

O'CONNOR FLAYS ONE WITNESS AT GROCERS' PROBE

Chairman Threatens Salesman With Arrest For Attempted Blackmail.

SOME UNABLE TO BUY

Other Witnesses Admit That They Could Not Obtain Certain Goods.

HAMILTON, March 10.—The feature of the Board of Commerce's investigation today of the alleged grocers' combine here was a threat on the part of Chairman W. F. O'Connor to have A. H. Jolley of this city, salesman for the Kellogg Cereal Company, Toronto, arrested for attempted blackmail of the board and for contempt of court. Mr. Jolley attempted to placate the chairman, but only succeeded in bringing upon himself a stinging rebuke from Mr. O'Connor's tongue. Later Mr. Jolley announced that he had resigned his position with the Kellogg Company, and wished to part friends with Mr. O'Connor.

Robert Dawson, president of the York Trading Company, which he said had a monthly turnover of about \$18,000, said he thought if the organization, which was really a wholesale firm, could buy goods from several concerns, which he named, the consumer would benefit. Asked to specify the benefit that could come to the consumer, Mr. Dawson mentioned toasted corn flakes and prunes.

Ingenuity Comes In. Asked by Commissioner Murdoch how \$13,000 or \$20,000 could be paid by the company on a paid-up capital of \$8,000, the witness replied: "That is where the ingenuity comes in."

Chairman O'Connor said he did not wish to prevent any evidence being taken, but the board had previously ruled that the York Trading Company was a "sham," and not a real wholesale house.

W. E. Sutton, wholesale grocer, Toronto, was asked by A. W. Roebuck, counsel for the board, if he had a list of those with whom his company dealt. The witness replied in the affirmative. Mr. Roebuck said that was all he wanted. Mr. Sutton, he said, had declined to give this information, except by being called before the board.

Fixed England. J. M. Menzies of Stuart & Menzies, Toronto, agents for Crosbie & Blackwell, said the price to dealers was fixed in England, but the retail prices were not fixed. He believed in free competition, he said. Crosbie & Blackwell, he said, had been in business since the 17th century, and Hamilton was the only place in which they ever had any trouble. The trouble in this city, he added, was with W. H. Gillard Company. The company had sold to Pearson and William Carroll in this city. James Somerville of this city, agent

PALE, ANAEMIC GIRLS AND BOYS

Need the Tissue Building, Blood Making, Strengthening Elements Contained in Vinol.

Druggists Guarantee Vinol Will Make Them Strong, Robust and Rosy, or Return Your Money.

It is not natural for a child to be pale, yellow, thin, ailing and puny, with no appetite, and with little limbs, thin and scrawny.

What such children need is more iron in the blood and the strengthening, tissue, and body-building elements of good old-fashioned cod liver oil, without the oil, such as is contained in VINOL, together with other vitality-making ingredients.

VINOL increases the red corpuscles and enriches the blood, quickens the circulation, increases the appetite, aids digestion, so that the cheeks regain their rosy hue and the little limbs fill out round and plump and instead of being thin, ailing, your child is transformed into a happy, healthy child, strong, robust and rosy.

Mrs. L. Andrews of Bainbridge, N. Y., says: "My little daughter, 13 years old, overworked and was run down, tired all the time, nervous and had headaches. She couldn't eat and had to stay out of school. VINOL has built her up. She has a good appetite, no more headaches and has returned to school."

For all anæmic, nervous, anæmic conditions, weak women, overworked men, feeble old people and delicate children there is no remedy like VINOL.

SCIENTISTS FIND MEANEST DISEASE

Colds Weaken the System and Pave the Way for Flu.

There is nothing that will sour your temper quicker than a cold in the head. Most people will snifle and cough until they become sick enough to see a doctor who in nearly every case prescribes standard remedies and drugs for a cure. The standard prescription which has been used by physicians successfully for many years is now put up in capsule form under the name of Grip-Fix. The exact formula is on every box and the makers of Grip-Fix invite you to submit it to your family physician for his approval.

When you notice the first symptoms of a cold coming on, take Grip-Fix capsules according to the directions on the box. If these directions are followed to the letter your cold will be relieved in a night.

A good plan is to always keep a box of Grip-Fix in your house. You are always in danger of colds and when you have Grip-Fix with you, you can feel immune. It is easy to cure if taken at the start. There is nothing more foolish than to let a cold "run its course."

Grip-Fix may be obtained at any drug store at 35 cents a box. Be sure to remember the name and to avoid substitutes. There is no real substitute for Grip-Fix.

DEWART INSISTS LIBERALS HAVE VOICE IN HYDRO

Declares Other Parties Represented On Commission.

TORONTO, March 10.—The moving and seconding of an address in reply to the speech from the throne, and a demand from H. Hartley Dewart, Liberal leader, for the appointment of a Liberal to the Ontario Hydro Commission, constituted the program of the fifteenth Legislature of Ontario at its first business session this afternoon.

The reply to the speech from the throne was moved by Rev. Edgar Watson, U. F. O. member for North Victoria, and seconded by Wilson Crockett, Labor member for South Wentworth. Mr. Watson, in his address, sounded a strong appeal against class legislation, affirming his intention of crossing to the other side of the House if the Government attempted anything of this nature. "This is the day of co-operation. We should see to it that the co-operation of the few at the expense of the many is not permitted to continue. I do not say that the farmers should not be given a voice in the control of marketing of their products. They should have more to say about this than they have at present. The middlemen oppress both producers and consumers."

Labor Platform. Wilson Crockett of Wentworth dealt with the Labor platform in seconding the reply. He opposed military training in Ontario's schools and advocated the supplying of text books to pupils at cost. He admitted the need for greater production and suggested that in view of the demand that inmates of asylums should receive more outdoor exercise, they might be employed in some form of gardening to help relieve the existing shortage.

H. Hartley Dewart, Liberal leader, inquired of Premier Drury whether the Premier intended to accept the offer of the Premier to leave the matter in abeyance.

