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LONDON, MONDAY, JAN. 6.

WHY REPULSE MORE LIGHT?

The London Free Press repeats its accusation that "a deliberate attempt" was made to throttle Hon. Adam Beck's proposal and prevent its going to the people in January or any other time, by citizens who asked for further information.

This is a direct charge of dishonesty brought against the seven aldermen who voted for the Ashplant-Murphy resolution. It is a piece of the unsuccessful campaign waged against them in print and on the platform. It is a gross misrepresentation of the manufacturers and wholesalers who supported them. Their demand for independent inquiry was described as a pretence, a "trick to shelve the electrification project."

If there is any real reproach in this statement it applies equally to the Mayor and the five aldermen who voted to send the bylaw to the people without further inquiry. But the Council, through the L. and P. S. Railway Board, had been in negotiation with the Lake Erie Coal Company, and through the Mayor with the Canadian Northern Railway Company, before the electrification report was submitted. In September the Mayor and the majority of the members of the Board were of the opinion that the expenditure of even half a million dollars on electrifying the road as a municipal enterprise would not be warranted.

"If we go ahead and electrify the road there will be a concerted stand taken by all the trunk lines to boycott our line. If we can make a good arrangement with any of the trunk lines to take this line, and give us a differential freight or lake rate with a cheap fare into London from all points between here and Port Stanley, I think it would be a good proposition."

These remarks brought from Mr. Beck a threat to run for Mayor, and Mr. Graham changed his position. But it is unfair to the Mayor or the Council to say that they were not considering the situation which would be caused by the termination of the railway lease. What shall be said of the promoters of the electrification scheme who carried the Gabey-Storer report in their pockets all summer, produced it only in November, and then demanded that the Council force the people to make a decision on Jan. 1? If by any chance the bylaw had been carried on the strength of the Gabey-Storer report and Mr. Beck's appeals, the city would have been faced with the prospect of losing its connections with the Michigan Central and the Pere Marquette, and the door would have been closed to further negotiations with the Canadian Northern or any other company or person disposed to bid for the L. and P. S. R. Citizens have yet to hear a solid argument for forcing a vote on the question in January, and for the opposition to the proposal to ascertain the attitude of the Michigan Central and Pere Marquette, and the relative cost of operating the road by steam and electricity, as well as other information that could be elicited by an independent inquiry.

THE UNIONIST CLEAVAGE.

The fact of a sharp cleavage in the British Unionist party stands out more distinctly every day. The two great wings of Mr. Law's now discordant flock are: (1) the industrial protectionists seeking advantages for the British manufacturer and trader, (2) the preferential imperialists, composed of the landlords with their following, who want a revival of the corn laws under the mask of imperial preference, and the visionaries who gabble about imperial governmental machinery. Number one is indifferent on the matter of food duties, but seeing them utterly repudiated by the great majority of the electors clamors for their abandonment in the party program with a retention perhaps of Mr. Balfour's referendum dodge. Number one talks imperialism as fluently as number two, but is less guardedly out for number one. The other wing headed by Mr. Austen Chamberlain is more vociferously imperialist, but affects an agrarian program in the interest of first British and second colonial produce. It pretends that imperic unity is impossible without mutual preferences between mother country and dominions, and, of course, the only preference that Great Britain can offer the dominions is in grain, meat, etc. While the pure protectionist may have a shrewd suspicion that premiers like Mr. Borden will not dare abolish preferences already existing in Great Britain's favor, the preferential protectionist proposes in any case that John Bull shall pull up his

belt a notch for the colonies' sake and hopes for an increase of preference for Britain. Hence the movement on the one hand for abandonment of food duties and preference, on the other Mr. Chamberlain and his men stand pat in demanding them.

Mr. Bona Law tried clumsily to steer between these opposing tendencies and put forward a policy to unite them. Let the people of Great Britain return us to power in the understanding that we do not wish or intend to impose any food duties, but that we shall do so if the overseas dominions demand them in conference with us. In other words, put your Government and your daily bread and your destinies in the hands of the colonial Governments! Charles II. was executed because he sold himself to France. Mr. Law's proposal that the nation should do something like what its king once did, sell its administration to its colonies, does not seem to meet with the general approval of British Unionists. Democracy and national self-respect have made some headway since the seventeenth century.

On the very night that Mr. Law was delivering at Ashton-under-Lyne the speech probably fatal to his leadership and to the prospects of his party such as they were, Mr. Chamberlain was speaking in a very opposite sense at Carlisle. Said Mr. Law: "We do not intend to impose food duties." Said Mr. Austen Chamberlain: "Our object is twofold—to give a preference to our own people and give an imperial preference to our friends. That could be done. How? They were not hidebound by a system, but they had suggested on broad lines that raw materials should come in free, while manufactured goods should be taxed 10 per cent. Letting in at lower duties those goods on which least work had been done. They also proposed a duty on foreign wheat of 6d. a hundredweight, leaving the whole British supply, whether grown in Canada or India, or anywhere in the British dominions, free, and so encourage British industry. On other foreign foodstuffs they proposed a 5 per cent. tariff ad valorem. That was the extent of the duties. Beyond that sixpence on wheat they would not go."

Nothing here about a referendum after election either to the British people at home or to Mr. Law's higher colonial court of appeal! Evidently Mr. Chamberlain had not been taken into the Lansdowne-Law-Smith counsels. It is noteworthy also in passing that the free admission of colonial produce is at odds with Mr. Law's explicit statement in the House that colonial produce would be taxed less than foreign. The Unionists have got themselves into a dilemma. All Conservative Lancashire and Yorkshire are up in arms against the food duties, knowing that they cannot carry in the industrial north. As western and eastern Conservatism have clashed over trade obstruction in this country, so the north and south of English Unionism are at war, and seem to be as yet not quite ready to smother differences for purposes of office. Between the opposing forces Mr. Law is not the reconciler he proposed to be; he has fallen between two stools.

PRESIDENT TAFT FOR ARBITRATION.

Mr. Taft appeared at his best in the speech on arbitration of the Panama question. He showed the dignity and love of consistency, and honor, that should characterize the chief executive of a great nation.

He denounced those opponents of arbitration in general who fear that their side may sometimes get the worst of it, and reaffirmed his belief in the arbitral principle. He criticized sharply the action of the American Senate in practically destroying the British and French treaties. While it is in some measure regrettable that he should declare against a reference of the Panama dispute to The Hague, in case the present British-American negotiations fail, yet he came out fairly and squarely for a reference to an impartial international tribunal. Under the present circumstances, when all the leading journals, professional men, financiers, and leaders of opinion in the United States, are pronouncing strongly against any evasion of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, there can be no doubt that the American representatives on the suggested tribunal will deal in a spirit of honor and fairness with the members who Great Britain will appoint, if a reference to such a tribunal becomes necessary.

Why this deep-seated prejudice against more light on the electrification project?

Electrify first and find out afterwards whether the M. C. R. and Pere Marquette will stand for it, is Mr. Beck's attitude. Why not put the horse before the cart?

Some Canadians will hear with regret that President Taft favors arbitration of the Panama Canal dispute. It will deprive them of some of their political stock-in-trade. Mr. Wilson Southam, of the Ottawa Citizen, is standing up for his convictions on tax reform and standing up to Sir James Whitney at the same time. He has a double dose of moral courage.

The city of St. Thomas has no objection to seeing London spend a million dollars to drive the M. C. R. and the Pere Marquette out of London and to drive the G. N. R. into St. Thomas. The electrification scheme would carry unanimously in our southern suburb. The late Senator Campbell, of York County, was one of the most persuasive platform speakers in Canada, an able man both in business and politics. His successor should be chosen from Western Ontario. This part of the province has been under-represented for years, and the present Government took east-

ern men to fill the seats of the late Senators Carling and Wilson.

Sir Joseph Lawrence proposes that the British taxpayers pay a bounty of two shillings per quarter (eight bushels) on colonial grain, the bounty to be raised by duties on manufactured goods entering Great Britain. The British poor can be forgiven for thinking they would have a better right to that money than Canadians and Australians. What a pickle the British tariff tinkers are making of things!

It is pointed out that the Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Electric Railway takes and receives freight from the M. C. R. What has this to do with the L. and P. S. R.? The N. C. R. never ran its trains over the N. S. C. and T. Railway, and was never kicked out by a municipality. In London it is proposed to take away the M. C. R.'s right to haul its own trains in and out of London.

SOMETHING AWFUL COMING.

The situation in Ontario is thus an interesting one. If it continues to develop, if the movement for municipal tax reform goes on gaining strength and Sir James Whitney goes on becoming more and more determined that he will not budge, shall we see realized at last the ancient hypothesis of an irresistible force rushing against an immovable body?

VACANCY IN A CHORUS.

Wanted, to buy a pig (female) that squeals in the tonic. Notwithstanding are organizing a pig band and are short on the "F" notes.—Des Moines Curio Co.

HIS PLAUSIBLE PLEA.

The lawyer defending a Calgary man charged with bigamy is trying to convince the court that his client is crazy. With a jury of sufficiently harassed husbands, the plea is one that there should be little difficulty in getting away with.

REALIZING THE TRUTH.

In British Columbia we need to raise more eggs, butter and chickens, and fewer real estate booms.

CENTURY OF TROUSERS.

Since a "serious student of sartorial science" suggested in The Sartorial Art Journal the propriety of celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the advent of trousers there has been much lively discussion of the exact antiquity of that particular form of leg adornment. Learned writers have pointed out that the pantaloons flourished in Italy in the seventeenth century and was adopted by some of the bucks of the court of Louis XVI. For fashionable mourning wear, and finally, that leotard trousers were worn in Europe long before the French revolution spread the cult of the sans culottes.

The original writer was not trying to fix the date of the advent of trousers—an impossible problem—but to call attention to the fact that their vogue in America was largely established by the war of 1812, during which the American sailors wore trousers. In England Beau Brummell is credited with having established the new mode with his elegant black trousers, buttoned at the ankle and so constructed as not to conceal the lines of a fine calf. They were very popular among the young dandies of the period of the Regency, and pictures of the Count D'Orsay show us what they had become by the year 20. Notwithstanding their popularity with men of fashion, trousers fought a long battle for supremacy with the conservative breeches, both in this country and in England, but the battle is still curiously commemorated in the breeches worn by the Church of England clergy.

RIISING TO THE BURDEN.

"An acre of ground that now supports two people will have to support a thousand in days to come."

RIPPLING LAUGHTER DEFINED.

After extended investigation we have reached the conclusion that rippling laughter is the giggling of the girl one likes.

PROOF POSITIVE.

Lecturer—A statistics prove that the blonde woman is more difficult to get along with than the brunettes. Astonished Man in the Audience (starting up)—Are you certain of the fact? Lecturer—A fact. Astonished Man—Then I believe my wife's hair is dyed.

AN OPTIMIST IN EARNEST.

"Is Binks a genuine optimist?" "Yes; he would have to wear smoked glasses if things were to appear dark to him."

