November—
Admachi sends friends both wise and true,
Guard well the love that they bring to you.

December—
With forethought kind Humiel brings success,
That crowns thy life with highest hap- piness.

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Tomatoes, ex. fgs, hothouse, 30c
Spinach, choice handpicked, pk. 30c
Cucumbers, extra fancy, each 35c
Lettuce, head fine 25c
Vegetable marrow 10c
Radishes, fine, bunch 10c
Horseradish, lb. 15c
Lettuce, leaf 10c
Celery, extra large 10c
Celery, fine 10c
Celery Hearts, six in bunch 10c
Sage, Savory, Thyme, bunch 10c
Parsley, Watercress, Gr. Onions 5c
Hubbard and Essex Squash, 10c
Vegetable marrow 10c
Cabbage, White, Red, 10c, med 4c
Favory Cabbage 5c
Parsnips, 10c
Potatoes, Beets, Carrots, Turnips 10c
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Orders received 7 a.m. to noon delivered same afternoon. Noon to 6 p.m., following morning. Minimum, 25 cents.
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This donation, with a generous one of \$50 from Mrs. George Robinson and \$2 from an unknown friend, has enabled the council members to hope that before long they will be in a financial position to send a second card.

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FOR MAYOR

1915

Correction of Present Charging
System For Hydro Light

GREATEST PROSPERITY



His Worship Mayor Graham:

We, the undersigned electors of the City of London, hereby request that you offer yourself for re-election as mayor for the ensuing year.

Owing to the unsettled state of affairs on account of the war, and your familiarity with all civic questions, we believe it is in the best interest of our City that you should continue in office for the year 1915:

T. W. McFarland, E. R. Dennis, T. A. McMahon, James Granger, William Spittal, E. W. M. Flock, H. J. Childs, J. S. Brown, Charles E. Finch, J. H. Chapman, John Anderson, Adam Beck, S. F. Glass, M. D. Fraser, T. W. Scandrett, J. A. Cairncross, E. R. Dromgole, T. F. Dexter, J. E. Sutton, H. E. Ashton, C. B. Chapman, R. C. Williams, A. R. Williams, A. R. Simpson, A. M. Smith, R. D. McDonald, H. C. McBride, Charles H. Mitchell, A. M. Hunt, W. W. Gammage, S. Stevely, Sam Willie, Thomas P. McCormick, H. F. Hyatt, E. S. Winnatt, William Chamberlain, George C. Young, Charles M. McKerrill, R. H. & J. Dowler, Ltd. (per R. H. D.), J. H. Back, C. J. Fitzgerald, David Ross, James Colerick, J. McDougal, John McClary, J. M. Gunn, D. Frank Smith, W. Booth, L. H. Graves, A. E. Barbour, W. Fulton, Thomas Jones, A. Eldon Westman, Darch & Hunter Seed Company, Ltd. (per J. W. Hunter), W. G. R. Bartram, Ernest Grobb, K. W. Caselman, William M. Gartschore, H. H. Cole, Abbott, William Wright, W. E. Saunders, C. H. Ward, Dr. Pingel, Charles William J. Smith, Sam Munroe, Philip Pocock, John Laughlin, G. E. Coombs, J. Dyer, Len G. Westland, N. W. Emerson, H. Homer Black, William Wvatt, A. E. Laidell, F. Brown, R. E. Wismer, Norman E. Peel, J. Darch & Sons, D. J. Cowan, H. P. Allen, C. Currie, Fred. H. Coles, A. G. McCormick, T. B. McLagan, Ray Lawson, A. Langford, Joseph F. Hickey, A. W. Palmer, H. J. Jones, F. E. Perrin, Thomas Jones and others.

To the Electors of the City of London:

IN RESPONSE TO THE ABOVE PETITION, I HAVE ACCEPTED

THE NOMINATION FOR

MAYOR FOR 1915

AND SOLICIT YOUR INDORSATION.

C. M. R. GRAHAM

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

CHAS. W.

SUMMERS

FOR

Alderman, 1915

London Merchant for 20 Years.

VOTE FOR

Adam W.