Should Be Liberal. Mr. Dewart pointed out that the Conservative party was now represented by Sir Adam Beck, and the U. F. O. by Sir Arthur Meacham. In view of this he expressed the opinion that the third member should be a Liberal.

Mr. Dewart also asked whether the public accounts could not be brought before the House earlier in the session than in the past. He pointed out that Hon. Peter Southey, business treasurer, was responsible for the accounts, which had been incurred by the late government.

"I see no reason why the public accounts cannot be brought down next week," Hon. Mr. Smith replied. "Almost every member of the House was in his seat during the afternoon. The resignation of Hon. Dr. Cuddy, member for Northeast Toronto, and former minister of education, was announced by the speaker. It had already been foreseen."

Big Guns Coming. H. Hartley Dewart, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson and Premier Drury are expected to join in the debate on the speech from the throne tomorrow.

R. L. Backin of West Kent has given notice of a bill to amend the wages act by increasing from \$25 to \$30 the amount of an employee's wages which is exempt from a garnishee. He also gives notice of a resolution to investigate the operation of rural credit banks in Canada and to prepare a bill for the operation of a satisfactory system of such banks in Ontario.

IF HOME RULE BILL PASSES, ULSTER WINS, DECLARES CARSON

Lucky, He Says, To Get It Without Fighting.

BELFAST, Ireland, March 10.—Sir Edward Carson, addressing today delegates to the Ulster Unionist council from all over the province, said that if the present home rule bill passed Ulster won. They would be lucky, he added, in getting without fighting what they had covetted to fight for.

A resolution by Lord Farnham calling on the council to abide by the covenant and refuse to accept any form of government which did not include the whole of Ulster was defeated.

A resolution was then adopted affirming faith in the legislative union of Great Britain and Ireland, but pronouncing the proposed home rule bill preferable to the bill of 1914.

ALL WITNESSES AT KAPUSKASING PROBE HAVE BEEN HEARD

The Government Commission Leaves Settlement.

KAPUSKASING, Ont., March 10.—The government commission which has been investigating the conditions at the soldiers' settlement at Kapuskasing concluded the taking of testimony here today after examining more than 60 witnesses, and left tonight for the east.

The chief witness today was H. E. Sheppard, superintendent of the settlement during the last year, who said that the group system of clearing the settlers' land was adopted soon after his arrival here, on instructions from Toronto. There had been an overcharge on the material used in one of the houses, Mr. Sheppard said. He had intended to credit the settler with the difference due him, but following a promise made by Deputy Minister Albert Grigg that a revaluation of the house would be made, he had done nothing.

Ernest Hardman, colony accountant, said the store profits in 1915 were approximately \$4,000. He said there was a deficit of \$3.17 in 1915.

STEAMER ARRIVALS. ST. JOHN, N.B., March 10.—Arrived: Str. Pioneer (British), Norfolk.

Clearing: 9th.—Steamer Castellano, Antwerp.

Sailed: 9th.—Str. Eskasoni, Norfolk; reported passing Briar Island, inward bound.

Nothing will give such prompt relief as AFRICAN OIL the chest disappears, the fever subsides and the whole body becomes more comfortable. Never known a single case of influenza to result in pneumonia when AFRICAN OIL was used. Get a 50c bottle today from the African Oil Company, 22 Sandwich street E., Windsor, or at your druggist.

APRIL 12

LABOR PARTY IS CUT OFF FROM BRITISH GOVT.

Wardle, Parliamentary Secretary To Labor Ministry, Resigns Position.

WAS DRAMATIC SURPRISE

Constituency of Stockport Now Has Both Seats in Commons Vacant.

LONDON, March 10.—The Labor party became entirely disassociated from the Government in ministerial work with the resignation today of George J. Wardle, parliamentary secretary to the ministry of labor.

Mr. Wardle announced that he retired because of ill-health. The food controller, George H. Roberts, Labor member for Greenwich and Woolwich, Barnes, minister without portfolio and Labor member for Glasgow, recently resigned.

The press generally has been predicting for some time that labor would sever itself from the Government in order to leave itself free to conduct

GIVE STOMACH WHAT IT NEEDS

The Alkaline Effect of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Usually Corrects the Stomach Faults That Provoke Attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

To sit back after a good meal and know there is not going to be sour risings, gas, drowsiness and discomfort is the logical result of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets immediately after eating. Most people believe they can trace each attack of indigestion to the something they ate and can still "taste" it. And it surprises them, invariably, to note how quickly relief comes after using one or two of these tablets.

Whether it is highly seasoned food, rich pastry, the heavy hearty foods or some one particular offender the relief comes just the same. Those who are susceptible to attacks of indigestion or dyspepsia should try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets as they supply the stomach with an alkaline effect just as it does naturally when it is working in a perfectly healthy condition.

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A Cure For Bad Breath

"Bad breath is a sign of decayed teeth, foul stomach or unclean bowel." If your teeth are good, look to your digestive organs at once. Get Selig's Curative Syrup at druggists. Fifteen to thirty drops after meals, clean up your food passage and stop the bad breath odor; 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Do not buy substitutes. Get the genuine.

FIRE LOSSES TOTAL 26 MILLIONS IN MONTH

NEW YORK, March 10.—The losses by fire in Canada and the United States during the month of February as compared with the corresponding months of January and December, each a total of \$26,631,500, as compared with \$26,891,500 for the same month last year.

GENERAL YUDENITCH ON WAY TO PARIS

STOCKHOLM, March 10.—(Havas).—General Yudenitch, former commander of the Russian northwest army, arrived here today on board a torpedo boat. He is on his way to Paris.

INDEPENDENCE FOR EGYPT DECLARED BY ASSEMBLY MEMBERS

Fifty-Two Legislators Denounce British Protectorate.

LONDON, March 10.—Fifty-two members of the Egyptian Legislative Assembly recently met at the house of Said Zagloul Pasha, who headed the Egyptian mission to the peace conference, and adopted a resolution proclaiming the independence of Egypt and the Sudan, according to a dispatch from Cairo.