IT DEPENDS.

Student in physics—Could you get a shock by holding out the receiver of a telephone? Professor—It depends upon who is talking.

A USEFUL ACCOMPLISHMENT.

Knitting a pair of mitts is so rarely practiced by the women of today that it is coming to be regarded as a real accomplishment.

FACING BOTH WAYS.

Hon. Adam Beck, who wants others to use hydro-electric power ad libitum, threw it out of his cigar box factory in London and installed a brand new steam plant. The London Free Press which wants to dictate what power others may use is careful to avoid hydro-electric at London prices for its printing plant. It, however, thinks it good enough for its horses' stables, it being able to placard a receipted bill for \$117 worth used in a month. Advocacy of the hydro-electric fetish seems to develop an abnormal quantity of two-facedness.

HAD HER GUESSING.

Landlady (letting room)—"Of course I expect the rent punctually every week." New Lodger—"Just so, madam. My rule is, either punctually or not at all."—Boston Transcript.

COLOR EFFECT.

Hubby—This blueberry pie looks queer, dear. Wife—Oh, honey, maybe I put too much bluing in the dough.

LEONARD MERRICK, GREAT SHORT STORY WRITER

(By Special Arrangement With the Winnipeg Telegram.)

Among the short story writers of our day, a name that is becoming better known every season is that of Leonard Merrick. For years Mr. Merrick obtained little recognition in England, but his reputation was made in the United States, where a discerning public took kindly to his style. And it is chiefly because he is a stylist that Merrick's books make such enthusiastic friends. In his latest volume, "This Stage of Fools," (Mitchell, Kennerly, New York), quite the cleverest collection of short stories issued this season, it is Mr. Merrick's Stevensonian love of phrase-making which invests this book with such attraction. True, there is a bizarre appeal about the theme which gives unity to the stories, the foolishness of man, illustrated by seventeen concrete cases, but in this carefully written work, "the style's the thing."

In fact some of the plots are quite impossible. The first story, "The Laurels and the Lady," takes us to Kimberley and the diamond fields of South Africa. Set in the midst of a great deal of local color is a young Englishman, one of those lawdy-daw Oxford graduates, often so helpless when thrust into a rough environment. Willy Childers is his name, and Willy's great dream is to be a famous poet. He has a poor position as clerk to the police magistrate, but he writes poems on the side and, in consequence, is subjected to all kinds of chaffing by the Englishmen with whom he associates. When the young poet went to the theatre one night to see Duchene, a famous French actress who had gone out to the diamond fields to take in a harvest of English money, it was a foregone conclusion that he should fall in love with this lovely woman, the first one he had ever seen who was at the same time beautiful and a genius. He began to write poems in her praise and his infatuation became the joke of the mining camp. It was when three weeks of Duchene's season of six had expired that Willy went suddenly blind. Pity for him was general, but it did not restrain some of his companions from playing a mean joke on him. They told him that Duchene, whom he had never met, had been told of his adoration for her and had consented to call upon him. He was overcome with delight and gratitude. But the lady who did call was Olive Esmond, an ex-member of a theatrical troupe, a coarse woman who entered into the cruel joke with zest. She called and chatted with Willy while the other men in the joke listened at the windows; but in the midst of the interview Olive's sense of pity for the poor young poet made her heart flame with wrath against Willy's tormentors. She kept up the hoax, but she asked the poet if he would like to have her call again. He was only too willing. And this is the point where Mr. Merrick's story leaves the probable for the impossible. He has this low but kind-hearted girl fool Childers, not simply for days, but for months. She takes him to Cape Town, and even makes him believe that an English publisher had produced his book of poems; she goes so far as to fake reviews of it, and the last we see of her and Willy he is dying of consumption and she has still succeeded in keeping up the hoax that she is the famous Duchene and he a poet of established reputation. The plot is certainly very thin; no poet, however foolish, could be so imposed upon; not even an Oxford graduate could be so easily taken in; and yet the story is exceedingly well-written, so brilliantly done that we condone its impossibility. Leonard Merrick is a rising author whom no student of contemporary fiction can afford to overlook.

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Had Pimples on Face

And Back Was Literally Covered With Them.

Bad blood is the direct cause of pimples breaking out on the face and body, and it is impossible to get rid of them unless you cleanse the blood of all its impurities.

Burdock Blood Bitters is without a doubt, the very best medicine for this purpose.

This old and reliable remedy has been used for over thirty-five years, and has a reputation unequalled by any other for purifying the blood.

Mr. Peter La Pierre, Assistant Postmaster, Touchwood Hills, Sask., writes: "The fall before last, I was very much troubled with pimples on my face and back. My back was literally covered with them, and I could not lie on it at night, they were so painful. One day my sister advised me to use Burdock Blood Bitters, so I got two bottles, and before I had taken all the first one, the pimples had nearly disappeared, and now I am completely cured."

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CHAPMAN'S Sale of Embroideries

Tuesday A clean-up of over four thousand yards of Embroideries, including Edgings, Insertions and Galloons, which have been out on the counters, and show more or less signs of being mussed. Many pieces are not soiled at all. Others have short mussed ends, and the rest are perfectly clean. Half-price will soon make a clean-up of them.

Now Is the Time To Buy Embroideries For White Sewing For Yourself and the Children

Sale starts Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Be here at this hour for first choice. The lot is an attractive one, and the values are the best that will be offered this season.

Edgings and Insertions at Half

Muslin and Cambric Embroidery Edgings and Insertions, ranging in width from 2 to 10 inches. Were 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c yard. Tuesday, yard, 2 1/2c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 6 1/2c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c

MUSLIN EMBROIDERY GALLOONS—Were 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c and 60c. On sale Tuesday at exactly half price.

Swiss Embroidery Insertions

7 and 9 inches wide, very fine qualities. Were 75c, 90c, \$1.00. Now, 38c, 45c, 50c Yard

A SPECIAL LINE OF CAMBRIC CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES—On sale Tuesday. A yard 10c

A Few Remaining Rugs and Pieces of Carpet Will Be Cleared This Week

2 only Axminster Room Rugs, size 3x3 1/2 yards. Two green and fawn and brown combinations, suitable for living-room or bedroom. Were \$25.00, now \$15.00

9 only Reversible Smyrna Mats, heavy fringed ends, sizes 30x64 inches. Regular \$3.25. Now for \$2.50

1 dozen Velvet Mats, fringed, size 27x54. Were \$2.50, now \$1.75

A length of Red Brussels Border, 18-inch; can be used for door mats or runners. \$1.25 value. Now, yard, 50c

Brussels Carpet with border to match. Just a few room lengths, \$1.25 a yard. Now 69c

2 pieces Union Carpet, 36-inch, red, fawn and two-tone greens. Were 45c. Now, per yard 29c

50c Union Carpet at 36c

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COLDSTREAM.

Coldstream, Jan. 6.—Mr. E. Zavitz, of the University of Michigan, accompanied by Mr. W. Miller, of New Jersey, was home for the holidays.

Squire and Mrs. Macpherson have been visiting their children in Toronto.

Among recent visitors were Mr. Weber, of Berlin, and Mr. Hilborn, of Leamington.

Mr. J. Goddard has been away for a few days' vacation.

The meeting of the Farmers' Club, which was announced for Tuesday night, has been postponed until Friday evening, Jan. 10. A special program is being prepared.

Miss J. Cornell, who spent the holidays with her sister at Sunnyside, has returned to Philadelphia.

Mr. J. Vogt and the Messrs. Scouton have been holidaying at Coldstream.

Rev. H. Fonger spent the holidays with his parents near Poplar Hill.

PARKHILL.

Parkhill, Jan. 6.—Mr. Ronald McKinnon, who has been sailing on the great lakes this season, is home for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ryder, of the Centre road, visited recently with Lucas friends.

Mrs. Peter Munard and Mrs. Condon, of Detroit, spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. J. McIntyre, of East Williams.

A very successful dance was held by John McIntyre, of the Centre road. It was greatly enjoyed by a large number from all over the district.

The West Williams councillors have been elected by acclamation; also the reeve, Mr. John Mosser.

Mr. Rory McIntosh, of West Williams, who purchased a house near Parkhill, had it moved recently to his home. The work was in charge of Mr. Alex McIntosh, of Springbank.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon McKenzie, of East Williams, have been holidaying at Coldstream.

Miss Annie Watson, of Strathroy, is at her home on the twelfth concession for a few days.

THE UNEXPECTED.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.] "Hold on, old chap. I can tell you what will cure that cold of yours."

"Say, I ought to brain you! Well, what is it?"

"Time and nature."

"Shake."

TURKS DELEGATE ANGRY WITH POWERS

Declare Europe Always Sided With Enemy in Victory or Defeat.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Jan. 6.—The Turkish delegates are indignant over the attitude of the European powers towards the Ottoman Empire. They remark that when the Turks are defeated nothing is done to moderate their enemies' pretensions, but when the Turks are victorious they are always prevented by the powers from reaping the fruits of their efforts. They cite the war of 1897 in which Greece was utterly defeated by Turkey at Domakos, and the Greek army was compelled to withdraw to Thermopylae and to conclude an armistice. Five days later, however, a collective note was sent by the European powers to the Porte in which the conditions of peace were practically drafted, and the annexation of Thessaly was prevented, although it had been occupied by the Turkish troops. The payment by Greece of a war indemnity was also stopped by the powers. Thus Turkey gained nothing by her victories in the war, but now that Turkey has been defeated, the combined allies are encouraged by the powers to demand even that which they have never conquered.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sift all over the world.

THE MAGIC MELODY

By BERTON BRALEY

The song of the housefly is not to be heard, The song of the skeeter is still, And there's scarcely a cheep from the throat of a bird As the nights grow more gloomy and chill; But still there is melody pleasant to hear When the air of the fall has a frostier tang, A sound full of comfort and warmth and of cheer— The song of the steampipes that rattle and bang.

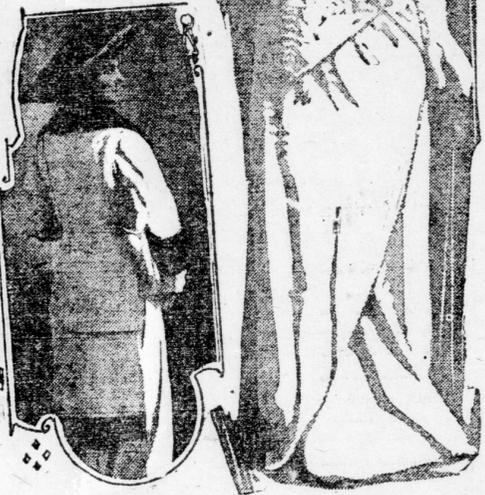
It means that the janitor's started his fire; No longer we shiver with cold, No longer we burn with our rage and our ire, No longer we clamor and scold. The bone-piercing chill of an unheated place Has changed to a generous comfort and bliss, And this is what stimulates joy in each face— The song of the steampipes that sputter and hiss.