Palmer

GROCCER, For

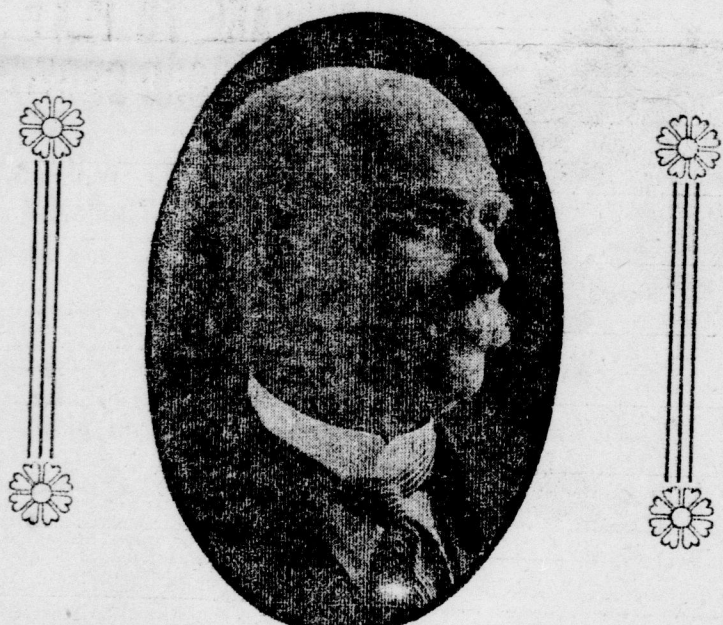
ALDERMAN, 1915

YOUR VOTE SOLICITED.

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WRIGHT

FOR MAYOR



CITIZENS:

In soliciting your support as a candidate of the people for the people, it is but fair to you and to myself to state that my candidacy is based wholly on independent citizenship.

I am not the representative of any party, association, combination or clique, but am in the field at the earnest solicitation of a large number of citizens.

If elected, I shall serve the entire interests of the citizens to the best of my ability, unbiased by any combination influence.

Yours for a Better, Brighter, Bigger London than has been.

GORDON WRIGHT.

(Benjamin Gordon Hobson)

LICENSE REDUCTION—

I am in favor of the License Reduction Bill now before you, and if elected will do all in my power to see it is a successful consummation.

The conviction that this issue will need interested support in next year's council has more than any one factor determined me in this step for public service.

WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE—

I am in favor of and will heartily support civic enfranchisement of women on same basis as men.

MAYOR'S SALARY—

I am opposed to, and if elected, will oppose any dual salary for Mayor, believing that it never was the intent of the citizens that London's Mayor should, in addition to his rightful allowance, also draw \$1,000 as Controller.

BOARD OF CONTROL—

I am opposed to, and if elected, will oppose the Board of Control as a form of civic government, believing it to be not only CUMBERSOME, USELESS and EXPENSIVE, but a convenient avenue for the entry of IRREGULARITIES and ABUSES.

WARD SYSTEM—

I am opposed to a reversion to the old ward system, believing it to be an antique enemy to FOUR-SIDED CIVIC PROGRESS.



DR. H. HOMER

BLACK

SCHOOL TRUSTEE

FOR 1915

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

VOTE FOR

Fred R.

Watkinson

FOR

School Trustee

AND GREATER ECONOMY

ALDERMAN

JOS. LEAH

For Re-Election, 1915

TO THE ELECTORS AND RATEPAYERS:



I stand for lower taxes without increased assessments on these rates. The cost of our garbage collecting system was to begin with \$2,688 a month, or \$32,256 a year. Under the improved system in October last, we gained \$524.16 the first month, making a total cost of \$25,968 a year, providing the cost has not decreased since starting. I figure that we can realize \$72,000 a year from the garbage system by the following plan:

If there are 10,000 houses in this city, and according to my figures, if each house produces on the average one-half pound of meat scraps and other material of a fatty nature per day, for which we can realize \$80 per ton or \$200 per day, without any extra cost to the city, with the exception of providing the house-holders with a small can for accumulating the scraps, at a cost of \$1.20 for 10,000 cans, and a probable additional \$2,000 a year in wages at the garbage plant.

My plan is feasible, in the fact that in New York City there is a private concern that pays, according to the information I can gather, \$250,000 a year for the privilege of collecting the garbage. In Detroit, also, a private concern pays the city for the same privilege. In the city of Glasgow they have a revenue of \$150,000 per year, and in London, England, the cost of the garbage system was reduced to a nominal expense by this method. Why not here? This is one of the planks of my platform. I solicit your vote and influence for alderman.

MAX LERNER.

TO THE CITIZENS OF LONDON:



Gentlemen,—

I trust for the past five years I have not abused the confidence placed in me, as I ought to do my very best for the interest of our city. If satisfied with past efforts, I solicit your vote and influence for Board of Control. I must say I appreciate very much the kindly spirit extended to me on the street and elsewhere during that time.