The resolution also protested against the suspension of the assembly and denounced the British protectorate.

Old-Time Sunday Schoolers ATTENTION!

You remember the days when you attended Sunday school? Perhaps you still attend. You know what Sunday school meant to you and other youngsters. All the worth-while social events of your neighborhood centered at the Sunday school. The Young People's Society meetings, the Band of Hope, the annual festival, all such gatherings and events, how they did figure in your childhood life! Can you imagine what it would have meant to miss these things?

350 London Children Are Without a Sunday School

Through the loss by fire on February 7th last of Egerton Street Baptist Church, the 350 children of that congregation are without a Sunday School. Their fathers and mothers are not people of means, and cannot do very much towards providing a new Church and Sunday School.

Do Help These Children Get Their Sunday School Back

The undersigned committee was formed for the purpose of raising money to assist the stricken congregation in rebuilding their House of Worship. It was decided to ask the public to subscribe \$20,000 towards this work. The congregation cannot do it alone. It is hoped the people will respond generously to this appeal, particularly on account of the little children, who miss their Sunday School.

Please send cheques payable to

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NOT SELLING WEST INDIES.

Senator Hitchcock proposes that the United States take over the Bahamas, Bermuda, Jamaica and other British possessions in the Caribbean in lieu of Great Britain's war debt to the United States. That would be a wonderful bargain for the United States and the British Government is well aware of it. Lloyd George has announced that the British West Indies will not be sold, traded or in any other way disposed of. This will be good news to the people of the various islands who are openly opposed to separation from Great Britain. That is the main and best reason why there should be no change.

LENINE EARNS THANKS.

Russia's spectacular demonstration of what Bolshevism means has acted as an excellent deterrent to the spread of the doctrine in other lands. Lenin and Trotsky boasting talked of conquering all nations by the rapid spread of their social gospel, but the horrible state that has fallen upon Russia through the application of Lenin's mad policy has caused other nations to repudiate Bolshevism in an uncertain manner. England, France and the United States have curbed the lawless Red missionaries firmly and quickly. Even Germany, prostrate and desperate, has refused to be converted. The organized mischief-makers have been deported by the thousands and the great labor organizations have officially declared against anything that even approaches Bolshevism. Bolshevism points to Russia as an example of its perfect work, and that crimson record is sufficient to arouse the active hostility of any decent, justice-loving people to its introduction. The nations owe Lenin a vote of thanks for his lurid demonstration of how impossible of adoption is his dogma of disorder and discontent by the western world.

A GOOD BEGINNING.

That the new Ontario Government opened its inaugural session with no glaring departure from accustomed ceremonial of the past, and without any startling announcement of radical innovations and reforms, is no surprise to those who have studied closely the agrarian movement for some years back and have kept in touch with the political organization work of the farmers' yokel-fellows of the shop and forge.

The farmers' political movement is the product of no mushroom growth, but has been slowly, patiently and deliberately thought and planned for at least half a dozen years. It is perfectly reasonable to expect that the same thought and deliberation that won the farmers the Government benches in the Legislature will characterize their parliamentary acts. Besides, the labor political forces have been effected by concentration on a few essential points of unity and the agreement of labor radicals of every shade of political opinion to leave their pet theories and persuasions in reserve until time shows that they can be taken up one by one and considered for practical application without danger of disrupting either the labor organization or the Labor-Farmer Government.

Dreamers and idealists, far-seeing visionaries, as well as shrewd agrarian and industrial economists, occupy Government benches in the new Legislature. There are ideals to be visualized, reforms to be wrought by patient effort, sweeping advances in the progress of civilization, to be achieved by these Ontario pioneers in working-class government, for if the farmers do not belong to the working-class they belong to no class at all. But dreamers and reformers who have waited long for their day of triumph have learned the lessons of patience. They know that great reforms must come slowly, that undue haste and lack of deliberation may jeopardize ideals that they hold dearly. They know that sturdy oaks grow slowly. The sunflower grows high and resplendent in a little season, but the slow-maturing oak gives shade and beauty for a century.

The new Government announced a "balanced" good roads policy. Why not? The farmer, the industrial traffic manager, and the automobile tourist have different ideas as to what road policy should be adopted. Deliberation and a medium path will be fairer to all than irrevocable commission to a sweeping policy of road-building that many critics would rise up to thwart. Mothers' pensions and labor legislation are to come, but not with any blare of trumpets or blare of color. The most truly utilitarian policy will doubtless be adopted. Some governments begin their course with a mad lavishing of gifts and emoluments which are often not really what the recipients want. Has the new Government really had time to realize what the great majority of mothers and the great majority of laboring men want? Why should a government, least of all a new government, decide what it shall do for a great and extensive class solely upon the representations of a small delegation of society women whose pet hobby is participating in delegations? Or, why should it frame its labor reforms immediately upon the advice of non-laboring dilettantes who know what is good for everybody except themselves?

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The public schools are to be encouraged, as they should be. The Farmers' Government had its embryonic growth a generation ago in the little red schoolhouse where boys and girls were well and thoroughly educated, even if there was a little too much cramming. Today raffle work, song and dances replace in importance the history, geography and rhetoric which gave the members of the Farmers' Government their real start in life.

Public libraries are to be assisted, because the farmers know the value of good literature in cultivating broad and independent viewpoints. In the leisure hours, the long winter evenings on the lonely homesteads, it was the wide and unbiased reading of a few good books and magazines, periodicals not skimmed through as business men read their superfluity of newspapers, but digested paragraph by paragraph, that gave the farmers their comprehensive and independent grasp of political and social situation.

Far out at sea are those who facetiously assert the Farmers' Government is not radical enough. Of course, if it had started off with some very revolutionary program, "radical" in the latter-day meaning of the word, these same critics would have most loudly whined and bemoaned the lack of a stable and constructive government. But "radical" in its original meaning implies getting at the root of things. And only by patient digging and picking can one get at the root of anything big enough to be enduringly worth while.

