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MURRELL HABEAS CORPUS DECISION RESERVED London "Tories" Out To Beat Wenige At All Costs

COUNSEL FOR MURRELL APPLIES TO SET ASIDE EXTRADITION PROCESS

J. M. Donohue Declares Extradition Proceedings Were Not Regularly Carried Out and Invokes Aid of Habeas Corpus Provisions—Toronto Counsel Appears For Crown.

JUSTICE KELLY WILL CONSIDER CASE

Decision was reserved by Hon. Mr. Justice Kelly on the application of J. M. Donohue, counsel for Sidney E. Murrell, alleged murderer, for a writ on habeas corpus, on the grounds of irregularity in extradition proceedings.

F. P. Brennan, appearing on behalf of the attorney-general pointed out that even if the irregularities had occurred, the judge could resort to extraordinary remedies provided for under section 1120 of the criminal code and make an order for the further detention of the prisoner.

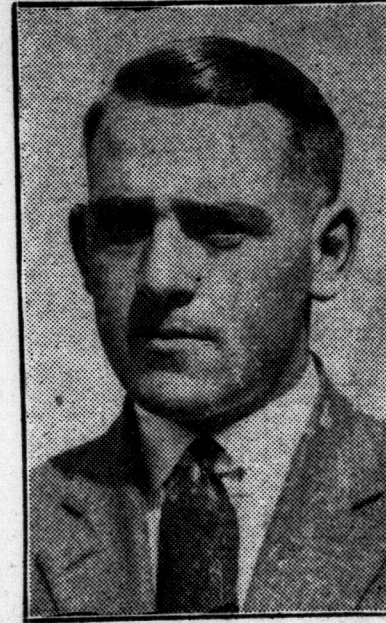
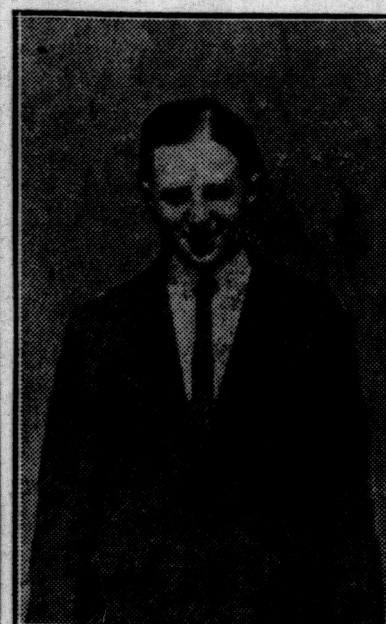
Mr. Donohue did not think it was the stage of the game for such proceedings, believing such should be done upon the return of the writ.

Mr. Justice Kelly declared he could order Mr. Donohue to produce the

prisoner himself before him at a later date, but declared that in view of Mr. Donohue's serious objections, he would not refuse the writ as he was at first inclined to do, but would reserve the decision and read the act again.

Asked why he had not made the action an ex-parte one, Mr. Donohue stated he had served the attorney-general as an act of courtesy, believing it to be the custom in such cases.

Mr. Donohue contended there was not proper warrant for holding the prisoner. Mr. Brennan believed the jailer had a warrant which held. He believed there had been a warrant of recapture giving the officers who brought Murrell to Canada power to turn him over to the jailer for safe keeping until trial.



CONDUCTING SURVEY OF STREET RAILWAY

Company Engineers Taking Stock in Anticipation of Possible Early Sale to City.

The London Street Railway Company is conducting another survey of its holdings, according to a report today from R. G. Ivey, vice-president. Engineers now engaged in that task will not likely complete their valuation for several days, he stated.

In the meanwhile Sir Adam Beck's engineers will complete their survey and both valuations will be presented when the city's representative meets the street railway authorities. To date, Mr. Ivey has had several conferences with Sir Adam.

"It will be quite satisfactory if the city takes the road over," the vice-president stated, "although I have no idea what our people will ask for it until our engineers have completed their survey."

PROVES CITY ENGINEER'S CONTENTION WAS RIGHT

Ald. Frank McKay Points Out Exceptions in Bylaw Covering Paving Allowances.

City Engineer Near was right in his contention to Sir Adam Beck that he did not have sole authority to order the Street Railway Company to do anything that he considered fitting, according to Ald. Frank McKay.

There are at least three exceptions to the rule, the latter stated today after again consulting the provisions of bylaw 316, the company's contract with the city.

"I find that the city engineer was right in his contention the other day," Ald. McKay stated. "There are times when the city engineer has not the final say. There are times when the company is allowed the right to appeal to the city council and it just happens to be that one of these refers to this particular issue—the paving of street railway allowances."

Ald. McKay points out that while Sir Adam Beck read out at the meeting one clause of the bylaw to prove that Mr. Near had the power to order the Street Railway Company to do as he said, he failed to read out the other sections to show that there are at least three exceptions.

Ald. McKay, however, is a firm supporter of the move to buy the road but insists that arbitration proceedings should follow in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

GREAT BRITAIN TO ASSIST AT PORTUGAL CELEBRATION

Associated Press Despatch. London, Sept. 22.—The British government has offered to convey to Portugal President-Elect Gomez on board the British cruiser Carys Fort, which will represent Great Britain at the celebration of the thirteenth anniversary of the founding of the Portuguese Republic.

Marquis Curzon, the British foreign secretary, will preside at a farewell banquet, which the British government will tender to Senor Gomez. The president-elect, who has been on a visit to King George at Balmoral, expresses a sense of keen appreciation for the courtesies tendered him by the British sovereign and

WILL REPORT MONDAY ON ARCHITECTS' PLANS

City Clerk Baker Has Documents Submitted Under Lock and Key.

City Clerk Sam Baker stated today that he expected to have a report Monday morning from the Toronto and Hamilton architects, who yesterday afternoon completed their inspection of the plans submitted by local men for the construction of a new city hall on the McCormick site.

Plans on the McCormick site, the clerk explained, and not eight, as was first reported, owing to an error in numbering the plans as they were presented here in a decision of the plan committee.

The architects completed their task yesterday afternoon and consulting any of the local authorities after they had sealed up the documents and returned them to City Clerk Baker.

TRAVELERS' PICNIC AT SPRINGBANK PARK

Plans Perfected For a Most Enjoyable Outing This Afternoon.

The United Commercial Travelers hold their annual picnic this afternoon at Springbank and the executive are expecting to have more than two hundred names on the roll when refreshments are served. The picnic includes a hard ball game between the U. C. T. and a soft ball game between the two teams of commercial travelers captained by George Hair and John Doidge.

There will be races for the ladies and children of course prizes. The committees for the day are: Entertainment committee, F. O. Keen, chairman; G. H. Hisslop, E. M. Russell, chairman; the refreshment committee is composed of James McKenzie, chairman, N. O. Farrell, and F. Neil. The first ball game is called for 2:30 sharp.

AGED MAN SEEKING JOB TO KEEP WOLF FROM DOOR

Who has a lawn to cut or a furnace to attend or some little chore about the place that an old man who is seeking a job might badly can do? There is an old man in London who for the last few weeks has been on the hunt for a job to keep the roof over the heads of his wife and himself. For 30 years he was a willing and faithful worker in one of the largest factories in the city. Now he is dismissed with a pension of \$3.50 per week to keep his wife and himself and to keep the wolf from the door.

Yesterday he went down to the old factory and asked that he might be allowed to sweep the floors for a few dollars a week. "You've got a pension, haven't you?" said the foreman. "You don't need to work, get out!"

That hurt the old man's feelings as much as the fact that he is poor and old and out of work. So who can lend a helping hand?

KILLED BY SHOTGUN

Canadian Press Despatch. Govan, Sask., Sept. 22.—W. J. Dick, well known farmer living six miles northeast of here, was instantly killed yesterday by the accidental discharge of a shotgun.

NEW STUDENT COUNCIL OF CENTRAL COLLEGIATE.

Members of the 1923-24 students' council of the Central Collegiate Institute, elected by vote of the scholars at the school yesterday. This council, together with seven members of the staff, form an advisory executive, which will co-operate with and

supervise the activities of all other organizations in the school. The voting was close, small majorities being the order of the day. Over 800 voters signified their choice by electing the above. Reading from left to right they are: Ronald Back, 717

Waterloo street; Evelyn White, 34 Marley street; Margaret Marshall, 145 John street; Travis Chapman, 225 Grey street; Dorothy Morgan, 224 Hyman street; and Harold Dean, 243 Wharnciffe road north.

Northern Life To Remain Think Local Finance Men Believe Company May Change Hands, But That Control Will Stay in London—Toronto Brokers Purchase Stock Heavily.

Who will win the battle for the control of the Northern Life Assurance Company stock? This is the question that has been the subject of much talk this morning in the business section of London.

T. H. Purdom, K.C., president of the company, whose head office is located here in the Dominion Savings Building, affirms that he and his associates hold the controlling stock, while R. C. MacKnight, discharged general manager of the company, declares emphatically that he and the interests back of him "absolutely control the stock of the Northern Life."

No matter which side wins one of the most spectacular financial battles fought here in a decade, the opinion of local financial men is that the Northern Life will still retain its head office here.

It is known that as far back as last February R. C. MacKnight approached London financial men with a proposition to depose Mr. T. H. Purdom, K.C., as president of the Northern Life, and suggested in his place a local man whose financial ability is recognized from coast to coast.

Proposition Was Refused. After hearing who might possibly be added to the board of directors, this gentleman turned the proposition down and has not been approached in the matter since that time he declares.

It is a matter of general knowledge on "inside" circles that Gardner, Clarke & Co., of Toronto, brokers, have been buying up all the Northern Life stock that they could lay their hands on and it is stated that the MacKnight interests had purchased some 2,000 shares of Northern Life stock before Mr. Purdom was aware of their action.

Mr. Purdom's statement as to the entire affair will be found on page Five, as will also that of Mr. MacKnight.

Mr. Gardner, senior partner of the brokerage firm, would not either affirm or deny that his company had been purchasing stock for London interests, when questioned by The Advertiser this morning over long-distance phone.

Conference Last Night. His partner, Mr. Clarke, left London early this morning for Windsor after spending the evening with Mr. MacKnight in a local hotel. He admitted last night that his firm had purchased some stock, stating that it was but a small amount.

However, it is learned on good authority that the purchase of the brokers was as heavy as possible, and they bought wherever they could. The majority of financial men interviewed by The Advertiser today were of the opinion that as the Northern Life was perfectly sound and in a healthy, flourishing condition, the proposed sale to the Sun Life would not be sanctioned by the minister of finance, as the government desired to keep as many as possible purely Canadian insurance companies in business.

One man (an outsider in the fight), who is in close touch with the situation, stated that in his opinion the board of directors of the Northern Life would be reorganized at the company's annual meeting in February or possibly before that time, and that local men other than Mr. Purdom and his associates, would be in control.

ASKS GOVERNMENT TO OPEN COMPLETE PROBE OF BANKS

Montreal Trades and Labor Council Demands a Searching Inquiry at Early Date.

CITES HOME BANK

Special to The Advertiser. Montreal, Sept. 22.—A government investigation of the cause of the failure of the Home Bank of Canada and a searching inquiry into the financial condition of every other chartered bank in the Dominion, was demanded by the Trades and Labor Council at its last meeting.

Parties interested in the collapse of the Home Bank will be asked to appear before a meeting of the executive of the local labor organization when a further inquiry into the affair will be made, and the resolution passed at the regular meeting of the labor council, presented to the executive for its approval.

The resolution involving the demand for government action in the bank situation was proposed by H. A. Spence, business agent for the machinists' union in Montreal, and was seconded by Delegate Foucher of the Fur Workers' local organization.

ADVISES EXHIBITION OF LONDON'S PRODUCTS

Dr. Hugh Stevenson Advocates Using Manufacturers' Building All Year Round.

Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, ex-M.P.P., comes forward with a brand new suggestion as to what should be done with the new Manufacturers' Building at the Western Fair in Queen's Park. He suggests that the structure be used all year round to exhibit "Made in London" goods.

He believes that London manufacturers should have permanent exhibition in the building so that travelers or other persons interested in London merchandise might go right out to the building, see the samples and purchase what they need," stated Dr. Stevenson. "It would be a great attraction to visitors, and would be something really worth while."

"I would also suggest that the Chamber of Commerce office be located there. It is the logical place for it."

BICYCLE BADLY SMASHED IN INTERSECTION CRASH

Victor Owens, 14 Connaught street, was knocked from his bicycle about noon today at the corner of Richmond and York streets by a motor car driven by W. H. Biggs, 21 Marley Place.

Owens escaped injury, but the bicycle which he was riding was badly smashed.

MISSING INFANT CAUSES FURORE IN LOCAL STORE

Distracted Mother Finally Discovers Son Ensclosed in Showcase.

PLAYING WITH TOYS

Did you ever see a lost baby sitting in a showcase, playing contentedly with all the pretty things on the shelves, while the distracted mother, the proprietor, and most of the assistants in the store were running about in an universal search for the missing infant?

That's what happened yesterday in one of London's toy shops. The mother came into the store to buy some things for the child, and while she was looking over the various teddy bears and the Sparky Plugs and the miniature automobiles, and so on, the enterprising infant started to find something which met his own particular fancy.

After some minutes the mother discovered that she was alone, and that baby had gone shopping by himself, and accordingly the general rush, resembling the finale of that fine indoor amusement known to the last generation as musical chairs commenced. After about ten minutes of the mystery was reached.

When peace had been restored, and the floor, with the general anxiety, together with the mother's worry of the storekeeper that a customer should lose her child in his store, had been assuaged, the solution of the mystery was reached.

Back of the showcase, opening on to the passageway behind the counter, the floor, it is presumed, the baby climbed in, and, being entirely satisfied with the assortment of toys he found, was happily at work when more shoppers had arrived. He was one thing is certain, when he was taken out, he wept tears of bitter sorrow at the thought of being separated from the embrace of his mother. It was only after the fond parent that his lordship agreed to be well-behaved citizen, and in the language of the cop to "Come along quietly."

UNIVERSITY TO GIVE NEW WOMEN'S COURSE

Studies Will Embrace Library and Secretarial Work of High Order.

The faculty of the University of Western Ontario, in session yesterday, approved of a new course to be opened as soon as the university opens. It will be for the purpose of giving library and secretarial training to women, and will lead to a degree of B. A. (in library and secretarial work).

Unless special arrangements are made, providing for the acceptance of men, women only will be allowed to take it. Requirements for admission will be completed junior matriculation. The course will take four years, and is intended to give a good broad education.

Practical tuition in library and secretarial work will be given. The secretarial work will be given in a progressive amount, a certain portion during the first year and an increased amount during the succeeding years.

The training in specialized secretarial work will include typewriting and shorthand. Applications to attend the course should be made immediately.

TO SEE STRATFORD GAME.

A large party of C. N. R. employees and friends are leaving this afternoon for Stratford to see the first game between the London and Stratford football teams. Bert Hayes will pitch for the London team, with Bill Rogers as catcher. The Londoners are confident of winning today's game, and have taken this large following of supporters to witness the victory. The return game will be played in London on Saturday next.

ANGLICAN YOUNG PEOPLE ARRANGE 1923 CONVENTION

Meetings in This City Will Mark Twenty-First Anniversary.

MANY DELEGATES

Undoubtedly the most important feature of their calendar, preparation for the Dominion convention to be held here commencing Thursday, Oct. 1, and continuing until Sunday, Oct. 21, is engrossing the attention of all the Anglican Young People's Associations of the city. In spite of the excellent work it has already accomplished it is at this time that the Dominion organization of the A. Y. P. A. really obtains its "maturity"; for 1923 marks the 21st birthday of this organization which was commenced in London by the late Canon Brown, and the Bishop of Huron, who at that time had not yet been made bishop, but was known as Rev. David Williams.

In order that it might celebrate its twenty-first birthday in the city of its origin, the Dominion association accepted the invitation of the local council to meet here, preparations for its twenty-first birthday dinner, to be given by W. W. Duddridge.

An outstanding function in connection with the convention will be the birthday dinner on opening evening, when well-known figures of the church will be guests of honor. There will be ample opportunity for an interchange of ideas among various delegates from different parts of the Dominion.

"Leadership" is Theme. "Leadership" has been made the general theme of the convention, and this important subject will be discussed from every possible angle at the present sessions.

Working energetically in London to make the convention a success is the following committee of the local council: Convener, J. W. Duddridge; Secretary, Fred Hitchens; convener of liturgical committee, Miss Lillian Moss; convener of lunch committee, Mrs. John Moorehouse; convener of dinner committee, Miss Lillian Moss; convener of the social committee, John Liddle; convener of the conference of photograph, James Dean; convener of sight-seeing and transportation committee, J. W. Duddridge.

Among those who will speak are: Dean Arthur Carlisle, Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, who will be remembered as former curate at Cronyn Memorial Church; Rev. G. W. Tebb of Burlington; W. R. Sproule of Toronto, vice-president of the Dominion Y.P.A.; Rev. F. W. Vair, Wallaceburg; Rev. G. W. Warner of London; Rev. Dr. P. Bowler, London; Rev. Dr. B. Rogers, Toronto; Prof. F. Anderson of Huron College; Miss Metcalfe, St. John's, and Miss Lillian Moss, London.

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PAVE OXFORD STREET NOW, SAYS DOUGLASS

Alderman Will Move That Work There Be Finished Without Delay.

Oxford street, west from the bridge to the Wharnciffe road should be paved, Ald. Douglas declares. Ald. Leonard Douglas, chairman of the board of works, who charges today that this project is being shifted in preference to the pavement proposed for Brydges street.

Chairman Douglas assures that he will immediately move that the Street Railway Company be notified that the city is going to pave this street, and to govern itself accordingly.

A bylaw authorizing this work was passed a year ago, he alleges, and questions why this job should be continually held up. It is not fair to the people of Oxford street, he declares, adding that there is no hurry for the city to pave this street.

"Furthermore the people of the latter street do not want the pavement," he explained, "and in any event it could wait until the spring and we could start West London now. Mayor Wenige has stated that the paving bylaw is passed it should carry with it the automatic order to the city engineer to commence operations without delay."

ST. THOMAS MAN DROWNS WHEN CANOE CAPSIZES

Canadian Press Despatch. Winnipeg, Sept. 22.—Word has reached here of the drowning at the Seven Sisters Falls on the Winnipeg River last Wednesday of Aldon Wolesey, 28, of St. Thomas, Ont., and B. Malignan, aged 16, of Brookfield, Man. Arthur Gustafson, survivor of the party of three who were canoeing reports that the canoe capsized when they ran into the eddy of a whirlpool, throwing the occupants into the swift current.

TORY CLANS BEAT TOM-TOM FOR MAN TO TRIM WENIGE

Will Attempt To Run Next Civic Election Upon Political Party Lines.

CHIEFS IN COUNCIL

The London Conservative Association is preparing to inject Dominion politics into municipal affairs and the word has gone forth "beat Wenige at all costs."

At a packed meeting last evening a resolution was passed unopposed and unanimously to stage an emergency session next Friday night with the combined membership of the Conservative Club and the Conservative association in attendance.

While no official definite action was taken relative to the municipal situation and the fight for the mayor's chair the question was undeniably discussed in the corridors and the side rooms—and the consensus of opinion was that Mayor George Wenige was a detriment to the city; was retarding the progress of London and should be beaten.

To Reorganize. It is proposed next Friday to reorganize upon a more substantial basis and the trend of opinion is that "now is the time for all good Tories to come to the aid of the party," and to be prepared for "Big Conservative landslide" at the next Federal election and the success of the Hon. Arthur Meighen.

It was agreed that a few of the faithful convened in special session and considered the proposal to close the doors of the club and disband indefinitely, or at the call of the president or the respective ward bosses. There was a sharp division of opinion and the issue was shelved until next night, when the members, in view of the fact that a fair proportion of the membership was not in attendance.

The Clans Gather. Last night they arrived in full force—the Dennises, the Juddites, the Beckites and all the lesser lights. Sir Adam Beck, the local provincial leader, who had undertaken to speak, it was stated this morning that in all likelihood he would be there for the big round-up next Friday.

Reorganization will be the first order of business, and then, individual members told The Advertiser today, the members, who are satisfied with his leadership, would be the first to return to the chief magistrate's chair without opposition was informally discussed last night by many of the members, but no definite conclusion was that he should be "beaten at all costs."

Has Aroused Beck. The stated reason to The Advertiser was that "if the mayor is a grave detriment to the city" and that steps should be taken to prevent his re-election. Why the boys at headquarters should undertake the task (whether officially or not) is because, it is further explained there seems to be a lack of harmony among the members, who are satisfied with his stewardship and there appears to be no organization among them.

In short, while there has been considerable talk of opposition, none approached have felt like taking the plunge. It seems to be generally recognized that Mayor Wenige will take some beating. His opponent, whoever he may be, must have a powerful organization behind him and a fighting candidate must be chosen to carry the banner.

It has often been considered who the candidate shall be but no selection has been made until after Friday night's gathering. That is, if the association will officially take action as demanded in no uncertain manner by individual members who voiced their opinion last night.

While the claim is set forth distinctly that "Wenige is a detriment to the city" there are those who say that this is not the real reason. They question if it would not be more to the point to say that the mayor has aroused Sir Adam and the members of the inner circle to such a degree that they are prompted to take drastic action to step on him as it were.

Much depends upon Friday night's session.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS. Today—Light winds; fine and moderate warm.

Sunday—Light to moderate winds; fine and warmer.

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	60	46	Fair
Calgary	58	22	Fair
Winnipeg	58	28	Cloudy
Port Arthur	56	40	Foggy
Parry Sound	66	50	Clear
Toronto	62	54	Clear
Kingston	60	52	Cloudy
Ottawa	68	48	Clear
Montreal	66	54	Cloudy
Quebec	64	50	Cloudy
St. John's	60	52	Cloudy
Halifax	64	62	Cloudy

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 59; lowest, 53. The official temperatures for the 13 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 59; lowest, 54.

Barometric Readings. Friday—8 p.m.—29.38. Today—8 a.m.—29.25.

EXPECT RECOVERY OF GEORGE GRANGER, DUTTON, INJURED BY FALLING TREE IN FEW DAYS

DRAKE DECLARES HE WILL SUPPORT ENGINEER NEAR

Ward Three Alderman Believes Sir Adam Beck Going Too Far.

COMMENTS WORK

Sir Adam Beck is going just a little too far, Ald. Gordon Drake believes today.

"I am going to stand by City Engineer Near," he asserted vigorously, commenting upon a similar stand yesterday by the members of the board of works.

"Near is our city engineer, and as long as he is doing the work to our satisfaction we should accept his opinion. I am, for one, no matter what anyone else says."

Ald. Drake states further that while he stands for the purchase of the London Street Railway he must acknowledge that better service is forthcoming from that corporation at present than ever before.

Mayor Wenig is quite pleased with the stand adopted by the board of works yesterday when the members supported his motion that they endorse the Richmond street work to date, as directed by City Engineer Near.

"They have endorsed his work on Richmond street," he said. "They must, therefore, consider that his work is satisfactory."

Work Satisfactory. His worship senses that there were a couple of the members of the committee in a "tight box" yesterday, however, when he moved this resolution of confidence in the city engineer, irrespective of the proposed corrections from Sir Adam's engineers.

"It was a 'show-down,'" declared the mayor. "One was imperative in view of what had been charged. Had the committee voted down my motion I would have immediately moved for the retirement of the city engineer, although personally I am completely satisfied with his work. But the case is this: We have an engineer, and as long as he is doing the work to our satisfaction we must accept his opinion as against Sir Adam's engineers, or anyone else, it would be no use having him at all."

Vote On Bus System. Both Mayor Wenig and Ald. Drake reminded today that the people will be asked in December, as an alternative solution of the city's transportation problems, what they think about the establishment of a motorbus scheme.

"The council is already pledged to send my proposal to the electors," the mayor stated, "and the question is going to be submitted in detail to them before long. This time I am going to see that the taxpayers hear both sides of the question in detail."

Ald. Drake concurs in this, and adds that from present indications the people of "Ward Three" are going to support the bus proposal.

PRINCIPAL CHARGES HE WAS MISQUOTED

Says He Did Not Make Statements Attributed to Him by Local Paper.

Until it was discovered by The London Advertiser this morning, that T. S. H. Graham, principal of the South London College, had made a number of pointed remarks in connection with the local institutions of Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. were credited in yesterday's edition of a local paper, had not only been misunderstood but misquoted, a certain amount of indignation was occasioned by a statement made by Mr. Graham to the effect that the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. were neglecting important portions of their duty.

According to the incorrect story, principal Graham's charges were that the industrial young men and women of the city were being neglected, and a great deal too much attention being paid to the collegiate students, whose time was already amply occupied.

To The Advertiser this morning, Mr. Graham replied that he had given no interview whatever on this subject.

"The conversation I had with a reporter," he said, "was merely to the effect that our South London College floor was a very busy one. I gave him no authority beyond this. Furthermore, I had no desire to express myself strongly or otherwise on the subject of the Y. M. C. A. or the Y. W. C. A."

Some consternation was felt at the Y. W. C. A. last night over the report, but this morning when questioned, Miss Norton, general secretary there, said she had already been informed that Mr. Graham had been misquoted and had no statement to make on the matter.

Officials at the Y. M. C. A., however, were accepting the statements in all good faith, until informed by The Advertiser that Mr. Graham declared himself to be misquoted.

Jenkins, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., was already in the course of preparing an article for publication in the evening editions of the local papers.

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Premature Winter Greetings Prince On Reaching Banff

Feminine Guests at Hotel Highly Excited Over the Prospect of Dancing With Next King of England.

Banff Springs Hotel, Alta., Sept. 21.—A Canadian girl thrust her acquaintance on Lord Renfrew today no less a person than our Lady of the Snows herself. It is not on record whether he liked her as well as the other ladies he has met, but it is to be feared that he found her a cold companion judging by the chilly look he wore when he arrived here from the train.

Winter came today prematurely with a decided rush, wiping out the late summer splendors of the Rockies and turning these famed holiday haunts into a bleak chill desolation. The storm started in the early morning, Cascade Mountain and its giant neighbors buried in an impenetrable blanket of clouds, the Bow Valley was blotted out. All forenoon the soggy snow fell sullenly, sticking the trees so that everything but the snow appeared in an absolute mantle of white.

In the afternoon there was a brief interlude, and each mountain in turn thrust an occasional pinnacle through the storm, and when Lord Renfrew came into the hotel at 6:30 p.m., it was to a wintry wilderness, still curtained by the falling snow, so that evening was drawing in, although the hour was not yet midnight.

An anachronism which the other guests enjoyed today, and he will probably enjoy tomorrow, was the sight of girls, clad in one-piece bathing suits in the midst of the falling snow, dispersing themselves in the hot spring pool right in the open. Their bare feet left tracks on the snow-covered spring boards as they dived—summers during the chill challenge of marching winter.