HUBERT A. HPLANT

L. H. MARTYN

SOLICITS YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE
FOR RE-ELECTION AS

SCHOOL TRUSTEE for 1915

KINDLY VOTE FOR

Sam R.

Manness
For Alderman, 1915.



Alderman Frank

WHITE

Requests Your Support for

Election as

Controller



YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

SOLICITED FOR

ALDERMAN F. G.

MITCHELL

AND ECONOMY FOR

UTILITIES COMMISSION

1915.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP, WITH BRIT-
ISH CONTROL.

ELECTORS!

THOS. H.

JANES

AS

TRUSTEE

FOR

1915

C. H.

Merryfield

For Re-election As

Alderman - 1915



YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

SOLICITED FOR

T. W. McFarland

FOR UTILITY COMMISSIONER

FOR 1915.

Frederick William

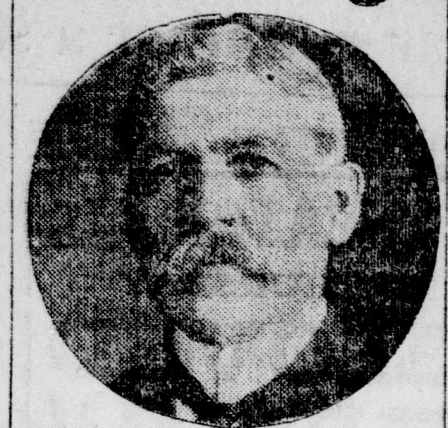
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Tea Merchant.

—FOR—

Alderman

Gammage



FOR

Controller

1915.

VOTE FOR
=W. T.=
STRONG

DRUGGIST,

For Re-election

AS

SCHOOL TRUSTEE

1915



A. A.

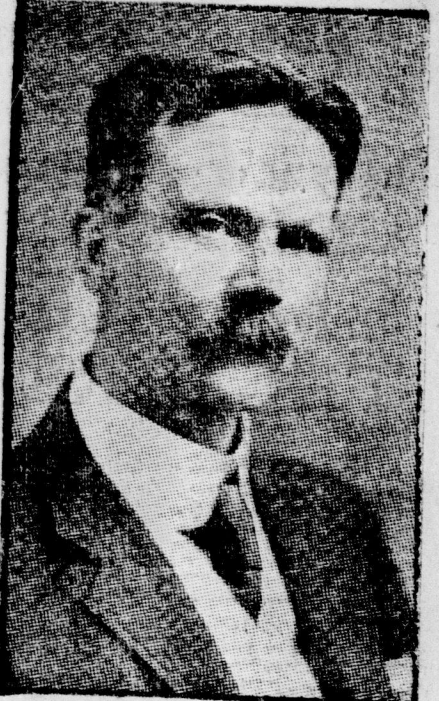
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VOTE AND INFLUENCE FOR

School Trustee

1915.



Henry B. Ashplant
For Alderman
1915.

VOTE FOR
Charlie Simpson

BRICKLAYER CONTRACTOR.

For ALDERMAN 1915



Your Vote and Influence
Respectfully Solicited for

Dr. W. M. Sheebotham

For School Trustee, for 1915.



YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR

Henry

Hayman

SCHOOL TRUSTEE, 1915

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

SOLICITED FOR

J. P.

MOORE

For Re-election

To The

Board of Control



YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

FOR

J. H. SAUNDERS

Ten Years' Municipal Experience.

FOR CONTROLLER FOR 1915



H. A. NEAVE

FOR RE-ELECTION AS

ALDERMAN, 1915

A BIGGER AND BUSIER LONDON.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

Respectfully Solicited For

SAM

STEVELY

EX-MAYOR

FOR

Board of Control

1915

EXPERIENCE AND ECONOMY IN
CIVIC AFFAIRS.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

—REQUESTED FOR—

JOHN F.

FAULDS

BARRISTER

—FOR—

Board of Control

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Mr. Jordan will be assisted by the church choir and soloists.

Doors open at 7:30 p.m. Recital at 8:15 p.m.

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A double ticket may be obtained from choir members, which will admit to the concert and the performance of Handel's "Messiah," Jan. 21. Price 75 cents (not on sale at the church).

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Next dance Thursday (New Year's Eve), 9-12 p.m.