Russian Rules Forbid Kissing By Telegraph. Read "Tit-Bits" Today.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Health and Home Hints. Some Sick-Room Recipes. Parisians Favor White.

White Costumes Are Luxurious, But Always Beautiful For Winter Wear



White gowns for dress occasions are worn more than ever this winter. They are the acme of luxury because in the city they need constant cleaning if one wears them often.

CAN'T TELEGRAPH KISSES IN RUSSIA--MIGHT MEAN BOMBS

The Russkoe Slovo gives some interesting sidelights on the complications and general difficulties which a new Russian postoffice order has caused for private individuals who use the telegraph as a means of communicating their thoughts and desires as rapidly as possible.

against the skepticism of the official. The correspondent was then let into the secret of the dispute. There lay on the counter an apparently harmless note from the young woman to her husband.

Was a Confirmed Dyspeptic. Now Finds it a Pleasure to Enjoy Meals. Here is a case which seemed as bad and as hopeless as yours can possibly be.

Gentlemen—I have much pleasure in mentioning to you the benefits received from your Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablets and can cheerfully recommend them.

BUILDING UP A PAYING BUSINESS

How One Woman Did It. In the Woman's Home Companion appears an account of a woman who, left in financial difficulties, made a good living by starting a shop in which she prepared daintily-cooked foods so reasonable in price that families of two bought from her instead of cooking for themselves.

Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

Birthday Calendar. Dear Miss Grey: Will you kindly give birthday calendar for Aug. 7 and Sept. 9 and oblige? CHARLES. Aug. 7.—Take special care of your health and try to avoid minor ailments, for they may result in more serious ones.

Stock-Taking Prices This Week

Our stock-taking will be completed next Friday, and before then there are many lines which we wish to clear out. In every department you will find some goods specially priced.

Clearance of Ladies' Underwear

MANY odd lines must be cleared out before next week. We have large quantities of Ladies' Winter Underwear, "seconds," job lots and odd lines. These are selling at special prices.

Tweed Suitings

CLEARANCE this week of Tweed Suitings. These lots comprise our entire stock of Tweeds. There is a very large assortment of values and a splendid range of colors.

Sweater Coats 69c Each

A few still left of these remarkable values in Sweater Coats. Gray with red or blue trimmings. Size 32 only. Our price while they last, each 69c

GRAY'S REMOVAL SALE OF WINTER GOODS BEGINS SATURDAY, JAN. 11. TELEPHONE 1182.

THE DAILY MENU

- BREAKFAST. Steamed Potatoes. Cereal With Cream. Scrambled Eggs. Popovers. Coffee. DINNER. Beefsteak with Brown Gravy. Fried Parsnips. Mashed Potatoes. Beet Salad. Chocolate Pudding. Coffee. SUPPER. Baked Finnan Haddie. Escaloped Potatoes. Citron Preserves. Gingerbread. Tea or Coffee. The Evening Advertiser

Has Pleasing Actions.

"Dear Miss Grey: I am a young girl, not good-looking, but an aware of the fact that I have pleasing actions, but have a great many boy friends, but have never had occasion to entertain any of them at my own home.

TIT-BITS

Anyone seeing Miss Alcott's play at the Grand the other night could not fail to think that the dresses worn by the "Little Women" were much nicer than the skimpy gowns of our own time.

OMOND'S 468-25c. Serious results easily follow a cough. This great remedy relieves coughs, sore throat, bronchitis, croup and whooping quickly and safely.

Style in China

The centuries old styles in clothing for both men and women of China have come under the disapproval of the cabinet of the republic and an edict has been issued calling on the women to abandon their trousers for the occidental skirt and the men to give up their comfortable loose clothes for the sack and conventional evening clothes of the Occident.

QUEEN MARY'S ECONOMIES.

Queen Mary has decided, it is said, that she can do without maids of honor, and she does not intend to make any new appointment to this post. In future, maids of honor will only attend the Queen on a state ball.

For Moist Days

For rain and wet snow there are new things in oilskin waterproof coats that may be slipped on over the warmer coat and will afford better protection than any waterproofed wool can guarantee.

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Cleaning Blankets

It is astonishing how much dirt will come out of an apparently clean pair of blankets. Germs love to linger in them, and the better and more woolly the blankets, the greater the danger from this source.

PROTECTING NEW COMFORTERS.

If you have received a brand new silk comforter for Christmas you will be interested to hear of a good way to protect the top edges from becoming soiled.

Dishes for the Convalescent

Orange Egg-nog—Two tablespoons of syrup stock, juice of 1 orange, 1 teaspoonful lemon juice, half cup cold water, 1 egg. Mix together syrup stock, orange and lemon juice, separate egg white, beat well and stiffly beaten egg white, beat well and serve at once in a tall glass.

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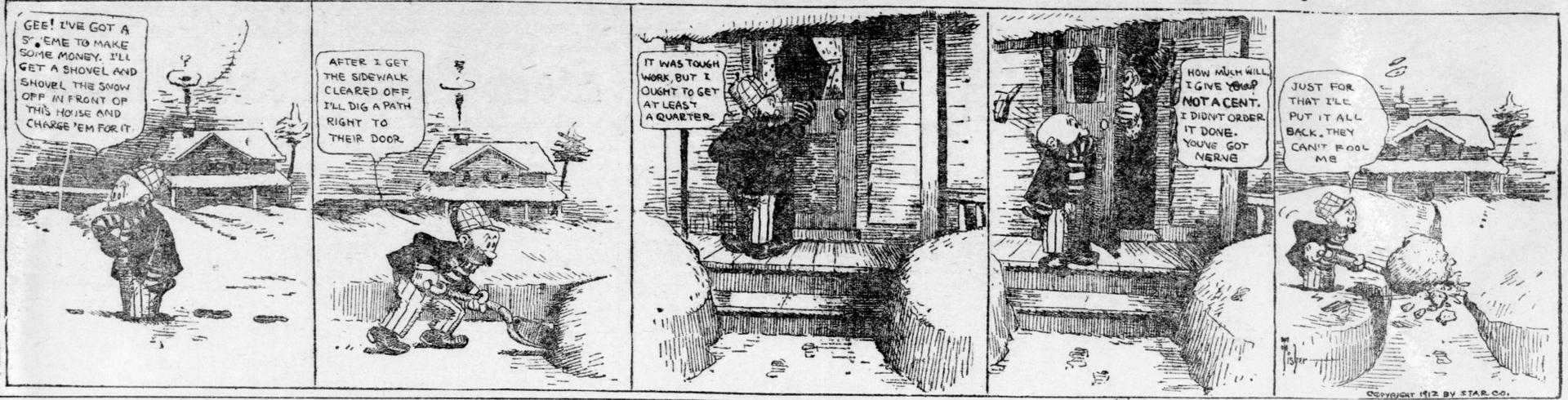
ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

Aw, Well, It Was Good Exercise for Jeff, Anyway

By "Bud" Fisher



THE ADVERTISER DONATES CUP TO THE CITY LEAGUE

Handsome Trophy Is Up for Competition Among City Hockey League Teams—Has To Be Won Three Years in Succession Before Becoming Property of Team.

As an encouragement to amateur hockey in this city an effort to boost one of the best amateur hockey organizations in Western Ontario, The Advertiser has donated a handsome trophy to the London City Hockey League.

The London City Hockey League is destined to become a permanent institution in London. Perhaps never before in the history of hockey in this city has so much enthusiasm been displayed in City League hockey.

To Develop Hockey Players. The league is a purely amateur one, and its main object is to develop players for the O. H. A. and put London on the hockey map.

DENEAU WILL BE APPOINTED MANAGER OF CLUB TODAY

Formal Application Was Received By President Stevely This Morning.

President Stevely, of the London baseball club, has received "Rube" Deneau's formal application for the management of the London club.

QUEBEC CHAMPS BEATEN BY INDIANS

Tecumseh's Spring Surprise in Quebec by Winning From N. H. A. Champions.

Quebec, Jan. 5.—On Saturday evening the Tecumseh hockey team from Toronto defeated the Quebec aggregation by a score of 5 to 3, and that gives a fair idea of the level of the game.

The Tecumsehs came here with a record of losing the only two matches they had played this season, while, on the other hand, Quebec had defeated both teams it met since the season opened.

OTTAWA OUTPLAYED CANADIENS AND WON

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Outplaying the Canadiens from start to finish, Ottawa had little trouble in defeating the Frenchmen in a most decisive manner before a capacity audience at the Arena tonight, by a score of 7 to 3.

The line-up was: Ottawa—Goal, Lesner; point, Lake; cover, Shore; wing, Broadbent; centre, Darragh; wing, Ronan. Canadiens—Goal, Vezina; point, Dubois; cover, Laviolette; wing, Pavan; centre, Lalonde; wing, Pittre.

MILWAUKEE WANTS RACES

Protest Against Taking Vanderbilt Cup Event From That City.

Milwaukee, Jan. 6.—Hearing that the representatives of Savannah, Ga., had arranged for a conference in New York tomorrow, whereby they hoped to take the Vanderbilt and Grand Prix automobile races to the southern city, a message was sent to W. K. Vanderbilt last night by a committee of Milwaukee businessmen, asking that the hearing be postponed until they could be represented.

Marion Patch, a well known sister to Dan Patch, 1.55, is to be bred to The Limit this spring. That should get a real pacer.

The only place in London where you can get rubbers, with the leather inner heel, is at Cook's Shoe Store. Every woman should wear this kind.

PARIS GAME CALLED OFF ON ACCOUNT OF WEATHER

London Club Notified This Morning by Paris Club Who State There Is an Inch of Water on the Ice at the Rink.



PERCY LESEUR, Ottawa goalkeeper, who is wanted by the Toronto professionals.

VANCOUVER LEADS COAST LEAGUE

Defeated New Westminster By Score of 10 to 5 in Vancouver on Saturday.

Table showing Pacific Coast League Standing. Vancouver leads with 3 points, followed by Victoria with 2 points, and New Westminster with 0 points.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 5.—Vancouver went back into the lead in the Pacific Coast Hockey League championship race Saturday night, for the Terminals outplayed New Westminster, the cup holders, and finished on the long end of a 10 to 5 score in the most strenuous match of the season.

The line-up: Vancouver—Goal, Parr; point, F. Patrick; cover, Griffin; rover, Taylor; right wing, Macdonald; centre, Kendall; left wing, Harris. New Westminster—Goal, Smith; point, Gattman; cover, Johnson; rover, R. Macdonald; right wing, Tobin-Treherne; centre, Malten; left wing, Gardner.

MR. HENDERSON EXPLAINS TUG-OF-WAR FIZZLE

To the Sporting Editor: There has been some criticism directed towards the manner in which the ticket sale for the tug-of-war was handled.

In justice to myself and the public, I wish to state that as treasurer of the Athletic Association, I was requested to take charge of the tickets.