Cheer Feebly. When Lord Renfrew, fresh from his ranch, stepped off the train at Banff, he arrived at the Banff Hotel, where he was met by Inspector Ryan of the R. C. M. P., and J. Wood, assistant superintendent of the Rocky Mountain Park. They chatted for a few moments and then Lord Renfrew entered a car and drove straight to the hotel. Perhaps a hundred people were present to greet him in the dusk. They cheered feebly.

Four years ago, as the Prince of Wales, he arrived at Banff on the morning of a beautiful September day. A band of Indian braves on horseback—a colorful and noisy cavalcade—escorted him, and he whoops to a pow-wow. In the heart of the reservation here the Stoney named him Chief Morning Star. It was rather a compliment, for the evening star that he returned to Banff.

It almost seemed that the elements were helping him maintain his incognito. Four years ago, the Prince of Wales whispered jokingly to a nearby companion, "Attaboy," when he stepped off the train at Banff, and the next morning he was a well-known and fettered and frilled, advanced to confer on him the title of brother. What he whispered this time as he drove through the rain was not known, but it probably was not joyful.

He arrived at the hotel a few minutes after 6:30, and without ceremony, stepped in to the hotel, was greeted by the manager, and passed across the elevator. The guests had the merest flash of him as he passed. He was covered up in a heavy brown ulster, his throat protected by a white muffler, and with a cap pulled down over his eyes. Over his arm he carried a waterproof coat. A Japanese house servant stepped forward and relieved him of this unnecessary baggage. Truth to tell the same boy would have done the same thing for any of us, for an expectant quarter, but with the prince the rain air is not significant and must be recorded. What the prince said was: "Oh, all right, thanks."

At least ninety-six per cent of the guests at the Banff Springs Hotel are Americans. One could count the

YOUNG IMMIGRANTS LIKE CANADIAN LIFE

Salvation Army Reports 212 Boys and Girls Brought From Britain.

Thirty-two boys and 180 girls from England and Scotland have been placed by the Salvation Army for domestic and agricultural employment throughout Western Ontario since the beginning of this year, according to Adjutant Smith, head of the Salvation Army immigration department in this district. A total of 8,000 immigrants have come to this country through the Salvation Army since the first of March.

According to Adjutant Smith, the boys who have come to Canada this year are of a high type. "They are succeeding in their agricultural work on Canadian farms, and seem to be perfectly contented with this country," he stated. "None desire to return to their homes, and all want to remain here and become farmers."

"In regard to the Scotch girls brought out for domestic work," said the immigration officer, "we find that we cannot place enough of them. The Scotch girls are popular in London, and we have no trouble in securing positions for them."

The Salvation Army acts as guardians for all boys and girls brought to the old country. The payment of bonus received for their work on farms is turned over to the Army and is given to the boys in a lump sum when they become of age. They are provided with pocket money every week.

The immigration department on Ontario streets, where the Salvation Army homes of the city are given a free dinner every Thursday evening, and the form of entertainment is provided.

TORONTO ODDFELLOWS WIN. Local Oddfellows are well pleased with the showing made by Canton Toronto, No. 7, at the convention of the Sovereign Grand Lodge at Cincinnati, following the receipt of the Patriarchs of the Grand Lodge of London, of the news that the canton had won first prize in the Class A final competition, the award being \$1,000 cash. They also won second prize, \$200, for conferring the Patriarchal degree, and another prize of \$100, for long distance contest.

THINK SCHISM APPARENT IN SCOTTISH RITE RANKS.

Associated Press Despatch. Rome, Sept. 22.—An unidentified group today broke into the Scottish Rite Lodge rooms near St. Peter's, and carried off all the documents it could find. Some attributed the act to opponents within the order, and others to a rival group, the Grand Master Palmeri, whose recent announcement of admission to the Masonic government caused a schism in the Scottish Rite ranks.

ACCIDENT VICTIMS SHOW PROGRESS IN CITY HOSPITAL

Expect Recovery of George Granger, Dutton, Injured by Falling Tree.

BOTH LEGS BROKEN

Authorities at Victoria Hospital have given encouraging reports regarding the condition of several accident victims removed to that institution during the past few days. George Granger, 23-year-old teamster of Dutton, whose right leg was terribly injured and fractured, and in addition suffered a broken left leg when a large hickory tree fell on him Tuesday, is reported to be making remarkable progress and, although his condition was at first regarded as almost hopeless, his recovery is now expected. Granger was falling a tree near Dutton when he was struck by the trunk, which he was felling Thursday. He was also reported as improved following his removal to the hospital. Operations were done on his injured limbs, and his recovery is looked for.

LEAVES FOR TORONTO. Lewis Bell, 21-year-old C. N. R. trainman who suffered painful injuries when, fearing an accident, he jumped from a rapidly moving freight car at Ingersoll early Monday morning, left for his home in Toronto Friday afternoon. Bell received a nasty gash in his left ear, and head lacerations on the forehead, in addition to the fractured leg. He will be several days before his doctors will permit him to return to his home.

SHARE FOR SHARE IS PLAN OF BANK. Meeting of Commerce Shareholders Is Called To Discuss Amalgamation.

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Another accident victim showing progress in Victoria Hospital, Dufferin avenue, who was seriously injured a few weeks ago, when he was knocked from his bicycle by a Dundas street car, William and Dundas streets, Spurgeon, who had a fractured skull, and while in hospital in his condition has been slow to recover, is now convalescing at his home.

STATE INSTITUTES PROBE OF DESTRUCTIVE FIRES. Associated Press Despatch. Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 22.—On the theory that the destruction of the forest, brush and grass fires in California during the past week were the result of incendiaries, the state board of forestry has started an investigation in an effort to find individual responsibility and to clear up the mystery which surrounds several of the fires. Several arrests are expected.

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PRINCE GOES TO BANFF PUFFING OLD BRIAR

Calgary, Sept. 21.—Pulling at his old briar pipe contentedly and looking the picture of health, Edward, Prince of Wales, traveling as Lord Renfrew, arrived in the city late this afternoon, and left almost immediately for Banff. The prince was accompanied by Brigadier-General T. F. Trotter, Sir Godfrey Thomas and two other members of his staff.

J. M. Cameron, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway for Alberta, was the only person to greet the prince on his arrival here.

Enjoying the sight of a real Alberta September snowstorm, Lord Renfrew put in a quiet morning today, the heavy snow held up activities on the ranch for the time being, and everyone took a well-earned rest. Lord Renfrew put in his time preparing for the trip over the week-end to Banff. The special train left High River with Lord Renfrew and his party at 2:30 p.m.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS EXCEED LAST YEAR'S. Harvesting Is Nearing Completion, and 1,000 Workers Have Already Returned.

Canadian Press Despatch. Winnipeg, Sept. 21.—The year 1922 was a record one for grain loadings and shipments on the Canadian Pacific, and the shipments to date exceeded those of the corresponding period last year and amply justify the reports of a record year in Western Canadian grain production.

On Thursday there were 5,774,548 bushels of grain marketed, and 2,716 cars loaded in the prairie provinces, compared with 5,502,997 bushels marketed and 2,560 loaded on the corresponding day of 1922. The Canadian National Railway loaded 1,238 cars and marketed 2,614,000 bushels, while the Canadian Pacific marketed 2,640,000 bushels of all grains.

With the completion of harvesting operations in many western districts, farm workers are returning to their homes in the east, 1,000 having left this city since September 7.

SARNIA SHIP AGROUND NEAR ALEXANDRIA BAY. Canadian Press Despatch. Brockville, Ont., Sept. 21.—The steamer Advance, owned by the Reid Wrecking Company, Sarnia, and laden with 57,000 bushels of grain from Port Colborne for Montreal, is aground in the narrows three miles west of Alexandria Bay.

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SEES REVOLUTION IN RUHR DISTRICT IN A FEW WEEKS

Conditions in Occupied Sections of Germany Growing From Bad to Worse.

MAY CAPITULATE

Special Cable to The Advertiser. Berlin, Sept. 22.—The situation in the Ruhr is becoming constantly worse, according to information here today. Some officials even predict a nation-wide outbreak inside of a month, unless the Ruhr question is settled, and assert the outbreak may occur even if the Ruhr problem is liquidated in the near future.

Today's situation in Germany resembled that of 1918 when Germany's armies admittedly had fought many months too long.

Conservative Germans feared the Ruhr war which has been over-fought by at least four months. They saw the demand of Poincaré for Germany's "Complete and public capitulation" as the only exit for the government, unless it wishes to face a similar situation to that which succeeded the armistice in 1918.

Await Berlin's Response. HIRSHALL, Special Cable to The London Advertiser and Chicago Daily News. Copyright. Essen, Sept. 22.—News that the Berlin government had decided to give up passive resistance until now has been received in the Ruhr with dull acquiescence, growing out of habit. But now there is a feeling that new arrangements are in the air. The trades unions have already been informed that the Berlin government must cease its financial support. They are breaking the news slowly to the rank and file, but the rank and file had made their decision earlier that they would not accept impossible and had informed the government that resistance no longer could be carried on.

The situation is chaotic, each firm is issuing money as it wishes. The Krupp works already is issuing larger notes than the Reichsbank, which is profits enormously. Throughout the whole Ruhr district almost no productive output is being done. The whole population is living on false money issued either by their employers or by the bankrupt German government. This means that the situation is nothing else. The population feels that Berlin has deserted it. In the trades unions it has been decided that passive resistance must be given up at the earliest possible moment.

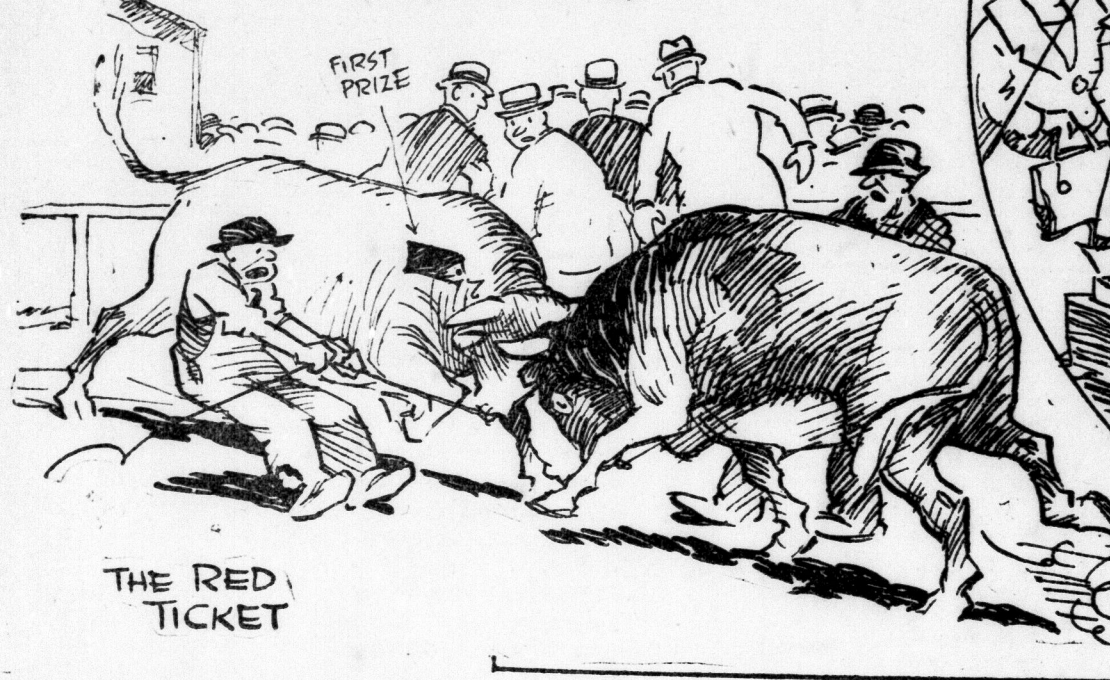
Berlin has been so informed, and the analysis now are awaiting Berlin's response.

Meanwhile, the potato shortage is causing a panic. Today 3,000 people gathered in front of the Krupp works standing in line for hours in the rain because a rumor had spread that the Krupps had potatoes.

Obituaries. The funeral of Fred Campbell, who died Wednesday at Brussels, was held yesterday from the home of his sister, Mrs. Perkins, 87 Oxford street, T. P. Perkins, W. R. Wilson, E. N. Jacob, J. A. MacDonald, W. Rogers and D. Beaton, members of the 227 Circle, Lodge of Sarnia, acted as pallbearers.



JUST LOOK AT THAT — THEY'RE GIVING IT TO THAT JONES BABY!!



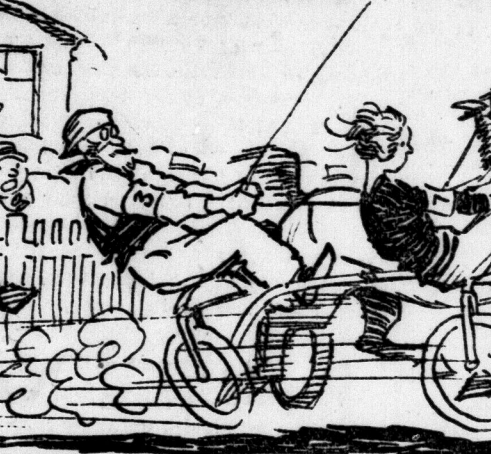
THE RED TICKET

Life's Little Comedies



THE CITY COUSIN

The Birdseye Center Fall Fair



MISS KATIE G. DRIVEN BY MISS FLOSSIE FLUTE SHOWS WHAT THE LADIES CAN DO IN THE FREE-FOR-ALL.



THE BUTTER MAKING CONTEST

ANY CHANCE MISS TODD DID HAVE FOR FIRST PRIZE WAS LOST WHEN THE CORK BLEW OUT OF HER CHURN JUST AS THE JUDGE CAME IN RANGE.

OVER-SUBSCRIBE TO CANADA'S LOAN

Dealers Report Subscriptions Had Reached Total of \$58,000,000 Last Night.

RESULT PLEASING

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Sept. 21.—Subscriptions to the new Dominion of Canada refunding loan—totalled \$58,000,000 tonight, exceeding the preliminary offerings by \$5,000,000. Dealers in charge of the marketing of the government issue expressed complete satisfaction with the character of the response, and predicted that the entire amount of \$172,000,000 required by the government to refund the 1923 Victory Bond issue which matures November 1 will be raised in Canada without difficulty.

The reception accorded the issue to date is especially encouraging, in that formal offerings to the general public will not be made until Monday next. As a result of the ready manner in which the \$50,000,000 of bonds purchased by the syndicate has been disposed of, the minister of finance has authorized subscriptions up to the amount of the entire issue. On Monday some 220 financial concerns, including practically every bond house, stock exchange firm, and bank in Canada with all their branch organizations throughout the Dominion will officially enter on the selling campaign.

The loan made by the Dominion government on a conversion basis, but in connection with the 1923 refunding loan investors may purchase for cash or turn in their 1923 holdings in exchange. Outside of wartime financing, the present offering represents the most important piece of financing ever undertaken in the Dominion. It was announced tonight that the Metropolitan Life of New York had subscribed for \$5,000,000 of the new issue. Special significance was attached to this subscription, as it reflected an outside interest in this Dominion government security.

ISSUES FURTHER LIST

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—A further list of thirty-nine members of the syndicate which purchased the \$50,000,000 five per cent bond issue, is issued tonight by the minister of finance. This, with the 182 names published yesterday, brings up to 221 the number of Canadian financial institutions interested in the purchase and subsequent sale to the public of these government bonds.

ALBERTA COAL PLEASURES

Tillsonburg, Sept. 21.—The first carload of Alberta coal to arrive in town at the coal yards of William Lambden was quickly sold out and the demand far exceeded the supply. As the coal has already been ordered through the local council the cheap freight rates were not available, and the coal retailed at \$16 per ton. More coal has already been ordered, and those who have had the opportunity to sample it are more than pleased with results.

CATCHES MASKINGONE

Wallaceburg, Sept. 21.—While fishing at Erieau recently, Customs Officer Frank Johnston of Wallaceburg caught a four-pound maskingone. This is considered a very rare occurrence in still fishing.

Long List of Civil Cases Is Ready For Lambton Assizes

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, Sept. 21.—The supreme court fall assizes open in the Lambton County court on Monday afternoon with Mr. Justice Orde of Toronto presiding. Only one case appears on the docket, but there are a number of civil jury and non-jury cases for disposal. The criminal case is a charge of criminal libel against Mrs. Joyce of Sarnia, the complainant being John Smith of Sarnia. The civil jury list contains the following: R. W. Lyons of Oakland, Ills., vs. N. A. Munro of Brooke Township; action to recover \$1,810.62 on a promissory note given for stock purchased. Defendant alleges misrepresentation. R. W. Lyons vs. N. A. Munro is a similar case. George Loughheed of Sarnia vs. David K. Stewart of Bosquet; an action for damages on account of alleged malicious prosecution in connection with the theft of a black cow. Peter Lamley of Point Edward vs. James

Coulter of Sarnia; damages for alleged seduction of plaintiff's daughter. Jackson State Savings Bank, Michigan, vs. Duncan Munroe, John Alvinson; recovery on three promissory notes for \$750, \$900 and \$900, contained with the sale of stock in the Universal Wreath Co. of Windsor. Joseph Mathews of Petrolia vs. F. A. Halstead of Port Huron; damages for alleged breach of covenant in connection with land acquired by the Orton Motor Co. of Petrolia. Mrs. Elizabeth Restorick of Watford vs. Harry Conn of Sarnia, executor of the will of the late Frances Restorick; a claim for a sum approximating \$5,000 as payments for services claimed to have been rendered to deceased, and for dower in certain lands. John Gordon Thresher Co., Sarnia, vs. E. B. Stansell of Hallowell, Norfolk County; claim for moneys furnished on account of lumber to be supplied by defendant and for goods sold and delivered by the plaintiff, total amount \$1,275.21.

DEALERS SAY CANNOT ABSORB RISE IN COAL

Retailers Are Unable To Bear Burden of Increased Price.

Associated Press Despatch. Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—Announcement that retail dealers could not absorb any of the increase in price of hard coal was made tonight by the Philadelphia Coal Exchange, whose members are said to handle about 50 per cent of all the hard coal used in this city. Three large producing companies have announced advances ranging from 30 cents to a dollar a ton in the price at the mines.

UNIVERSITY IS PRESENTED WITH SECOND MASTODON

Through the generosity of Ray Lawson of London and Charles White of Aylmer, the University of Western Ontario has been able to secure a considerable part of another mastodon skeleton. On Wednesday last the bones were brought from Aylmer and placed in the care of Professor Robertson, head of the department of zoology. While the bones are in a better state of preservation than those discovered on the Jones farm in Delaware last summer, there are not quite so many of them. The newly-acquired skeleton was discovered about ten days ago in the banks of the famous Stalter's gully, between Aylmer and Port Burwell. A farmer of the neighborhood happened to see several ribs of the huge creature protruding from the precipitous bank at a point four feet from the top. With considerable difficulty he dug out a number of the bones, including one tusk, which he removed to the attic of his house. Here they remained for several years until found by Charles White of Aylmer, who removed them to his home.

ELLICE MAN LOSES BARNS AND CONTENTS

Spontaneous Combustion Cause of Blaze on Farm of W. J. Murray.

Mitchell, Sept. 21.—Last night the large barns belonging to W. J. Murray, of Ellice, a few miles east of here, in which were all this season's crop of a fine team of horses, four calves, a number of pigs, and the implements were destroyed. The blaze started in the mow and as none of the grain was noticed in the mow, it is thought to have been the result of spontaneous combustion. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

TRAVELS 6,500 MILES.

Goderich, Sept. 21.—Lionel Macklin returned to town on Monday after four months' service as ten crew member with the Sewardston, a Canadian mail ship, during which time he travelled 6,500 miles (visiting 40 cities in 10 states of the union) throughout the southern and eastern portions of United States. Mr. Macklin, who is a third-year student in medicine at University of Toronto, will visit in town with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Macklin, until university opens next week.

SELLS ABERFELDY STORE.

Alvinston, Sept. 21.—The Aberfeldy store of Alvinston was sold last week to Mr. Hawkins, Warwick, who is now in possession. D. M. Smith, who has been manager for the past couple of years, has gone to Cairo.

COMPLETE BUILDING.

Paris, Sept. 21.—The exterior of the new Canadian Express Building is completed. It is a handsome building, of buff and brown brick with a henna roof. The interior has still to be finished.

CHARGES ILLEGAL EXPORT OF DRUGS

Graham Reads Documents Showing Switzerland Exporting Fraudulently.

SHIPPED TO CANADA

Associated Press Despatch. Geneva, Sept. 21.—The charge that great quantities of harmful drugs are being manufactured in Switzerland and clandestinely imported to the United States and Canada, caused a stir during today's discussion by the League of Nations opium commission, which yesterday decided to recommend an international conference for the promotion of the fight against opium.

Dame Edith Lyttleton, Great Britain, expressed regret that Switzerland, which has not yet ratified the Hague narcotics convention, should be turning out drugs based on opium and morphine, and smuggling them by ingenious means into Canada and the United States. Dame Lyttleton added that Swiss public opinion should be aroused, and that the Swiss government should act promptly in the premise.

Reads Documents.

Mr. Graham, the Canadian member of the commission, read documents which he declared proved that drugs were being fraudulently exported from Switzerland, to both Canada and the United States. Other speakers then intervened and saved what appeared to be a very embarrassing situation. They expressed the belief that Switzerland would do what was necessary. A resolution was adopted asking the council of the league to press Switzerland, Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, Latvia, Lithuania, Paraguay and Cuba to sign the Hague convention.

Natural Country.

Ireland, said Marquis MacSwiney, was the natural country to represent the culture of the Celts, whose apostles had contributed so much to European civilization. The disarmament commission of the league concluded its first reading of the proposed treaty of mutual assistance. The text of the treaty will be reported shortly to the assembly. One point submitted by the experts seems to be based on the idea that the United States one day will sign this treaty. It declares that entering into force when it has been ratified by the United States.

DISLOCATES HIP.

Wallaceburg, Sept. 2.—While employed on a crane at the plant of the Dominion Sugar Company, George Bartley dislocated his hip. He was

SEAFORTH SUFFERS FROM DAYS OF RAIN

Falls So Heavily On Friday That Children's Parade Is Abandoned.

FINE PEACH DISPLAY

Special to The Advertiser. Seaforth, Sept. 21.—The main feature of the Seaforth Agricultural Fair held on September 20 and 21 was the rain which, after a lapse of one day, began on Thursday and continued without much intermission for two days, greatly interfering with the attendance and success of the fair. About two o'clock on Friday afternoon it descended in such torrents that the rural and urban school children's parade from Victoria Park, headed by the Seaforth Highlanders' Band, in which fourteen schools were to have participated, had to be abandoned, much to the disappointment of the pupils who had made great preparations for the event, and also for the drills.

There was a large entry of horses for the races which had to be postponed owing to the heavy rain. These, with the judging of all the horse classes, and the baby contests, were left over to a future date, which is to be fixed by the directors. In spite of the unfortunate conditions, however, there was a good exhibit of stock, especially of Durham cattle and grade cattle.

There was a particularly good showing of poultry, the fowl being larger and better than in former years. All classes were filled. The White Wyandottes ranking first. An interesting collection of rabbits and pigeons was shown, but no turkeys. The indoor exhibits were splendid, all classes in the hall being exceptionally good, especially the baking. There was also a fine exhibit of flowers, the asters being the best specimens of perfect blooms yet seen, also dahlias and gladioli. The root crop classes were above the average, as also was the fruit with the exception of the apples.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY HOLDS OPENING MEETING

Special to The Advertiser. Ingersoll, Sept. 21.—On Wednesday afternoon the Women's Auxiliary of St. James' Church held its opening meeting for the fall at the home of Mrs. Johnston, Ann street. The chair was occupied by Mrs. A. Knights, the president, and the program was one of considerable interest. Splendid features were a piano duet by Miss Cation and Mrs. Fitzgerald and a reading by Miss Harrison. A unique feature was a guessing contest, in which the winners were Mrs. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Staples. Following a very pleasant social time, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Sumner and Mrs. McCracken, the special service.

Anti-Unionists Say Church People Never Considered

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Sept. 21.—The Presbyterian Church Association of anti-unionists have mailed to Presbyterian ministers and congregations a reply to the recent statement sent out by the moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly that the question of church union had been finally settled by the church herself.

The association's reply, says the moderator's assertion, is based on the mistaken notion that the general assembly is the church. "It is only one court of the church. It is called into existence by and receives its authority from the church. Back of the Presbyterian synod, the general assembly, behind all of their activities is the church composed of the body of communicants."

In reply to the statement that "the

whole procedure has been in strict accordance with the constitution and practice of our church," the circular says the last reference of the church to the union was in 1915, but that in 1922 an entirely new idea was introduced into the discussion. It being found that the property of the church, particularly the trust funds, was so definitely Presbyterian it could not be carried into the new church without legislation. Although bills to provide for that change had been adopted by the assembly, the matter had never been submitted to the people. The circular declares such action is both irregular and unwise.

"The letter of the moderator sought not for conciliation, but asked for surrender of principles and that surrender they refused to make."

HOLD RECORD-BREAKING MISSIONARY MEETING

Rev. W. Millson, London, Speaks On Gambling Evil At Exeter Methodist District.

Clandeboye, Sept. 21.—The missionary conference held in connection with the financial meeting of Exeter Methodist district, in the Clandeboye Methodist Church on September 20, was the most largely attended and successful meeting ever held in this district. The officers elected are as follows: Chairman, Rev. G. W. Rivers of Parkhill; financial secretary, Rev. Arthur Sinclair of Hensall; chairman of the district missionary committee, Rev. W. E. Donnelly of Exeter.

After the devotional exercises, led by the chairman, Dr. Dobson, Alma College, St. Thomas, gave an address on the work of the college, and the importance of the normal work carried on by the living in rural districts. A special winter course has been arranged at the college for the benefit of those living in rural districts.

CONDUCT SPECIAL SERVICES.

Beachville, Sept. 21.—The harvest thanksgiving service of the Anglican Church here will be held on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Mr. McCracken, the rector, will conduct the service.

BIG CROWD ATTENDS TOWNSEND FALL FAIR

Large Community Building Is Filled With Fine Exhibits of All Kinds.

Special to The Advertiser. Watford, Sept. 21.—Townsend fall fair was held Wednesday and a large crowd attended. Rain spoiled the outdoor sports about 3 o'clock. The ball game between Hagersville and Townsend was a tie, 4-4, at the end of eight innings. The large community building was lined on either side with fine exhibits. On one side was a "Made-in-Watford" display by Bailey & Connor, Trench Bros., V. Rosworth, J. Depra, A. & B. Bakery, Watford Cut Glass Co. and Pennings.

The Watford band furnished music throughout the afternoon. The school fair exhibits in the hall were the center of attraction for the foreigners of Villa Nova. The main exhibits and prize-winners are:

Fancy work, Mrs. F. M. Somers, Mrs. J. Vivian, Roots, grains, Messrs. Shillings, Hussey, A. Kellum, Forest, Pursley and F. L. Culver, Poultry, Messrs. Houser, Hyatt, Duckworth, Church, Caster and R. Erwin, Swine, Bert Kellum, J. C. Fields, Sheep, F. L. Culver won everything in Shropshire, Jerseys, Bert Kellum, Cattle, Holsteins, F. L. Culver & Son, D. Forrest, Blayne, Messrs. Messers, Houser, Forest, Poole and Irwin, Roadsters and carriage, Messrs. Sovereign, Perry and J. B. Moore.