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ADVANCED DANCING CLASS—FALLING LEADERS. Wednesday evening, Dec. 29. Learn the new dances. Start in this week. Special rate season tickets. Phone, Dayton & McCormick.

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Amusements—Fifteen cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.
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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.

RUMBLE—At Victoria Hospital, on Sunday, December 29, 1914, Frederick H. Rumble, a son, 270 DIED.

COLBERT—At Baltimore, London Township, on Sunday, Dec. 28, 1914, Marjorie McEllan, dearly beloved and youngest daughter of Mary and Harry Colbert, aged 4 months and 16 days.

Funeral will leave the family residence, 2 Arge street, at 3 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 30, for St. John's Cemetery.

DEWAR—Harriet Olivia, relict of the late Alexander Dewar, died at her daughter's, the late George Gudey, funeral Tuesday afternoon from the family residence, 2 Arge street, at 3 o'clock. Services at 2:30. Funeral private.

DUNDAS—In Chicago, Dec. 13, 1914, Frederick H. Dundas, aged 58 years, oldest son of the late James F. Dundas; father of Frank, Gertrude, Myrtle, brother of Edward, Nellie, Mrs. J. L. Abrams (Edith), Arthur, William, Frank, member of Typographical Union, No. 19.

Interred at Elmwood.

MAIDIE—In London Township, on Sunday, Dec. 27, 1914, William H. (Frederick) Maide, son of George and Sarah Maide, in his 10th year.

Funeral will leave the family residence, 10, cont. L. London Township, on Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 2:30. Service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

RUMBLE—At Victoria Hospital, on Tuesday, December 29, 1914, May, dearly beloved wife of Frederick H. Rumble, and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elliot, died at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant cemetery. Friends at convenience please accept this intimation. 270

MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—BUREKA LODGE, No. 20, meets tonight in Oddfellows' Hall, Grand Lodge and third degree. Large attendance requested. Visiting brethren welcome. John Lee, N. G. P.

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TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 7, Adelaide. Duties to commence Jan. 4, 1915. Applications, stating salary and experience, will be received by the undersigned, Dec. 31, 1914. Frank Wright, Kerwood, Ont.

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WANTED—SMALL FURNISHED apartment for housekeeping; must be nice, central. Phone 4021.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD, single man; central. Box 171, Advertiser.

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FOR SALE—COLUMBIA GRAYDONOLA and cabinet, 64 records. Appl. 443 Wellington street. Phone 228.

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DISTRICT TO HAVE MANY KEEN FIGHTS

Acclamations Number Twenty in Western Ontario District.

Not in many years have the elections of the province taken a keener interest in municipal matters than they showed at the nomination meetings yesterday, and there will, as a result of the large number of candidates named, be many keen contests.

The returns show only twenty acclamations for the majority.

In many places it had been suggested that elections should be decided by the voters voting in person, but the voters were not so numerous as to make this a practical proposition.

Further results of the district nominations from those which appeared in The Advertiser of last evening follow:

EAST WILLIAMS.
ARNOLD, Dec. 28.—East Williams Township will have a keen election fight this year. Every indication points to a strenuous campaign. The field nominated here this afternoon is as follows:—D. A. McIntyre, Alex. Macintosh, J. C. Killingsworth, J. R. Loomis, E. A. Campbell, Donald Nelson, George Fraser, Zephaniah Lockwood, George Fraser.

CARADOC TOWNSHIP.
MOUNT BAYDENE, Dec. 28.—The town hall was taxed to capacity this afternoon when nominations for Caradoc Township Board for 1915 were made. John Stuart, reeve for 1914, was re-nominated, as was also Henry H. H. Harrison, J. W. Skinner, Neil McPherson, J. C. Killingsworth, Geo. Thompson, Wm. Pumphrey, Geo. Tudor, E. Elliott, Wm. Caines, Jas. F. Roberts, James Laughlin, Neil McKinnon.

A LIVELY FIGHT.
PARKHILL, Dec. 28.—The coming municipal contest will be one of the keenest that has been held in the district. Today's nominations were: Mayor, W. H. Harrison, W. Penn, reeve; J. C. Killingsworth, J. W. Skinner, Neil McPherson, J. C. Killingsworth, Geo. Thompson, Wm. Pumphrey, Geo. Tudor, E. Elliott, Wm. Caines, Jas. F. Roberts, James Laughlin, Neil McKinnon.