At the athletic meet held on the 29th of June last, there was a deficit of \$40, which in order to save the credit of the association, I put up personally to meet the bills contracted.

When the tug-of-war was broached, it was decided that the first \$45 taken in should go towards making up that deficit. This was arranged by the contending teams, and an agreement signed to that effect.

The night of the tug-of-war, I took charge of the selling of the tickets, and at 8:45, everybody apparently having arrived, and as I had an engagement, I left the ticket-taker in charge, placed the money in my pocket that I had received, and without any knowledge that there was the slightest hitch in the proceedings, left the hall, and it was not until the next morning I was aware that there had been no pull, so I fell to see wherein I was to blame for the mixup.

FARRELL EXPECTS CHANCE TO SIGN

Has Left For Chicago Full of Hopes of Landing Peerless Leader.

New York, Jan. 6.—Much-talked-of negotiations for the engagement of Frank Farrell, former manager of the Chicago Nationals, to lead the American League Club here next season, will probably come to a head this week.

PARIS GAME CALLED OFF ON ACCOUNT OF WEATHER

London Club Notified This Morning by Paris Club Who State There Is an Inch of Water on the Ice at the Rink.

The London-Paris game to have been played in Paris this evening has been called off. Secretary Barney Vining received a wire from the Paris club this morning informing him that there was no ice in the Paris rink and no prospect of any. Although the weather tightened up Saturday, and the chances for tonight's game looked pretty good, the Paris people claim that their rink was covered with an inch of water this morning, and it would have been impossible to play hockey.

Locals Disappointed. The local management are somewhat disappointed that the game was postponed, as the delay is liable to crowd matters too much when ice does come. However, the team expects to be in good shape for the game here on Friday night, when the Guelph Victorias come.

This Should Hold Bobby for Awhile

Under the heading, "Who Killed Cock Robin," Francis Nelson, sporting editor of the Toronto Globe, who was personally attacked through the Hamilton Spectator by Bobby Robinson, is quoted as saying that Nelson had something to do with expelling the Hamilton Alerts from the O. H. A., publishes the following comeback which trims Mr. Bobby to a frazzle.

It has not been necessary for the Ontario Hockey Association to make public all it knew of the evil foundation on which the Hamilton Alerts hockey team was built. Not quite a week has passed since the combination was declared not qualified to take part in amateur competitions, but already the overpaid players and the deluded promoters are openly quarrelling over the disposition of the tainted money. The tourists are making ready for another flitting, and the Alerts' backers are raging to find the trustees powerless, to restrain them. The players have done nothing to earn what they have collected, and as their O. H. A. season is over before it began, they are looking for jobs with the Toronto professional clubs. Once out of Hamilton all the Alerts' money is gone, and the chance of getting something out of the professional teams for their "release" is non-existent. The pros do not recognize agreements that are swindles on their face. The whole business of attempting to impose a team of hired tourists on the O. H. A. was the trick of a simpleton. There was not the slightest possibility of accomplishing even the first stage of what was nothing less than a criminal conspiracy to defraud the association and the public attention.

MINISTERS OPPOSE THE FIGHT AT CALGARY ON GOOD FRIDAY

Bout Between Wells and Burns Will Be Staged Before or After Holiday.

Calgary, Jan. 6.—That the proposed heavyweight championship battle, which is being staged at Calgary on Good Friday, will not take place if the Ministerial Association can prevent it, seems to be assured.

MCARTY'S STYLE OF MILLING APPEARS SAFE AND SANE

The Kind Corbett Used When He Slew John L. Sullivan.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Safe and sane appears to be the kind of style of boxing that the public is looking for. From what the big fellow has shown prominently in his last two battles and in several before that, leaving out the ways that Jess Willard battle the New York-Luther is content to go along with a safe lead, never taking a chance with a safe lead, never taking a chance with a safe lead, never taking a chance with a safe lead.

COACH STAG WILL GO SOUTH FOR REST

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 6.—Coach Stagg, of the University of Chicago, announced yesterday that he was about to leave for the south on account of his health.

THE RISE OF THOMAS W. MURPHY

The rise of Thomas W. Murphy has been one of the remarkable things of the past few years. In recent years he has driven 25 trotters and 31 pacers to records of 2:10 or better. A. S. Rodney, who burst into fame through his good horse Baden, is wintering a select string at the old Gutterbeek track, and will move to Foughtneck in April.

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BRESNAHAN WILL BE PAID \$20,000. Claim Against St. Louis Cardinals Was Compromised. St. Louis, Jan. 4.—The claim of Roger Bresnahan, former manager of the St. Louis National League baseball club against Mrs. Helen Britton, owner of the club, was compromised today.

NATIONAL COMMISSION ANNUAL MEETING. Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 6.—The National Baseball Commission found considerable business before it when it began its annual meeting here today.

SOME GOOD ENTRIES FOR CHESS TOURNEY. Janowski, of Paris, Is the Latest to Enter. New York, Jan. 6.—With the entry to-day of D. Janowski, of Paris, chess champion of France, for the American National Chess Masters' tournament here on Jan. 19, it is believed the best field in this country since the one at Cambridge Springs almost nine years ago.

AMOS RUSIE IN JAIL. Former Great Pitcher Threatened to Kill His Wife. Seattle, Wash., Jan. 4.—Amos Rusie, once a pitcher for the New York Nationals, was committed to the county jail last night on a charge of threatening to kill his wife, who swore to the complaint.

SATURDAY'S HOCKEY RESULTS. Toronto 5, Wanderers 3. Ottawa 7, Canadiens 3. Tecumsehs 5, Quebec 3. British Columbia Exhibition. Ottawa College 4, McGill 3. Club. Won. Lost. For. Agst. Canadiens 3 1 24 29. Quebec 2 1 13 9. Ottawa 2 1 17 11. Wanderers 1 2 11 12. Tecumsehs 1 2 12 14. Toronto 1 3 16 27.

OTAWA AT TECUMSEHS. Toronto at Tecumsehs. Toronto at Quebec. Canadiens at Wanderers.

Geers is spending a long lot of his time with some young things by the Harvester, but he thinks they are about the best colts he ever had.

Jap First Saw Billiards 2 Years Ago, Now Beats 'Em All

Young Kodji Yamada, Medical Student, Is Rated as Most Brilliant Player in World.

Who is the greatest cue expert in the world? "Kodji Yamada," answer the experts of the billiard world in unison. And there is little doubt that Yamada, who is only 23, is destined to become the billiard marvel of the country. Yamada took up billiards two years ago.

So rapidly did he master the game that he entered the 18.2 balk line tournament in New York this month and astonished cue-masters by finishing third.

He was the only player to defeat

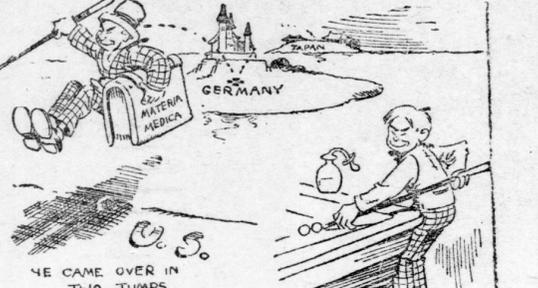


Think of this little fellow, with but two years' experience, gained between classes and study hours, meeting such men as Sutton, Slosson, Morningstar, Hoppe, Cline, Taylor and Demarest, men who have spent the greater portion of their lives perfecting their ability—and showing them tricks they never dreamed of.

Yamada lost his first game through nervousness. He defeated Harry Cline easily, and then Hoppe, by executing some of the most brilliant shots ever witnessed in a match; he tried seemingly impossible plays to secure a nursing position, time and again.

He lost to Sutton and Slosson, but beat Morningstar and Al Taylor and slipped into third place of the finish.

Yamada averaged 25 points for his games, the second best average of the tournament.



Willis Hoppe, champion 18.2 player of the world.

The average great billiardist practices years and years to reach the height attained by Yamada in only two years after he first saw the game played.

Is it any wonder that he is hailed as the greatest in the difficult angle game?

One wonders whether Hoppe, only a few years ago hailed as the "boy wonder," doesn't feel his crown trembling upon his head as he contemplates a match with Kodji Yamada a year hence.

From Japan to Germany is a long jump, but Yamada took it to enter the University of Berlin as a medical student. One day in the Nippon Club in Berlin he saw a game of billiards for the first time.

"Please teach me that game," he said to a friend, and the friend obliged. Many who witnessed the wonderful play of Yamada in the New York tour-



HE IS A SPLENDID NURSE

He uses a heavy one and handles it more gracefully than the other stars do their light cues. In delicacy of stroke he is in a class by himself. He is a wonder at "cross-over" shots, and his daring plays caused no end of admiration among the fraternity.

Yamada speaks German fairly well, but neither speaks nor understands English, which handicapped him in the tournament.

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KODJI YAMADA MAKING A DIFFICULT SHOT.

ment say he lost the championship because of his unfamiliarity with the American tables, which differ from those in use in Germany, and to his nervousness in his early games.

BATTERY TEAM MAY DROP OUT OF INDOOR BASEBALL LEAGUE

Suspension of Tozer Has Caused Battery Management to Decide on This Step.

According to rumor today, the Sixth Field Battery team has signified its intention of dropping out of the Armories Indoor Baseball League. The move, which has arisen from the league executive's action in suspending Harry Tozer, the Battery pitcher, from the league. This action arose when Tozer was protested by the R. C. R. team after that season's game had been beaten by the Battery last Thursday night. Tozer had recently been a member of the A. M. C., but had quit that body and was not a member

of any corps. For this reason it was declared that he had no right in the league and was suspended.

The management claim that Tozer was treated unfairly. He had been a member of the A. M. C. and other corps for the past ten years and has served faithfully. They point out that members of the other teams have only been sworn in recently because of their ability to play baseball, and none of them have given any service. If the league is going to make a distinction in Tozer's case, and suspended also. In the meantime, the Battery will likely withdraw and leave the R. C. R., A. M. C. and First Hussars teams to fight it out for the league championship. It is not clear that the game between the First Hussars and the Battery will be played this evening.

MEDS AND Y. M. C. A. TEAMS GROUPED IN O. B. A. SERIES

Local Teams Are in Different Groups of Intermediate Series.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—At a meeting of the Ontario Basketball League held in St. James' parish house on Saturday afternoon the groupings in the various series of the league were formed. Although Central Y. M. C. A. will not be represented in any of the series, the representatives of the three champions will add more zest to the race. University of Toronto are newcomers in the senior series, and will be a strong addition. Following are the different series:

Senior.
West End Y. M. C. A., University of Toronto, St. James', Hamilton Tigers, Hamilton Y. M. C. A.

Intermediate.
Group 1—West End Y. M. C. A., All Saints, St. James.
Convener—Fred Bridgen, All Saints, Group No. 2—University of Toronto, O.