LONDON STUDENT BODY INCREASES

Principal Miller Urges Several Changes and Asks For Additional Teacher.

WILL ADJUST FEES

According to a report submitted to No. 3 committee of the board of education yesterday afternoon by Principal E. A. Miller of the Central Collegiate, the total enrollment of the three collegiate institutes of the city this year is 1,387. The Central Collegiate has a total of 822 pupils, London South High School, 323, and the East Collegiate, 242. The number of city pupils attending the three schools this year is a great deal greater than last year. The total students taking fifth-year work is the greatest in the history of the London Collegiate. One hundred and nine students are attending the Central Collegiate for honor matriculation work.

In view of the increased attendance at the three high schools, Principal Miller told the board it was necessary to add another teacher to the staff of the Central Collegiate. He pointed out that to have the highest efficiency in the London high schools a new addition to the staff was necessary.

The board agreed with Mr. Miller, and the principal has already made arrangements for a temporary teacher to come to the Central High until Christmas, when a permanent master will be obtained. Mr. Miller submitted to the board at yesterday's meeting a few recommendations which were all passed by the board and left to the discretion of the principal to carry out. Mr. Miller recommended that the sum of \$150 be transferred to W. A. Adams as the president of the Boys' Athletic Association of the Central School, and that the sum of \$100 be transferred to R. H. Roberts as the president of the Boys' Association of the South unit.

EXPERTS FINISH SURVEY OF NEW CITY HALL PLANS

Col. Chadwick of Toronto and S. T. J. Fryer of Hamilton, the experts called to London to view the eight city hall plans, completed their work and left for their homes yesterday at 4:20 p.m. Arriving late Thursday afternoon they worked until late in the evening and finished up yesterday. They will mail their report to the city council from Toronto. Upon departure they advised that their opinions could be expected Monday in all likelihood.

SOME EGG.

Special to The Advertiser. Dutton, Sept. 20.—Alex. J. Duncan left an egg at the Advance office this week laid by a Plymouth Rock hen that is a record-breaker. Its dimensions are 7 1/4 by 6 1/2 inches and it weighs exactly 4 ounces.

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Big Crimes and Little Crimes.

Mr. William McDonald of the Chesley Enterprise has been trying to figure out just how bad the people of Bruce County really are. He has looked over the jail records for the year, and finds that for the last three months the county had 91 black marks against 41 for the three months before.

So the Chesley editor thumbs over the records, and finds that the first sinner rode his bike on the sidewalk. Of course if he had run into a Bruce County man and cut him in two, it would have been serious, but as nothing more than a \$9 fine happened the treasurer was inclined to look favorably upon the offense.

Then six boys in Walkerton shot off firecrackers, a joy unspeakable that is denied the youngsters of Bruce. And on this score Br'er McDonald ruminates that Mussolini and a lot of others shoot off cannon firecrackers and never face the magistrate. So the bard of Chesley is inclined to take the six lads from Walkerton and stand them up alongside the Paisley bicycle rider as very respectable law-breakers.

Then he comes to a farmer who was fined for selling watered butter, and while admitting this to be a poor practice, the Chesley editor can't help but wonder if it's any worse than selling watered stock, and whether the law is just as keen at pointing its finger at the watered stock sellers as at those who dispose of too much vapor with their butter. So this watered butter salesman is not classified. He's just put in the row along with the bicycle rider and the firecracker outlaws, all with a question mark over them.

Then there is the case of a man who was fined for fishing in private waters near Warton, all of which is nonsense. The government will stock any place with fish and the people should be allowed to draw them out. The Chesley scribe even admits that he has caught fish where he shouldn't, but no one saw him so he was not fined. So, of course, under such circumstances, the man who fished in the wrong hole is simply passed by with a brotherly salute.

And so of the whole 91 cases appearing on jail registers, there were only three of assault and one of theft, thereby showing that the people of Bruce are just wicked enough to be interesting, and law-abiding enough to be trusted.

Financing the Divorce Case.

The latest in financial advertising is from an American bank that lends money to assist in getting divorce.

That may be very smart and very up-to-date, but at the same time there is something miserably wrong about it.

When man and woman marry, it is the intention of divine and secular law that they shall remain in that state. It is not desirable that the union be easily dissolved.

If that bank would advertise that it would loan money to build a small house that would be within reach of the family purse it might be doing something to justify its existence.

When it smugly suggests that its funds are available for doing something that it is in the best interests of all not to do, then it has ceased to perform a good function.

Financing divorce makes divorce easier, and the easier it is made the more there will be of it. A bank that wants to prostitute its funds to back away at the roots of the social fabric of the nation has outlived its usefulness.

The Toronto Star Is Puzzled.

The Toronto Star is not able to settle the problem of roosters crowing in the city early in the morning. The Star suggests that the rooster be put to bed in a space that will not permit him to stretch his neck enough to crow, or that some sort of a rubber band be placed over his beak.

The rooster in Toronto has got just as much right to make a noise as the street cars and the autos. It has just the same privilege of screeching out of its turn as the Toronto Telegram, and it's no worse for it to toot at four in the morning than it was for Hon. Howard Ferguson and his followers to talk all night in the legislature.

If the Star man will observe closely he will find that the rooster crows just about one o'clock in the morning. Our agricultural expert says so, and where he lives there is a regular hedge of roosters around him. Just why they pick on the first hour after midnight to fire the first shot, he was not prepared to say. It is some sort of tradition, and one rooster passes it along to the next and so forth. A rooster that won't crow at one in the morning—well he ain't a rooster at all; he's not living up to the traditions of his tribe, and the man who bought him got cheated even if he got him for next to nothing.

The next blast comes from the rooster just around four in the morning, and that's probably the one Toronto people do not like as it spoils their first sleep. The

trouble with this four o'clock toot is that it seems to act like a kick on the shins to every other rooster. A perfectly contented bird may be snoozing away and he hears that challenge. As near as we can figure out, it starts an argument all over the country as to whether it is four o'clock or ten minutes after.

The Star of Toronto cannot fix up any sort of a rigging to cheat the rooster out of his four o'clock crow. Roosters up in this fine agricultural district crow at that time—they are good, well-bred and well-fed birds, too, so of course the lesser ones that live cramped up in Toronto will crow too. Not so lustily, not so excellently, but even their poor squawking effort will rouse the Toronto folks. The only safe way would be to put the roosters in the room where the party caucus meets at the legislature, for the public never hears what goes on in there.

We Put the Water Back.

Delegates from Chicago who were over here seeking to justify the amount of water taken by them from the great lakes cited the amount taken by Ontario at Niagara Falls for power purposes.

They said nothing of the amount of power so made that was sent back to United States.

Neither did they stop to figure out that the water taken at Niagara is put back a short time after it is taken out, whereas the water taken at Chicago ultimately finds its way to the Mississippi.

Where the Hard-Earned Money Goes.

The Kincardine Reporter tells of a head reader and fortune teller who called on that town last week. Heads were read at \$2 a throw, and the customers were so numerous that the town must be full of people who are anxious to know what's going to happen to them.

At London fair and many other fairs there are booths where a man with a quilt around his shoulders, or a woman dressed to look like what we think a gypsy should look like, takes in easy money.

A person who can shuffle a deck of cards well and hand out a lot of alleged foretelling finds plenty to sit around and listen.

Why? Because we're foolish and curious. Not content to take a day at a time and make the best of it, we are eager to strain our necks and see around the corner into tomorrow.

Any person knows that it's impossible to tell what will happen tomorrow or any day in the future, yet how greedily we gobble up the old saying about a fair lady, a long trip, a handsome man, good fortune and all the rest of it.

Some of these \$2 a head people must chuckle to themselves at the close of a day when a good grist has passed through the mill.

Thorndale Furnished This One.

When Edward James McMurray, or perhaps it might sound better to say the Hon. E. J. McMurray, took the oath of office as solicitor-general of Canada, another Western Ontario boy came a little farther up the ladder of public service.

Mr. McMurray was born on a farm near Thorndale some forty odd years ago. He is the son of the late James McMurray, who moved to a farm between Thorndale and St. Marys about five years after the birth of this now Hon. son. When days for schooling arrived, Brown's Corners, St. Marys High School and the Stratford Model had him in turn.

Hon. Mr. McMurray knows the west and he knows the east. His position should give him an excellent chance to make of himself a link to bind the two. He has many things in his favor, and should be a source of strength to the administration at Ottawa.

Note and Comment.

A man who owes money likes to tell the collectors he's not in, whereas the truth would be he's all in.

A new C. N. R. sleeping car is to be named "Stratford." We haven't heard whether that wide-awake city is going to stand for it or not.

We couldn't get interested in all this stuff about the prince's visit to the west until that yarn came about the flapjacks and syrup for breakfast.

The Chicago committee may have satisfied themselves that they put up a good case, but they failed to convey that impression to the people of Ontario.

When Germany went to war in 1914 she probably had no idea that nine years later she would be figuring on the best way to get the French to leave her boundaries.

That stop, look and listen sign does not seem to do the trick at level crossings. It might be a bit expensive, but it may yet be necessary to leave some of the wrecks lying along the railroad track.

The Chatham News, referring to Hon. Mr. Meighen's speeches in French, raps all those on the knuckles who smile at them, and says: "This is a dual-language country." Quite right, especially around election time.

The officer was giving a lecture on the care of arms. He explained how they should be cleaned, and finished by saying: "You should treat your rifle as tenderly as you would your wife. Rub it every day with an oily rag."

The Regina Leader says it is a waste of money to send the clerk of the privy council from Ottawa to Winnipeg to swear in the new solicitor-general, because it costs so much. Is the Leader not getting to the point where criticism amounts to cheeseparing?

DIBS AND DABS

—BY HARRY MOYER



Rarebits by Rex

TO A LADY.
Lady with the gay guitar,
Gloriously sweet, you are;
Limpid eyes and sunshine hair,
Teeth than precious pearls more fair,
Skin the texture of rose petals,
Tiny hands and piquant nose.

All I ask would be to be
Your slave for eternity.
Yet there is one thing to spoil
My devotion, fairest girl;
And it helps to silence me
Who adores you modestly.

Happily you strum and play
Your guitar 'most every day
This I'd stand a little thing—
But when playing you too sing.
Bitter woe I can't rejoice—
Lady, lady, you've no voice!

A musical critic says only one child
in every five will practice the piano
religiously. And it's just our luck
that the girl next door is one child
in every five.

He also says that piano practicing
requires "infinite patience." We
neighbors can vouch for that.

A French girl claims the insomnia
record. But if this musical inclination
of our street keeps up, the honor
is likely to come to Canada.

On our left is another young lady
who sings and who expects shortly
to follow her career in Paris. But if
she keeps it up we neighbors are going
to take out an injunction for her
to follow it in Sing Sing.

One of her men friends said she
warbled like a bird, but she was too
thick-headed to realize that he meant
a guinea hen.

A citizen on our street got so hot
he swore dreadfully one night at her.
After that she sang "Speak To Me
Only With Thine Eyes."

It isn't that we like to sleep once
in a while, but the value of our house
and lot is now so low that we'd have
to pay a man to take it.

Mrs. Hammerly of Spokane, Wash.,
got a divorce and \$1,000 a week
alimony yesterday because her husband
hadn't spoken to her for 29 years.
She now believes silence is golden.

With hay fever raging all over the
country the popularity of grass
widows must be falling off.

No one can really measure time.
The Tutankhamen jokes now seem
as old as his tomb.

"My Girl Uses Mineralava" is the
latest in New York song hit. We
imagine the charmer who wrote it
should have lava used on him.

PUGILISTIC NOTE.
When we see genta attending
A boxing match's rigors,
We know that Mr. Barnum
Was not good at figures.

If ignorance is bliss, how do you
account for the silliness of some
traffic policemen?

FAMOUS DOUBLE PLAYS.
H-to-O. Message to Garcia. Come
to Papa. Back to Nature. Go to
Hamilton.

MY CREED.
Do not keep the alabaster boxes of
your love and tenderness sealed up
until your friends are dead. Fill
their lives with sweetness. Speak
approving cheering words while
their ears can hear them and while
their hearts can be thrilled and made
happier by them; the kind things
you mean to say when they are
gone, say before they go. The flow-
ers you mean to send for their cof-
fins, send to brighten and sweeten
their homes before they leave them.
If my friends have alabaster boxes
laid away, full of fragrant perfumes
of sympathy and affection which
they intend to break over my dead
body, I would rather they would bring
them out in my weary and troubled
hours, and open them, that I may
be cheered by them, while I need
them. I would rather have a plain
coffin without a flower, a funeral
without an eulogy, than a life without
the sweetness of love and sym-
pathy. Let us learn to appoint our
friends beforehand for their burial.
Post-mortem kindness does not cheer
the burdened spirit. Flowers on the
coffin cast no fragrance backward
over the weary way. — Author un-
known.

Crying for the Moon

By ANNE CAMPBELL.
When first she saw the moon,
She raised her arms on high.
She craved it as a boon—
That ball up in the sky.

She'd hold it up on a string,
A beautiful balloon.
We gave her everything,
Why not the shining moon?

We could not grant her plea,
No matter how we tried.
We soothed her tenderly,
But how our baby cried.

Our promises were kind,
She stopped her weeping soon.
How many of us find
We're crying for the moon!

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THE EMPIRE WOBBLES.

So vigorously is the Prince of
Wales forking feed on the ranch that
he has developed an appetite for
corned beef and cabbage. As mon-
archs living in a democratic age
we concede him this privilege. If,
however, he defies convention fur-
ther and comes home to Bucking-
ham Palace with red onions on his
breath, we can guarantee nothing
as to his future social prestige.
Ottawa Journal.

The Guide Post—By Henry van Dyke

THE DRAWING POWER OF THE CROSS.
And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto my-
self.—St. John, xii, 32.
Undoubtedly Jesus said this with reference to his death.
The answer of the people shows that they so understood him.
To be "lifted up" was a common expression for being crucified.
As a matter of history, the cross of Christ has been the supreme
attraction, the drawing power, the best-loved symbol of Christianity.
Yet till Jesus died on it, it was only a sign of shame and scorn.
Why this marvelous transformation?
It was because of the wonderful beauty and perfection of the life
that found its crown and consummation on the cross.
It was because of the penetrating and unconquerable love for sin-
ners revealed in this sacrifice on the cross.
It was because of the deep certainty that there is no deliverance
from sin without suffering, and the deep gratitude towards the sinless
Son of God who suffers with and for us on the cross.
Christianity is admirable as a system of morals, lovely as a plan of
brotherhood, noble as a conception of life.
But without the cross on which Christ died for sinners, it is a beau-
tiful lantern unlit, a poem with the central word omitted.
That word is:
The Son of God who loved me and gave himself up for me.
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TO THE EDITOR.

THE VOICE CALLING IN THE WILDERNESS.

Editor of The London Advertiser:
Sir—Some time ago there was a
write-up about the D. S. C. R. going
to Toronto. That seems to be the
finish. But I would like to bring to
the notice of the people of London
the way they are treating the re-
turned soldiers who are working at
the Westminster Hospital. They get
30 cents an hour for an eight-hour
day, making a total of 48 hours per
week, for which they receive \$18.20.
They have street car fare to pay,
60 cents a week. They have to lose
all holidays, while the staff and aides,
which are women, get paid, which is
not a fair deal. They also are given
three weeks' holidays a year, and
sick leave, but if any of the returned
soldiers should be sick, and it is not
their war disability, then they are
stopped for lost time. If the wife or
children are sick at home, even if a
doctor is there, they get stopped, just
the same.

Now the Vet Craft are supposed to be
100 per cent disability. They have
not to carry out any work outside. Yet
some of them only get about \$11 a
month pension; some get much more.
Now, again, they are supposed to be
paid twice a month, on the 4th and
18th, but they are kept over a week
sometimes before this pay arrives
from Toronto.

When the little children of these
families, who cannot understand why
there is no dinner for them, look up
into their mother's face and say:
"Tee hungry, mum," what would you
then?

Those little eyes looking up, meet-
ing your own; then at night the
mother tells dad, and they look into one
another's eyes. It tell you it brings a
big bump up in your throat. I have
seen some of this, and try to think
and find a remedy for it. What do
you think of it?

GEORGE TURNER, Secretary.

HER BARNIE'S GANE AWA.
I think o' yin who finds hersel'
In disappointment keen,
For hopes she's fondly cherished lang
Ha'e vanished frae her een.
Up frae her hert she canna illt
A cheering yane ava.
Cause frae yon hame, he dearly lo'd,
Her barnie's gane awa'.

His footsteps mair she canna hear—
Thet's a departed joy.
Instead, she dail lang maun greet
Sae sadly for her boy.
Yon voice she lo'd nae mair gies noo
Sweet music tae her ear:
Frae morn till e'en she deeply feels
Her laddie's nae mair here.

Nae wonder that she dailly greets,
For sairly she's bereft;
Noo, that her barnie's gane awa',
She canna bring her back her lo'd,
Nae heal her sorrows a'.

Yet, 'tis tae pleasures far aboon
Her barnie's gane awa'.
—PR. MACK.

London, Sept. 22, 1923.

BUY ADVERTISED GOODS

Best, Safest, Cheapest

Still Picking Raspberries

Special to The Advertiser.
Chatham, Sept. 21.—R. W. Has-
kell of 266 Delaware avenue has
quite a reputation locally as an
amateur gardener, and that he
is deserving of it was proven this
morning when he exhibited a
box of raspberries which he
picked in his garden today.
They are the Cuthbert variety
and are as fine a sample of
raspberries as has been seen
in Chatham this year. The
canes were planted last year, and
bore right up till the frost. This
year Mr. Haskell has been pick-
ing berries all season and is still
doing it.

TWO MANITOBA PORTFOLIOS ARE TO BE AMALGAMATED

Canadian Press Despatch.
Winnipeg, Sept. 21.—Amalgamation
of the portfolios of education and
agriculture under one cabinet min-
ister and the retirement of Hon. Neil
Cameron, minister of agriculture,
from the Bracken cabinet, was fore-
casted in government circles today.
Premier Bracken, it is said, intends
taking over the administration of the
amalgamated departments.

It is also reported that Albert Pre-
fontain, M.L.A., will be taken into
the cabinet as minister without port-
folio.

ANNOUNCE C. P. LINER'S RETURN FROM JAPAN

Empress of Australia Docks
Sunday After Aiding in
Yokohama Relief.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Sept. 21.—A wireless com-
munication to the effect that the
Empress of Australia will dock at
Vancouver from Japan, Sunday even-
ing has been received by the Cana-
dian Pacific steamship authorities.
This vessel was in dock at Yokohama
on the day of the earthquake and was
badly damaged by the tidal wave.
She was due to leave Yokohama for
Vancouver on the day of the earth-
quake, and helped in rescue work for
two or three days following the cat-
astrophe. It is expected that this
vessel will have a large number of
survivors en route to all parts of
Canada, and also a large amount of
mail.

PLAYERS' CRAFT COURSES

Miss Topley Thomas, director of
"Players' Craft," 216 Wolfe street, be-
gins class work on the first Monday
of October. The classes include dra-
matic art, expression, public speak-
ing, Shakespeare, recital hour, and
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prises 12 lessons a week, or students
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There is a great feeling of satisfaction from driving on Firestone Cords.

The careful tire buyer knows at the end of thousands of miles that he has made a wise investment—obtained the most miles for his dollar.

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Cord Tires

Your Health: Why You Should Learn To Play For Play's Sake.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M.D.

Why do not the Canadian people learn to play? We are too serious a race. We do not enjoy our sports as we should. We are too much in earnest over them, as we are over our vocational pursuits.

I looked over the men on a golf course a few days ago. Goodness! It was as if the fate of nations depended on their play!

Look at the men and women around a card table. They are not playing—they are working and contending.

Attend a musical. There is no relaxation and honest-to-goodness enjoyment of the music. The attitude and expression indicate the frame of mind of a football coach watching for errors in the play.

Go to a ball game. The fans are following the details of the play just as critically as the manager. They are not enjoying themselves. They are painstakingly recording on the tablets of memory the moves of the game.

Sit on the back seat of an automobile. You are not enjoying the ride—you are driving the motor just as much as the man at the wheel is. Sometimes you nearly drive your foot through the bottom of the car, putting on the brake in your imagination.

Canadians don't know how to play. A few Sundays ago I looked on for half an hour at a picnic of a large group of our foreign-born citizens. There

were music and dancing and laughing and singing. There were luncheon and joking and fooling. There were courting and "kidding" and telling stories. There was speech-making and hand-clapping and yelling. There was good nature in every face. The lines of care had gone from their faces. Everybody was really playing.

Why don't all of us do that? Europeans have played for centuries. They have learned the art—or is it the science?—of relaxation. They work hard in their regular callings, but when vacation comes or a holiday gives them a free day, they play just as thoroughly as we do.

For the sake of the national health, to improve the individual health, to make all of us live longer, there must be more real enjoyment in our play. Let us play to play!

Let us get out of our heads the idea that to win is the great thing. Let us be better sportsmen by making the same pleasure in our opponent's skill that we take in our own. We will not lack in loyalty and desire to have the outcome just a shade on our side, but we will secure ourselves to be less intent on victory and more devoted to sport for sport's sake.

We will get no health or actual recreation from our play until we make it really play instead of another variety of work.

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Crying for the Moon

By ANNE CAMPBELL.
When first she saw the moon,
She raised her arms on high.
She craved it as a boon—
That ball up in the sky.

She'd hold it up on a string,
A beautiful balloon.
We gave her everything,
Why not the shining moon?

We could not grant her plea,
No matter how we tried.
We soothed her tenderly,
But how our baby cried.

Our promises were kind,
She stopped her weeping soon.
How many of us find
We're crying for the moon!

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THE EMPIRE WOBBLES.

So vigorously is the Prince of
Wales forking feed on the ranch that
he has developed an appetite for
corned beef and cabbage. As mon-
archs living in a democratic age
we concede him this privilege. If,
however, he defies convention fur-
ther and comes home to Bucking-
ham Palace with red onions on his
breath, we can guarantee nothing
as to his future social prestige.
Ottawa Journal.

IN TWENTY YEARS

1903

1923

"HE was only a little morsel of humanity one year old when I took out a 20-year endowment policy in the Mutual Life of Canada for him. It seemed a long way ahead then—it doesn't seem far looking back over those 20 years now."

"But the other night, when he came to me in the den, where I sat reading, it struck me very forcibly that my boy had grown into a man. He fairly towered above me where I sat in my lounging chair."

"'Father,' said he, 'can you lend me \$1,000?'"

"'What do you want with \$1,000?' I demanded in surprise."

"'It seems he had an opportunity of entering a motor agency and garage business with some other young fellows whose fathers I knew well as successful business men. I looked up the date of the Mutual Life policy before I gave my answer."

"'Yes,' I said. 'I will have \$1,000 for you on your 21st birthday—a little coming-of-age present from your mother and me.'"

"'Do you know, it was a wonderful satisfaction to be able to say that!'"

A Mutual Life Endowment Policy would put your boy through college, start him in business or help him in ways you might otherwise find difficult if not impossible.

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BOTH SIDES CLAIM CONTROL OF THE NORTHERN LIFE

Two Factions Battling For Control of Northern Life Assurance Company

R. C. MacKnight, Deposed as General Manager, Declares Fight to Finish.

MAKES STATEMENT

Tells of Company's Progress and Present Sound Condition.

A financial battle, hourly growing in intensity for the control of the Northern Life Assurance Company, is going on between T. H. Purdom, K.C., president of the company, and R. C. MacKnight, general manager of the Northern, who was discharged from his position yesterday by Mr. Purdom, and the directors of the Northern.

Mr. Purdom, in a statement issued last night, said that he and his friends held the controlling shares of stock, while members of the other camp state that the control is theirs. Mr. MacKnight has given the Advertiser the following statement for publication:

"Believing that the fundamental principles of the business we call life insurance is a trust in service to humanity, and one that is founded on the soundest principles in all commercial life, and in the interests of the policyholders of this splendid Western Ontario company, the Northern Life, of which London can be proud, I write this letter.

"The time has come for real facts. I am mentioned prominently as having been dismissed for 'good and sufficient reasons' and for 'personal insinuation, which must be ignored in the outstanding interest of the institution itself, its obligations and the things it has been trusted with by the citizens of London and other communities. I will make a few plain statements.

Board Are Same.

"The statement reported by The Advertiser on the part of Alexander Purdom, a member of the board of directors that I had been discharged for 'good and sufficient reasons' cannot be fully understood until the board, which sanctioned this, is explained in part. The board of the Northern is essentially the board of the defunct Dominion Savings and Investment Society. It will be remembered that the board of the Dominion Savings was T. H. Purdom, president; Alexander Purdom, vice-president; Llewellyn Purdom, director; Thomas A. Rowat, director; Nathaniel Mills, director and manager. This group, with the exception of T. A. Rowat, formed and still form a working quorum of the Northern board, with the identical official positions, with the exception that I was manager of the company.

"Notwithstanding this situation, which must be understood and appreciated, I submit that in the latter part of 1918, I was given the first authority in the field or selling end of the company, which was combined with other duties previously officially undertaken. At the end of 1918, the company had approximately \$13,000,000 of insurance in force, and in the four years, to the end of 1922, the business increased to approximately \$30,500,000.

Company's Growth.

"In other words, the progress of the company in total business in the last four years approximates three times that in force as the result of the first twenty-two years of operation, with equivalent increase in assets, premium income, and most desirable of all, surplus to policyholders. During the period mentioned, the Northern Life made greater progress than the record of any company now in business, and of the same relative size in premium income and general growth. This can be ascertained from the returns to the insurance department, and is ample proof that there is here a continuation of the true reason for my widely-published dismissal, which is a combined injury to myself and the institution which I have wholeheartedly served.

"Surely it is clear to all who have a reasonably open mind that a full statement of the reason is 'for good and sufficient reasons'—to the Purdoms. Let us examine the actual facts.

Refers to Post.

A recent article in the Financial Post states that 'Mr. Purdom and his family are given as owning 231 shares in the Northern Life, which have been made \$15,650. On the basis of the attempted sale, the Purdom family would apparently receive \$77,421.17. A fully paid-up shareholder for \$15,000 on this attempted scheme would receive \$15,000 plus \$231 shares or \$18,875. In addition to the fully paid shareholder in the majority of cases paid a premium of 10 per cent on his stock, and this is

not the case with regard to the whole of the Purdom interests.

"There are few shareholders of the company who are not fully acquainted with the operation of bylaw No. 17 of the company as mentioned above. On referring to the recent issue of September 21 of the Financial Post again, we find an indication of a struggle for control of the Dominion Savings and Investment Society. The evident purpose is to place the trusteeship of the Dominion Savings and Investment Society shareholders' assets, when the depositors and venture holders are paid, in the hands of men who for many years previous to the failure of the Dominion Savings and Investment Society had been in the hands of the Purdoms.