WESTMINSTER TOWNSHIP.
Lambton, Dec. 28.—Nominations for Westminster Township Board for 1915 were made today. The meeting in the town hall was well attended. The nominations were: Mayor, W. H. Harrison, W. Penn, reeve; J. C. Killingsworth, J. W. Skinner, Neil McPherson, J. C. Killingsworth, Geo. Thompson, Wm. Pumphrey, Geo. Tudor, E. Elliott, Wm. Caines, Jas. F. Roberts, James Laughlin, Neil McKinnon.

ADOLPH TOWNSHIP.
ADOLPH, Dec. 28.—Nominations for Adolph Township Board for 1915 were made today. The meeting in the town hall was well attended. The nominations were: Mayor, W. H. Harrison, W. Penn, reeve; J. C. Killingsworth, J. W. Skinner, Neil McPherson, J. C. Killingsworth, Geo. Thompson, Wm. Pumphrey, Geo. Tudor, E. Elliott, Wm. Caines, Jas. F. Roberts, James Laughlin, Neil McKinnon.

NO FIGHT EXPECTED.
GLENGREEN, Dec. 28.—Tonight's nominations for Glengreen Township Board for 1915 were made. The meeting in the town hall was well attended. The nominations were: Mayor, W. H. Harrison, W. Penn, reeve; J. C. Killingsworth, J. W. Skinner, Neil McPherson, J. C. Killingsworth, Geo. Thompson, Wm. Pumphrey, Geo. Tudor, E. Elliott, Wm. Caines, Jas. F. Roberts, James Laughlin, Neil McKinnon.

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NOTICE.
Pursuant to section 1 of By-law No. 1021, for regulating the proceedings of the council of the City of London, I certify that the following members of the council were absent from a special meeting summoned for 5 o'clock on Monday, the 28th inst.:—

Proclamation.
At the request of a number of ratepayers, a meeting will be held at 8 o'clock on Tuesday, December 29, 1914, at 8 P.M.

ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1914, AT 8 P.M.
In the East End town hall and in the following schoolhouses to discuss municipal questions.

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Rev. D. C. McGregor Hits Strong Drink Hard At Reduction Mass Meeting.

SCORES WARD POLITICS And Saloons as Agencies in Degrading Foreigners in Canada's "Melting-Pot."

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School trustees were elected as follows: Ward 1—H. E. Ward; Ward 2—W. A. Campbell; Ward 3—A. E. Lloyd; Ward 4—L. B. Biebe.

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MAKING GREAT DEMANDS ON NAVY

British Press Wants Raids On Heligoland and Kiel Canal.

RAID A BRILLIANT FEAT
Cuxhaven Attack Was Most Modern Piece of Fighting In the War.

BRILLIANT AND DARING.
[Canadian Press.]
New York, Dec. 28.—A cable to the Herald from London this morning says: "The British raid on Cuxhaven on Christmas Eve, when a squadron of seven light cruisers, destroyers and submarines slipped past the German mine fields and attacked the big naval base, has given rise to further demands on the fleet. Writers in the newspapers were asking why, if Cuxhaven can be successfully attacked, cannot a similar raid be made on Heligoland itself, on Wilhelmshaven, or even on the Kiel Canal."

HEWLETT ONLY MISSING.
New York, Dec. 28.—A London cable cruiser, destroyer and submarine engaged in the naval air raid on Cuxhaven returned to its base safely. The only missing was a pilot, who was reported to have been killed. The ship was reported to have been damaged by a shell, but the crew was rescued.

PILOT FRUSTRATED
Italy Discovers a Scheme To Send Cereals Into Germany.

ACCEPTS PAR CALL.
PARIS, Dec. 28.—Rev. Mr. Nicholson, of the Presbyterian Church, has accepted a call to the Presbyterian Church in London, and will be inducted on January 15.

GRAIN.
Chicago, Dec. 28.—Washington reports that the grain market is showing a little improvement in prices. Light wheat is selling at 1.15, and heavy wheat at 1.10. The market is well supplied, and the price is well maintained.

LIVESTOCK.
Chicago, Dec. 28.—Receipts, 8,000; market steady. Steers, \$5.40 to \$5.50; cows, \$4.50 to \$4.60; pigs, \$4.50 to \$4.60. The market is well supplied, and the price is well maintained.

WALL STREET.
New York, Dec. 28.—The stock market was moderately active today. The Dow Jones Industrial Average closed at 100.00. The market is well supplied, and the price is well maintained.

NOT AMERICAN VESSEL
Was Russian Threatened to Bombard Port of Tripoli.