A. C. of Guelph, London Medical College.
Convener—Mr. Culverhouse, Guelph.

Group 3—Hamilton Idlers, Hamilton East End, Hamilton Tigers.
Convener—N. Keeffe, Hamilton.

Group 4—London Y. M. C. A., Stratford, Paris, Woodstock.
Convener—J. Taylor, London.

Junior.
Group 1—Baracas, All Saints, West End Y. M. C. A.
Convener—S. Crawford, Baracas.

Group 2—Hamilton Y. M. C. A., Hamilton Tigers, Hamilton East End, Zion Tabernacle (Hamilton).
Convener—W. Monk, Hamilton.

Group 3—London Y. M. C. A., Stratford, Woodstock, Paris.
Convener—R. Hutchings, Woodstock.

All junior players must be 18 or under before Jan. 1, 1913, and the team must average 145 pounds or under.

The annual meeting of the league is to be held on the second Saturday in December in each year.

A board of referees was appointed. President Long will have a conference of the officials before the season starts, when the rules of play will be discussed.

DOINGS IN CITY HOCKEY CIRCLES

The Presbyterian, Methodist and Anglican leagues will open the hockey season at the Simcoe rink this evening. The games are as follows: St. Andrew's vs. King Street between 7 and 8; Dundas Centre and First Methodist 8 to 9, and St. Paul's and Memorial Church 9 to 10.

The First Hussars, of the City League, will practice at the Simcoe rink Tuesday evening between 6 and 7 o'clock.

Jack Hoy, of the Green-Swift team, will also play for All Saints in the Anglican League this winter.

Jimmy Carruthers will likely handle the opening games of the City League at the Westminster rink on Wednesday night.

The Manufacturers' League will open at the Westminster rink tomorrow evening; Perrins and Lawson & Jones will meet in the first game and Empire Brass and McCormicks in the second affair.

The managers of the different teams in the City League are requested to apply to the secretary to secure the tickets for their players for admittance to the rink on Wednesday evening.

The St. Andrew's Church hockey club organized on Saturday with the following officers: Hon. president, Rev. Dr. Ross; hon. vice-presidents, C. R. Somerville, John Marr, John Stevely; president, Ward Casselman; vice-presidents, Howard Featherstone; secretary-treasurer, Harold Gray. The team that plays tonight's game with King Street will be picked from the following players: W. Grosnow, Gordon Morrison, Percy Spence, Howard Featherstone, Clair Sisker, John Ross, Clair McKay, R. Gray, F. Dowell, K. Somerville.

Many local hockey fans had intended taking in the trip to Paris this evening.

and there was some disappointment expressed when the news that the game had been called off was dashed around.

The All Saints team were to have held a meeting on Saturday, but it was postponed or tomorrow evening, and will select a captain and pick the line-up for Friday night's game with St. Georges.

The Seventh Regiment team has signed Egelton, who played for one of the church league teams last winter. He is said to be a good one.

City League team managers should have the certificates of all players signed, countersigned by the league officials before Wednesday night.

The First Presbyterian Church team may drop out of the Presbyterian League and Knox Church may be substituted. The First Church management is having a difficult time securing players and have decided to withdraw.

BAN JOHNSON ILL

American League President Slightly Indisposed at Chicago.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 6.—Owing to the illness of President Ban B. Johnson, of Chicago, notice of which was received here this morning, the annual meeting of the National Baseball Commission, scheduled for today, was postponed until tomorrow. President Lynch, of the National League, likewise did not put in an appearance, owing to a delay in telegram. President Johnson stated in a telegram that he felt confident that he would be on hand for the meeting tomorrow.



"ROCKET" POWER, of Quebec, whose playing against Ottawa by the ancient capital sextette caused the first protest of the N. H. A. Power was with Canadians two years ago, and last winter played in the Maritime Provinces League.

CURLING NOTES

The London city bonspiel will commence at all three local rinks tomorrow afternoon. It was thought last week, and for a time today, that the bonspiel would be postponed, but the present weather conditions are tightening up, and as the rinks have good sheets of ice at present no trouble with ice is anticipated. Secretary Tilson stated this morning that only very warm weather would prevent the bonspiel from taking place now and he expects a large entry list.

The entries have not been coming in fast, owing to the mild weather, but now that ice is certain, Secretary Tilson is looking for a big batch of outside entries this evening. The draw will not be made until late tomorrow morning, so as to give outside rinks a chance to enter at the last moment. The local entries are large and each rink will be well represented. All the arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors have been completed, and the ice makers at each of the rinks are working overtime to get as much ice as possible.

PUCKCHASINGS

Ken Mallon, who was not considered good enough for Ottawa or Quebec, is making good in the Pacific Coast League.

The refrigerating plant at the new Hamilton rink is complete, and water was turned on the floor yesterday. It is hoped to play a game tonight.

The Quebec club is suing Outman and Procter, two contract-jumpers, and is asking \$1,000 damages from each. What will the club do with the judgment, if it does win?

Many O. H. A. teams are already a week behind their schedule, and their rinks have not been flooded. By the time ice is available, some of the teams will be about two weeks behind in their playing dates.

Stan. Horsfield, formerly of Barrie, was out with Toronto R. and A. A. senior O. H. A. team at last night's practice, and will probably be played at rover on Monday night, when they meet Parkdale in their first association fixture.

The most amazing thing about the Hamilton Alerts' affair is that "boobs" could be found running at large with \$2.75 to give to third-rate players before the ice came. Was somebody getting a rake-off?

New-Edinburgh players who saw the Toronto's in action against Ottawa Wednesday night said that St. Michael's College could run through Bruce Eldridge's team under any kind of circumstances. Jack Ryan declares that Rankin is one of the most brilliant forwards he has ever seen in amateur company. Frank Shaughnessy declares that the Toronto,

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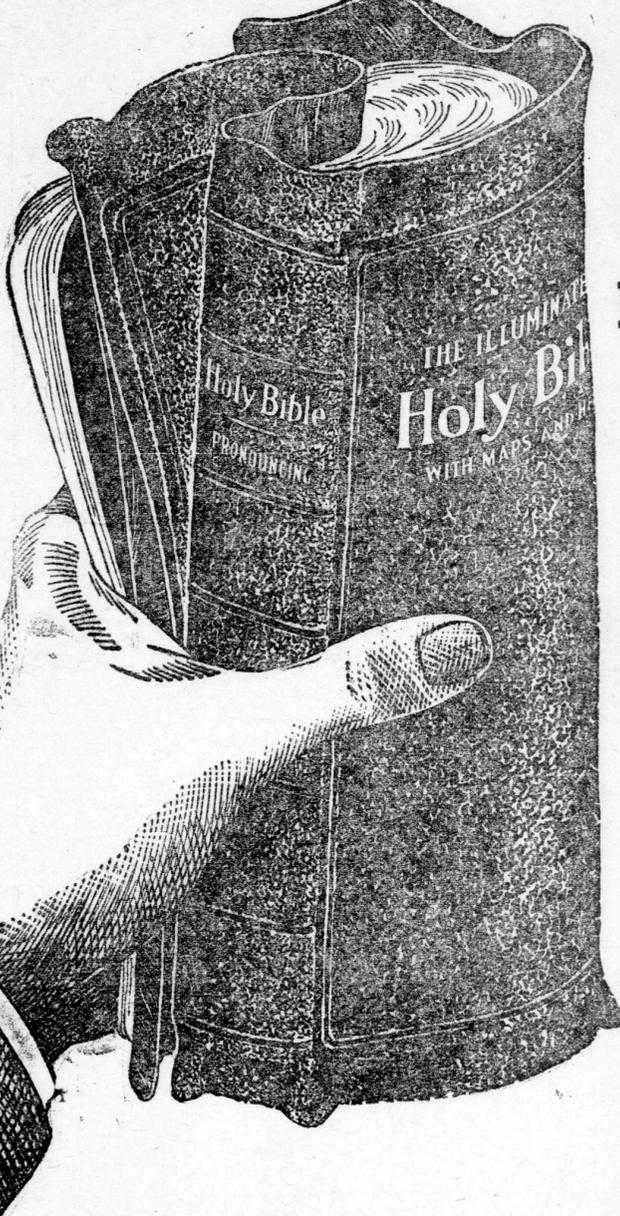
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HORSE TALK

Earl Pittman, the New Jersey trainer, was a busy boy last year, for he won 42 out of 92 starts, and was unplaced but six times.

Crosstote, the gelding bought by Mr. Mackenzie at Lexington, started in all

right by winning his first out in the slush at Toronto.

California reports are to the effect that Will Durfee has been a half in 1:04 1/4 with a yearling pacer (now a 2-year-old) by Cops de Oro, 2:01.

That there is a lot of interest in the amateur sport is shown by the announcement of a new \$75,000 speedway to be built at Philadelphia.

Will Crozier ranks among the leading winners on the eastern half-mile tracks, having taken down first money on 23 occasions during the year.

Young Sweet Marie was not shipped to Roy Miller at Lexington, but is at Dromore Farm, where she will be given a few more lessons by Superintendent Scott.

Zulu Belle, a double-gaited performer with a trotting record of 2:19 1/4, and one of 2:07 1/4 at the pace, is said to be trotting now and will race at that gait this year.

Part-mutual betting has made such a hit in Oklahoma that it probably will take the place of the books this year.

One day during the Oklahoma City meeting 14 machines handled \$56,000.

Willard F. Sanders, whose work with the Sidney Dillon and Axworthy's was exceptional, is said to have decided to abandon Indianapolis for Syracuse as a training camp this year.

The Southern States Circuit was more successful in 1912 than ever in the past. Many of the meetings were given in connection with the fairs, and the people are very keen for the sport of the sulky.

Soprano, 2:03 1/4, has had a wonderful year in Austria-Hungary. This trim mare started 19 times and won 11 times, was second 7 times, and third 1, making her the fifth largest money winner in the circuit.

California is going to make a strenuous try for trotting honors in the east this year by sending Bernice R., 2:07 1/4, and San Felipe, 2:05 1/4, to do battle along the big line. These are said to be two of the best trotters ever seen on the coast.

The summer circuit on the Canadian half-mile tracks is as follows: Toronto, June 4 to 6; Seneca, June 10 to 12;

Chatham, June 17 to 20; Aylmer, June 24 to 27; London, July 1 to 4; Lakeside, July 8 to 10; St. Thomas, July 15 to 18; Niagara Falls, July 22 to 25.

Alfred, the champion yearling trotter, and his distinguished brother, Lord Allen, are wintering in the rough at Allendale farm, Lexington, where they were foaled. They will be taken up the last of the month and sent to Lon McDonald, who will get them ready for their campaign.

The Wilkes family is dominant among the 53 new 2:10 trotters, 32 tracing back in a direct male line to George Wilkes, and 23 being inbred to that horse. Ten run directly to Electioneer, and six are inbred to him. Sixteen are of the Wilkes-Electioneer cross, and all but four are of the Hambletonian tribe.