"It is most desirable that shareholders and policyholders ascertain the facts. The department of insurance at Ottawa exists mainly as a protection to the public for just such instances as this. Any statement made about, or any information derived by policyholders or shareholders may be secured from the superintendent of insurance at Ottawa.

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Mr. Clarke admitted that he had but stated that Northern Life stock was not mentioned.

The discharged general manager in an interview with The Advertiser stated that the fight for control of the stock was not over by any means, and that there were strong financial interests backing him up, and that the fight would be as he expressed it, "to the death."

"More power to your elbow, Mac," a friend called to him as he left the Northern Life office for the last time yesterday afternoon.

"You bet," said Mr. MacKnight, as he hurried to the elevator in the Dominion Savings Building, where the head office of the company is located.

The vice-presidents, Alex. Purdom and W. S. Fielding, took over Mr. MacKnight's duties yesterday afternoon.

Mr. T. H. Purdom gave The Advertiser the following statement for publication describing his position:

"Statements have been made that Mr. Purdom and those associated with him control the Northern Life by unpaid shares. This is absolutely false, as Mr. Purdom either owns, or controls the majority of paid-up shares, partly paid, as well as 10 per cent paid. Mr. Purdom had no intention whatever of selling the Northern Life, which he believed would be a short time continue to pay dividends, but we were very unwilling to believe it, he found the manager and those associated with him were endeavoring to buy up control of the stock at far less than its value. He wrote several letters to Mr. MacKnight to call Mr. Master, his broker, off, and as far back as last May Mr. Master and Mr. MacKnight in Toronto.

Mr. MacKnight and Mr. Purdom called on the editor of one of the insurance papers, who quite agreed with Mr. Purdom's views, that it was an unfair thing for a manager to try to apply to the shareholders to do the stock at less than its value. An agreement was then made with Mr. MacKnight and Mr. Master and Mr. Purdom that they would make no further attempt to buy stock. Mr. Purdom continued on in perfect confidence, believing that the agreement would be carried out, but discovered that they were secretly buying up all they could, and he discovered that at Chatham, Ontario, where some of the oldest and best shareholders of the company, at very low rates, Mr. Purdom consulted with John A. Walker, K.C., of Chatham, who advised him as one of the directors, to endeavor to arrange a sale to the Sun Life.

Offer From Sun Life.

"An offer was obtained from the Sun Life that they would pay 100 cents on the dollar for all money paid in and \$25.50 per share for all shares. The Sun Life would take care of the staff and would take over all the

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MAY SELL COMPANY

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Financial Post.

The latest issue of the Financial Post comments on the situation in the following terms:

"The proposed plan of the sale of the Northern Life of London, Ontario, as revealed in the affidavit filed to the end of securing an injunction restraining the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation from advertising shares of the Northern Life, and the fact behind it a fight for control of the Northern Life.

"T. H. Purdom, the president of the Northern Life, and the Dominion Savings, whose present position is dealt with in another article, conducted the negotiations with the Sun Life and effected at least a tentative agreement to purchase the stock of the Northern Life at \$100 (par) per share, plus \$25.50.

KITCHEN SHOWER HELD.

The Builders' Club of the Wellington Street Methodist Sunday School held their first business meeting of the 1923-24 season Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Halliday, who is the teacher of the class. The major portion of the evening was not, however, devoted to business, as a kitchen shower was given to Mrs. W. Jeffrey, a member of the class, and a recent bride. Mrs. Jeffrey, who was formerly of Chatham, Ontario, was the pleased recipient of an exceptionally fine assortment of kitchenware, and responded very becomingly to the good wishes of her friends.

It was decided, during the business discussion, that future meetings would be held twice monthly at the homes of the class members in rotation and that during the meetings various forms of welfare work would be performed. At the close of the discussion some games were played, followed by a few musical numbers and an enjoyable supper closed the evening.

contracts of the Northern Life. They would treat the staff as if they had been in the employment of the Sun Life during the whole time they had been in the employment of the Northern Life, and they would take the manager over, increase his salary and continue him.

"This proposal requires the assent to the proposal, it will be carried out. It was submitted to him and his decision has not yet been obtained.

"If the minister of finance assents to the proposal, it will be carried out. It he doesn't consent to the proposal, the company will continue on as it is and do the best it can. It is not likely that the manager and his associates can by any means in their power acquire control as the control of paid-up stock, unpaid and 10 per cent, is still in the hands of Mr. Purdom and his associates. Under all the circumstances, however, the board of directors considered it better in the interests of the shareholders, policyholders and staff and everyone connected with the company that the offer of the Sun Life should be accepted.

"Mr. Purdom has been connected with it from the very beginning. It was organized by him, the Honorable David Mills and E. Jones Parke."

Nothing to Say.

The majority of the directors last night had nothing to say in regard to the dismissal of the managing director or of the proposal of the board to sell the company to the Sun Life Insurance Company. Three of the board of nine stated that they were not present at the board meeting on Thursday when the decision was made. Mr. MacKnight was arrived at.

The Hon. A. B. McCoig of Chatham said, "I was not at Thursday's meeting, and this is the first I have heard of the dismissal of Mr. MacKnight. As to the decision to sell the company to the Sun Life, I thought it was a very good suggestion. The offer of the latter company, which, I believe, was \$125.50, was a very fair offer that would take care of the policyholders and shareholders adequately. I must say I was both surprised and sorry that the superintendent of insurance at Ottawa would not sanction the deal."

"Very Desirable."

J. A. Walker, K.C., of Chatham, said, "I was not at the meeting of the directors on Thursday, and I have nothing to say as to the decision to dismiss Mr. MacKnight. The proposal to sell the company to the Sun Life Company was, in my estimation, a very desirable one. I was given to understand by what I believe to be a reliable authority that the superintendent of the Northern Life Assurance Company was worth in the neighborhood of \$70 to \$80, and I knew that the Sun Life was offering \$125.50. I am sorry that the Ottawa authorities prevented the sale, as I think that it would have been a very desirable transaction for the policyholders of the company."

W. S. Calvert, speaking on the long-distance telephone from Strathroy last night said, "I have nothing to say with regard to the action of the board of directors in dismissing Mr. MacKnight, nor as to the proposal to sell the Northern Life to the Sun Life Company."

Morley Aylesworth, assistant general manager of the Canada Trust Company, which is official receiver of the Dominion Loan and Savings Company, the holder of the shares of R. C. MacKnight, manager of the Northern Life Assurance Company, said, "This is a new development of the situation. The directors of the Northern Life that is interesting, but that does not in any way alter our status of offering \$125.50. I am sorry that the Ottawa authorities prevented the sale, as I think that it would have been a very desirable transaction for the policyholders of the company."

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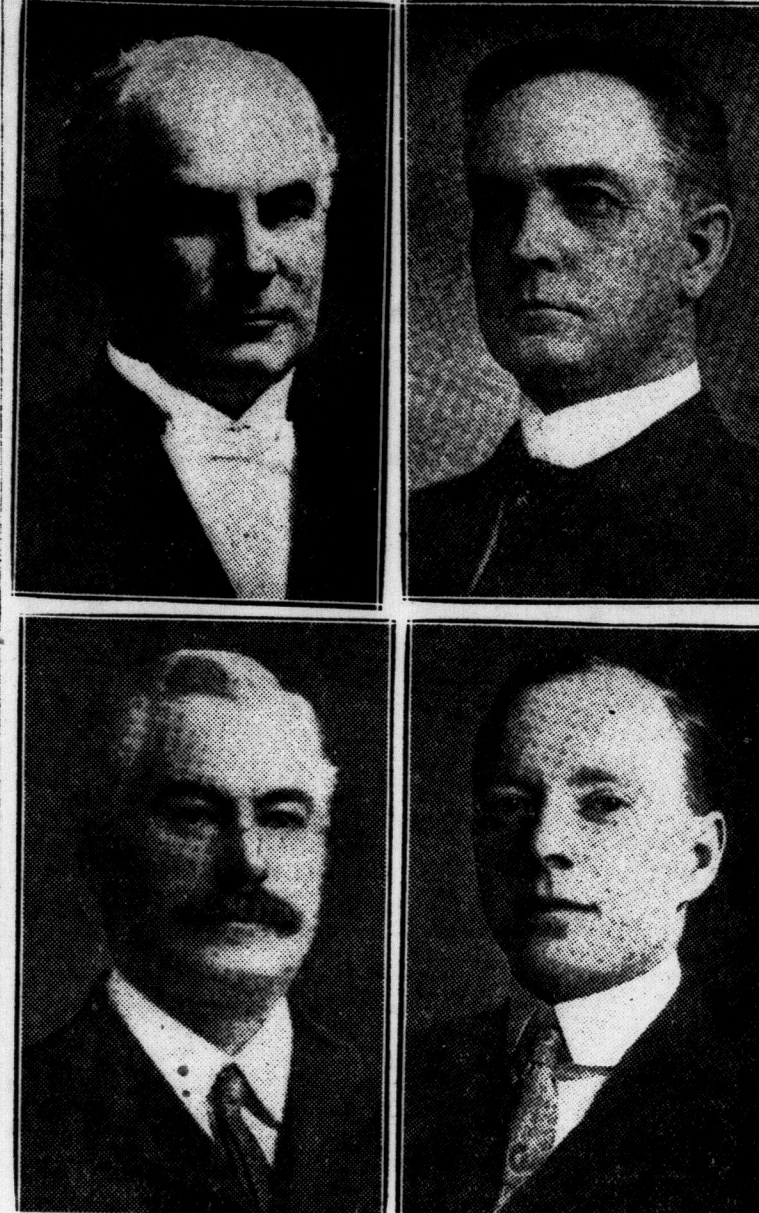
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PROMINENT IN NORTHERN LIFE FIGHT.

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The healthy position of the company is shown by the following figures and statements from the last report issued by the directors, covering the work done in 1922:

"The excess of assets over liabilities, \$151,906.35, added to the paid-up capital of \$490,377.50 and the amount set aside for participating policyholders of \$28,145.26, amounts to the sum of \$670,429.11, which is the surplus fund over and above the reserve on the government basis, and is additional protection for policyholders."

"The report goes on to say in part: 'In our last year's report we stated that notwithstanding adverse business conditions, the results of the year's work are the most satisfactory since the company was organized.'"

Despite even worse business conditions during 1922, we are pleased to report still better progress during the past year.

"The insurance in force amounts to the sum of \$30,483,706.50, 17 per cent more than in 1921, and the assets amount to the sum of \$4,435,263.49.

"The following notable results have been accomplished during the past year:

"The field methods instituted January 1, 1921, have resulted in still further increase in efficiency during the past year. The company's organization is now such that constructive expansion will be possible in the future with less expense than heretofore.

"The insurance in force has been increased by the sum of \$4,071,906.50. The reserve fund now amounts to \$2,683,651.21, being an increase of \$231,667.39.

"The amount of business written and received was \$9,733,238.00, being an increase of \$1,161,587.00, which is 13.5%.

"The surplus was increased by \$144,314.38.

"The premium income almost reached the million dollar mark, being \$913,437.37, and the total business income was \$1,185,903.15.

"The total amount paid and credit-

ed to policyholders and beneficiaries during the year was \$27,986.81.

"The average rate of interest earned on the net ledger assets was 6.31%.

"The mortality experienced was 44.5% of that expected.

"Substantial increases have been made in the rates of interest on those of the leading Canadian companies."

Speaks of Future.

Speaking of the future of the Northern Life Assurance Company, a well-known financial man in London said recently: "Situated as it is in the centre of a district with such tremendous possibilities as are present in this western peninsula of Old Ontario, the company can look forward confidently to a period of constantly expanding growth and unshakable solidity."

The officers of the company, named in their annual report are: T. H. Purdom, K.C., London, president; Alexander Purdom, who is the treasurer, and W. S. Calvert, Strathroy, vice-presidents and the following directors: George H. Belton of London, Hon. A. B. McCoig of Chatham, Walker, K. C. of Chatham, M. G. Gagan of Strathroy, Llewellyn Purdom of London, and Nathaniel Mills of London. Other officers are: R. C. MacKnight, managing director; J. Wilson Purdom, secretary; C. R. Bissell, F. A. S., actuary; and G. L.

NIAGARA FALLS CHURCH

CALLS ST. THOMAS PASTOR

Rev. H. E. Thorndale, R.A., of Alma Street Church, St. Thomas, has received a hearty and unanimous call to the Union Church, Niagara Falls, to succeed the late Rev. J. H. G. Gagan, who has been called to the Niagara Falls Church, Ontario, October 4, when other matters of importance may be considered. Mr. Thorndale has been successful in his ministry in St. Thomas and is greatly esteemed by his brethren in the presbytery. Should he accept the call, he will be followed by the best wishes of all.

Vin St-Michel

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Turning an Ocean Liner Into a Hotel.
The Swedish city of Gothenburg, which is to have a tercentennial exhibition this year, plans to use the old ocean liner La Touraine as a floating hotel to accommodate its visitors.

COMMITTEE ARRANGES LARGE ENTERTAINMENT

War Memorial Hospital Committee Plans Mammoth Affair in Spring.

Following the regular meeting of the War Memorial Hospital Committee held yesterday afternoon at "Lenmore," a special meeting of the committee was held to make arrangements for a mammoth entertainment to be given by the hospital committee in February. The committee, which has representatives of every women's organization in the city, will have the support of all the associations in the city in this venture, as well as the Women's Institutes of Western Ontario, which are represented in the committee by Mrs. George Edwards, and the women of the township, who have as their representative, Miss Mary Grant, clerk of London Township.

It is the intention of the committee to hold only one affair during the year, and it is hoped that this entertainment will not only be a fund-raising affair, but will be used to install extra equipment in the Children's Hospital.

Mrs. J. H. Sutherland, Mrs. A. E. Miller and Mrs. J. F. Greenway were appointed as joint conveners, with a committee to assist them, including Mrs. E. H. Johnston, Miss Leah White, Miss Mary Grant, Miss Bertha Smith, Mrs. Guymer, Mrs. John Gemmell, Mrs. F. E. Johnston, who was appointed secretary, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. J. S. Siven and Miss Annie Stevenson. A meeting of this committee will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday of next week at the office of Miss Mary Grant when further plans will be made.

It was decided that Mrs. J. H. Sutherland, living convenor, would meet monthly with Miss Jones, superintendent of the Children's Hospital, to look after the linen.

An invitation was received from the Academy of Medicine to attend a meeting, Oct. 4, when noted speakers will give addresses on cancer and polio.

NEW PASTOR AND WIFE RECEIVE AT PARSONAGE

Scores of guests called at Colborne Street Methodist parsonage yesterday afternoon and evening to welcome the new pastor, Rev. J. E. Uren, and Mrs. Uren and family. The rooms throughout were arranged with a view to making the new pastor and his wife feel at home. Mrs. Uren received her guests wearing a gown of sand-colored brocade, canton crepe and tulle. The groom's gift to the bride was a bouquet of yellow roses and orchids. Miss Margaret Uren, who was given in canon canton crepe, Mrs. J. A. Dickenson received with them in the afternoon, wearing a smart brown tulle gown. The tea table was centered with a cut-glass basket filled with mauve and white asters, and tall mauve and white candles marked the corners. In the afternoon Mrs. P. L. Dorland and Mrs. William Wyatt poured and in the evening Mrs. Foster and Miss Amelia Christie presided over the tea cups. Mrs. W. T. McArthur and Mrs. Gidley ushered to the tea-room. In the evening the host and hostess were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Westbury and Mrs. H. K. Keen. Assistants were Mrs. William Sherrin and Misses Ida Elliott, Helen Eren, H. Powell, Helen Foster, Addiecott, Lillian Uren, Foster, and Misses Ethel Westbury and Evelyn Eren, made charming door attendants.

ENGAGEMENTS

A charge of 75 cents for one insertion, or \$1 for two insertions is made for notices under this heading.

Orders for insertion of engagement notices must bear the name and address of sender and will not be taken over the telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stodard of Honolulu announce the engagement of their daughter, Nelson, to Edward R. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. White, of this city, the wedding to take place about the middle of October.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Long announce the engagement of their daughter, Beatrice Aleta, to Alexander Harvey McCormick, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick, of this city, the marriage to take place early in October.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson, 1099 Richmond St. north, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Edith Lillian, to James Leonard Edwards, P.M.B., of Toronto, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edwards, of Orangeville, Ont., the marriage to take place early in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Heard announce the engagement of their daughter, Annie Kathleen, to Mr. Charles W. Lamphun, son of Mr. Robert Houlden, of this city, the marriage to take place the end of September.

GETTING TOO FAT?

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People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate exception. But if you find the fat accumulating, or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this suggestion, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know. Ask your druggist for Marmola Prescription Tablets and follow directions. One dollar is the price the world over. Get them from your druggist or send price direct to Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. By doing this you will be safe from harmful drugs and be able to reduce steadily and easily, without starvation diet, tireless exercise, or absurd greases and salves.—Adv.

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SOCIETIES and THE HOME

Barnacles Stick to Whales.

It is perhaps not generally known that whales acquire barnacles the same as do ships, but the kind of barnacle is different. The barnacles on whales do not seem to cause much discomfort.

DR. DE WITT JONES SECURED AS SPEAKER

Dr. Edgar de Witt Jones Will Address Women's Canadian Club.

It is the intention of the Women's Canadian Club to bring Dr. Edgar de Witt Jones of the Central Christian Church, Detroit, to address the opening meeting of the club to be held the first week in October. Dr. Jones, who will speak on recent conditions in Ireland, has spent the summer in Ireland, having been sent by the Detroit News to find out conditions there.

Plans for this meeting were made at an executive meeting of the club held at the home of the president, Mrs. F. W. Hughes, Queen's avenue. Plans were also made for the November meeting, when Bliss Carman will be the speaker. The executive also made arrangements for a musicale and tea to be held later in the fall.

WEDDINGS.

CARLING-McCARTHY.

Special to The Advertiser.

Montreal, Sept. 21.—The wedding will take place quietly in the Archbishop's Palace, Montreal, Saturday afternoon of Miss Ursula McCarthy, daughter of Mrs. J. G. McCarthy, 411 Clark street, and the late Dr. McCarthy. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. William Kingston, S.J. The bride, who will be given away by her brother, Mr. E. M. McCarthy, will wear a wedding dress of brown tulle with a brown cloak and pointed fox collar and a small brown cloche hat, and will carry a bouquet of yellow roses and orchids. Miss B. Warner, cousin of the bride, will be the only bridesmaid. The groom will be attended by Mr. Cecil Carling of London. A reception will be held at the home of the bride's mother. It will only be attended by immediate relatives owing to the recent death of the brother of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Carling will spend their honeymoon in the Laurentians.

EDWARDS-HYATT.

Special to The Advertiser.

Tilbury, Sept. 21.—On Wednesday, September 19, the parsonage, Winnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hyatt, was united in marriage to George L. Edwards of Coatsworth. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Kersey. After a brief honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Edwards will reside in Romney Township.

SHEETS-WEELWOOD.

Special to The Advertiser.

Tilbury, Sept. 21.—A quiet wedding was performed at St. Andrew's rectory on Saturday, Sept. 15, when Rev. R. Dean Dobson united in marriage Miss Lella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weelwood, Jun., of Melville, and Virgil Sheets of Tilbury East. They will reside in Tilbury East.

LATHE-STEVENS.

Special to The Advertiser.

A pretty autumn wedding took place on Wednesday, September 19th, at 3 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens, Wilton Grove, when their second daughter, Jessie Alberta, was united in marriage to Ralph H. Lathe, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lathe, Lacolle, Que. Rev. T. A. Steadman of the White Oak Methodist Church performed the ceremony. As Mrs. O. Hunt of London played Lohengrin's Wedding March, the bride, wearing a graceful gown of sand satin, crepe and black tulle, entered with her father. Her corsage bouquet was of shell pink asters and ferns. After the ceremony refreshments were served to the guests by the bride's nieces, the Misses Alice, Velma and Myrtle McNeill.

POST-SMITH.

Special to The Advertiser.

Kilworth, Sept. 21.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith, Commissioner of the Road, Kilworth, was the scene of a very pretty event on Wednesday, Sept. 19, when their daughter, Emma Jane, was united in marriage to Richard Gordon Post.

SUNSHINE CLUB HOLDS SUCCESSFUL MUSICAL

A successful affair of yesterday afternoon was the musicale and tea given at the home of Mrs. C. B. King, Dufferin avenue, under the auspices of the luncheon committee of the Sunshine Club, Trinity Chapter, O. E. S. Mrs. King was assisted in welcoming the many guests by the conveners, Mrs. F. W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. W. H. Darling, and the committee, including Messrs. Roe, Jeffery, Jackson, Elford, William Taylor and McArthur.

An attractive program was presented, including solo by Elford, Mrs. W. Mortman, piano selections by Miss Irene Sinclair, a duet by Misses Frances Gullis and Adams, also clever recitations by Miss Doris Chapman.

The tea table, adorned with asters in pastel shades, was presided over by Mrs. W. H. Darling and Mrs. E. R. Manness.

APPOINT NEW TEACHER.

Special to The Advertiser.

Dutton, Sept. 21.—The public school board met Thursday, when a teacher was selected to succeed Miss Hopkins. Many applications for the position were received. One day's mail brought 22, another 16, while many applied personally. Nearly 60 applications were received.

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A BRIDE OF TODAY.

Miss Ursula McCarthy of Montreal, shown in the charming photograph above, is being married this afternoon to Capt. Wilfred Carling of Montreal, and formerly of London. Miss McCarthy is a daughter of Mrs. J. G. McCarthy and the late Dr. McCarthy. The marriage is being quietly solemnized in the Archbishop's Palace.

Social and Personal

Mrs. F. W. Hughes left yesterday on a week's visit to Toronto.

Misses Simpson, Queen's avenue, were recent visitors in Cleveland and Petrolia.

Messrs. James Cowan and Gordon Scaleton are leaving tomorrow for Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Peckin of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Babcock, 1050 Dundas street.

Miss Eva Metcalfe entertained recently at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Carmen McKenna, whose marriage takes place today.

Mrs. (Dr.) W. J. McLean is entertaining her bridge club for the first time of the season Tuesday evening at her home, Westminster Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Harvey, during the absence of Rev. Clarence Ferguson in Chicago, where he is attending a convention.

Miss Jennie Anderson, Alexander street, has gone to Winnipeg, to be a guest for several weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Merritt.

Mr. John Cullen, 775 Colborne street, has gone to Los Angeles, California. He will be joined by Mrs. Cullen in a few weeks. They will winter in California.

Mrs. Griffith, Walkerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Rheintgen, Chatham, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. J. D. Turner, Adelaide street north.

Messrs. Rollo Williams and Jack Little are leaving shortly for McGill University. Ted and Peter Little are returning to Appleby College to resume their studies.

Miss Margaret Garney has returned to her home in Sarnia after spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Scandrett, and her cousin, Mrs. M. Powell.

Mrs. B. N. Sylvester, Grosvenor street, was the hostess of a very interesting bridge of three tables, given yesterday in honor of her sister, Mrs. Clark of Maplewood, N. J.

Professor J. W. Russell and Mrs. Russell and their son Bruce returned home Wednesday from their cottage, Little Win, Lake of Bays, Muskoka, where they spent the summer.

The Smile Awhile Class of Adelaide Street Baptist Church gave a surprise shower last evening at the home of Mrs. J. D. Turner, Adelaide street north.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick, Oxford street, returned home during the week from New York and Cleveland, where they were attending the dancing teachers' conventions.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Goodburne of St. Lambert, Quebec, with their baby daughter, Betty, are visitors with Mr. Goodburne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodburne, 1050 Dundas street.

The MacDonald Kiltie Band have gone to Lindsay this week where they are playing at the Victoria County Fair. They were accompanied by Mrs. Thomas McDonald and Mrs. Gilmore.

Miss Pearl Crawford, a recent graduate of Harper Hospital, Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Page for the Willis-Page wedding, which takes place today at Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church.

The London Ladies' Orchestra will be an interesting feature of the Fashion Show being given in the Masonic Temple Monday evening under the auspices of the War Memorial Hospital Committee.

The visiting committee of the Red Cross arranged a successful dance last evening at Westminster Hospital. The inclement weather prevented the holding of the sports, but a jolly evening was enjoyed.



LIEUT. CECIL CARLING AND CAPT. WILFRED CARLING.
Capt. Carling's marriage to Miss Ursula McCarthy takes place in Montreal today.

second son of Mr. William Post, 5th concession, Westminster Township. Rev. A. E. Hopper, pastor of Delaware Methodist circuit, officiated in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride wore a handsome gown of gray baronet satin, trimmed with light blue tulle, and carried a bridal wreath of roses. The groom's gift to the bride was a fitch choker, to the pianist, Miss Luella Smith, amethyst earrings. Later the bride and groom left on a trip to Detroit and other western points. After Sept. 26 they will reside at 45 Askin street, London, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Post were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents. The bride, previous to her marriage, was given a miscellaneous shower, at which 60 of Kilworth residents were present. Mrs. R. G. Post was the recipient of a beautiful water set from her Sunday School class. May Linnell read the address and the presentation was made by Helen Wood.

SCANLAN-HARRISON.

Special to The Advertiser.

Ingersoll, Sept. 20.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday, September 19, at "Chateau d'Harrison," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Harrison, Dereham township, when their eldest daughter, Mary Edna, became the bride of Ernest Scanlan of Tillamook. The wedding music was played by Miss Dora Harrison, sister of the bride. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore an embroidered gown of chestnut-brown canton crepe and a corsage of Ophelia roses and lily of the valley. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. J. W. Copeland of Salford, took place in front of a beautiful bank of evergreen and white asters. The only attendant was little Fern Scanlan, daintily dressed in light blue tulle, who carried the ring in a basket of roses. During the signing of the register, Miss Clara Peck sang very effectively, "Be-



MISS PHYLLIS GRAHAM, a pretty bride-elect, whose marriage to Mr. George Arthur of this city takes place October 6.

(Portrait by Darragh.)

"Y" PHYSICAL DEPARTMENT PLANS OPENING RALLY

The physical department of the Y. W. C. A. is planning a large rally to be held at the opening of the classes, Tuesday, Oct. 2, which will be held as formerly in the University Gymnasium on Oxford street.

The registration of the classes commences Monday, and there is every indication that the classes will be even larger than last season. Miss Edith Wynne-Pryce, instructor, took a special course at the Chautauqua School of Physical Education during the summer months, and has obtained a great deal of new material to work on, especially for the two classes in interpretative and classical dancing. There are classes for the tiny tots, the business girls, teenage girls, as well as the advanced classes.

The girls' softball league is winding up the season with a game between the Brownies, who were successful in winning the White trophy, and an all-star team from the armories, Monday evening, and a banquet to be held later for all the teams in the league will be given in honor of the champions.

FIRST ORGANIZED RALLY BEING HELD ON MONDAY

District Christian Endeavor Unions To Meet in Southern Congregational Church.