That traditional ceremony of legislative openings in the past was uninspired means nothing. The farmers are too busy to emulate Don Quixote by tilting at harmless windmills of tradition. There are real evils to be attacked, real reforms to be accomplished. They are poor radicals, indeed, who would stop to play a peacock while a rattlesnake orboa-constructor remained a living menace to human welfare. But not all serpents are deadly. Some help agriculture by destroying baneful insects. The farmers will think before they strike. After all, what is most needed is constructive and unfettered thought.

QUEBEC'S LABOR MOVEMENT.

The Catholic labor movement of Quebec has emerged from obscurity to a position of undoubted power. Born in the shadow of the church, led in its earlier stages by twenty-five lay brothers, workmen-scholars, its influence is now felt in almost every labor council of the towns and cities of Quebec.

The program of the Catholic labor movement, as outlined at the Three Rivers conference could not, in its very character, be limited to organization work. Recognition by the provincial and federal authorities must be achieved. Some of the recommendations adopted could be put into effect only by the Provincial Government of Quebec. Some were of such a character that they must come within the scope of the Federal Government. One resolution, for instance, asks specifically for official recognition by the Dominion Minister of Labor, and for representation on all federal commissions on which labor is represented. Moreover, the declared policy of the Catholic labor movement, as outlined by its protagonists, is to exert its influence on labor legislation "to prepare labor legislation inspired by the principles of Catholic sociology."

Thus, the Catholic movement cuts across the orthodox labor policy of the Dominion Government in two ways. First, it is opposed in principle to the international trade unions, which go to make up four-fifths of the membership of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada. Secondly, it subordinates the policy of its local unions and of its general labor councils to the approval of the Church of Rome. In certain of the Catholic unions and councils, the subordination is qualified as applying only to question touching on morality or the discipline of the church. But elsewhere it appears that "morality" is involved in strikes and wage-claims of an economic character.

The constitution of the Central Labor Council of the district of Quebec contains, for example, the following regulations, applying to the central council and component unions:

- (1) The . . . council, union or fraternity is a labor organization openly and frankly Catholic.
- (2) It recognizes, consequently, that all its acts are dependent on the tribunal of conscience; that they should be ruled by justice and Christian charity, and that, moreover, they should be in conformity with the teachings and the directions of the religious authorities in this diocese.
- (3) The . . . council, union or fraternity undertakes not to declare strikes without having first exhausted all means of conciliation within reach.
- (4) The . . . council, union or fraternity will ask His Grace the Archbishop of Quebec for the services of a chaplain. Appointment of the latter will be in the hands of the religious authorities of the diocese.
- (5) The chaplain is a member, by right, of the executive committee of the general assembly of members. He takes part in all deliberations, but does not vote. He may require that a resolution be submitted to the Archbishop of Quebec and approved by him before coming into effect. Every resolution adopted in his absence must be communicated to him before taking effect.

Article 3 of the constitution of the National Union of Employees of the Quebec Fire Department further emphasizes the religious aspect of the Catholic unions. The article in part reads:

"The union . . . recognizes the right and ability of the church to define, in labor matters, what is just and unjust, what is permitted, and what is forbidden, and pledges itself as a body to conform fully and religiously, while pursuing its objects, to the teachings and directions of religious authority."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Some of Sir Thomas White's policies, if adopted, would make a black prospect.

Burglary is becoming so common that pretty soon we may see it industrialized.

An exchange refers to the "heroes who fought the flu." Most of them were heroines.

A Washington news dispatch says President Wilson has for months past been suffering from a severe attack of bile. That's what the anti-treaty senators have believed for a long time.

From Here and There

WITHERED HOLLY.

[Will H. Ogilvie in Westminster Gazette.]
The dust lies deep on your burnished leaves;
Your gleaming berries are stained and sore;
Over the twigs you tread like thieves
The thoughts we left to the banished year.

The reindeer's feet are dumb on the hill;
The bells are hushed by the howling blast;
Why should you stoop with your memories still,
When the wreaths are torn and the revel past?

Life has gone back to its caves of care;
Youth has returned to its even round;
Why should you hang in the silence there,
When the banquet gardens are all unbowed?

I will carry you back to the brave old earth,
To the frost and the winds I will set you free;
You shall tell your stories of joy and mirth
To the barren north and the leafless tree.

DRESS A LA MODE.

[London Daily Telegraph.]
The world is full of fancy dress. Most of the dances which get into the papers, and a great many of those which do not, demand that the guests should come as anybody but themselves. There are those who have explained this vogue by the fact that many of the dances are now so ugly and graceless as to produce a universal craving to get out of it at every opportunity. Against this we may place the explanation that people are now so free and at ease in their clothes as to make every dress a fancy dress, and the two dicta may be left to cancel each other. Some austere moralists take occasion to censure their fellow-creatures for an indulgence in grand display and extravagant impropriety, but we do not know that the fancy dress is more obnoxious to this censure than the fashions of the moment. Whenever such recurring accusations are heard, it is the contention that the ninety-nine modest dresses which do nobody any harm, and the great stimulus to immorality is talk about it.

PREFERS DEEDS TO WORDS.

[La Presse.]
The employees at the postoffice at Montreal have just received from the federal authorities a list of questions which are to be answered by them, the list has printed in the papers, and the employees have no objection to the government's demanding, directly or indirectly, all the information they consider necessary to aid the good administration of the postal department. But, to say the least, we find it strange to interrogate solely in English employees who in the very great majority speak the French language. If the government wishes us to take seriously the kindly speech that Sir George Foster made recently on the subject of the French language, it ought to give its orders accordingly to the directors of the local postoffices. All speeches made in favor of language in parliament or elsewhere, give us great pleasure. But we prefer deeds to words.

THE GREAT WARSHIPS.

[Exchange.]
It is doubtful whether the new battle cruiser Hood, recently taken over by the British Admiralty, and the largest warship in the world, could go through the Panama Canal. The canal is only 110 feet wide. The Hood is 104 feet wide, and the canal locks are only 110 feet wide. This would leave but six feet on either side of the ship, which is too little for safety.