F. W. EMMERSON DEAD.
[Canadian Press.]
Moncton, N. B., Jan. 6.—Fred W. Emerson, brother of Hon. H. R. Emerson, M. P., died early today after a long illness, aged 57. He leaves a widow, four sons and three daughters.

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THE GUARDIAN

BY FREDERICK ORIN BARTLETT

When Nat stopped, Julie opened her eyes. He lowered her to the ground before a heavy clump of bushes growing on a sharp incline. He left her there, and striking a match, disappeared into the clump. As she lost sight of his broad shoulders, she sat up. Pride alone prevented her from calling him back. She felt deserted, the black sky overhead and the deep shadows among the pines terrified her. She fell upon her hands and knees and started to crawl, though the pain in her ankle was now acute. She was about to shriek his name when he appeared again. "You oughter stayed where I left ye," he said.

The distant rumbling which had been coming nearer and nearer, now broke over their heads in a terrific crash. "I—couldn't," she trembled. "I was frightened." "Nothin' to be skeered of," he answered. "That's a cave in there, dry and warm." He stooped to lift her again, and this time she did not shrink away. He bore her into the cave. It was pitch dark. "Now," he said, "just sit here quiet-like till I get some wood for a fire."

"You're going to leave me alone?" "Long 'nuff to get some dry wood afore it rains," he answered. He went out, and for a few seconds she heard him stumping over the rocks. Then she heard no more of him. She had never felt so absolutely alone. Now and then a flash of lightning illuminated with lurid green the cave mouth. Then followed a silence as of the grave. Then a dull muffled boom upon boom, which left her quaking and shivering. Her acute personal fear drove out all thought of the mock danger she had conjured up for Gene. This was not so peculiar, because that had been only a hysterical nightmare bred of the moment; but it was odd that now, in time of her need, she herself did not turn to Gene. He was as remote as though he did not exist. The situation was one which Nat, she seemed made to handle. His steady eyes, his grim, serious mouth, his big back and arms were designed to cope with the wind, the thunder and the dark. He was akin to the elements. He reminded her of a hundred-year-old oak.

So she lay flat upon her back, with her attention centred upon catching the first sound of his retreating footsteps. Not another thing occupied her thoughts. She feared no physical harm. She did not need him to shield her from the storm, but from an overpowering sense of isolation—as though they two were alone in this vast world. She grew almost to every passing humor. She grew almost primitive, she was just a woman waiting in this cave mouth for the companion-ship of her kind. In this mood no man could so well answer that need as Nat. Whatever the passion was which had swayed her on the mountain top, it had now vanished utterly. She did not even recall it. She heard a rattle of loose stones and set up a gasp, but she opened with one arm piled high with wood. He carried also the lunch pail filled with water, which had been resting way back to the spring to get this. She greeted him with a glad cry.

"All safe?" he asked. "You aren't going—again?" she exclaimed. "I left some more wood out there," he answered. He was back in a minute, and she watched him kindle the blaze. The suction of the wind overhead made a draft which carried off the smoke. The flames flooded the cave with mellow light, and instantly drove the storm a hundred miles away.

Exhausted Nerves Sleepless Nights Continually Grew Worse Until Dr. Chase's Nerve Food Restored Vigor and Strength. Mrs. Campbell. What misery to be awake nights and think of all sorts of things without being able to get the rest and sleep which is necessary to restore the nervous energy wasted in the tasks of the day.

9409 A Smart Shirtwaist. Striped messaline in brown and white, with brown for collar and cuffs, is here shown. The model is also suitable for taffeta, linen, linene, madras, flannel, voile or velvet. The pattern is cut in six sizes—32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. It requires 2 1/8 yards of 36-inch material for a 36-inch size. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

MR. J. K. SPRY IS AGAIN PRESIDENT

Honored By Travellers Club at a Meeting Held on Saturday Night.

ALD. GLASS WAS ELECTED

Chosen to Succeed Mr. J. L. Whitehead as Secretary—Mr. Whitehead Was Given Presentation.

At the annual meeting of the Travellers' Club, held on Saturday evening, Mr. J. K. Spry, who has acted as president for the past year, was unanimously selected for another term. When the meeting opened he intimated that he would like to withdraw from the position, but the members were persistent in their requests that he continue in office for another year. He consented, and his election was a matter of form.

Mr. J. L. Whitehead, who has been secretary for the past seven years, resigned his position. He was urged to accept the position for another year, but he declined, saying that it was impossible for him to give the attention necessary to the office. The president and others spoke of the good work done by the retiring secretary. He was presented with five shares of stock in the club, and made a life member.

The following officers were then elected: Hon. president—Hon. C. S. Hyman. Hon. vice-presidents—Messrs. H. E. Buttrey, Donald Ferguson, S. Frank Glass, John S. Townsend and C. W. McGuire. President—J. K. Spry. First vice-president—J. M. Ferguson. Second vice-president—H. W. Lind. Secretary—S. T. Edwards. Directors—Lieut.-Col. A. E. Somerville, Ben Noble, A. H. Moran, Jos. F. Hickey, A. T. Edwards, John Stevely, Geo. Vetter, C. H. Firth, Auditors—J. L. Whitehead and C. G. Carlton. Honorary counsel—E. W. M. Flock. The financial statement was presented by Treasurer Whitehead, and found to be most satisfactory.

NOTED THESPIAN LEAVES STAGE

Forbes-Robertson Was Never Sufficiently Appreciated by British Public.

HIS SUCCESS IN AMERICA

He Was Sixty Last Month—Optimistic About the English Stage.

London, Jan. 5.—The news that Forbes-Robertson is to give a farewell season in London, and to come as a blow to the older player who remembers Mr. Robertson in the heyday of his fame, but to the younger generation of the drama's patrons the actor is little more than a name. Theatrical patrons, with a careless thoughtlessness typical of the metropolis, has never sufficiently appreciated the best among her playfolks. Forbes-Robertson came to London, not to make a home in London, or, indeed, in England, and perforce he took himself to America, where his superb acting, his beautiful elocution and his refined method have been appreciated at their full value. It was the same in a minor degree with Irving. He, too, in order to make money had to go to America to earn more than a decent competence.

Retires at Sixty. It comes almost as a shock to realize that Forbes-Robertson is 60 years this month. He was born in London on Jan. 16, 1853.

He is nearly 60, but he is the most optimistic of the great English actors. He believes that the English stage was never better than it is today.

"The plays are better, the acting is more thorough, the general outlook was never brighter," he said. "I am commending the actor-manager. On the whole London has been well treated by her actor-managers. They haven't always thought of the box office. But in the ordinary way the box office must always be an influence in London, seeing that 900,000 a year is not an uncommon rental for a London theatre."

"America is leading the way. Every city of any size there has its repertory company. Perhaps this is why the States think the old-fashioned prejudice against the stage is dying down more rapidly than in England. The theatre going has become much more a part of the life of the people there than here. In England the question is, 'Shall we go to the theatre?' In America it has become, 'Which theatre shall we go to?' When I was playing 'The Passing of the Third Floor Back' there my dressing-room was visited by ministers of every denomination eager to discuss the play. And the rabbi was as enthusiastic as any."

"On the other hand, my sister-in-law, Maxine Elliott, recently met an Oxford man and his grown-up sister, clever, cultivated girls, who said they had never been to a theatre in their lives."

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NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

- General Works. Canadian Almanac. Notestein—History of Witchcraft in England. Lindsay—Philosophy of Bergson. Descartes—Philosophical Works. Duncan—Popular Hymns. Graham—Evolution and Empire. Brockway—Fifty Years of Prison Service. Cairforth—The Month Before Examination. Fisher—Montessori Mother. Grant—Story-Telling in School and Home. Smith—Compound Interest. Hering—Essentials of Physics. Reed—Birds of Eastern North America. Cooley—Vocational Education in Europe. Jones—Electric Ignition. Page—Roads, Paths and Bridges. Pratt—Pratt's Special Automobile. Barton—Sporting Dogs. American Type Founders' Company—American Spelling Book of Type Styles. Dicksee and Tillyard—Goodwill and its Treatment in Accounts. Dicksee—Bookkeeping for Company Secretaries. Hawkins—Cost Accounts. Heady—Boot and Shoe Costing. Burr—Round the Fire. Manufacturers. Quinn—Shopkeepers' Accounts. Woodraker. MacDowell—Critical and Historical Essays. Davis—Harper's Boating Book for Boys. Grant—Convictions of a Grandfather. MacLaren—Books and Bookmen. Taylor—Historical Guide to London. Elmhurst—Camera. Crusade Through the Holy Land. Robinson and Beard—Readings in Modern European History. Buchanan—Sir Walter Raleigh. Children's Department. Shakespeare—Stories of Shakespeare's Comedies. Marshall—Through Great Britain and Ireland with Cromwell. Wiggin—A Child's Journey With Dickens. Marshall—Through Europe and Egypt With Napoleon. Farmer—Boy and Girl Heroes. Perkins—Japanese Twins. Burr—Round the Fire. Chadwick—Honey School; Dialogue Stories. France—Playing-bee Fiction. Bacon—Inheritance. Bailey—Lonely Queen. Connor—Corporal Cameron. Douglas—White Fackelrind. Elliott—Gift of Abu Hassan. McCutcheon—Hollow of Her Hand. McIntyre—Ashton-Kirk, Secret Agent. McLaren—With the Merry Austrians. Macnaghten—Three Miss Graces. Phillips—George Heim. Pocock—Man in the Open. Sheridan—Queen's Pillet. Spearman—Mountain Divide. Waller—Cry in the Wilderness. White—Mystery of the Widenspan.

BUTCHERED BY NATIVES

Two Australian Planters Killed and Eaten by Cannibals. [Canadian Press.] Sydney, Australia, Jan. 4.—Butchered by natives in New Guinea was the fate of two planters named James and Hermann Weber, brothers. They were set upon by cannibals, who came from the unexplored regions. No trace of the bodies has been found, and it is believed that they were devoured. The news was brought here today by friendly natives, who stated that the same tribe has been carrying on a campaign of butchery throughout the district.

WHITELAW REID BURIED

Body of Ambassador Rests in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery. New York, Jan. 5.—The funeral of Whitelaw Reid, late ambassador to Great Britain, took place yesterday in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Tarrytown.

President Taft, cabinet officers, representatives of the army and navy and of the British embassy, the bereaved family and friends, and the associates of the late ambassador an editor, attended the funeral yesterday morning in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

After the services, which began at 11 o'clock, the casket was escorted to the Grand Central station by a battalion of infantry, a battalion of marines and a company of sailors. A special train carried the family from immediate friends to Tarrytown.

The Old Lady—Well, what made you so late this time? The Old Man (trying a new one)—Why, I took Soap.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

Table with columns for Grand Trunk Railway, Canadian Pacific Railway, and Michigan Central Railway, listing routes and schedules.