The first organized rally of the London and District Christian Endeavor Union is that being held next Monday evening in the Southern Congregational Church. This constitutes one of the first steps of the various unions concerned toward successful local and provincial organization. For this occasion, the union has been fortunate in securing as speaker, Dr. W. A. McTaggart of Toronto, Dominion president of the Christian Endeavor movement. Dr. McTaggart delivers the address, which is reported to have taken by storm the International Christian Endeavor Convention at Des Moines.

The organization represented at the rally next Monday extends for forty miles around London, and so far includes societies of the Congregational and Evangelical churches and Church of Christ, Disciples.

The meeting will be presided over by the president, Miss Hilda May Versey, and the music and rally songs will be superintended by Rev. H. E. Storey, with Miss Grace Versey at the piano.

Following the meeting proper, there will be a supper, commencing at 4:30, during which the future work of the union will be outlined by the executive. All young people of the city are invited to the rally.

HOLDS SHOWER.

Special to The Advertiser.

Glencoe, Sept. 21.—A number of friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan J. McAlpine, North Glencoe, recently, and presented a shower of miscellaneous gifts to their daughter Jessie, a bride of this week.

Flying Squirrel Popular.

London, Sept. 21.—Flying squirrel is a smart fur just now. It is used extensively for trimming afternoon frocks, being as much used as monkey.

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The Million Dollar Doll

By C. N. AND A. M. WILLIAMSON.
Authors of "The Lightning Conductor."

Miles Asks Terry If She Is Capable of Love

WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY:

Sheridan is facilitating his wife's obtaining a divorce by creating a scandal about himself. He is taking a yacht trip, supposedly with a friend.

Miles is a beautiful show-girl, known as the Million Dollar Doll in reality, however, he is not with the Doll, but with her.

Desmond (Terry), Juliet's unbelievably innocent half-sister, known as the Million Dollar Doll, is in love with Miles. Terry has made him her Dream Prince.

Paul de Salvo, a handsome Italian, meets Miles and Terry at Monte Carlo, and recognizes in the supposed Million Dollar Doll, Terry Desmond, whom he had met back in New York. In love with the girl himself, he is relieved to learn that Miles' conduct toward Terry has been most chivalrous.

Harkness, Miles' old servant, takes care of Terry on board the yacht.

Caroline Sheridan, meeting the couple at Monte Carlo, endeavors to dissuade Miles from his dissipated project. She writes to Terry of her beauty and charm, and Miles, dining in Algiers with Terry, whom he does not recognize as the little girl he befriended so long ago, sees Paul de Salvo with a group of strangers.

The way to Bousada, Miles realizes that he loves "Juliet Divine."

Even if he did not care in the wonderful way she cared, at least he must be trying to show that he no longer despised her, and that, after this day, they were to be true friends.

Of course, she reminded herself, he was married, and she—if he knew her real age—would seem to him a child. Still, whatever she was, and whatever he believed her to be, from this moment an exquisite, a heavenly change had come over their relations to one another.

Terry realized that never until now had she known the full meaning of ecstasy. The hands of the man she adored, clasping hers, had taught her what joy could be on earth, and her whole life had only led up to this moment. If she held to this now, within an hour, she would have had something to make her years worth while.

As in a vision, she saw the rose of early sunset fade from the billowing sand, to leave it a pale, luminous glow, strewn with heart-shaped, violet petals, and she saw the man's feet, like fountains of dark water, spouting the crimson sky; waves through the small, white tents of palms of Bousada, and the thought flittered across the surface of her mind that they were like huge, resting butterflies.

But all thoughts, except thoughts of Miles Sheridan, were on the surface. The depths of her were for him. The chauffeur, who had been often with Bousada, drove past the tall palms that spouted, above the riverbed, like fountains of dark water, spouting the crimson sky; waves through the small, white tents of palms of Bousada, and the thought flittered across the surface of her mind that they were like huge, resting butterflies.

Sheridan had wired for rooms (the telegraph poles stride far and far along the Algerian desert), and the landlord came to greet his guests. A smiling dark maid showed "Mademoiselle et Madame" upstairs to the place beside the girl, and together they stepped from the long French window of her room onto a wide, covered balcony.

There was little water in the Oued, but there was a sparsely scattered like shattered glass, and the wet stones between the pools were red as huge garnets, or purple as lumps of amethyst. All the hills, near and far, blazed with the last fires of sunset and poured flames high into a sky that was azure at the zenith.

"Do you like it?" Sheridan asked at last.

"I didn't know there could be anything so beautiful in the world," Terry answered, and her voice shook a little, because these were the first words they had exchanged since he had held her hand.

"It is beautiful," Miles granted. "But you'd soon tire of it!"

"No," I should never tire of it—I shall hate to go away when the time comes," the girl assured him.

He laughed. "I wonder? That would depend upon how long you had to stop. You wouldn't—exchange New York for Bousada?"

"I would," Terry persisted. "I couldn't bear to live in New York. It's splendid there—but just to go, now and then, from the country. Not to live. I think to live, people need sky and great wide spaces."

"You seem to be a very different sort of girl at heart from what one would judge you, if you know yourself and speak out your real thoughts, not just some sudden impulse that can't last," Sheridan said. "Can you imagine yourself a desert dweller?"

"That is, if," she stopped. "Go on. I—what?"

"Oh—only that I wouldn't like to be quite, quite alone. It is so beautiful in the desert—a desert like this—that it would be sad to all alone—sadder than in a place not so beautiful. Because I should want someone—someone who'd understand."

"Someone, you mean, whom you loved?"

"I suppose so."

"Can you love?"

"The words were spoken, not sharply or harshly, but with a certain hoarseness, as if they came with an effort. (Copyright, 1923, by the Bell Syndicate.)

"Something happened to those other eggs," declared Mrs. Spotty.

"As sure as you live, something happened to those other eggs. I laid a lot of them, and I buried them as carefully as I know how."

Spotty yawned. "Do you remember where you buried them?" he inquired.

"Certainly I do," replied Mrs. Spotty rather sharply.

"Then why don't you go over there and see if you can find out what happened to them?" asked Spotty.

This is in answer to your letter of the 7th stating that you feel that songs about the romance of the sea have so much depth to them and bring out the best in a young man apostrophe a voice especially when it is bass comma and can we given you the music for that song that goes out on the deep comma when the sun is low comma and the first bright star doth gleam semi-colon of a day that is dead dash and a love that fled dash the fisher oft will dream period paragraph

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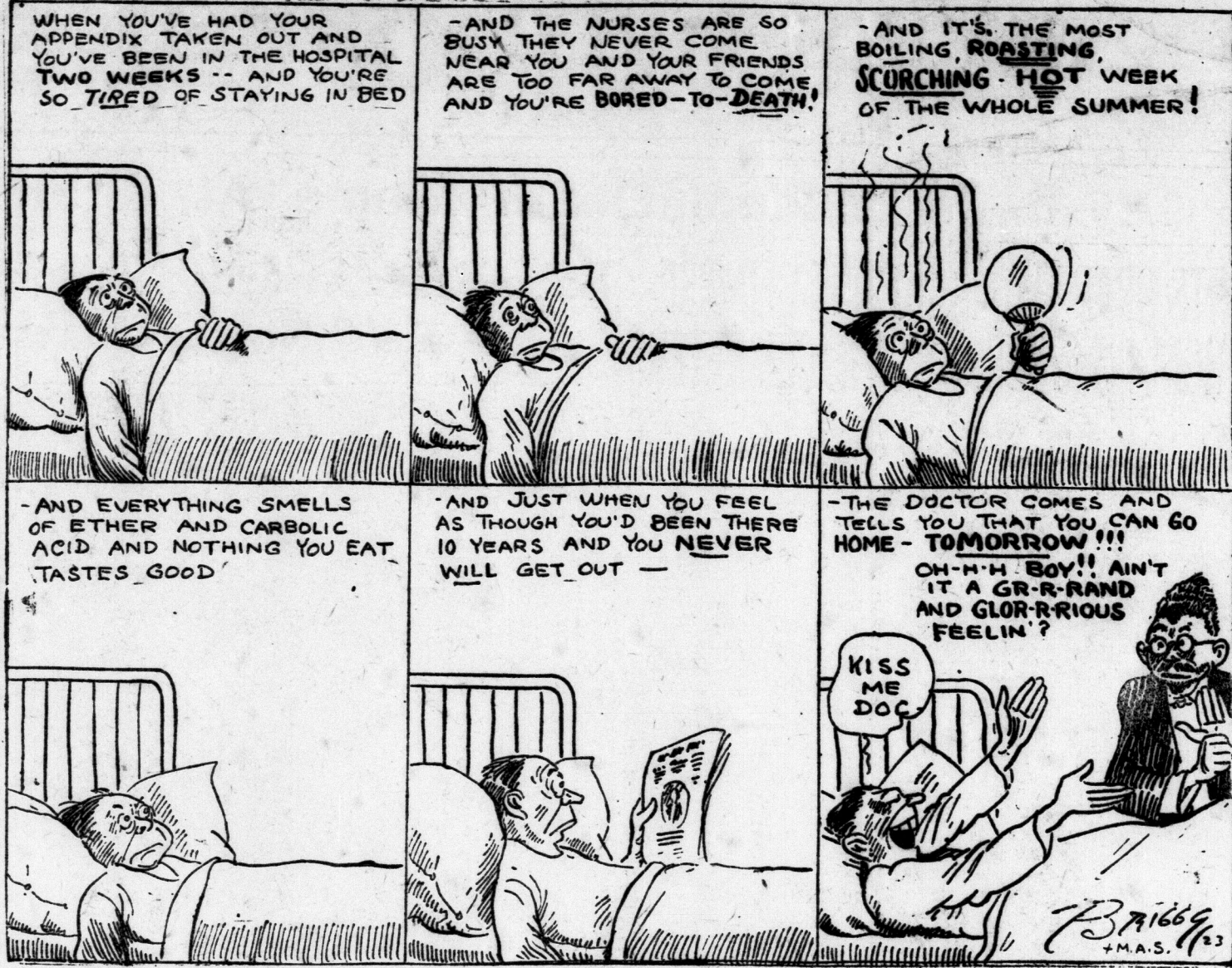
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Ain't It a Grand and Glorious Feeling



Hambone's Meditations

By J. P. Alley.

DEYS SOME FOLKS, WEN DEY GITS DRESSED UP, DEY-LOOKS LAK DEY AIN GOT GOOD SENSE!!



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"You Said It, Marceline!"

By MARCELINE D'ALROY

ON HOW WOMEN SMOKE

When a MAN smokes he thinks

OF MANY THINGS.

When a WOMAN smokes

She generally thinks

OF one thing—HERSELF.

When young girls smoke

Their pleasure lies

In what OTHER people

Will think of them;

Particularly, the young man

They are smoking with—

I mean, smoking for.

If a girl has a PRETTY FACE

She POUTS as she PUFFS;

If her HAND is BEAUTIFUL,

The cigarette is WAVED

In pleasing attitudes;

If she is EXTRA daring

And her THROAT is LOVELY,

She leans her head BACK

And lets the smoke out

Like a CHIMNEY.

A dainty woman

Smokes daintily;

A pretty one—SOMETIMES—

prettily;

A GOOD woman smokes

Like a NOVICE;

And only sophisticated women

Smoke LIKE MEN—

With UNCONSCIOUS COMPLA-

CENCY.

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Jimmy Skunk Finds Mrs. Spotty's Eggs and Eats Them

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Spotty the Turtle and Mrs. Spotty

had watched the bank down which

two of their babies had come to

enter the Smiling Pool. To these

two babies Spotty and Mrs. Spotty

paid no attention at all. By their

actions you would not have supposed

that they had the least interest in

those babies. As a matter of fact

they didn't have much interest in

them. As a father Spotty the Turtle

is anything but a success. As a

mother Mrs. Spotty is not much

better. She considers her duty done

when she has dug a hole in the sand,

laid her eggs therein, and then care-

fully covered them up.

Mrs. Spotty's interest in her babies

was chiefly in finding out how many

there were. So having seen those

two enter the Smiling Pool, she and

Spotty watched for more. But no

more appeared. The next day they

watched, but they watched in vain.

Finally they decided that those two

made up their whole family.

"Something happened to those

other eggs," declared Mrs. Spotty.

"As sure as you live, something hap-

pened to those other eggs. I laid

a lot of them, and I buried them as

carefully as I know how."

Spotty yawned. "Do you remember

where you buried them?" he in-

quired.

"Certainly I do," replied Mrs. Spotty

rather sharply.

"Then why don't you go over there

and see if you can find out what

happened to them?" asked Spotty.

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the sand has been disturbed here.

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So Jimmy Skunk promptly set to

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at that particular place. He hadn't

dug far when he felt something

round. Jimmy's eyes sparkled. In a

moment he pulled out a white egg.

His eyes sparkled more than ever.

He stopped digging and ate that egg.

He smacked his lips. "My, this is

good," said Jimmy.

Then Jimmy went on with his

search. Egg after egg he dug out

and ate. At last his stomach was

full, and he had already had a good

meal before finding those eggs. Hav-

ing had enough, Jimmy went on his

way. And so it happened that two

eggs were left, and those were the

two from which had hatched the two

baby Turtles which, as you know,

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

St. Marys Alerts Beaten 12-6 In Sudden-Death Game At Brantford By Hamilton Crew

Alerts Weakened In Final Quarter After Great Fight

Smith, Who Got Into Game by Squeak, Was Determining Factor.

Special to The Advertiser.

Brantford, Sept. 21.—St. Marys weakened in the final period, allowing Hamilton to net five goals and captured the O. A. L. intermediate championship, 12 to 6, here this afternoon. For the first three periods the game was a neck and neck battle with little or nothing to choose between the two teams, but the boys in green could not stand the pace, and the Bengals roamed the field at will during the final session. Smith, the outstanding star of the winners, only got into the game by the skin of his teeth, a telegram arriving five minutes before the game started, stating that he was eligible to play. He netted seven of the Hamilton goals, and in the third period slammed in the one which proved to be the winning tally. In spite of the fact that twelve goals were scored against him, Newman, the St. Marys goalie, was one of the best players on the field, time and again stopping shots that looked like sure counts.

Hamilton drew first blood when Farr scored after two minutes of play, but St. Marys came right back strong, and in the next seven minutes whirled three into the Hamilton net. Near the end of the period Smith gave the Tigers another, but the green-shirted boys had all the best of the play in this session and looked like winners. In the second period Hamilton evened the count. It took ten minutes to get one past Newman, but Smith beat the defence to shoot from close in and followed with Cowan and Laville both scored for St. Marys again, putting them in the lead, but Cooper came to the aid of Hamilton and again tied the score.

The third period was the hardest fought of the lot, and only three goals were scored. Cooper beat Newman to again put the Hans on top, but Laville came alone and made the score three to two. In the final period the Bengals had it all their own way and held St. Marys to only three goals. They completed the slaughter by tacking on two more. In the period St. Marys defence went all to pieces, and Newman was left to hold the fort practically alone. He turned in a good game, but with the shots coming thick and fast from all sides, he had little chance to stem the tide of defeat.

The teams were: St. Marys—Newman, Yates, Richardson, Mosson, Alberts, Tuer, Smith, Laville, Cowan, Stewart, Smith, Hobbs and Riddels. Hamilton—Gannon, Rohmer, Anderson, Cooper, Dwyer, Droncher, Stuart, Farr, Ling, sub, Smith, Hobbs and Riddels.

Referee—Hughes Jack, Toronto; Fitzgerald, St. Catharines.

Penalties—Gannon (2), Farr, Laville, Tuer (2), 10 minutes; Hobbs, 10 minutes; Cooper, Alberts, Cowan and Stuart, 5 minutes; First period—Hamilton, 2; St. Marys, 1; Second period—Hamilton, 2; St. Marys, 2; Third period—Hamilton, 3; St. Marys, 1; Fourth period—Hamilton, 3; St. Marys, 1; Total—Hamilton, 12; St. Marys, 6.

FAVORITES BUMPED OFF ON COLUMBUS TRACK

Murphy Drives Two Wins, Rose Scott Was One Favorite To Win.

Associated Press Despatch. Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 21.—Favorites found the going rather rough today as a three-day lay-off because of rain. Tommy Murphy drove winners in the first two events, but only by a narrow margin. Rose Scott, favored in the Capital City Stakes, won the race, easily showing her superiority, and was as pleased in straight heats.

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Cincinnati	47	59	.442
Pittsburgh	42	64	.398
Chicago	35	71	.328
Brooklyn	29	77	.272
Boston	27	79	.256
Philadelphia	26	80	.245

Yesterday's Results.

New York 8, Pittsburgh 1, Cincinnati 3 (1 inning).

Today's Games.

New York at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia at Chicago.

Sunday's Games.

Boston at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Cincinnati. (Only three games scheduled.)

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Chicago at Philadelphia, rain. Cleveland at Washington, rain.

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Chicago at Philadelphia, St. Louis at New York, Detroit at Boston (2).

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GIANTS GRAB TWO FROM PITTSBURG

Pinelli's Triple Scores Walk in the Eleventh—Reds Win.

Associated Press Despatch.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 21.—The New York Giants strengthened their hold on first place by taking both games of a double-header from the Pirates today.

The Giants knocked both Meadows and Stone from the box in the first game, and continued their heavy hitting in the second, sending Cooper to the showers. Carey drove a homer over the left field wall in the ninth inning of the first game, scoring Maranville ahead of him.

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GET BUT GLIMPSE OF CRICKETERS

Rain Suspends Play After All-Stars Batted 26, Not Out.

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Galt, Sept. 21.—The touring Free Foresters' visit to Galt for a game of cricket, with an all-star Western Ontario team was in vain. Although they made it necessary to suspend action, yesterday's heavy rain there was a severe thunderstorm during the night, but this morning it was clear, and the ground was wet, and the visitors were anxious for action, and especially on the first grass wicket they had encountered.

The short time they were in the field the Free Foresters displayed their class with spectacular hitting, while the spin bowlers of Major Burnham and Capt. R. Fowler were splendid. J. Duffin of 21st and G. W. Hambleton of 22nd were the first pair to bat, and the Galtians were caught on the first ball. A. May of London then went to bat, and the pair carried the score to 16 before the first wicket fell.

H. Lowmough of Woodstock followed, and with Hambleton, added five more runs, the former being bowled and caught by Fowler. W. Ladbroke of Galt hit for four, and then Hambleton was eliminated after scoring seven runs. C. Maddock of Kitchener was bowled without scoring, and G. W. Harrison of Stratford failed to show his wares, the rain interfering.

The visitors were immensely pleased with the local field, declaring it to be the finest they had seen in Canada. Tonight the touring cricketers were the guests of the Galt Kiwanis Club at a banquet after which they left for Toronto on their way to Ottawa, which will conclude their tour.

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LONDON SCHOOLS CHOOSE OFFICERS IN ANNUAL VOTING

Boys and Girls Elected To Fill Positions in Various Organizations. BALLOTING IS CLOSE

The students of the collegiate institutions of London have cast their votes and elected the officials who will guide them through their various activities for the school year of 1923.

With an interest that was but slightly less intense than that shown by their parents during election-time, the scholars yesterday marked their ballots in favor of their various candidates and deposited them solemnly in the locked and sealed boxes provided for the purpose. At three periods during the day the polling booths were open and from time to time the first voted was cast. The booths closed at 4:20 p.m., a continuous stream of pupils wended their way to the polls, until a total of more than 1,000 votes had been cast in the three institutions.

The voting on the whole was close, very small majorities being the feature of the election. For every office the various candidates were separated by but a few votes, and in some cases it looked as though a recount would be necessary, but after the checking up by Chief Returning Officer F. A. Whitton, and the counter-checking by William R. Uelin, who was in charge of the election, it was decided that this would be unnecessary.

After the polls closed a considerable number of scholars remained, waiting for the returns, but soon these dispersed, when it was found that the final results would not be made public until 6 o'clock.

No Trickery. In each of the six polling booths, after the closing hour, a staff consisting of a supervising teacher, a deputy returning officer, polling clerk and scrutineer, counted the ballots, the services of the outside constable by this time being unnecessary. According to the teachers in charge, no attempts were made to stuff the boxes nor of one voter trying to cast more than one ballot for his or her favorite. In fact, they said, the election had been clearly conducted throughout. Of course there was the customary canvassing for candidates, but this was done quietly, with no offers of bribery. In fact, the whole election campaign and vote was done as though it were a matter of the dominion government regulations relating to such occasions.

At the Central Collegiate, the vote was most numerous about 800, and keen interest was evinced by all the scholars. Some of the candidates waited until after the election had been made, and if elected rejoiced at their good fortune, while others not so fortunate went away with a smile.

Promises New Features. The successful candidates seemed to be distributed well over the different forms, no year having a preponderance of representation.

At the London East Institution, only the athletic associations were elected yesterday, the election of the Literary Society being called for next week. Principal O'Neill promises that several new features in school elections will be introduced into this, and states that interest is already keen, although no nominations have been made yet.

London South Collegiate has elected only its senior officers of the athletic bodies. The Literary Society officers at this institution will be elected next week.

At the Central Collegiate the most interest centered in the election of officers to the Literary Society, of which Charles Poukes, 230 Hill street, was elected president over Ronald Post, by a small majority. Mr. Poukes is in his fourth year at college. Miss Annie Ward, 1337 Dundas street, secured more votes than Miss Hazel Taylor, and will therefore act as secretary during the coming year. For treasurer, Andrew Gillespie, 164 Albert street, was considered the choice of the scholars. Howard O'Beay was the other candidate.

At the London South Collegiate, the results of the elections to the various organizations will not be known until Monday at the earliest, the voting not having been concluded last night.

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All the Theatres

Allen—Today: "Loyal Lives," a drama of the mail service. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: Kenneth Harlan and Colleen Moore in "April Showers." Thursday, Friday, Saturday: "The Broken Wing," featuring Kenneth Harlan.

Grand—Twice today: The famous character actor, Bransby Williams, and his English company, in Charles Dickens' masterpiece, "David Copperfield." Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: Bill Watson, Columbia wheel attraction.

Loew's—Today: King Vidor's production, "Three Wise Fools." Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: other Edwin production, "Lucky Larceny," featuring Hope Hampton, Nita Naldi; vaudeville. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday: "The Night Wind," vaudeville.

Patricia—Today: "Legally Dead," with Milton Sully and Claire Adams; vaudeville. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: Charles Jones, Shirley Mason in "The House of the Living Dead." Thursday, Friday, Saturday: William Russell in "Alias—The Night Wind"; vaudeville.

date. Representing the various years on the society are Reg. Warner and H. Uren, fifth year; Fred Heaman and Kenneth Bice, fourth year; Barbara Dickinson and Marian Reynolds, third year; Thelma Howlett and Douglas Calder, second year; Ruth Lawson and Franklin Taylor, first year.

Seven Elected. Of the twelve candidates for positions on the Students' Council, the following seven were elected, standing being as follows: Travis Chapman, Ronald Back, Clare Bice, Margaret Marshall, Evelyn White, Harold Dean and Dorothy Morgan.

These with A. A. Affleck, Miss Margaret Uren, Miss Edna Holland, W. H. Adamson, Miss Ellice Kelson, N. R. Gray and C. K. Bluet from the Students' Union executive, which co-operates and supervises the work of the other organizations in the school. Much interest was seen in the campaign for the election of officers to the two athletic associations at the Central Collegiate. The boys' association will consist of the following personnel: Ted Hart, secretary; William Johnston, treasurer; councilors, two from each year, Brightner Chapman and Gordon Cummings, fifth year; Ken Hunter and Bob Johnston, fourth year; Billy Mills and Murray Aiken, third year; Victor Wong and George Alexander, second year; Jack Trafford and Gilbert Jackson, first year.

The athletic girls of the school will be guided by the following organization: Margaret Gladman, secretary; Jessie Rose, treasurer; councilors, two from each year, K. Seabrook and Dorothy Lee, fifth year; Catharine Campbell and J. Sharnham, fourth year; Nerissa Downham and Mary Campbell, third year; Annie Campbell and Florence Foster, second year; Audrey Walker and Lillian McCormick, first year.

Heads Association. Bill Wanless, London's premier school athlete, will head the Boys' Athletic Association of the East End Collegiate, he having secured a considerable majority in the elections at that building. Bernard Fitzmaurice, another all-round athlete, will act as vice-president, Jack Walker and A. Ross were elected secretary and treasurer respectively. W. Doan will carry out the publicity for the association. The representatives for the various forms are: 2a, R. Armstrong; 2b, J. Rourke; 2c, L. Goldenburg; 2d, N. Dowling; 2e, W. McCausland; 1a, B. Hogarth; 1b, J. Chapman; 1c, C. McKenzie.

The girls in the same institution selected a teacher, Miss Alberta Watson, as their president. The vice-president, Annie Turner, is a student, and secured a considerable lead over her opponent. Margaret Talbot will be the secretary, assisted by Jessie Walker as treasurer. The representatives from the forms are: 2a, Hilda Gowie; 2b, Lena Olive; 2c, Catherine Porter; 2d, Alice McMurray; 2e, Marion Johnstone; 1a, Frances North; 1b, Olive Armstrong; 1c, Vera Sumner. Basketball manager, Edythe Hill; baseball manager, Sadie Hill; field day representative, Marjorie Pine.

At the London South Collegiate, the results of the elections to the various organizations will not be known until Monday at the earliest, the voting not having been concluded last night.

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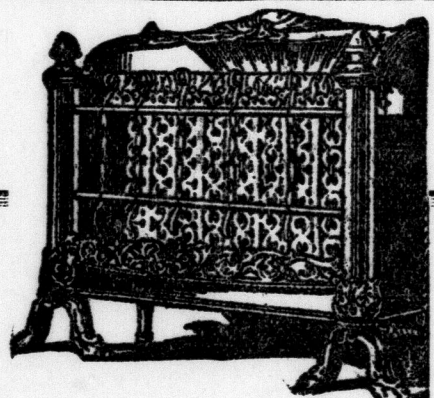
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CLUB NEWS

LOBO WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The regular meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Alf. Sinker recently. The roll call was answered by thirty-five ladies. An instrumental was given by Miss Edna Sinker. Mrs. P. G. McIntyre led in a discussion on "Canning Tomatoes." Community singing followed. Readings were given by Misses Isabel Fraser and Minnie McIntyre. Mrs. D. P. Campbell answered the questioner. Refreshments were served at the close of the program by the programme committee. The next meeting will be held in the Masonic Hall, Lobo, on Wednesday, October 17. Roll Call will be answered by "Christmas gift suggestions."

RAISES ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Special to The Advertiser. Listowel, Sept. 21.—At the baking sale held by the W. C. T. U. on Saturday \$100 was realized. This sum will be given by the society to help support the Travelers' Aid at Stratford.

Miss Mary Halliday, who graduated this summer as a dental nurse, has accepted a position in Buffalo and leaves tomorrow for that city.