Some of the naval critics are inclined to think that the Hood would be more serviceable if she were of smaller dimensions, but that is a question of size. The Hood is nearly 14 feet wider than the Tiger, her nearest rival in size, is only 43 feet shorter than the Aquitania, the largest British merchantman, and 40 feet shorter of the Imperator. Experts are anxiously waiting to see just what the results of her huge armament will be, and how the tremendous extra weight will affect the whole efficiency of the ship. In this connection attention is directed to the fact that the Hood's guns are so constructed that the Hood's 15-inch guns can be elevated to 30 degrees, extending their range to approximately 40,000 yards, or about 22½ statute miles. A better idea of what the Hood's range in action is given when it is recalled that the Dogger Bank fight was opened at 20,000 yards, the Jutland battle at 18,500 yards, and the Coronel engagement at 11,000 yards.

The great size of the Hood—she is 850 feet long—is in striking contrast to the size of the largest warships built twenty years ago. For instance, the Terrible and the Powerful were the world's longest ships in 1900—each 320 feet on the waterline. Six years later the ships of the Invincible class measured 667 feet in length. Now comes the Hood, nearly 300 feet longer.

UNIONS OF MISTRESSES AND MAIDS.

[London Times.]
It was decided at the conference in the Central Hall, Westminster, to form an association of mistresses for the purpose of working harmoniously with the maids' organization. Later a meeting of employees convened by the Women's Industrial League resolved to form a Domestic Workers' Union.

Miss Julia Varley of the Workers' Union, addressing the assembly of mistresses and domestic employees, expressed the opinion that a body composed of the mistresses and maids could be formed for domestic workers. Unless the maids and mistresses came together the misunderstanding which at present existed could not be removed. Her object was to raise the status of domestic service, so that it should be equal to that of any other calling that girls followed. She hoped that it would soon be impossible for little drudges to be taken from the charity schools and employed at miserable and insufficient wages.

Although she advocated the formation of a union for the girls, she was not in favor of strikes, for her experience was that if employers and employees came together most difficulties could be removed. The working of an association in Birmingham was explained. There the girls were employed under a definite charter, which fixed the conditions of work, hours, payment, clothing, time, and so on.

The advisability of forming an association of mistresses and maids was discussed. One person present was afraid that if the maids formed an association and a general strike was called, all the maids, being members of a trade union, would have to come out, and the mistresses would be left stranded.

The meeting resolved to form an Association of Mistresses, with the idea of working with the Maids' Association to bring about a better understanding between mistress and maid.

Addressing the workers' meeting, Miss Varley said that an advantage of the union would be that the present and only too common opinion, that only girls who were "duds" went into domestic service, would be combated and ultimately suppressed. Only bright and intelligent girls were fit for domestic work. If that were so, it was only natural that the conditions should be improved. It was unanimously decided to form a Domestic Workers' Union.

WHAT TO EAT.

[Toronto Mail and Empire.]
"What to eat" generally is asked to solve the riddle of "How to live long." But Thomas A. Edison talked of it a few days ago as the solution of how to think well and work much. This remarkable man has reached the age of 73 years, to be still the greatest living applied scientist. The morning he attained his 73rd birthday, which was last Thursday, he rose at 6 o'clock and was in the laboratory at his work at West Orange by 8:30 o'clock. Without being a slave to work, he considers life given him to work. Withdrawing himself from the sustenance it should get, he eats to live, "I take good care of this machine of mine," said Mr. Edison, indicating his body, but probably thinking of his head. "I don't eat more than a pound and a half of food any day," he explained, because, as he added, "over-eating is cutting down men's efficiency and the length of their lives more than anything else that I know of." This country, declared Mr. Edison, alluding to the United States, but he could equally truly have included Canada, "is consuming three times as much food as she ought; better habits would lower the cost of living and raise men's capacity for work. Germans ate too much, and I think that's one reason for their failure," suggested Mr. Edison.

However that may be, may be a matter for dispute, but there is no question about the life of Mr. Edison being a testimony of the old dictum that seems to have guided more great men than could be enumerated, if their names were printed in this paper: "Eat to live, and not live to eat." "High thinking" and not "high living" and low thinking," as it most frequently is.

Love of the Wild

By Archie P. McKishnie

He stood in the open doorway until he saw Faisley, Decatur and Peeler overtake Broadbrook far down the snow-packed path. Then he turned into the house, blew out the candle, and sat down before the fire. By and by dreams came to him; they always came to him when the night was late and he was alone by the dying fire. Sweet and restful dreams they were, too, at times, when they were of the wide wood playground of used-to-be and he roamed the forest aisles with gloss, and they were just "boy and girl," and the world was theirs. But there were other dreams—dreams that brought a shadow to his eyes as unreadable and understandable as the shadow that sometimes dipped across the ridges, whose spirit he had caught and held. Tonight the shadow was there, and the dream was not of the water, marsh, or woodland, nor of the wild things, nor of Davis. But the girl was there—she was always there, growing up out of the dead used-to-be in spite of bitter thoughts and gnawing pain. And Boy saw her face tonight, gloriously glad and strong and beautiful.

His love was a bound prisoner, and only the spirit of worship, sublime and beautiful, enshrined in his world, and the girl's with his sanctity. He did not realize what he was holding bound; he realized only that he was but a thing of the Wild, whose heart had caught and held at a low word, whose soul had surged at the touch of a warm breath. He did not know that Gloss loved him. He did not realize his power. He was one of God's strong men.

Then the dream became of the marsh and water, and there was not a single cloud in the world of the Wild, and in the deep quiet of his peace, Boy slept. But he did not realize his power. He was one of God's strong men.

When he awoke the grey dawn was peering into the room and he was alone beside the dying embers. But he saw her face in the oasis, and it was his nature to be content with little. After all, there would always be something left of which no earthly power could deprive him.

CHAPTER XXVII.

While the Rain Fell.