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Change of Time January 6, 1913. Every hour from London and St. Thomas, except 9:10, 1:10 and 4:10 p.m. Limited cars stopping at Sarnia and Toronto only until 7:00 p.m. Feb. 30 p.m. and 11:15 p.m. last cars. Every hour and a half between St. Thomas and Port Stanley.

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PERE MARQUETTE. Trains between London and Walkerville and intermediate points without change, connecting at Blenheim for all points north to Sarnia. LEAVE LONDON: 7:10 a.m.; 4:15 p.m. ARRIVE LONDON: 12:25 p.m.; 9:50 p.m.

American Line Every SATURDAY From New York to Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton. Red Star Line EVERY WEDNESDAY DOVER, ANTWERP AND PARIS. E. DE LA HOOKE, W. FULTON, F. B. CLARKE or R. E. RUSE, Local Agents.

CAN'T GIVE ADRIANOPE

Constantinople, Jan. 5.—All the information that can be obtained in official quarters concurs in stating that the Porte has said the last word in reply to the ultimatum of the allies.

DEMANDS OF ROUMANIA MAKE NEW WAR MENACE

Bulgarians Asked What Will Be the Compensation for Remaining Neutral—Peace Conference Postponed at Request of the Great Powers.

London, Jan. 5.—In spite of Saturday's adjournment of the peace conference until Monday, without the acceptance by the Turks of the conditions imposed by the allies, I am still of the opinion that the resumption of hostilities between the belligerents is excluded from consideration.

Some people think that perhaps the powers requested Saturday's postponement in order to look over the ultimatum of the allies to see if the territory claimed was all right, or whether they desired it themselves.

TAFT WOULD ARBITRATE PANAMA CANAL TROUBLE

Publicly Announces That His Administration Is Willing to Thus Settle Differences as to Tolls Between Great Britain and the United States.

New York, Jan. 5.—President Taft on Saturday declared himself unequivocally in favor of arbitrating the dispute between the United States and Great Britain over Panama Canal tolls in the event of the impending negotiations failing to bring about a settlement.

"I am willing, and indeed I would be ashamed not to be willing," said the President, "to arbitrate any question with Great Britain in the construction of a treaty when we reach the exact issue which there is between the two nations."

NEW BRUNSWICK PROVINCE SWEEPED BY HEAVY GALES

Three Schooners Are Reported Wrecked and Liners Have Strenuous Trips.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 5.—The gale which swept this province on Saturday was the worst experienced here in many years.

A WEAK, ACHING BACK Caused Her Much Misery

Kept Her From Sleeping Nights. Weak back is caused by weak kidneys, and on the first approach of evidence of kidney trouble Doan's Kidney Pills should be used.

Doan's Kidney Pills go right to the seat of the trouble, cure the weak aching back, and prevent any further complications arising.

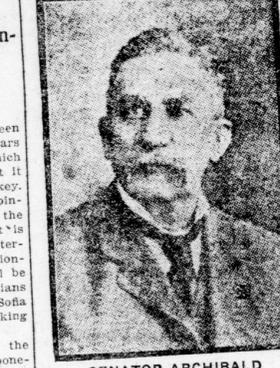
SENATOR CAMPBELL TAKEN BY DEATH

Dies in Toronto Hospital From Shock Due to a Recent Operation.

ACTIVE IN PUBLIC LIFE Was Liberal Member for Kent County From 1888 Until 1900—Later Represented York.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Senator Archibald Campbell, of York, passed away yesterday afternoon at the Wellesley Hospital, Homewood Place, whither he was taken for treatment only a week ago.

Hon. Mr. Campbell was stricken with an acute abdominal trouble while visiting his daughter, Mrs. George S. Deeks, on Sunday, Dec. 29. He was taken to the hospital, and there underwent an operation on the following Tuesday morning.



SENATOR ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

There underwent an operation on the following Tuesday morning. He subsequently rallied, and his recovery was confidently expected.

Active in Public Life. Beginning with a period of experience in the Kent County Council, Mr. Campbell took an active part in public affairs.

He was elected to the House of Commons, where he was elected in 1888, and held it until 1890. Having taken up his residence in Toronto Junction in 1892, he soon took a prominent place in the affairs of the Liberal party.

Mr. Campbell was again the Liberal candidate for the House of Commons. He was elected in 1894, and held it until 1900. He was re-elected in 1900, and held it until 1904.

Mr. Campbell was born at Ridgeway, Ont., on April 27, 1848. He was the son of the late Neil and Flora C. Campbell, natives of Argyllshire, Scotland.

SPARTA PIONEER

Mrs. Nelson Marsh Died at Her Home in St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Jan. 6.—The funeral of Mrs. Nelson Marsh, held this afternoon from her home on Wellington street in this city, was largely attended.

She was born in Malahide, and until about four years ago had resided in Sparta, where she removed to this city.

WILL PRODUCE GREAT MEN

Rev. W. H. Harvey Looks for Mighty Intellects in Canada This Century.

Rev. W. H. Harvey, in the course of his evening sermon in the Askin Street Church on Sunday, stated that it was his unalterable belief that this century would see produced in Canada men of the greatest acumen, ability and intellect.

CONGREGATION SHOULD JOIN IN THE HYMNS

Rev. J. Gibson Inkster Asked His Flock to Take Part in the Singing.

A revival in congregational singing was strongly advocated by Rev. J. G. Inkster in his Sunday evening discourse in the First Presbyterian Church, the sermon bearing on the dedication of the new organ.

The minister maintained that every man and woman should have a capacity for music, but it was to be greatly regretted that so small a percentage had their ability along this line cultivated.

AUTOMOBILE KEEPS PEOPLE FROM CHURCH

Statement of Mr. C. E. Jarvis to the Askin Street Men's League.

That the automobile spirit is detrimental to church attendance was a statement made by Mr. C. E. Jarvis in the course of an address to the Men's League of Askin Street Methodist Church on Sunday.

THE "SALVATION OF CHRIST" CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. H. H. Bingham's Sermon in the Talbot Street Baptist Church.

Rev. H. H. Bingham, of Talbot Street Baptist Church, spoke Sunday night on the subject, "A Great Resolution and Why Made." The text chosen by him was, "I must also see Rome, for I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation unto every one that believeth."

"To see Rome," said Rev. Bingham, "was the one great persistent longing in the life of Paul. He had preached in nearly every centre and had seen the world's greatest cities."

Mr. Campbell is survived by his widow and six children, three daughters—Mrs. Spencer Stone, of Chatham; Mrs. G. S. Deeks, of 77 Admiral road, Toronto; and Mrs. J. E. Wallbridge, of Edmonton, and three sons—Archibald W., Douglas A., and Norman H. Campbell. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. G. S. Deeks, at Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, where service will be held at 2 p.m., and thence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

Held on Sunday in the Centennial Methodist Church.

The Centennial Methodist Church held largely attended anniversary services on Sunday, and in the morning the pulpit was occupied by the former pastor, Rev. G. N. Hazen, now minister of the First Street Church.

His reference to his text, "I will bless thee and thou shalt be a blessing," Mr. Hazen stated that divine blessing, such as Abraham received, and which we must have, is bestowed on any man who is engaged in the present age.

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Monarch Typewriter advertisement featuring an image of the typewriter and text: "hand your writing—especially your business correspondence. It will pay for itself in the better, bigger business it will beget."

Cattle and Produce Markets

PRODUCE. TORONTO, Jan. 4.—Ontario grains continue very quiet, with no special change in prices. Flour also dull.

LIVE STOCK. CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000; market steady. Steers, 15c to 20c lower.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 4.—Business on the markets today was very slack, and the attendance of both buyers and sellers was small.

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 4.—The first market of the new year was the dulllest market in some time.

TORONTO, Jan. 4.—The market is steady, with offerings fairly large. Ontario stock quoted at 75c to 80c per bag.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Cotton—Inland, April and June, 4 1/2; Liverpool, 4 1/2; Manchester, 4 1/2.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The range of prices of futures in New York for the day was as follows: Jan. 4, Jan. 5, Jan. 6.

AMUSEMENTS

A Great Trial Scene Tonight. The central figures in "A Butterfly on the Wheel" are man and wife and a mutual friend.

DAIRY. MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—Butter—Quiet; receipts for the week were 1,765 packages.

A Distinguished English Actor. While many Canadians have had the opportunity and pleasure of seeing Mr. Lewis Waller, the distinguished English actor, portray many well-known parts in England, there are likewise a vast number of Canadians who have not been so fortunate.

A Western Drama, "Billy the Kid." "Billy the Kid" in which Berkeley Haaswell is being featured this season, is one of the best plays of its kind on the road.

SPECIAL AROUND THE WORLD CRUISE

Canadian Pacific Empresses of Russia and Asia

An unusual opportunity for an around the world cruise will be offered by the Canadian Pacific main line or Crow's Nest Pass line and may also travel via Port William or via Great Lakes route to Port McNicoll.

The Empress of Russia will sail from Liverpool April 1 and will call at Gibraltar April 4, Villefranche April 5, Port Said April 12, and will proceed via Suez, Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and arrive at Vancouver, Saturday, June 7.

The most direct connection for make for the sailing from Liverpool April 1 is via Empress of Britain from St. John, N. B., March 21, 1913.

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1913.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LIVE HOGS AT \$8.00 CWT.

Offerings in All Lines Were Small Today.

The bad condition of the country roads prevented many of the farmers from attending the local market today. As a result of the small amount of hay offered last week, the demand today was very brisk, and those loads that were offered were sold at today's price.

The prevailing price at this shipment of live hogs was \$8 per cwt, which is the highest price paid during the last six weeks.

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including Wheat, Oats, Barley, and various meats.

For Other Markets See Page 9

LIVE STOCK. MONTREAL, Jan. 5. West End market: Receipts, Cattle, 1,250; calves, 123; sheep and lambs, 500; hogs, 2,200.

ST. JOHN'S, Jan. 5. Grain shipments for the week ended Jan. 4: Wheat, 461,500 bushels; barley, 15,654 bushels; oats, 19,000 bushels.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. (Special to H. C. Becker.) WHEAT—Open, 91 1/2; High, 92 1/2; Low, 91 1/2; Close, 92 1/2.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. (Special to The Advertiser.) TORONTO, Jan. 6.—Morning prices today:

Table listing Toronto stock exchange prices for various companies like Canadian Pacific, Northern Railway, etc.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Address by Dr. Troy. Dr. F. J. Troy, of New York, addressed a large gathering of men at the Auditorium on Sunday afternoon.

Hurt on Ice Walk. George Hunt, of 215 Grey street, a gardener at Victoria Hospital, slipped on the icy sidewalk on Ottawa avenue directly in front of the hospital.

INDIANS LED THE POLICE A CHASE. Two Redmen Made Fun for Crowds Around Market on Saturday.

MARKET CLERK IN ROW. Offenders Were Fined \$5 Each by P. M. Judd in the Police Court This Morning.