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GLAUBITZ CHARGES ARE STILL PENDING

Aldermen Stay Away From Meeting—Lack of Quorum Ties Hands.

WILL MEET WEDNESDAY
Another Session Called, When Disposal of Question Will Be Attempted.

With only four members present, the city council adjourned the meeting held yesterday afternoon to refer the charges against H. J. Glaubitz and A. O. Hunt, of the public utilities commission, to County Judge MacBeth. Mayor Graham announced that another meeting would be held Wednesday afternoon to dispose of the question. Those present were: Controllers Percy Moore and H. Ashplant, and Aldermen El. Stein and James Donnelly. Controller Rose informed the mayor early in the day that he would not be able to attend the meeting, while Ald. Frank White was reported sick in bed. "I had an inkling that many would stay away from the meeting," said Mayor Graham, as the time expired and no quorum was present, "but I fail to see what is to be gained by their action."

"I'll do something about it," said Ald. H. Winder, who was in front of the city hall when the meeting was declared adjourned, said he had agreed with some of the other aldermen to stay away from the meeting, as they figured something was going to be "slipped over" on them. "We disposed of this matter," said Ald. Winder, "and gave the utilities commission every chance to present their side of the case, but they refused to answer all our questions, and some of their employees would not even appear before the committee to be heard. We have referred the charges to the military authorities, and it is for the military authorities to say that they cannot take action, and not the public utilities commission."

"We gave the commission ample opportunity to reply to these charges against Glaubitz and Hunt, but they took no notice until they found the people wanted to know the truth of the whole affair, and then before we got an answer back from the military authorities they want us to meet and dispose of the question according to their notion of how it should be solved. The aldermen do not propose to be mere puppets of the utilities commission."

Those who remained away from the meeting were Aldermen Winder, Wilson, Leach, McDonald, Givens, McFarlane, Hanes, Tawcock, Mitchell and White and Controller Rose.

CITY-WIDE CAMPAIGN FOR S. LONDON BRIDGE

A committee, with A. M. Hunt and Thomas H. James at its head, will conduct a campaign in the city, and especially in South London, in an effort to have the bylaw passed at the January elections favoring the construction of a bridge at the foot of Richmond street.

The figures of the city engineer show the cost of the construction of the bridge would be about \$16,000. According to A. M. Hunt, the increased traffic in the district, and the fact that the bridge, would pay for its construction. This is the chief point in the argument of the bridge campaigners.

GREETINGS FROM SALISBURY.—Sergeant G. Bowden, who left London with the Sixteenth Army Corps, attached to the First Canadian contingent, and who is now senior sergeant of No. 2 Company, C. A. S. C., Divisional Train, at Salisbury Plains, has sent Christmas greetings to John B. Hughes, 17 Adelaide street. Sergeant Bowden declares that he is doing his best to uphold the reputation of Chelsea Green and of London.

OFFICERS' "AT HOME."—Officers of the Eighteenth Battalion will hold an "At Home" from 3 to 5 o'clock New Year's Day at the barracks, to which all their friends are invited. There will be music and a general good time as a program for the event.

LODGE ELECTIONS
C. O. C. F., NO. 75.
At the annual meeting of Council No. 75, C. O. C. F., held last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Past Councillor, D. G. Murray; chief councillor, W. J. Mitchell; vice-councillor, W. A. Serle; prolate, Jas. Wilkins; marshal, Ernest Saunders; warden, Mr. Govenlock; recorder, Andrew Ellis; assistant recorder, John Tanton; treasurer, J. W. Thorpe; guard, Frank McFadden; secretary, F. Wingett; auditor, G. Graham; additor, Thos. G. Davis; trustees, Mrs. J. W. Thorpe, J. Wilkins and Henry Saunders. Representatives to the Grand Council—First, D. G. Murray; second, Andrew Ellis; third, Henry Saunders; fourth, T. G. Davis. Alternates.—Mrs. Smith, E. Wingett, H. Winder, John Tanton. Medical Referees, Drs. McArthur, Rooms, Drake, Hughes and Alice Jameson.

GIRL'S MOTHER HAS GROOM ARRESTED
License Bought in London Figures Largely in Case.

STRATFORD, Dec. 28.—On information laid by the mother of Olive Wilson, William Meek was today arrested before Justice of the Peace Beattie, charged with perjury. On Christmas Meek was married to Olive Wilson on a license which he obtained in London on the day previous, claiming that the young lady was eighteen years of age. The mother of the girl informed the police that she was not yet seventeen. Upon the return of the groom, he was arrested. He was remanded to jail, where he could be secured from London.