Watson looked at the clock and his pipe alight, glanced across at Smythe, who was standing before the window. It was evening, and the falling rain was soothing, swishing music against the pane and upon the low roof of the storekeeper's apartment. At last he spoke.

"I told you we were playing a losing game," he growled, "and here we are waiting like a pair of trapped foxes for the end. A mighty shrewd pair we've been, but we're fools. This double game don't go, Smythe. I've played it all my life—and what have I got by it? Nothing—absolutely nothing."

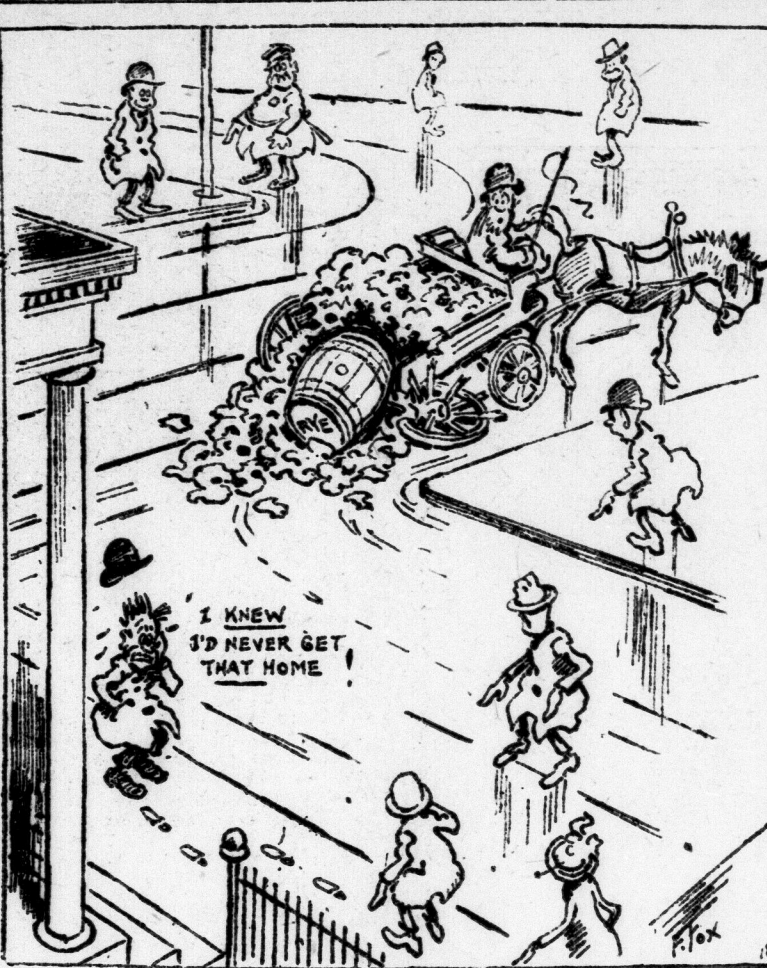
Mr. Smythe smiled a faint smile and smoothed his hair with a thin hand. "You're right," he said, "but we have been a little indiscreet," he returned. "That last move of ours was foolish—very foolish—but, Thomas, we had to protect ourselves, and—ahem! we had to do what Simpson wished."

"Do you think I would have let that cur lay a finger on that little girl?" cried Watson, who here, Smythe's place, now the trail is clear."

"He will likely go as soon as he can," said Smythe in a low voice. "The weather hasn't stopped him from going before now."

"But there's nothing to stop him now," broke in Watson. "The trail's clear, as you know, and winter is about spent. Cursed one it has been, too," he added with a shiver.

Smythe came over and sat on the

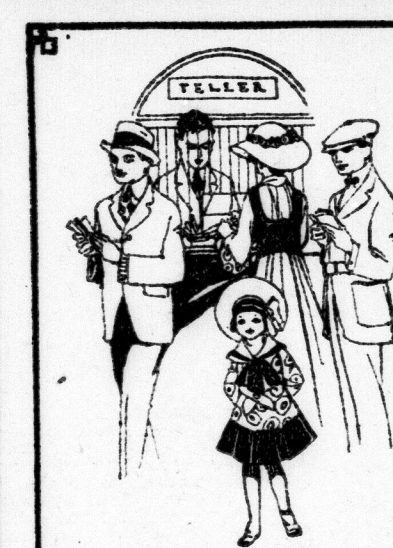


The wagon of the rags-and-iron man breaks down disclosing a rather unusual load.

Smythe crept over to the window and pulled down the blind. The rain was falling heavily now and the wind had risen to a roar that shook the solid structure.

"My friend," he smiled, "kindly invite our guest up to the council chamber. Place now. It's almost suicide for him to attempt it."

Watson glanced at the speaker and wiped his face on his hand. "I wish there was some way to pre-vent his going," he returned. "—If only for a day or two. We've got to get out of here—that's all."



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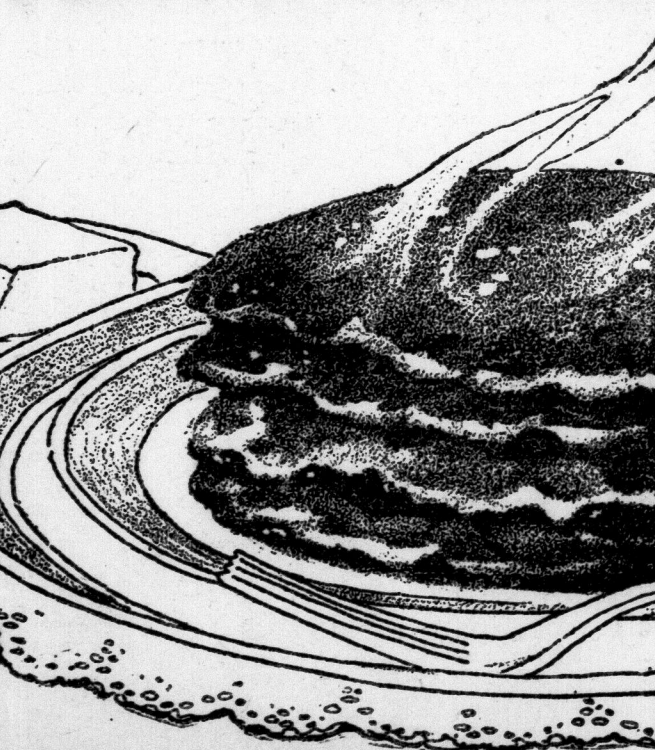
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For heaven and earth are very close together. Though he is there, he is not far. He could not leave the dear ones loved so fondly. Even in heaven to stay.