KENT BRIDGE E. L. Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Sept. 21.—The feature of the meeting of the Kent Bridge Epworth League last night was a talk by Mrs. Pesho on her world's tour. Mrs. Pesho dwelt on the strange condition in some of the countries and how different they were from Canada. She also mentioned the vast number of temples throughout the world. Mr. Carl Arnold gave a short talk and a meeting of the executive was arranged for the league. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Rieborough.

ENTERTAINS CLUB. Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Sept. 21.—Miss Don Lewis entertained the Kent Bridge Happy-Go-Lucky Club at her home yesterday. The newly-appointed secretary, Ruby Decou, was present, and four members, who have left the club during the month, were remembered with gifts. Those who took part in the excellent program given were: Don Lewis, an instrumental; Mrs. H. M. Challis, a reading; Jessie Wilson, an instrumental, and the topic, Maple's "Mount Vesuvius of Pompeii" was taken by Miss Mary Shaw. Following the program there was a contest, and the prizes were won by Mrs. Challis and Miss Ruby Decou. Tea was served by the hostess and her assistants, Mary Shaw, and Ruby Decou. The Women's Institute will be entertained by the club at their next meeting.

BIRTHDAY PARTY. Special to The Advertiser.

Hensall, Sept. 21.—A very pleasant event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McD. Wilson of this village on Monday last, it being Mr. Wilson's birthday. A large number gathered to wish him many happy returns of the day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pollock, Mrs. John Glenn, Mr. Wm. Henry, Mrs. Joseph McClintchey, little nephew Howard Carroll, and daughter, Miss Margaret Wilson of Toronto. Mrs. Wilson served a choice chicken supper which was greatly enjoyed.

WILL APPOINT DELEGATES. Special to The Advertiser.

Several items of important business are to be conducted at next Tuesday's meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Among other things, the delegates to the coming provincial election in Brantford will be appointed.

HOLDS CORN ROAST. Special to The Advertiser.

For the opening meeting of the season the Hutton Community Club held a corn roast on Wednesday last. They were fortunate in having chosen the one beautiful evening of the week.

ELECTS OFFICERS. Special to The Advertiser.

The Bluebird Club of Centennial Methodist Sunday School held their annual election of officers on Thursday night at the home of Mr. Allen, Ontario street. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Miss Marjorie Brown, president; Miss Dorothy Anderson, vice-president; Miss Mabel Somerville, secretary-treasurer; Miss Winnifred Gertrude Pirie, social convener; Miss Helen Gatecliffe, recreation convener. Plans for the fall bazaar were made, and regular meetings arranged. After all the business was transacted a dainty lunch was served.

HOLDS RECEPTION. Special to The Advertiser.

Glencoe, Sept. 21.—One of the smartest social functions of the season was that at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm M. McAlpine, Simpson street, on Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. McAlpine received for the first time since her marriage. Receiving with her were her mother, Mrs. John Wood of Rutherford; her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wood, and Mrs. J. Grant, Little Miss Wood, niece of the hostess, and Kathleen McIntyre were door attendants, and Mrs. Matt Graham presided at the tea table, which was centered with pink and white asters. Misses Hazel McAlpine, Mamie Grant, Edna Precious and Gladys McAlpine assisted. The rooms were prettily decorated with asters and chrysanthemums, and presented an attractive appearance.

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PLANS CHICKEN SUPPER. Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Sept. 21.—Plans for a chicken supper to be held on October 9 in the Parish Hall, were made yesterday at the meeting of the Senior Guild of Christ Church. Rev. Perkins opened the meeting with prayer, after which Mrs. R. V. Bray took charge. The hostesses for the evening were Miss Mohler and Mrs. Eberts and a social hour was spent at the close of the meeting.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES ARE HELD AT ALDBORO

Special to The Advertiser.

West Lorne, Sept. 21.—Anniversary services were held on Sunday at the Aldboro Townline Church. The church was well filled for both services. Rev. C. Law-on of West Lorne gave two splendid sermons. Excellent music was furnished by the choir, which was assisted by Mrs. Irvine of Wallacetown.

A chicken supper and a good program were given on Monday evening. Mrs. Irvine of Wallacetown, Miss Grant of Glencoe, Mr. Walters of West Lorne, and Miss Jessie Reid furnished the entertainment. The proceeds amounted to \$88.50.



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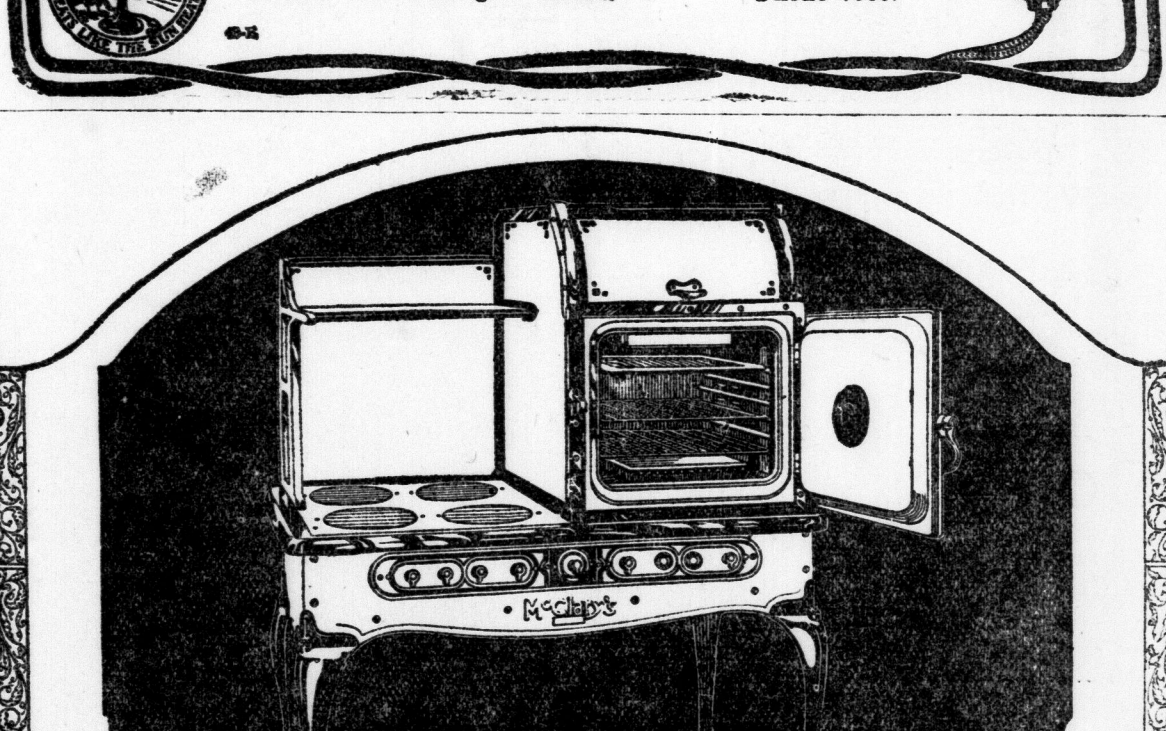
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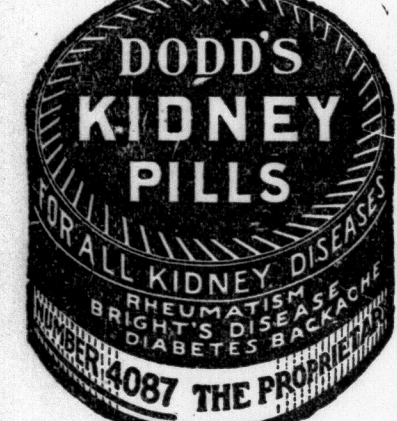
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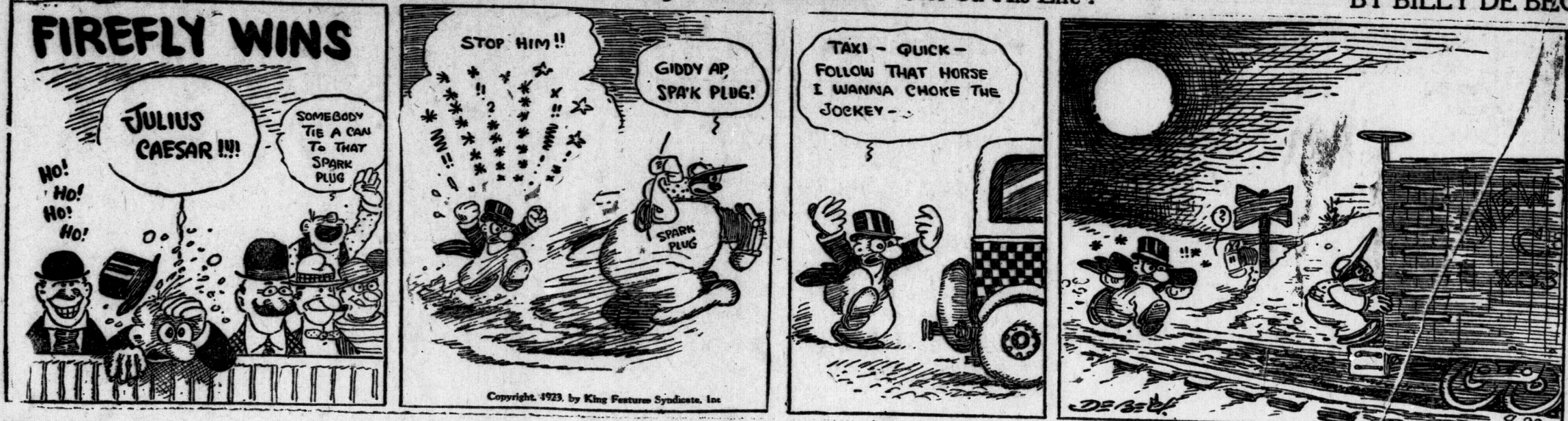
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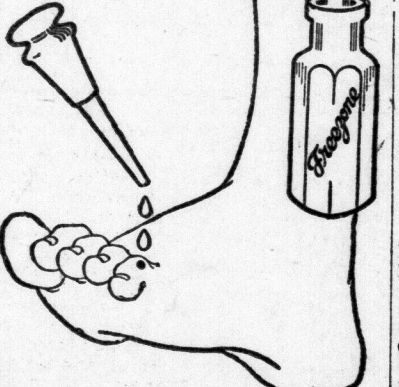
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"Sliding" Billy Watson's method of arousing smiles is so real, so natural, and truly in accord with the minds of the audience, that the wide smile, the mischievous twinkle of the eye of this born funster has one smiling with him before one is aware that he has relaxed. He slides on and off the stage with his unique rolling motion, and starts everyone laughing from his entrance.

Many old favorites will assist "Sliding Billy" in his fun-making.



SLIDING BILLY WATSON.
This born funster opens a three-day engagement with his big fun show at the Grand, Monday. There will be daily bargain matinees for ladies.

The cast includes Benny (Howard) Platt, Inez de Belder, Ethel de Vaux, Frank Malahan, Murray Edward, Oliver de Grant, Ruby Wallace and Bono and Cleora. The chorus is hard-working and well chosen, and in the dance numbers is as nimble-footed as any seen here this season. It is also satisfactorily gowned in some of the most stunning costume creations that have been displayed on the local stage this year.

"Sliding" Billy Watson's "Big Fun Show" is not lacking in scenic investment, there being at least eight scenes that are colorful and pretentious. There are ten ripping musical numbers in the piece which have been put on by Dan Dody in a manner that makes the eighteen comely chorus girls display all the pep that is in their systems. Watson himself wrote and staged the piece.

BRANSBY WILLIAMS CLOSES GRAND ENGAGEMENT TODAY
Bransby Williams, the eminent English character actor, will conclude his present engagement at the Grand Opera House with afternoon and evening performances today, presenting on those occasions his version of Charles Dickens' masterpiece, "David Copperfield." It is safe to say that not in many seasons has London enjoyed the performances of any other actor comparable to those of Mr. Williams in his own line. His rendition of the double roles of Wilkins Micawber and Daniel Peggotty has established itself as a standard in every city in Great Britain, and wherever he has appeared in Canada he has been enthusiastically acclaimed. On Thursday evening and last evening he enthused the Grand audiences who witnessed his won-



ETHEL DE VAUX.
one of the beauties with Sliding Billy Watson's big fun show at the Grand, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

derful performances. Today's matinee is billed for 2:15 and the evening performance for 8:15. This will probably be the last chance afforded this season to see Mr. Williams in the characters in which he so commandingly excels.

MAY ROBSON COMING BACK IN FAMED AUNT MARY PLAY

Theatregoers will be pleased to learn that London's favorite comedienne, May Robson, is bound to return to the Grand Opera House on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, October 4, 5 and 6, with Saturday matinee, presenting her greatest success, "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary." Mail orders for seats are being filled now at the theatre.

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The evening classes of the Technical School open on Monday, October 1. Registration will be held all week both afternoon and evening in the Technical School, Dundas street.

FALLS DOWN STAIRS.
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Bayfield, Sept. 21.—The financial district meeting of the Goderich Methodist district, convened here Wednesday, was well attended. Rev. Prof. Potter of Victoria College spoke eloquently on the work of the educational society of the Methodist Church. He also presented the budget for the coming year. Rev. John Garbutt of London told of the work and plans of the department of evangelism and social service. The missionary conference was largely attended, several circuits sending large deputations. Rev. Mr. Annis, a missionary of West China, at present home on furlough, spoke on his work there. Rev. D. N. McCamus was present as a representative from the conference standing missionary committee. November was set aside as missionary month, and the various circuits of the district were grouped, each group to consult and arrange for the holding of missionary anniversaries. The following is the

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THREE WORKERS PERISH IN EXPLOSION AT MINE
Associated Press Despatch.
Wheeling, W. Va., Sept. 21.—Three miners were killed early today in an explosion at the Senwood mine of the Wheeling Steel & Iron Company. It became known tonight, when the bodies of Joseph Birillo and Michael Corda and J. J. Carscaden, the latter a fire boss, were found buried beneath tons of coal and stone.

MOTORIST KILLED.
Canadian Press Despatch.
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LLOYD GEORGE Says Spanish Coup Is Part of General Reaction

War Has Resulted In Spreading Reaction Against Democracy—a Serious Movement that Needs Careful Watching In All Countries.

By DAVID LLOYD GEORGE.
Special Cable to The Advertiser.
London, Sept. 22.—The Spanish coup d'état is part of the general movement of reaction against democracy which has arisen since the war.

It started with the Bolshevik revolution; it swept over Italy; it has captured Bulgaria, and its latest phase is the military insurrection in Spain. In fact one of the most remarkable products of the war has been the initiation and extension of movements throughout Europe bearing the Fascist character.

In essence, Bolshevism and Fascism are revolts against parliamentary methods of government—in other words, against the democratic conception of government. In some quarters there is growing discontent with parliamentarism because of its dilatoriness, its confusion of aims, its pettiness, its costly inefficiencies, its constant failure to attain its ideals. Ardent reformers are always in the end disappointed with the percentage of achievement which democracy yields to the tongue of oratory. Most of them get discouraged altogether and either abandon the vain pursuit or relapse into languid support of conventional programs.

Russia and Italy.

Now and again, a man arises who gets angry and, rudely brushing aside representatives chosen by the people, resorts to direct action. That accounts for Russia. In other quarters there is deepening distrust of democracy because of its menace to existing interests and comforts, its supposed readiness to make unwise concessions to popular clamor, its reluctance to govern firmly when firm government gives temporary relief—because, in fact, it is too anxious

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to please. That was the complaint in Italy.

Signor Mussolini would probably claim Caesar as his prototype, but Cromwell was the first modern Fascist. Carlyle's description of Cromwell's Purge gives the whole substance of Fascism:

"Come, come," exclaimed my lord general in very high key, "we have had enough of this—and in fact my lord general, now blazing all up into clear conflagration, exclaims, 'I will put an end to your prating,' and steps forth on to the floor of the House and, clapping on his hat and occasionally stamping the floor with his feet, begins a discourse which no man can repeat!... He says—'Heavens!' he is heard saying. 'It is not fit that you should sit here any longer. You have sat too long here for any good you have been doing lately. You shall now give place to better men. Call them in,' adds he briefly to Harrison in words of command, and some twenty or thirty grim musketeers enter with bullets in their snaphances, grimly prompt for orders, and stand in some attitude of 'carry arms' there. Veteran men of might and men of war, their faces are as the faces of lions and their feet as swift as the roes upon the mountains—not beautiful to the honorable gentlemen at this moment."

There you have the whole attitude of the Fascist in this historical deed of the greatest modern example of the type—Oliver Cromwell—described sympathetically by the greatest exponent and advocate of the doctrine—Thomas Carlyle.

Lenin Was First.

The present movement started not in Italy but in Russia. The first great Fascist of today is not Mussolini but Lenin. He was the first to substitute force for popular election in a democratic state. Bolshevism was not a revolt against czarism and Russian grand dukes. It was a revolution aimed at the overthrow of another revolution, which had already overthrown the ancient regime. Russia was a republic, the czar was a prisoner, the last surviving grand duke was in exile, the land of Russia had been confiscated and distributed amongst the peasants before Lenin took a hand in the government. He rebelled against the new parliamentary regime of which Kerensky, the Socialist, was chief. He grew contemptuous of the Voigas of rhetoric which flowed from the first Russian revolution, which talk which never froze, but which was nevertheless not navigable, it was all talk. It could not fight and it would not make peace. It undoubtedly had behind it an overwhelming majority of duly chosen representatives of the Russian people.

But Lenin had just as great a contempt for the will of the people as Mussolini. He therefore enrolled his followers into an army which swept away the newly-created parliamentarism and substituted for it a Cromwellian regime, based on organized force. It was the rule of the armed saints of communism.

The soviet system of election is a farce. No man who is opposed to Bolshevism has a chance of appearing at the central assembly. Lenin does not attempt to conceal his opinion that the people are not fit to govern. He does not believe in democracy.

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DUCHESS FIGURES IN REVOLUTION.

A woman has played a part in the Spanish revolt which Lloyd George describes as part of the general reaction against democracy. She is the Duchess of Alba, shown on the upper left. She is the wife of the minister of the interior in the cabinet of ex-

Premier Alphonse XIII. Her efforts to enter court circles despite protests from the royal family said to have been an important factor contributing to the recent military coup. On the upper right is General Primo de Rivera, the new

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ocracy and he strangled democratic experiment ere it had left its cradle.

More Than A Plunderer.

Bolshevism is not a gigantic plundering of property classes for the benefit of the impetuous proletariat. That is not an exhaustive, even if it is an accurate definition of its doctrines. It is all that, but it is much more. It teaches the proletariat to sacrifice everything for the Bolshevik state and its adherents readily sacrifice life, comfort, liberty, at the behest of the soviet leaders. All the miscalculations with regard to Bolshevism have come from the

LABOR IS PREPARING FOR MUNICIPAL FIGHT

Secretary and Treasurer Are Criticized For Work During the Past Term.

The Central Labor Party met last night in the Labor Temple to discuss plans for organizing their forces for the coming municipal election. The chairman opened the meeting by stating that the meeting was incomplete, and said that the treasurer had not attended a meeting this summer and that the secretary was also lax in this regard. The absence of these officials at last night's meeting provoked a motion that a special meeting be held on Friday next with a view to electing new officials who would take an interest in the work.

Further discussion showed that the books of the party had been kept in a very loose manner, and that it was decided, after hearing the auditors' report, that, following the suggestion of the chairman, a financial statement be prepared and a copy of it sent to each local union which had contributed to the funds of the party.

It was also decided to call a second special meeting on the return of John Colbert, of the street railway men's union, from the convention in Oakland, if his return does not coincide with the date of the

even betrayals, foreshadows no other outcome but this: To throw democracy aside and replace it by the mechanism of the proletariat at the moment when the latter is strong enough to carry out such a task."

He quotes with approval Paul Lafargue's view of parliamentary government:

"Parliamentarism is a system of government in which the people acquires the illusion that it is controlling the forces of the country itself when, in reality, the actual power is concentrated in the hands of the bourgeoisie, and not even of the whole bourgeoisie, but only of certain sections of that class."

After a violent attack on the parliamentary regime as an instrument of the bourgeoisie, the celebrated Russian Bolshevik leader goes on:

"The soviet regime, which is more closely, straitly, honestly bound up with the toiling majority of the people, does achieve a meaning, not in statically reflecting a majority but in dynamically creating it."

"I know something of these anti-parliamentary methods of 'dynamically creating' a majority—dungeon of Peter and Paul in Russia and castor oil in Italy!"

Methods Are the Same.

Mussolini does not deny that, although the objects of Bolshevism and Fascism are different, their methods have much in common. A recent election, based on universal suffrage, gave him thirty-six followers in a parliament of four hundred members. Under the parliamentary system, he hardly counted as a force. He was far from being the choice of the democracy. He then struck a Cromwellian attitude and indulged in Cromwellian phraseology.

But for the sacrifice of his followers in the great war, Italy would have been the vassal of the Central Powers. Their valor preserved

MITCHELL EXPERIENCES CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS

Special to The Advertiser.

Mitchell, Sept. 21.—This morning a number of boys were playing in the schoolyard by throwing pieces of coal at a tree, when one piece on hitting the tree flew back and struck Orval, the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lemon, in the left eye. The boy is in Stratford Hospital suffering from a hemorrhage behind the eye, which may have to be removed.

Earl, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Schellenberger of Fulton Township, while playing in the kitchen this morning, fell off a small box about 1½ feet high, and in the fall had his left leg broken.

IS TRANSFERRED.

West Lorne, Sept. 21.—E. McLean, for the past three years in the Merchants Bank and Bank of Montreal here, received word yesterday of his transfer to Hamilton. During his residence here Mr. McLean has made many friends, not only in his social and fraternal circles, and while his friends extend congratulations on his promotion, regret to see him go.

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Italian liberties, their voices must therefore be paramount in determining how the Italy they had preserved should be governed. They could not any longer permit the country for which they had fought and for which 600,000 of their comrades had lost their lives to be misgoverned by a succession of feeble and incompetent administrations. If the old-established political machines were too skillfully handled to enable Fascism to secure a majority in parliament, so much the worse for parliament. The "prating" must, at any cost, be stopped. Talkers must "make room for better men," so a hundred thousand armed Fascists march on Rome to depose parliamentarism. Mussolini's attitude towards parliament is best given in his own words, as summarized in a reliable report:

Did Not Despair Parliament.

"The party was accused of despising parliament. This was not the case. Parliament had nearly ceased to have any importance, owing to the death wound dealt it by syndicalism and journalism. Under the new electoral law which he intended to give the country, parliament would once more become a living body. Fascism was still strong enough by itself and, said the prime minister, 'I do not intend to sell my birthright for a mess of pottage—the collaboration of the dregs of Italian political life.' If collaboration was to be offered, it must be wholehearted and uncritical. 'I do not deny the people,' Signor Mussolini concluded, 'their just murmurs, but this must not be exaggerated.'"

There can be no mistaking the meaning of these words. The people may exercise their right to murmur in and through parliament, but that limited right must "not be exaggerated." Fascism was "strong enough in itself," whatever parliament chose to do or not to do. This is the real Cromwellian attitude.

Spain now follows the example of Russia, Italy and Bulgaria. The existing Spanish parliament was only recently elected on a basis of universal suffrage. There was a Liberal government in power which, judged according to all constitutional usage, enjoyed the confidence of that parliament. It did not, however, enjoy the confidence of all classes in the country. What party government does? But in this case, opposition was powerfully entrenched in the army command. That is also the case in other lands and that fact,

"Which Will Be the Next Country?" Asks Lloyd George—Russia, Italy, Bulgaria and Spain Have All Had Their Turn.

once upon a time, proved to be a serious menace to the life of the third republic in France. It was saved by Clemenceau, Waldeck, Rousseau, Reinach, Zola and many other strong men who believed in liberty.

The Army in Spain.

In Spain, the army has successfully arrogated to itself the functions of a parliamentary majority. It has now formed a government. The principle of popular sovereignty expressed by parliamentary institutions is set aside in favor of the Cromwellian principle that if major-generalists are dissatisfied with the working of these institutions, they can at any moment step in to regulate them.

Which will be the next country? These coups have been attempted in Germany by communists and reactionaries in their turn, but so far with no success. The enemies of democracy are still on the watch—perhaps on the pounce. If things go badly for Germany, they will in all probability spring their conspiracies. Will they prevail? If so, which country will be the next to answer, which the coming months will give to these questions.

The spreading reaction against democracy is a serious movement, which needs careful watching in all countries. It has the sympathy of extremists on the left, as well as on the right. Only a few years ago the British trade unions were temporarily captivated by the idea and called it "direct action." The extreme conservative wing today do not conceal their enthusiasm for Mussolini and more in expression. Conservatism and constitutionalism were formerly interchangeable terms. But that was in the days when the majority of adults had no voice in the working of the constitution. It is no longer

so. An increasing number of Conservatives are looking towards un-constitutional methods for security against changes which democracy may soon demand. It is a dangerous hope to cherish. For this weapon is at hand for the Communist as well as the Conservative to handle. If General Primo de Rivera saved it in Spain, Lenin snatched it in Russia, and his followers are still wielding it with merciless power.

Democracy Stands the Strain.

Democracy has its faults. No doubt they were at their worst in Italy when Mussolini rose. But the great lesson of war is that democratic institutions bear a prolonged strain where autocracy breaks down. The nations that snapped the down were Russia first, then Bulgaria (a dictatorship born of a coup d'état), then Turkey, then Austria, then Germany—all of them autocratic governments. They fell according to the degree of their autocracy.

The nations that stood the strain without a break were the democratically governed countries of Britain, France and Italy. The United States of America only came in late and, therefore, it would be hardly fair to quote them as an example. Democratic institutions are good or bad, according to the quality of the people from whom they draw their power. No stream can ascend above its source. If the people receive sound education, they can be trusted with the destinies of their country.

When an educated community errs, it is generally on the side of caution. Bob Lowe's famous advice, given after the carrying of Disraeli's franchise act, half a century ago, still holds good. "Let us now educate our masters."

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Free Theatre Tickets For Those Who Can Solve This Puzzle.

PUZZLE NO. 3.

If you solve this puzzle, you may be among the lucky ones who will get the ten pairs of free tickets for Loew's Theatre which will be awarded to the ten nearest correct solutions.

All you have to do is to cut out the pieces which are shown here, paste them together, and you will have the face of a prominent movie actress. When the "scrambled" features are assembled on a card or piece of paper, write the name of the star, along with your own name and address on it, and send it in to the Movie Puzzle Editor, London Advertiser.

Answers received after Thursday, Sept. 27, will not be considered.

WINNERS OF PUZZLE NO. 2.

Here are the winners of the contest published on Sept. 15. The name of the actress was Mae Murray.

MISS M. E. CARROLL, 746 Hill street.

MRS. M. FULLER, 503 Nelson street.

MISS MARIE BURKETT, 198 Ridout street south.

MISS E. GARDNER, 354 Hill street.

MISS ANNIE NICHOLS, 65 Becher street.

MISS MARGUERITE CONNOR, 87 Maple street.

MR. B. NEUMANN, 3 Henry street.