Spilled the Milk. A frisky horse and a sharp turn at the corner of Queen and Elizabeth streets this morning were responsible for the destruction of a milk delivery sleigh belonging to Mr. D. Trimmer.

Death of R. A. Hexter. Mr. Richard Alfred Hexter, of 250 Cheapside street, died at his home on Sunday, aged 69 years.

Personal Mention. Mrs. Gordon Goss, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Milling, Piccadilly.

DISASTROUS FIRE AT S. BATTLEFORD. South Battleford, Sask., Jan. 6.—Fire Saturday night destroyed the Theatre and the Occidental Hotel, and a poolroom, while the Presbyterian church was only saved by the editor using wet blankets.

MORE REALTY DEALS. Property in East London Changes Hands. The Winnipeg syndicate, which purchased the Grubin House, has bought the same and owned by G. B. Smith on Dundas street, east of Rectory, for a large figure.

DIED AT HARRISTON. (Special to The Advertiser.) Harriston, Jan. 5.—David S. Gregory, aged 83 years, is dead at his home here after a brief illness.

ALD. RICHTER KNOWS A GOOD BARGAIN WHEN HE SEES ONE

Stood Out For Spencer Site Which Can Be Sold at High Figure.

The Spencer Block will not be sold by the city council until the new city hall is built on the federal square, or plaza, as some people prefer to call it.

That will be at least three years yet, so there will be no mad rush to dispose of one of the best locations in the city at the present time.

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TALBOT ST. EXAMS. Reports of the Tests at Christmas Time.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT
Normal Lectures.
The lectures at the London Normal School were continued this morning after the Christmas vacation, which extended over three weeks.
Shopper Overcome.
A lady shopper was overcome in a crowd in O Dundas street store Saturday evening and fainted. The police ambulance was summoned and removed her to her home, where her condition rapidly improved.
Mr. Elliot Appointed.
Mr. Hume B. Elliot, K. C. of this city, has been appointed by the attorney-general's department to conduct the crown business at the assizes, which open at the courthouse on Tuesday before Chancellor Boyd.
Industrial School Classes.
The evening classes in connection with the Industrial School will re-open for the winter term this evening, and Principal Bell announces that owing to the large number of students enrolled that the majority of the classes are as large as possible. Several of the classes are not quite filled and any prospective pupils are advised to make their applications this evening to Mr. Bell.

COURT ORIENT OFFICERS
Elections Held at the Annual Meeting of the Lodge.
At the annual election of officers of Court Orient, No. 331, C. O. F., held by the members in their hall, Foresters' block, corner Dundas and English streets, East London, the following officers were elected for the year 1913:
P. C. R. D. W. E. Hough; C. R. W. Riddick; S. C. E. James Scott; chaplain, John Metcalf; financial secretary, E. W. Boyle; recording secretary, G. A. Shaw; treasurer, T. J. May; junior woodward, Geo. Bedgood; junior woodward, H. Miles; senior headie, A. C. Wistow; junior headie, Chas. Pierce; physician, Dr. J. Macarthur; auditor, C. E. Beaumont; trustees, W. J. Wilkey, C. E. Beaumont and A. J. Watson.
This court has made fine progress during the past year and has now a membership of 220.

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WORK BEGINS ON THE NEW FACTORY IN SPRING
McCormick Mfg. Co. Secure Land on Dundas St. East.
The McCormick Manufacturing Company have announced that they have purchased a large block of land on Dundas street, on the north side, east of the Empire Brass Works, as the site for their new factory. The price is \$75,000. A portion of it will be utilized as sites for residences of the employees, who desire to live in the neighborhood, and whose homes will be erected by the company.
The main building will have a frontage of 300 feet on Dundas street. Three other buildings will be grouped about it, one 225 by 100 feet, another 110 by 80 feet, and a third, 110 by 70 feet. The most of them will be three stories in height, although a portion of one of the buildings will be one story.
The factory will be one of the most modern, fireproof in every respect, and with all possible facilities for handling the firm's large business.
In addition, another industry, manufacturing a product largely used by the McCormick Company, will erect a plant next to them. It will be a big industry, employing at least 50 men to begin with.
Will Tear Down Old Factory.
Work will be commenced in the spring, and will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible. The old factory will be torn down. It is expected that the present plant will be removed by the autumn, and the new one will be in operation.
The company will place a number of their employees on a portion of the land purchased. Some time ago, they intimated to the men that they would be given an early opportunity of securing lots at a reasonable figure, and they have carried this plan out. They will undertake to build houses for the men, and will give reasonable terms of payment. It is understood that many employees will avail themselves of this opportunity.

Match in a Closet
Fire in a Residence at 721 Dundas Street.
The fire brigade had a run to the residence of Mr. Albert Wickens, 721 Dundas street, about 11 o'clock last night. A match dropped in a clothes closet ignited the house and threatened the building. The brigade was summoned, and succeeded in getting the fire under control in short order. The damage was fixed at \$15.



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A BIT DIFFERENT.
Widely familiar as the Chateau Laurier has become already, in its short history, which you will find in the Grand Trunk, dealing with its salient features, has served to win for it a host of new friends. One of these is a prominent business man from New England, whose experience of hotel conditions has been both wide and varied, who has written to one of the company's representatives as follows:
"I have just received the Chateau Laurier booklet which you kindly sent to us as promised, and I am very glad indeed to hand it along to some friends of mine who are thinking of a trip to Canada. My wife and I went to Ottawa for no other reason at all but to stay a few days at the new hotel, about which we had heard so much, and it may interest you to know that we were delighted with the house, the efficiency of its service and the cordiality of its management. The hotel is indeed beautiful, and I have no doubt will quickly become a Mecca for tourists who are looking for something 'a bit different.'"

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Announcement was made to the congregation of St. Mary's Church yesterday that one of the two cottages on King street, east of the King Street Presbyterian Church, and abutting at the rear on St. Mary's property, which were recently purchased, has been fitted up as an overflow schoolroom. The cottage is now in use and accommodates a large number of pupils for whom there is not sufficient room at St. Mary's school on Lytle street. The school which is a brick structure, two stories in height, with four large rooms, is now taxed beyond its capacity. Until a couple of years ago only three rooms were made use of. Plans are now being considered for increasing the accommodation either by the erection of a new school or by building an addition to the present building.

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Lady Asked \$500 From County of Middlesex Because of Alleged Bad Roads.

Judge Macbeth on Saturday dismissed the case of Mrs. Jennie Getty, against the County of Middlesex, for \$500 damages, for injuries received in an accident which happened in Westminster Township in August, 1910. The plaintiff claimed that the accident was due to the condition of the county road along which she was driving, while the county contended that the harness of her horse was in a poor state and that the accident was due to the harness breaking.
The judge reserved his decision, but on Saturday announced that he had dismissed the action with costs, if demanded. Mr. P. H. Bartlett acted for the plaintiff, while Mr. J. C. Elliott, of Glencoe, represented the county.

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SALVATION ARMY OFFICER WILL TRY TO SECURE DOMESTIC HELP

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Major McGillivray, chief of the immigration department of the Salvation Army in Western Ontario, will sail this week from Portland, Maine, for Glasgow, by the steamer Ionian. Major McGillivray will travel through Scotland and part of England in the interests of the immigration department of the army, and will try to secure enough domestics and farm laborers to satisfy the demand in this portion of the province at least.
"I will leave Liverpool for Canada on March 7," said Major McGillivray to The Advertiser, "and hope to have

with me a large number of domestics and farm laborers. I do not expect that I will have as easy a time securing help this year as on previous trips, as trade conditions in the old country are much better and the inducements that I will have to offer will have to be better than ever before. The demand for domestics and farm laborers in Western Ontario is greater at present than at this time last year, and applications for help are pouring in every day. During my absence the immigration department will be well looked after, and all applications given the best of attention.
Major McGillivray's headquarters in the old country will be 203 Hope street, Glasgow, Scotland, and all communications addressed to him there in regard to help will be attended to immediately.

A HEAVY VOTE
Temperance People Are Polling Heavily in Forest Elections.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Forest, Jan. 6.—One of the largest votes ever polled here is out today, and temperance people are confident that notwithstanding the handicap of three-fifths they will win easily. With the exception of the canning factory bylaw, it is expected that all the by-laws will be defeated.

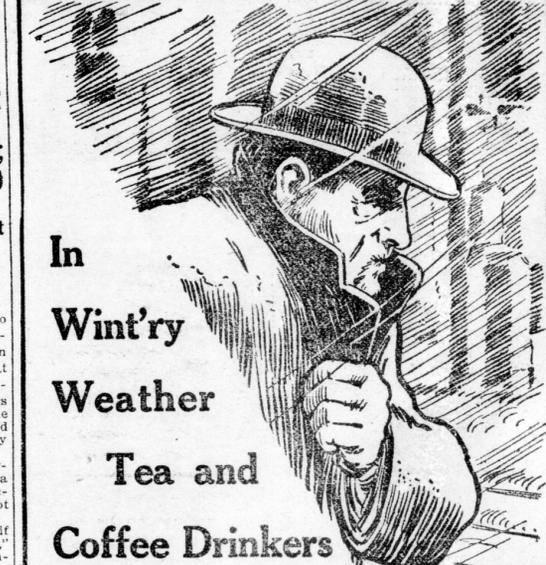
GOMPERS TO TESTIFY
Will Appear Before Congressional Subcommittee on Judiciary.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, Jan. 6.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was one of the first to appear today before the House subcommittee on the judiciary, which took up hearings on the anti-injunction and contempt bills. It was reported that the labor leader's friends expected him to launch a bitter attack on what he had termed in the past the "southern corporations." For that reason there were numerous labor chiefs in the committee room and a good sprinkling of the curious.
Mr. Gompers and his organization are strongly in favor of the enactment of the legislation under consideration. Ever since the Danbury hatters' case, in which the Hatters' Union was fined heavily in a federal court for alleged passage of laws to rectify what, in his belief, was a legal "injustice."

WORK AMONGST THE GREAT LAKES SAILORS
Upper Canada Tract Society Representative Addressed Large Congregations.

Mr. Judson, the representative of the Upper Canada Tract Society on the Welland Canal, addressed a number of congregations in the city yesterday on his work among the sailors on the Great Lakes. Mr. Judson related a number of incidents in connection with his work, which extends from March to December on the water, and for the other three months which is spent in obtaining aid from different churches throughout the province.
Mr. Judson stated that there were at least 8,000 boats on the Great Lakes, and as the majority of them pass through the Welland Canal he comes in contact with at least 50,000 sailors of all denominations and races. The work, according to the speaker, is of great importance, as the great majority of the men have neither the opportunity or desire to attend church, but when the Bible was brought to them on their ships they were very eager to learn more of its teachings.

FLOOD-GUTTRIDGE.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Brimley, Jan. 6.—A pretty wedding took place here recently, when Miss Mary Flood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Flood, became the bride of Mr. D. Guttridge, of Merivale. Mr. and Mrs. Guttridge will reside near Merivale.



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