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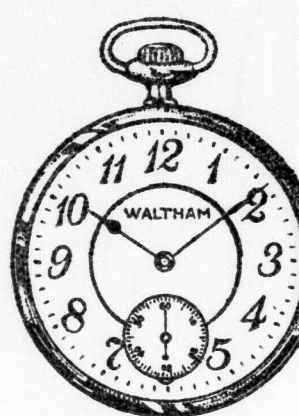
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MAN CRUSHED TO DEATH IN ENGINE AT ALVINSTON FLAX MILL

Neil Walker, Aged 55, Dies After Three Hours' Suffering.

ALVINSTON, March 10.—A fatal accident occurred here at noon today, when Neil Walker, one of the oldest residents of Alvinston, who was engaged in running the engine at the flax mill, in some unexplainable manner became entangled in it, stopping the machinery. Men immediately ran to his rescue. He was unconscious when picked up, but recovered consciousness and lived for about three hours, when an internal hemorrhage caused his death. Mr. Walker was about 55 years of age and unmarried. He lived with and supported his aged mother.

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STREET RAILWAY COMPANY CLAIMS IT IS UNABLE TO PAY ITS SHARE OF PAVING

Local Manager Says Compliance With City's Request Is Out of Company's Power—More Definite Control of Queen's Park Wanted.

Inability to pay accounts due against it for paving was alleged by the London Street Railway Company in a letter to No. 1 committee of the city council Wednesday afternoon. The legality of the account was admitted, but extension of time was asked until President Charles Corrie could come to the city and interview the council.

The account totals \$5,368, and is for the season of pavement laid for the street railway on Rectory street last year. No action was taken on the matter. City Treasurer Bell said that interest should be paid on the account in the event of the extension being granted.

Another letter from Local Manager J. King claimed that it would be absolutely impossible for the company to carry out its share of the paving on the streets designated by the city this year. He asserted that no capital could be obtained for the purpose, and that it was out of the company's power to comply with the request. This letter was brought before the committee merely as a matter of information, as No. 2 committee will deal with the question.

M. Hunt appeared on behalf of the Western Fair Association to ask the establishment of a more definite control of Queen's Park. At present the Fair Board each control a section of it. Mayor Little and Ald. Harley were appointed a committee to confer with the Fair Board. The Utilities Commission will be asked to appoint representatives to this committee also.

Mr. Hunt also asked that a lane extending from York street to Campbell street adjoining the fair grounds be closed to permit the extension of the ground in that direction in event of the board purchasing the property. It is thought that this thoroughfare is not registered, and there will be no difficulty in complying with the request. The title of the land will be investigated.

J. H. Saunders appeared before the committee to ask a grant of \$400 for the Western Ontario Consignment and Sales Company. This organization will hold a stock sale in London toward the end of the month, at which it is expected that sales to the extent of \$60,000 will be made. Mr. Saunders urged that the stock breeders should be encouraged, and that the holding of such sales here might lead eventually to a winter fair.

The committee pointed out that it had only granted \$200 to consignment held here, and did not see how it could make a larger grant for this purpose. A grant of \$200 was accordingly made. This will be used with a grant from the county for prizes in the stock-judging competition which will be held before the sale.

MOTOR CLUB TO PUT ON A BIG DRIVE FOR BIGGER MEMBERSHIP

Executive Feels That Club At Present Lacks Full Effectiveness.

An intensive campaign for new members will be conducted by the London Motor Club. The executive, at its first meeting of the present year, decided that the time had come when something should be done to put the local club on a footing comparable to those of other cities and towns, many of which boasted memberships far greater proportionately than that of the London organization.

In order to deal with the situation as effectively as possible the executive decided to call a motorists' mass meeting in the member of commerce rooms next Monday evening, for the purpose of planning a campaign for new members. The full list of automobile owners will be available, and teams will be chosen to canvass all of these systematically.

The executive felt that, with three thousand owners of automobiles in the city, at least half this number should be members of the club in order that demands made on behalf of motorists generally might carry weight with the city council. The condition of the unpaved streets of the city was one matter which the club could take up with the council, and the good prospect of securing improvement if the membership were really representative. With an adequate membership, also, it would be able to erect a directing sign at every road intersection in Middlesex County, and to maintain a service and information bureau.

LINEN INDUSTRY SERIOUSLY DISRUPTED BY GREAT WAR

W. R. Grant Talks of Textiles at Businessmen's Forum.

W. R. Grant of Robinson & Little addressed the Businessmen's Forum in the Y. M. C. A. last night on "The Textile Industry." He claimed that the course of his lecture that cotton was one of the most important textiles of the world. Speaking of the different grades of cotton, he said that the world recognized Sea Island cotton as the finest grade of cotton. The reason for this was that it was grown in the island where the cotton was grown. The cotton grown in the Southern States was known to the cotton trade of Europe simply as American cotton. Mr. Grant was regarded as the leader of the cotton textile industry of the world. Speaking of the export of cotton, Mr. Grant said that India and China were the greatest users of cotton.

Mr. Grant referred to other textiles, and said that linen was coming back into its own. He said that the greatest setback that the linen industry had ever experienced. The finest grade of flax was obtained from Belgium, and when war broke out this source of supply was stopped. Mr. Grant outlined the origin of the linen industry, and the fight that was made to hold the industry from falling back into the hands of the cotton manufacturers, who were competing for the world trade.