MISS RILDA BAXTER, 221 Talbot street.

W. G. HAYLOCK, 58 Euclid avenue.

MISS GRACE McFALL, 255 Talbot street.

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Mortgage Sale

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, subject to a reserve bid, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on Monday, the 24th day of October, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon at 37 Carling St. in the City of London, by Joseph Brown, auctioneer, the following property:

The northern 34 feet of lot number 64, according to plan registered as number 49, upon which there is erected a dwelling known as number 1 Mackay Ave., the said premises being situated at the corner of Mackay Ave. and Tecumseh Ave. and west of the Wharfside Highway.

Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of the sale and the balance within twenty days from date of sale. For further particulars of conditions of sale, apply to MURPHY, GUNN & MURPHY, Bank of Toronto Chambers, London, Ont. or to the solicitors for the mortgagees, Joseph Brown, 37 Carling St. S22, 29-0-6

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

The undersigned will offer for sale by public auction, on the premises, 170 Carling St. in the City of London, on Monday, the 24th day of October, at 4 p.m. For further particulars apply to THE LONDON AND WESTERN TRUSTS CO. (LIMITED), 170 Carling St. D. H. PORTER, Auctioneer. S22, 24-26

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate of JULIA ANN KILBOURNE, late of the County of London, in the County of Middlesex, widow, deceased.

Creditors and others having claims against the said estate are required to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned solicitor for the executor of the said estate on or before the 15th day of October, 1923, at which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard only to the claims which notice shall have been given. Dated at London, this 17th day of Sept. A.D. 1923. A. R. DOUGLASS, Solicitor for the Executor.

SEALED TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tender for East Pier of Eastern Channel, Toronto Harbour," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on Friday, October 4, 1923, for the reconstruction of 475 feet of the superstructure of the East Pier of the Eastern Channel of Toronto Harbor, Toronto, York County, Ont.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained at a department, and at the office of the District Engineer, Equity Building, Toronto, Ont.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the department and accompanied by a check for \$20.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, and a deposit of \$20.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the tendering bidder submit a regular bid.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Sept. 12, 1923. 55c-1st

BOARD OF WORKS INDORSES NEAR

no opposition was registered. Order New Pavement.

Immediate construction of a pavement on Byrdges street (the industrial area) was directed by the committee. City Engineer Near could not guarantee completion before winter. A strong delegation arrived from the industrial area commission to urge this work and also the construction of a sewer on the same street, as petitioned for by the residents affected, but rejected at last session of the city council.

"This sewer proposal is dead," announced Ald. Douglass.

"How come?" asked the mayor.

"The people don't want it," argued Ald. Douglass.

"They have never said so," retorted the mayor. "I would like to know who voted against this sewer directly."

Both Ald. John T. May and Ald. Douglass, but the mayor reminded that the people wanted the sewer and were willing to shoulder their share of the cost.

Ald. Frank McKay related that the people had not petitioned against the pavement until they were told that they were also to have the sewer. It was unjust to now deny them the latter in preference to the pavement, which they had not asked for.

Watt and Douglass Clash

Ald. Watt and Ald. Douglass clashed, the former reasoning that "it would be a very good idea to let the taxpayers and not in the best interests of the community at large."

"That is just your opinion," protested Ald. Douglass.

"But I'm entitled to it," rejoined Ald. Watt.

The famous Matthews lumber yard issue, now in its third year before the council, was projected into the field again by ex-Mayor E. T. Essary, appearing on behalf of those residents who demand the removal of this concern from within the fire limits of the city. The city solicitor advised that the council would have no right to revoke an occupancy permit issued in 1922. The petitioners threaten, however, to take the case to the high courts.

Mayor Menzies moved that the city council accept the offer from the interested ratepayers of a bond to make the municipality a joint plaintiff in a suit against the company. This was recommended in the council against the advice of Ald. Douglass, who warned that they were only paving the way for another long lawsuit as well. The committee stipulated that all court costs shall be borne by Mr. Essary's clients.

EXONERATE WARD FOREMAN

Members of the board of works yesterday exonerated the ward foreman supposed to have been receiving gifts from one of his gang members. The committee bitterly scored those connected with a local newspaper, who demanded the removal of this concern from within the fire limits of the city. The city solicitor advised that the council would have no right to revoke an occupancy permit issued in 1922. The petitioners threaten, however, to take the case to the high courts.

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TO BUILD GASOLINE STATION

The building inspector has issued to Mr. Good a permit for the construction of a gasoline station on the northeast corner of King and Clarence streets.

ANGLO-CAN

Christ Church

Wellington and Hill Sts.
C. R. Gunne, Rector.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
8 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

Cronyn Memorial

Corner Queens Ave. and William St.
QUINTIN WARNER—Rector.
RIDLEY PARSON—Assistant.
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
Preacher—Quintin Warner.
8:00 p.m.—The Church School.
7:00 p.m.—Evensong.
Preacher—Ridley Parson.

St. George's Church

WEST LONDON.
Harvest Thanksgiving Services.
11 a.m.—The Rector.
7 p.m.—The Rev. Wm. Lowe.
Special music by the choir.

St. James' Church

LONDON SOUTH.
Rev. W. Leslie Armitage, M.A., Rector.
8:15 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—The Rector.
4 p.m.—Confirmation Class.
7 p.m.—The Rector.
Harvest Festival Service, Thursday, 27, at 8 p.m.
Preacher, Rev. J. A. Trumper, B.A.
Special Music, A. N. Anderson, Organist and Choirmaster.

St. John the Evangelist

Wellington and St. James Sts.
SERVICES AS USUAL.
BAPTIST

Adelaide St. Baptist

SERVICES.
Minister, REV. W. B. MEIKLEHAM of Toronto.
11 a.m.
"Full Assurance."
3 p.m.—Bible School.
7 p.m.
"Redemption by Blood."
Musical Service, 6:30 p.m.
Organist—Thomas Mitchell of Toronto.
Soloists—Roy V. Freeland and Walter Chalcraft.
Full Choir—O. Leo Herbert, A.T.C.M., Musical Director.
Egerton Street Baptist
REV. A. BURGESS, Minister.
ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.
HEAR REV. A. IMRIE of Kitchener.
11 a.m.—"THE BLOOM OF CHRISTIAN CHARACTER."
7 p.m.—"MAKING GOOD THE LAST SPECIAL MUSIC."

Maitland Street Baptist

REV. DR. SOWERBY will preach.
11 a.m.
"That 'Green Eye'—How Cruel."
7 p.m.
"That Bird Story—Do You Believe It?"
Choice Service of Song. All Welcome.

Talbot Street Baptist

REV. BOWLEY GREEN, D.D., will preach at both services.
11 a.m. Subject—
"Israel's Stygian Flood"
7 p.m. Subject—
"The Redemption of Officer Smith"

Wortley Road Baptist

"The Church With a Message."
REV. R. J. MURPHY, Pastor.
11 a.m.—"PRAYING FOR A REVIVAL." Communion.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—A DANGER SIGNAL.
Evangelistic meetings will commence September 30th, conducted by Evangelist A. TORRIE, B.A.

BIBLE STUDENTS

International Bible Students Association

See Large Announcement on Page 14.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Christian Science
The Subject of the Lesson—Sermon
For Sunday, Sept. 23.
"MATTER."
Richmond St. at Kent.
Sunday—11 a.m.
Sunday School—11 a.m.
Reading room, Bank of Toronto Bldg.
Open daily 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Room 55.
Wednesday Meeting, 8 p.m.
In the church, at which testimonies of healing through Christian Science are given.

CONGREGATIONAL

First Congregational

(DUNDAS STREET.)
REV. M. KELLY, Minister.
11 p.m.—"TO WHOM LITTLE IS FORGIVEN, THE SAME LOVETH LITTLE."
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—"EBENEZER."

YORK STREET MISSION HALL

YORK STREET MISSION HALL—
Usual morning service, Mr. Wm. Green will preach; solo, Mrs. Collins; duet, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson.

METHODIST

ASKIN ST. METHODIST

11 a.m.—Rev. J. T. Cosby Morris, B.A., B.D.,
"THE IMPERIALISM OF THE SPIRIT."
7 p.m.—Rev. Cosby Morris,
"THE WORLD-HUNGER FOR BROTHERHOOD."
10 a.m.—Brotherhood. Conducted by C. R. Walker.
Full Choir under Dr. J. H. Smith.
An invitation we extend that you join with us in worship.

COLBORNE ST. METHODIST

Corner Colborne and Piccadilly Sts.
REV. HERBERT J. UREN, Pastor.
10 a.m.—Men's Brotherhood.
11 a.m.—John, 8:31-32—"THE WAY TO FREEDOM."
2:45 p.m.—Bible Study—"MOTIV."
7 p.m.—Matt., 19:20—"WHAT LACK I YET."
N. B. Adams, Organist; F. B. Webster and Miss Needham, Soloists.

DUNDAS STREET CENTER

REV. (CAPTAIN) JOHN GARBUTT, Minister.
11:00 a.m.—Subject: "PREACHER AND HEARER."
2:45 p.m.—Sunday School, Bible Classes and Men's Club.
7:00 p.m.—Subject: "THE INSPIRATION OF GREAT WRITERS—SIR WALTER SCOTT."
J. Parnell Morris, Organist and Choirmaster.
30th September—Rally—Special engagement of Albert Downing, Canada's leading tenor.

FIRST METHODIST

10 a.m.—Class Meeting and Brotherhood.
Brotherhood Address—J. G. Stephenson, "Human Progress."
11 a.m.—"A FINAL TESTIMONY."
Rev. J. B. Hunter, B.A., B.D.
3 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL IN WESLEY HALL.
7 p.m.—"A STRIKING PARADOX."
Rev. J. B. Hunter, B.A., B.D.

Centennial Methodist

10 a.m.—Fellowship meeting: 11 a.m.—"Our Strength and Hope" (Psalms); 2:45 p.m.—"Come Unto Me" (Campanella); Miss O. Barnham and Mr. C. Hall; 2:45 p.m.—Sunday School (Hollins); 7 p.m.—"The Lord" (Robert); 8:30 p.m.—"Take Thou My Hand" (Sullivan); solo, Miss Muriel Lancaster; E. M. Thomson, Pastor; Theodore Gray, Organist.

Ridout St. Methodist

J. A. AGNEW, Pastor.
Residence, 37 Windsor Avenue.
11 a.m.—Rev. F. W. Craik of Putnam will preach.
7 p.m.—Rev. F. W. Craik of Putnam will preach.
10 a.m.—Men's Brotherhood. Arthur R. Ford will speak on "The Kingdom of God." W. Gordon Scott, Organist. Strangers Welcome.

Empress Ave. Church

J. S. Chapman, Pastor.
11 a.m.—Visions.
2:45 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—"Completeness."
Miss Taylor, Organist.

Hyatt Ave. Methodist

10 a.m.—Brotherhood. J. S. Barnard.
11 a.m.—"POWER."
2:45 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—"SAFETY FIRST."
Percy Q. King, Choirmaster.
R. C. McCormick, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN

COLONEL THE REV. WILLIAM BEATTIE, D.D., C.M.G., Minister.
Mr. George Leithbridge, Director of Music.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Church School 3 p.m.
11 a.m.—Subject: "THE NEED OF A BENEVOLENT DESPOT."
3 p.m.—Church School; Preparation for Rally.
7 p.m.—Subject of Sermonette: "SWITZERLAND. WHAT IT CAN TEACH US."

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

REV. D. C. MacGREGOR, B.A., D.D., Minister.
Rev. F. W. K. Harris, B.A., Director of Religious Education.
Mr. C. E. Wheeler, F.C.C.O., Organist and Choirmaster.
11 a.m.—"A MESSAGE FROM THE MODERATOR OF THE ASSEMBLY." The Minister.
7 p.m.—"WHAT IS MAN?" (The question of Personality.) The Minister.
(Second in a series of Life Questions.)
12:15 p.m.—Church School.
3:00 p.m.—Young People's Classes.
3:00 p.m.—Chinese Class.
A Cordial Welcome to all the Services.

King St. Presbyterian

W. R. McIntosh, Minister, at both Services.
11 a.m.—"EARTHQUAKES."
A sermon on Fundamentalism, Baptism, and the Bible. Subject is advertised on the billboard.
"THE TOWN THAT FORGOT GOD."
Organ Recital at 6:45.

Knox Presbyterian

Wortley Rd. and Bruce St.
Rev. T. A. Symington, A.M., Minister.
Charles E. Percy, Director of Music.
Sabbath Services.
11 a.m.—Public Worship.
7 p.m.—Church School.
The Minister will preach.
All services held in Victoria School Auditorium, Wharfside. Comfortably heated.

New St. James'

Corner Oxford and Wellington Sts.
JAMES MACKEY, Minister.
Morning Subject—
"THE OVERSHADOWING CLOUD."
Evening Subject—
"THE INSECURE CANDLESTICK."
3 o'clock—Church School.

Hamilton Rd. GOSPEL HALL

7 p.m.—MR. F. W. PHILLIPS will preach.
Egerton Street GOSPEL HALL
7 p.m.—MR. H. CANNING will preach.

First Spiritual Church

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Sunday, Sept. 23, 3 and 7 p.m.
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Not Mormons.
Maitland St. near York.
9:30 a.m.—Young People's Meeting.
9:30 a.m.—Adult Prayer Service.
4 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Preaching.

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"All I've Got Is Health"

Said Dempsey In London

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The semi-final was a twelve-round session between Leo Gates, a New York, scheduled as the challenger of Gene Tunney, light heavyweight champion, but Gene, who had been with some unexpected illness and his place was taken by the richly upholstered Mike Madden. What Mr. Madden lacked in condition he made up in the wily craft of pugilistic experience, and though neither could put the other away, Madden was given the decision, and everyone was satisfied to let it go at that. The session whirled away the time before the big occasion and didn't interfere much with the general conversation, stimulated on every side by the most amazingly general supply of round, flat and square bottles, silver flasks and other contrivances. Some groups simply passed the main supply around, while others carried their own drink in glasses and poured a nip and moved it down. There were there on every side and up around the city and state police are not concerned.

The lack of concern for the fate of Mr. Madden and Mr. Gates was accentuated in the fact that when someone espied Babe Ruth entering and spread the news. The crowd stood up and cheered. The King of Swat, who was forced to stand a moment on his seat and show himself.

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dog at his father's wake": not overmuch interested in either pug, matter who lost. With this mental viewpoint, the writer is satisfied, after having seen both the fight and subsequently in Buffalo the slow-motion pictures, that Dempsey was clear as the rules required, but catted himself from the ropes to a down blow and then before he had an opportunity to launch any attack on his own account.

At the first knockdown compressed into the first two minutes of fighting the impression gained ground that the end had come and that Dempsey would prove his mastery in the first round. Added to the tumult in the audience was the rush up the aisles to the ringside of the swarms who saw the opportunity to improve their \$3 and \$5 investments. The ringside audience, driven to stand to get a glimpse from the first gong, pressed with the excitement to standing on the seats, and from there to the precarious perch of a narrow footboard on the backs of fragile benches that snapped and broke under weight and tumbled them down, where hundreds found barked shins, if not fractures. The fear of stampering was so great that the crowd of the combat strained to avoid being thrown down into the arena, holding on to the ropes.

One story had it that Dempsey and Firpo had exchanged a few pleasant words in the dressing room; another, more generally circulated, was that Dempsey had never before seen the challenger.

Shook Hands.
The champion crossed with light and vigorous steps to Firpo's corner, extended his hand for a formal handshake and immediately returned to his own corner. He wore a bathrobe and a white sweater, the shrunken arms of which dangled out at either side unused.

There was no loss of time. Dempsey was first officially introduced. He slipped out of his bathrobe and presented himself in a white shirt, white slacks, turning immediately back to the ropes to dance and shuffle slowly in the darkness of the ring while the honors were done for Firpo.

From Dempsey's first appearance the crowd was in an uproar, the majority standing while the referee called back their "Sit Down" shouts with the strength of good example. Humphries waved his straw hat frantically in gestures intended to quiet the roar, and his appeal drew a reinforcement chorus of the universal escape signal, "Shiss-s-s-sh" that but added to the din.

With the aid of the loud speakers that caught his shouts from the center of the ring he made known that Dempsey was to fight at 12½ pounds and Firpo at 21½, a difference of 9 pounds in Firpo's favor. Dempsey's usual fighting weight is around 18½, but he realized his need and devoted himself to the strenuous training at Saratoga Springs.

The Two Men.
Apart from his weight, Firpo topped Dempsey in height and had an inch on him in reach. But there was a world of difference in the speed of the two men. Firpo's footwork was executed with evidence of great strength. He put his hands up like a permanent foundation; when he moved he was as well as to go on the floor, and there was comparatively little flexion of his knees. In speed he was a motor truck, but in his good motor truck at that, matched Dempsey in the flexible, snappy, racy way in which he moved. He came up on his toe with shifts quickly, backs out and bared in again with the same ease. He was a master of strategy and of how to take care of himself that Firpo never heard of.

Having been photographed and given the final instructions of the referee, Dempsey lost not an instant in getting back to his stool, to lie relaxed with outstretched arms upon the upper ropes, conserving energy until he was called to the ring.

He kept himself a second before the gong sounded, and sat tense, his gloved hands clenched but resting on his knees, and one foot out behind to give him leverage when the attack was to be so spectacularly unloose upon the Argentine.

The crowd seized with the suspicion that he must get the best of the fight and lose no blink of the eye, but rose en masse, and the little shouts of those whose view was blocked, was lost in the tumultuous roar that filled the air and drowned every articulate utterance.

The gong rang and the battle reached the ears of the combatants, but few others.

Dempsey Ruled.
As the school boys squirts an orange pit from between thumb and forefinger, Firpo flashed from his stool to a position facing him, a position that would have brought a reaction of collision in the Argentine's corner, but turned toward the ropes and for a second would have surprised no one had he jumped the ropes and fled the scene. Not that it can be said that he was lacking in heart to take punishment, but never before had he been so close to the ropes.

Wild Bull of the Pampas found him wild cat. Dempsey veered his direction, and in his flash of speed slipped or tripped going almost to his knees. Swiftly switching his intended attack to a clinch he snatched Firpo back to the ropes and had opportunity to get into action. With his arms hooked on Firpo, Dempsey recovered his poise in the flash of a minute, and stepping back clear, delivered a short arm left that sent the Wild Bull crashing to the floor. Firpo, who had been on his feet for less than ten seconds, was in a less than ten seconds on his feet. As Referee Jimmy Gallagher before the fight had said, "Dempsey is a fighter, and he is a fighter."

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HURON & ERIC COLLECT PENNY BANK SAVINGS

Arrangements Made To Further Encourage Thrift Among School Children.

The Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation, at the request of the directors of the Penny Bank of Ontario will collect the Penny Bank savings of the pupils attending Victoria, Riverview and Tecumseh Schools.

The corporation's South London branch on the corner of Elmwood Avenue and Wortley Road, which will look after the school deposits is conveniently situated for the three schools mentioned.

Similar arrangements were made a few months ago for the collection of Wortley Road School's deposits and during the past two years Knollwood School's deposits have been collected by The Huron & Erie's East London branch.

A special thrift campaign conducted by The Huron & Erie among the school children of this city have been highly commended not only by the school authorities, but by the parents as well.

The directors of the Penny Bank likewise view with satisfaction the efforts of the institutions in promoting thrift in the younger generation.

BIBLE SOCIETY PLANNING FOR ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

The Bible Society is perfecting its arrangements for the annual campaign to be held Oct. 1-6. J. Westervelt, Jun., chairman of the committee, is anxious that hearty co-operation be given the society at this time. The 119 years successful service rendered all churches in supplying 334,000 copies of the Bible, either whole or in part translated into 558 languages, is recognized by all.

The Japanese crisis is being felt by this society at every stage of its adjustment. London is the headquarters of the Western Ontario Bible Society.

RAILWAY BROTHERHOOD CUTS DOWN EXPENSES

Canadian Press Despatch.
Calgary, Sept. 21.—An important decision was made by the delegates attending the convention of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, at today's session, by which the number of vice-presidents of the organization will be reduced from

DEFENDS POLICY OF GOVERNMENT AND REPLIES TO OPPOSITION CRITICS

Premier Declares Opposition Leader and Section of Press Carried
On Organized Campaign To Discredit of Canada—
Outlines Government Progress in Finance,
Immigration and Railways.

EXPLAINS STAND ON COMING CONFERENCE

Canadian Press Despatch.
Quebec, Sept. 21.—In a farewell address delivered at a dinner tendered him by Hon. Ernest Lapointe at the Garrison Club tonight just previous to his embarkation for London, where he will attend the imperial conference, Right Hon. Mackenzie King vigorously defended the record of the Federal Government, and replied to criticism which had been leveled at his administration by opposition critics, with particular reference to financial, immigration and railway policy.

The premier touched but briefly upon the forthcoming imperial conference, giving as reasons for his reticence in this connection that he preferred to wait until the other prime ministers were assembled before expressing views upon the agenda and that Canada did not desire any change in her constitutional relations with Great Britain or the other dominions.

"It is my privilege to go to the conference in the name of the people of Canada without a single grievance," said the premier, "and to say that our relations with Britain and all parts of the empire are of the best."

In defending the policy of his administration, the premier claimed that the leader of the opposition and a section of the opposition press had carried on an organized campaign to discredit Canada. He referred directly several times to articles which have appeared in the Montreal Star under the caption, the "Whispering of Death," and declared that the object of the campaign was political and the consequences unfortunate.

"I would not say," said the premier, "that the synchronizing of the campaign with my visit to England to attend the conference was an evidence that it had been intended as

Canada's Export Trade Improves

Canadian Press Despatch.

Quebec, Sept. 21.—No less than twelve million dollars' worth of goods for Canada were imported into Belgium last year, under the supervision of S. A. Blakey, Canadian trade commissioner in Belgium, who recently returned from Europe today.

Meighen, as chief mourner, across the continent.

Scores "Pilgrimage"

The prime minister referred to Mr. Meighen's present "pilgrimage" as being "like a funeral procession on a national scale." The opposition leader was still trying to bury the memory of the last general election. There appeared to be three themes in particular which the Montreal Star and Mr. Meighen were stressing in connection with the finances of the country, the national railways and immigration.

Speaking with reference to each in turn Mr. King said:

"It is true that the debt of the country is enormous, that the interest payable on the debt is more than the entire cost of government only a few years ago, that the taxes are high, but why is this? It is because of the enormous obligations arising out of the colossal expenditures of the four years of war, and not a penny of these obligations was met by the government of the day out of the taxes of the people. This is an onerous burden which they are being asked to carry, and it is not the least true that the war was not a failure, and it is the repayment of the war debt which constitutes the heaviest burden on the country."

It was particularly to be regretted that at a time when Canada was seeking to attract the right class of settlers and also capital for investment, this organized campaign to discredit Canada should have been started. Fortunately, it had not been countenanced by any extent in our country, notwithstanding the fact that the propaganda had been broadcasted in the press, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, by means of paid advertisements. The people knew conditions for themselves and were not being misled. Abroad, however, the circumstances were quite different. Fulminations of the Montreal Star in the United Kingdom as a part of the shrewd observations of a member of the British House of Lords, and the diatribes of the Hon. Mr. Meighen as responsible utterances, because of having at one time held the high office of prime minister of the Dominion.

Mr. King would not say that the synchronizing of the campaign with his visit to England to attend the conference was an evidence that it had been intended as an occasion of embarrassment to him while representing the interests of Canada in the old country, but such would be its effect, however, there could be no doubt. At the moment of his departure he felt he could not do better than, in the presence of his fellow countrymen, to recite a few facts and figures which would speak for themselves, and which were a complete rejoinder to the wall and trail of woe which had its origin in the whisperings of death around the offices of the Montreal Star, and which were being carried by Mr.

Treatment of Veterans.

"That was how the government of the day cared for its veterans. As Canada, as was done in England, in 1919, we should have sought to pay the small part of the cost of the war itself, and as large a part as possible out of the fortunes which the war helped to create. That might have been sufficient to revive the patriotism which was sufficient of itself to have made popular a substantial levy upon war profiteers. In considering the disbursements of the country and bringing about the necessary equilibrium between receipts and expenditures," Mr. King emphasized the point that two-thirds of the whole present cost of the government of Canada arose out of the war or out of the railway and marine policy imposed on the country by the late government. Part of the expenditure of the government was controllable, but there was a part "the outlays of which are in the nature of obligations which no government at the present time could do other than take account of."

He also mentioned the relative purchasing power of the dollar today as compared with the years with which comparisons were made. "Controlable services" of the Dominion government were now costing the individual taxpayer a less percentage of his income than in the last year of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's administration, he said.

Violent Policy.

The tremendous increase in the uncontrollable expenditure has been due in the main to the violent policy of the late government, in financing the war by loans, rather than by taxation, during the war years when it did not go on active service, and these loans were incurred more especially at a period when the purchasing power of the dollar was very low, and consequently more money had to be borrowed and borrowed at much higher rates of interest than were paid before the war. The expenditure of the debt charge, on pensions, on soldiers' civil re-establishment, on soldiers' land settlement, are all obligations which have arisen out of the war. They cannot be reduced offhand, but already a considerable reduction has been made, even in these particulars, over the amounts paid out during the time Mr. Meighen held office.

Premier King instanced the Canadian government merchant marine as "an outstanding example of the sins of the late government." As a result of this mistaken policy the present government found itself on accession to office provided with a fleet of 65 vessels built when business construction costs were at their highest and having to be operated on ocean freight services in competition with the world. The result shown in the fourth annual report of the directors, dated April, 1923, was that these ships which had cost \$191 per ton were the time of four years ago annual report worth only \$50 per ton, amounting to a loss of \$53,000,000, besides the operating deficits, which allowing for interest and depreciation, amounted to over \$8,000,000 in the calendar year 1921, and over \$8,500,000 in 1922.

Nothing Said.

"Much has been said by both the Montreal Star and Mr. Meighen of the failure of the present government to balance revenue and expenditure, but nothing has been said by the Star or Mr. Meighen of the failure of the previous governments subsequent to the war to effect this result, or of the very rapid approach which has been made towards this end by the present administration. Making due allowance for war expenditure and the cost of demobilization, it was surely as much in the interests of Canada at the period immediately following the war that revenues and expenditures in other particulars should then be balanced, and that the public debt should not be further increased. The war ended in 1918, and in 1919 the net debt was increased by \$32,000,000. In 1920 it was increased by \$64,000,000. These expenditures were, of course, largely on war account, but if the balance of revenue and expenditure is desirable today, it was equally desirable two years after the war. In 1921, when Mr. Meighen took office, the addition to the net debt was \$92,000,000. His administration added during the year

1921-1922, \$81,000,000. Mr. Fielding, always cautious, and seeking always to err only on the safe side, stated in his budget speech that he felt sure this addition to the net debt would be materially decreased as the result of his financing and of the policy which the government were adopting. The figure to which he estimated the reduction could be brought down was from \$81,000,000 to \$49,000,000. As a matter of fact now that all the returns are in, the figure is not \$49,000,000 as estimated as the maximum, but \$31,461,000. In the first five months of the present fiscal year our revenue receipts have been \$11,000,000 more, and our expenditure \$3,000,000 less than in the same period of last year, an improvement of \$14,000,000 in five months, or equivalent to a gain of \$28,000,000 in the full fiscal year. It appears, therefore, that irrespective of the important showing of the Canadian National Railways that revenue and expenditure would be made to balance this year, they have not done since 1912."