GERMANS "SEE THINGS."
LONDON, Dec. 28.—A Copenhagen dispatch to the Daily Mail, referring to a report published by the Hamburger Freidenblatt, that German airmen dropped bombs on the German island Langoewe, in the North Sea, Christmas day, killing several civilians, says that an investigation proved that it was not British who dropped the bombs, but German airmen who believed that British torpedo boats were lurking off the island in the fog.

WOULD REDUCE MAYOR'S SALARY

Dr. Stevenson Promises If Elected To Revoke Bylaw.
WILL NOT ACCEPT \$1,000
Says Mayor Should Not Draw Salary From Two Civic Bodies.

There will be a great many alterations to the present systems at the city hall if Dr. Stevenson is elected mayor for 1915. In an interview the doctor said that his first move after election would be to have the present mayor's salary of \$1,000 a year, as a member of the board of control, revoked, so that in future no mayor could receive two salaries.

"I will also endeavor to correct the present system of charging for hydro lighting," he continued. If the utilities commission had been facing a deficit, to introduce the present system of charging for lighting, but with a surplus there was absolutely no reason for it. "One of my reasons for not seeking reelection to the utilities commission is that I feel that there are many things that can be remedied, and the mayor of the city," he continued, "should be more cheaply constructed and maintained at smaller cost."

"These common sense things can be laid by day labor—a principle which has been followed advantageously since I have been on the utilities commission—and will furnish work for a large number of our citizens and employers rather than for gangs of men imported by outside contractors."

Dr. Stevenson is also deeply interested in the level crossing question, and promises to give it considerable attention next year.—Adv.

NEW BRIDGE WILL OPEN FINE NEW HOME DISTRICT

And Would Provide Labor For Men Without Employment.

A petition with over six hundred names, including almost every London businessman and all those living in the district affected, is the strongest evidence offered in support of the proposed Richmond street bridge.

Those who have been advancing the scheme point out that increased assessments and taxes on new buildings in the district will mean that compensation for the expenditure. "It is true that some of our own property in the district which the bridge will serve," said one of the promoters, "but it strikes me that is how the city must develop. We will spend more money on our property and more money for new houses."

Many regard the opening up of that section of South London between Wellington and Ridout streets as a godsend to those who wish to rent modern houses at moderate rates.

A type of house is being constructed in the neighborhood and the construction of the bridge will mean the erection of scores more.

Gives Citizens Work.
Another phase of the bridge built by day labor—the employment of much unemployed labor.

By businessmen, the construction of the bridge is regarded as one of the best proposals put before the electors in many days.

At present with the Vulcan Foundry, on the corner of three or four years, he has served for the past year on the board of control.

J. H. SAUNDERS, carriage-maker, learned his trade with the late John Campbell. He has been prominently in the public eye, serving in the council eleven years, on the board of health and the board of the Children's Aid Society. Second vice-president of the Western Fair board, he has been a direct and energetic member of the board of trade. He has also superintended the winter fair at Guilford for over twenty years.

SAMUEL E. STEVELY has lived in London since coming with his parents from Warrsville, at the age of twelve. He has been a member of the firm of William Stevely & Sons, since 1889. Two years, he held the reins of government as mayor of London; for nine years was in the council, and 1907 and 1908 was president of the board of trade. In 1910, Mr. Stevely was president of the Irish Benevolent Society.

JOHN F. MADDEN is a real estate man, a newcomer in civic affairs.

JOHN F. WHITE, born in London 41 years ago, was an alderman in 1913 and 1914. One of the founders of the London Rolling Mills, previously to that he was associated with the London Bolt and Hinge Works, founded by his father.

J. P. MOORE, a well known lawyer, has been a member of the firm of Fraser & Moore since he left the law school. He is a "London boy," having been born, educated here, and spent all his life in the city. Previous to serving on the board of control he was in the city council.

E. L. J. STEIN represents the printing profession. Born in London, 42 years ago, he has lived here all his life. He has been a member of the council for a couple of years.

MASONIC BLUE LODGES INSTALL THEIR OFFICERS
Nearly Three Hundred Members Attend Event in Masonic Hall.

Nearly 300 members of Masonic Blue Lodges were present last night at the annual installation of officers of the eight blue lodges, held in the Masonic Hall. The installing master was U. A. Buchner. He was assisted by R. Wor. Brothers J. W. Wallace, J. W. McEachern, Dr. C. H. Zeigler, Frank Hooper, T. G. Davis, Hugh McPherson and J. B. McKillop.

Officers of the Blue Lodges are installed each year on December 28, known as St. John's Day. Following are the masters of each of the eight lodges. There is in addition, an extensive list of officers, elected for each lodge:

St. John's Lodge, No. 28—Edward Gerry.
St. George's Lodge, No. 42—R. H. Smith.
Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64—Charles R. Reid.
The Tuscan Lodge, No. 135—A. N. Udy.
St. John's Lodge, No. 208a—George E. Logan.
Constitution Lodge, No. 330—H. A. Luney.
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All Answer To Company Roll Call At 10:30 Last Night.
OFFICERS ARE PLEASED
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When company roll call sounded at the barracks and the concentration camp at the fair grounds at 10:30 o'clock last night, every man of the Eighteenth Battalion was present to answer to his name, even though more than one thousand of the volunteers had been out of the city over the holiday.

Many Return Early.
Since dismissal was sounded after the Christmas dinner given the men at the new plant of the McCormick Manufacturing Company, East London, Thursday afternoon, they have been free to go where they pleased through special orders made by Lieut.-Col. E. S. Wile. The majority of the men left the city for their homes, with instructions to report on Monday. No time was wasted, although it was generally understood that there would be a roll call at 10:30 last night, and that the men were to return to the city on the first train yesterday morning.

Early yesterday morning the Eighteenth men started to arrive, and by noon the big camp at Queen's Park and the barracks had returned the battle that has marked them since the battalion was mobilized here.

Afternoon trains from north, south, east and west brought their quota of troops into the city, and by 6 o'clock last night the entire battalion could have been marshalled full strength, had the order been given.

Officers Pleased.
Officers of the battalion last night voiced their satisfaction at the manner in which the men had returned to camp on time, and prepared to tackle cheerfully the strenuous drills that will follow, until orders are received for the unit to leave for overseas service.

BREEDERS UNITING FOR BETTER STOCK
Western Ontario Stockmen Will Organize Here On Thursday.

A meeting of representative livestock men of Western Ontario will be held at the City Hotel, London, on Thursday at 1 o'clock. The breeders intend to organize a "Western Ontario Consignment Sales Company," for the sale of all kinds and especially pure bred stock. It is proposed to conduct monthly auction sales, probably at the Western Fair grounds, and to transact other business of interest to farmers and stockbreeders.

It is not necessary to be a large stock breeder to attend the meeting, in fact it is not necessary to be a stock breeder at all. Anyone interested in agricultural pursuits is invited to attend.

Big Demand for Beef.
Speakers at the Guilford Winter Fair prophesied that there would be an exceptional demand for beef, sheep and hogs, not only while the war was on, but for some years afterwards. They declared that the farmer was not only enriching himself by growing nothing but the best livestock, but that he was serving his country even better by not on the field of battle. The livestock industry of Ontario, although the best of any province, could be greatly improved at slight expense, the Ontario farmer being more fortunate than his neighbor in Quebec, maritime or western provinces, in that he can buy pure bred stock and transport it to his farm at less expense, and has also in many cases the advantage of seeing the "stuff" before purchasing.

Although the Ontario breeder is honest, as a rule, numerous complaints have been received from buyers in the maritime and western provinces.

Ontario's Fine Stock.
Ontario, and especially Western Ontario, can boast of the finest stock in the Dominion, and it is up to the farmers of this district to attend the meeting called by the following well-known stock men at the City Hotel, Thursday: John Gibson, Denfield; S. R. McVittie, Muncy Institute; Captain Tom Robson, London; Col. Robt. McEwen, Byron; J. D. Eilen, Ruston; Wm. Mansell, Fletcher; T. Robson, Arva; A. Watson, St. Thomas; Geo. A. Attridge, Muirkirk.

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MOTOR COMPANY FAILS

Petition Filed by a Detroit Corporation.
DETROIT, Dec. 28.—Petitions in bankruptcy were filed today by the Kirt Motor Car Company and the Kirt Sales Company, both of this city. The liabilities of the motor car company are said to be \$881,235, with assets amounting to \$922,533. The sales company liabilities are, according to the petition, \$234,305, and the assets \$256,814. The latter concern was formed to render financial assistance to the motor company about a year ago. Lack of business, due to the European war, is given as the cause of the failure.

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