Railway Situation.

Referring to the railway situation Mr. King said that he thought it was generally admitted in Canada that the appointment by the present government of Sir Henry Thornton as speaker and chairman of the National Railway Commission was a great achievement.

The premier outlined the advance in the railway situation of Canada during the seven months of this year as compared with the same months last year. He pointed out that in the last year the country was having an operating deficit of \$2,000,000, whereas this year there was a net surplus of \$3,000,000. This was notwithstanding the fact that reductions in railway rates with respect to many commodities.

"The railway situation of Canada is the most productive part of the year's business is still to come. And what a business it will be transporting the largest exportable surplus of our history."

The government's policy had been to give government ownership and control a fair trial," the premier insisted. "The action of the senate of Canada in throwing out the bill which made provision for what the company believed to be essential in the nature of a patriotic act, but of placing a deliberate handicap on the national system," he said. He made a plea for co-operation with Sir Henry Thornton and the board of directors of the system.

Machinery Stopped.

Turning to immigration, Mr. King declared that when the present government attained power it inherited a system of granting millions of dollars for unemployment relief. "We found about the entire immigration machinery had been stopped by the action of the senate of Canada. It would only have provoked a serious industrial situation to have continued the tide of immigration to our shores," he said. "In this, as in all else, we proceeded with caution."

"A minister of the government, Hon. J. A. Robb, is now giving his time and attention to the development of our immigration policy. If the Star will cease its whisperings of death and Mr. Meighen his name of woe, we may expect in the course of the next few years a revival of industry, trade and prosperity, such as Canada has not had since the period of that Liberal regime which will always be recalled as the golden era of peace, plenty and prosperity."

Radio Programs

SUNDAY, SEPT. 23.
CFCA—Toronto Star.
8:45 to 9:45 p.m.—Concert of sacred and classical music.
KDKA—East Pittsburgh, Pa.—326 Metre Wave Length.
Eastern Standard Time.
10:00 a.m.—Services of the Point Breeze Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.
10:30 p.m.—Bible story for the children.
1:45 p.m.—Concert.
3:45 p.m.—Vesper services of the Shady Side Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.
5:15 p.m.—Baseball scores.
6:45 p.m.—Services of the Calvary Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.
WBZ—Springfield, Mass.—337 Metre Wave Length.
Eastern Standard Time.
5:45 p.m.—Sunday vesper.
7:30 p.m.—Church services.
KWV—Chicago, Ill.—345 Metre Wave Length.
Central Standard Time.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday morning services.
5:00 to 8:00 p.m.—Classical and semi-classical selections.
WGY—Schenectady, N. Y.—380 Metres.
Eastern Standard Time.
10:30 a.m.—Service of First Baptist Church, Troy, N. Y., sermon by the Rev. F. King Singler.
3:30 p.m.—Lecture on Christian Science by the Rev. Andrew J. Graham.
7:30 p.m.—Service of First Baptist Church, Troy, N. Y.
WWJ—Detroit—400 Metres.
Eastern Standard Time.
7:30 p.m.—Service of St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral.
2:00 p.m.—Detroit News.

MONDAY, SEPT. 24.
KDKA—East Pittsburgh, Pa.—326 Metre Wave Length.
Eastern Standard Time.
9:00 a.m.—Music. Union Live-stock market report.
11:30 a.m.—Music. Weather forecast.
11:50 a.m.—U.S. bureau of market reports.
1:15 p.m.—Arlington time signals.
2:15 p.m.—Baseball scores of the games being played today.
5:00 p.m.—Results of today's baseball games.
5:15 p.m.—Dinner concert.
6:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
6:05 p.m.—Dinner concert, continued.
6:30 p.m.—Women's and girls' evening program.
8:45 p.m.—The children's period in charge of the Dreamtime Lady.
7:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
7:05 p.m.—"Fashion Talk." "Good Reading."
7:20 p.m.—Concert.
8:45 p.m.—Market reports.
9:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
10:00 p.m.—Arlington time signals.
Weather forecast.

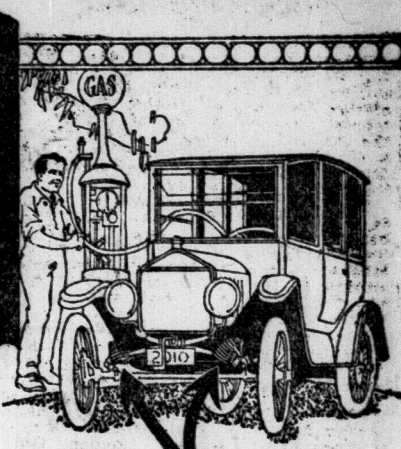
WBZ—Electric, Springfield, Mass.—337 Metre Wave Length.
Eastern Standard Time.
11:50 a.m.—Arlington time signals, weather reports, Boston and Springfield market reports.
8:00 p.m.—Dinner concert.
8:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
8:30 p.m.—Bedtime story for the children.
7:00 p.m.—Concert.
8:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
10:00 p.m.—Arlington time signals.
KWV—Chicago, Ill.—345 Metres.
(Central Standard Time.)
8:25 a.m.—Late news and financial comment.
9:00 a.m.—Market reports.
9:30 a.m.—Late financial news and

comment.
9:55 a.m.—Naval observatory time signals.
10:00 a.m.—Market reports.
10:05 a.m.—Weather report.
10:30 a.m.—Late news and financial comment.
10:35 a.m.—Table talk.
11:00 a.m.—Market reports.
11:30 a.m.—Late financial news and comment.
12:00 p.m.—Market reports.
12:20 p.m.—Closing market quotations.
2:00 p.m.—Late news and sport bulletins.
3:00 p.m.—Late news and sport bulletins.
3:30 p.m.—News and sport bulletins.
4:00 p.m.—Late news of the day.
5:30 p.m.—News, market and sport summary.
5:50 p.m.—Children's bedtime story.
WGY—Schenectady—380 Metres.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
11:55 p.m.—U. S. naval observatory time signals.
12:01 p.m.—Stock market report.
12:10 p.m.—Produce market report.
12:15 p.m.—Weather forecast.
2:00 p.m.—Music and household talk, "Points to Follow in Ordering Groceries."
6:00 p.m.—Produce and stock market quotations. News bulletins. Baseball results.
7:40 p.m.—Baseball scores.
8:50 p.m.—Concert program.
CFCA—Toronto Star—400 Metres.
12 noon—Weather forecast. Opening stock markets.
2:30 to 3:30 p.m.—Grain, produce and dairy markets. News items.
5:30 to 6:00 p.m.—Closing stock market. Late news.
7:55 to 8:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
8:00 to 9:00 p.m.—Concert program.
WWJ—Detroit—400 Metres.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
9:30 a.m.—"Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk by the Woman's Editor.
9:45 a.m.—Public health service bulletins and talks on subjects of general interest.
10:25 a.m.—Official weather forecast.
11:11 a.m.—Arlington time.
12:00 p.m.—The Detroit News Orchestra.
4:00 p.m.—Official weather forecast.
4:05 p.m.—Market reports.
5:00 p.m.—Baseball scores.
8:30 p.m.—The Detroit News Orchestra.

ELECTS OFFICERS.

Special to The Advertiser.
Bridgeton, Sept. 21.—The annual meeting of the Bible Society was held last week, and the following officers were elected: President, W. E. Janott; vice-president, R. G. Brown; secretary-treasurer, Miss Gladys Aiken; executive committee, Rev. Mr. Colgrove, Rev. Mr. Ballantyne, A. McDonald, W. Williamson and Miss A. Manner.

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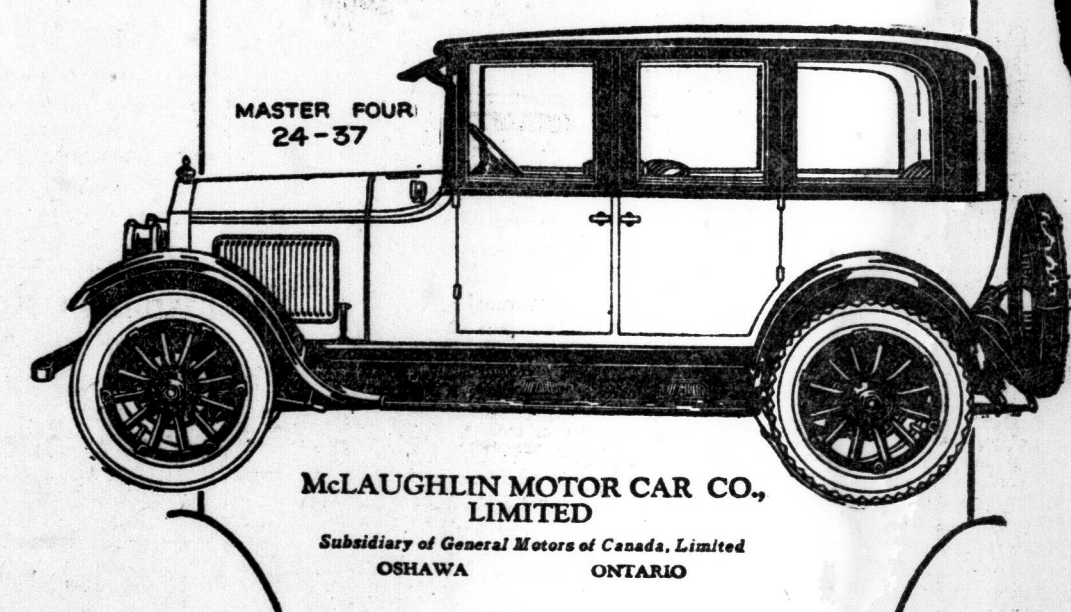


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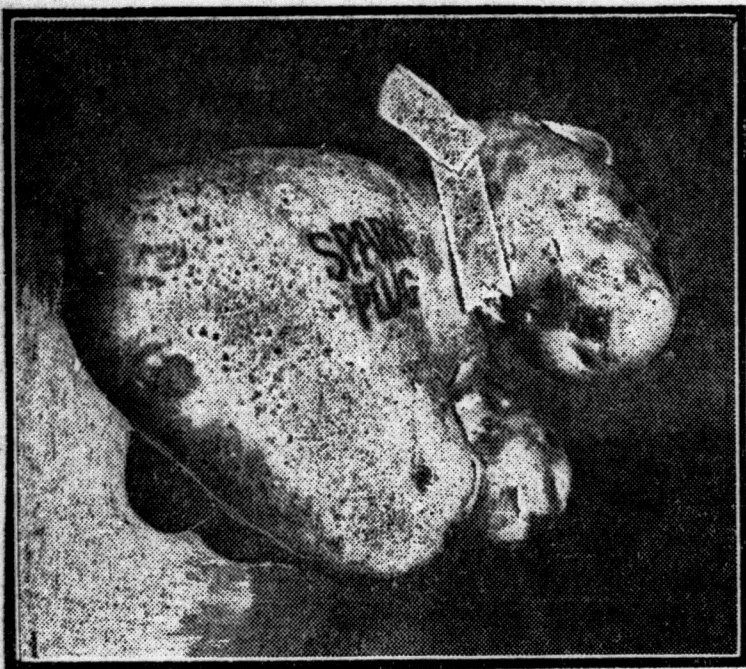
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Barney Google will get a rude jolt when he sees old Spark Plug all swelled up like this. The freak potato was reared in a Regina garden plot.



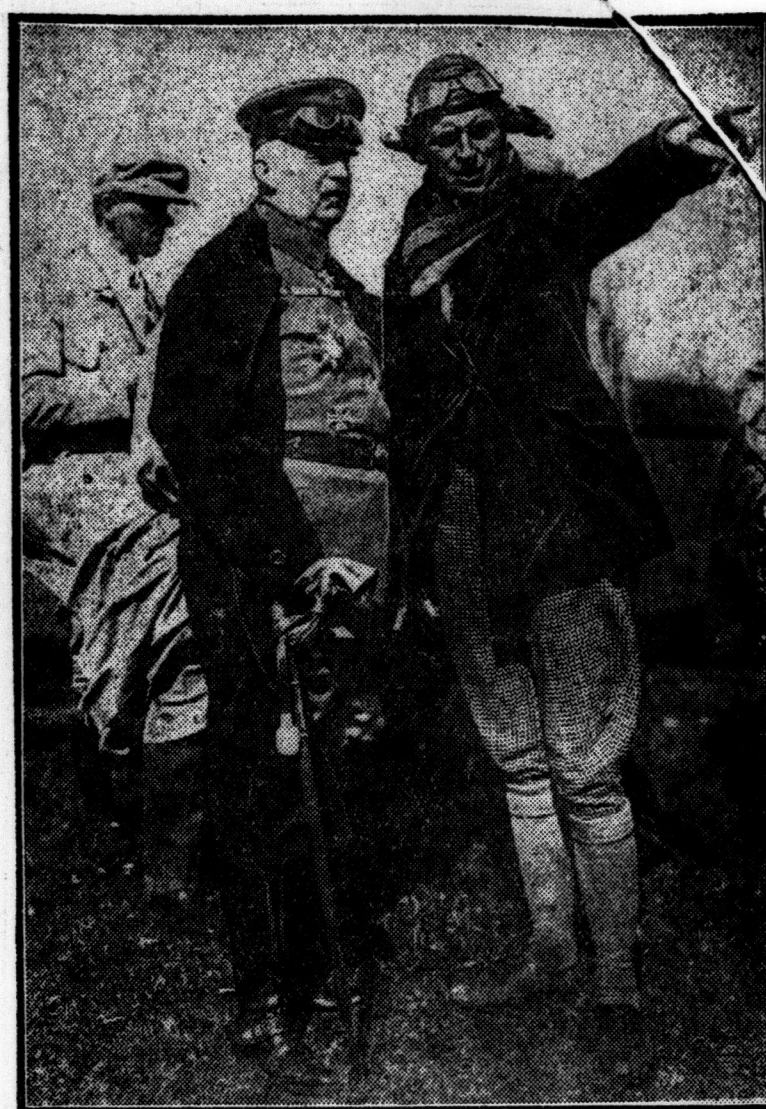
John Barrymore has been spending the summer in Europe. It is rumored that he will be seen in New York this winter in a new Shakespearean role.



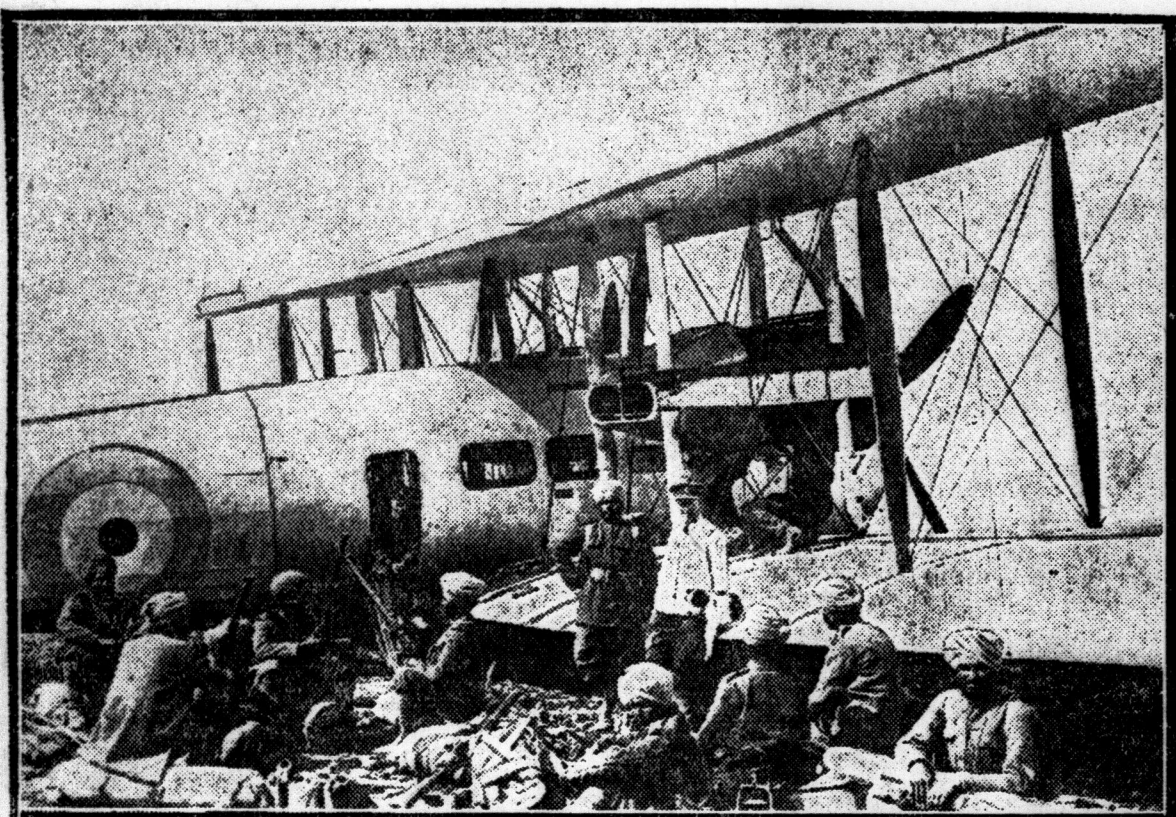
Miss Marion Cox is one of Toronto's best all-round girl athletes. Sculling is one of her favorite sports.



Signor Mussolini, dictator of Italy, strikes a characteristic pose for the Times camera man while on a recent visit to London.



General Ludendorff is still one of the strong men of Germany. He is talking with Lt. Martens, holder of the world's glider record.



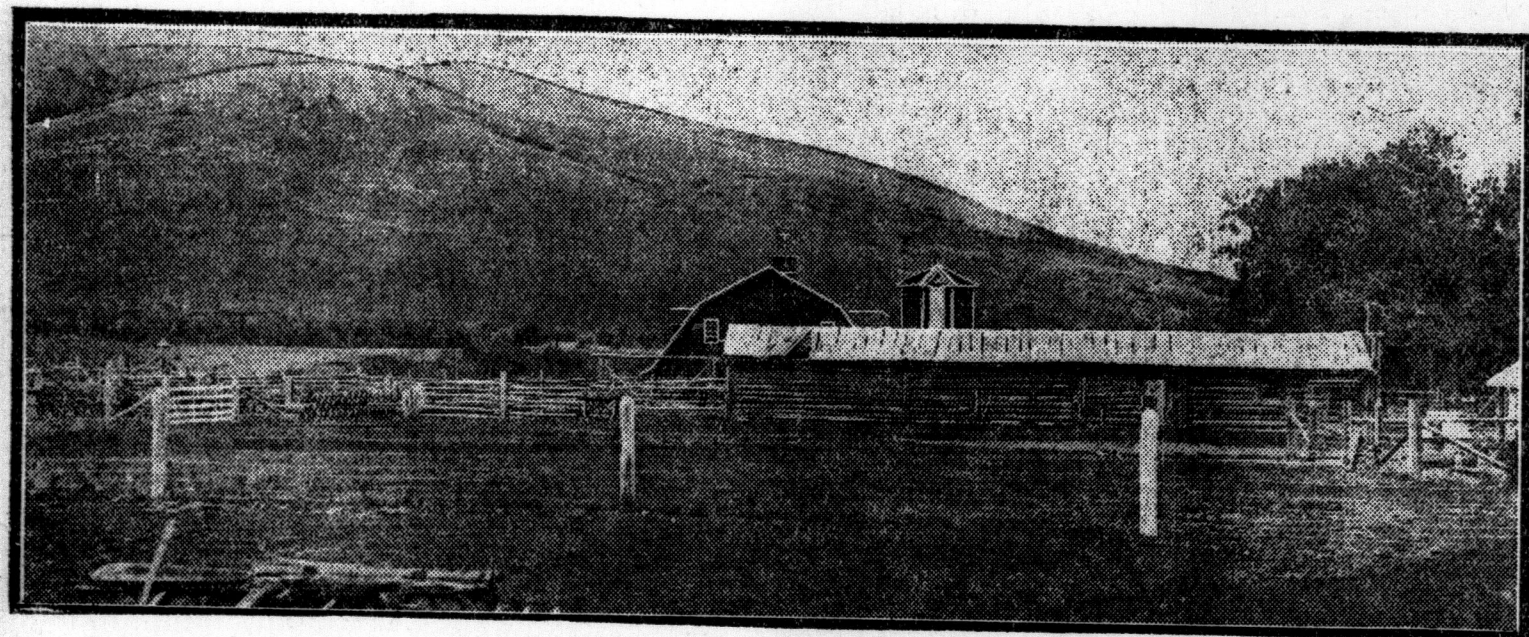
Aerial transportation has solved some of the most troublesome problems of the British forces in Kurdistan. Vickers-Vernon machines were used for moving the sick as well as for carrying supplies.



Hoot mon! And away went the hammer for a record-breaking throw of 91 feet, at the Aboyne Highland games.



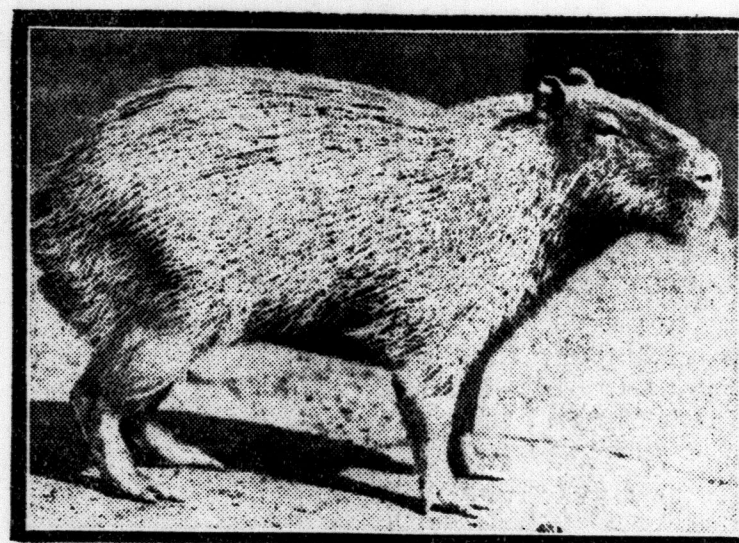
The Canadian Red Cross nursery in the immigration building at Quebec gives the little foreign children a warm welcome to the land of their adoption.



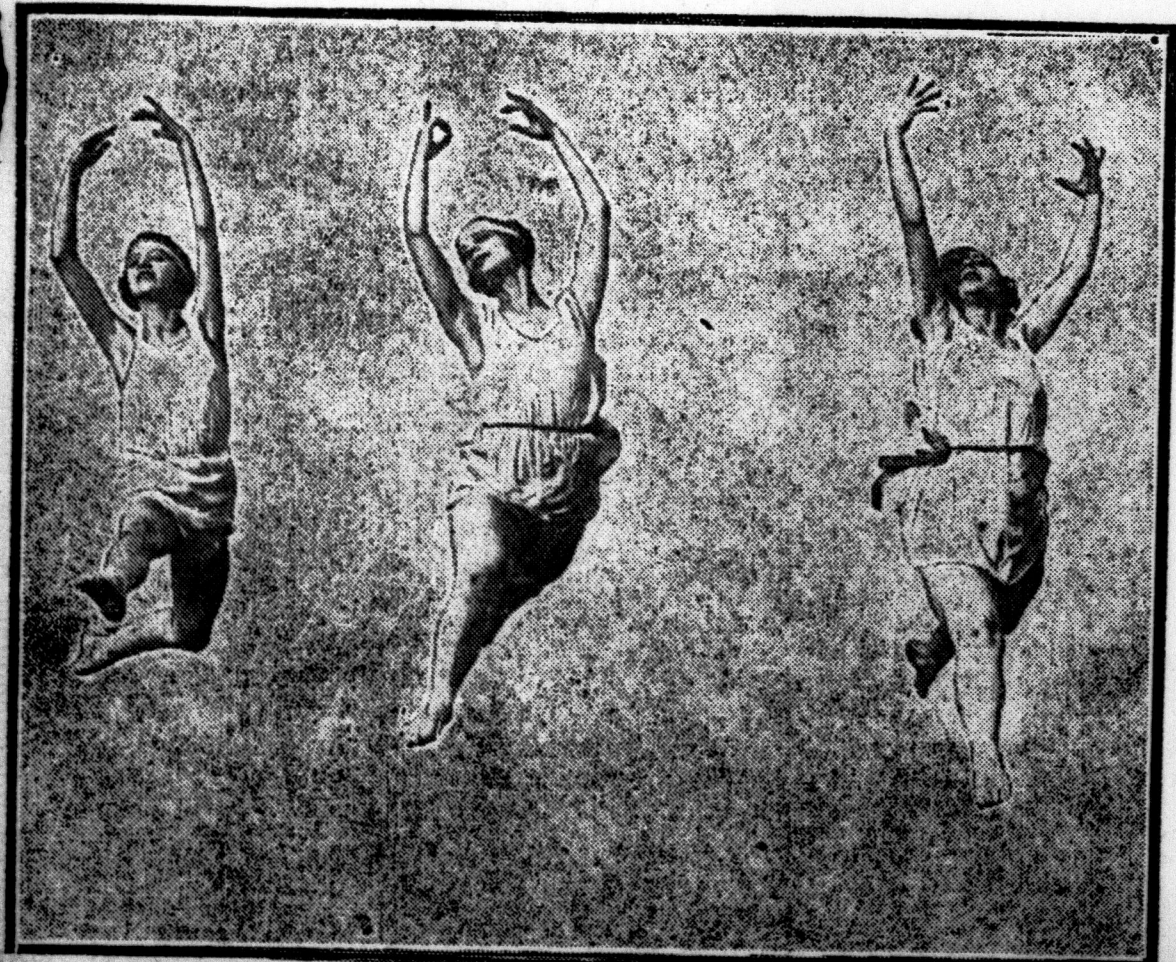
This is the magnificent view which greets Lord Renfrew when he steps out on the doorstep of his High River ranch.



Mme. Curie, the world-famous woman scientist, and discoverer of radium, is planning another trip to America.



The copybara is one of the rare animals that wander about the eastern slopes of the Andes in tropical South America.



The poetry of muscular movement is stressed at the Kosloff studio for classical dancing at Los Angeles.



Dribbling the ball out of touch. A critical moment during the opening match of the English rugby season between Leicester and Bath.



N. S. W. Lawson, premier of Victoria, Australia, since 1918, is about to hand in his resignation.



Soft, crushable, ribbon-bound felt hats in tan, green, henna and brown are prominent among the new fall models.



This pleasant-faced young savage found his way to the National Exhibition from his far-off home at Luzon, Philippine Islands.