The re-establishing of the linen industry started when the first steam-driven loom was perfected in the year 1812, and ever since that time it had been going ahead with leaps and bounds. China was the first country to introduce silk into Europe. Mr. Grant claimed. The silk manufacturers in Japan had invaded every country of the world, but the record for the largest amount of silk textile manufactured was held by Italy.

Mr. Grant concluded his interesting talk by stating that Great Britain's export of textiles in 1919 was the greatest that she had ever known.

D. McArthur of the London and Western Trust Company gave an interesting but technical talk on mortgage corporations, and the carrying out of their functions.

At The Theaters

MADGE KENNEDY HEADS DOUBLE PROGRAM AT ALLEN WITH CONSTANCE TALLMADGE. PICTURE AN ADDED ATTRACTION.

Another big double program is presented at the Allen today, tomorrow and Saturday, headed by charming and mischievous little Madge Kennedy in her new picture, "The Blooming Angel." The comedy of "his delightful romance of the commercial world brings forth the laughs, like Easter brings out new clothes. Madge just won't let you stay serious for one minute. You'll rock with laughter as she pulls one stunt after another on the dear people who mean success or failure to her daring raid on the cold cream market.

Constance Tallmadge, in her delightful romance "Up the Road with Sally," is a story of the adventures of a young maid and her romantic aunt, who venture out as automobile tramps, in a high-powered car, and meet many enticing adventures on the way, among them being two charming highwaymen, who prove to be no highwaymen at all. Among the extra attractions will be selected comedies, Allen News and scenic pictures. Students matinee at 4:30 daily.

EUGENE O'BRIEN AT THE MAJESTIC, TOMORROW AND SATURDAY.

Presented at the Majestic today, tomorrow and Saturday is Eugene O'Brien's second starring picture, "Scared Hens," in which Eugene has the role of an adopted son of a millionaire, who falls in love with his beautiful young step-mother; the charming youthfulness attracts the emotions of this charming young woman, who married an old man at the instigation of her parents, and the extra attractions will be a special comedy production, travel pictures and the latest news weeklies.

DOUBLE FEATURE BILL AT THE GRAND TODAY.

A double feature picture program will be shown at the Grand today only. "The Still Alarm," the great English melodrama that has been traveling large audiences to the theatre the first part of the week, will have its final showing here. The second feature will be Sidney Olcott's stupendous heart interest spectacle, "The Belgian Blue," starring Whitehead and Valentine Grant.

In addition to these two feature pictures, there will be shown on the same bill a two-act Paramount comedy entitled "Speed," starring Al. St. John. A delightful vaudeville offering is that presented by the Walsh sisters, two dainty misses, who sing and play the piano. The usual news reels will complete this big bill.

"THE PASSING SHOW."

The attraction for the Grand tomorrow and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee will be the Winter Gardens' "The Passing Show." The current feature will be "The Passing Show," which has two acts and twenty scenes and twenty-five musical numbers. This "Passing Show" has the record for the length of runs of the twenty-five extravaganza at the Winter Gardens; it lately concluded a six months' engagement at the Palace Theatre, Chicago, and has played return engagements in Washington, Philadelphia and Boston, from which cities it comes here. In this "Passing Show" there will be discovered travesties on all the important dramatic success of the time.

AT LOEW'S.

The disadvantage of having a tender heart is made plain to a score of New York boys when Nellie Jones, pretty stenographer in the office of James Crownshield, smiles her captivating smile at them and then leaves them with only vague memories of what might have been. This is the plight of the lovelorn youths in "A Virtuous Yamp," starring the Constantine Talmadge, which is the feature film attraction at Loew's Theatre for the balance of the week. The vaudeville bill will comprise Stanley, in Twists and Turns; the Bennett Twins, the Million Dollar Kid; Pearl Abbott and Company in an amusing playlet, "The Peacemaker"; Grey and Klumper, and Girls of the Alibi; and the additional attractions will be a Hank Mann fun comic and the Loew weekly of world events in pictures.

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STOLE FIFTY BUSHELS OF OATS IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

Thief Drove Openly to Granary and Helped Himself.

Fifty bushels of oats and a horse-blanket, the property of Arthur Mayne, 230 Egerton street, were stolen from his granary on Tuesday night. The thief committed the crime openly, driving up to the granary in a sleigh and filling bags, which he found there. Mr. Mayne heard the sleigh pass the house, but did not know until Wednesday morning that his grain had been taken.

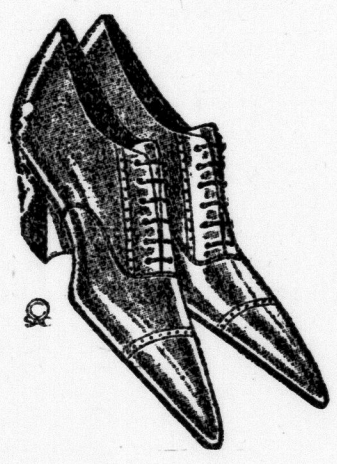
Detective Harry Down is working on the case. The tracks of the vehicle were followed, and an arrest is expected at any time.

FORMER LONDONER, GEORGE H. LONG, IS PNEUMONIA VICTIM

MACON, Ga., March 10.—George H. Long, for eleven years managing editor of the Macon Daily Telegraph, died tonight of pneumonia. Before coming here he worked on the London (Ontario) Free Press and the Buffalo Courier.

Despondent Women

A prominent writer claims that "women are naturally despondent," but often mental depression may be attributed to an abnormal condition of the system, which expresses itself in nervousness, backache, headaches, sleeplessness, and consequent despondency. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound goes to the root of this trouble, it gives tone and strength to the system and restores women to a normal, healthy condition.



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Per dozen 96c
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All-Wool English Serge Suits, in French blue, brown, navy, etc., satin lined, braid and button trimmed \$46.00 to \$63.00

All-Wool English Serge Suits, in plain, embroidered, or with fancy vests \$50.00 to \$55.00

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Brown Serge Dress, trimmed with black military braid and buttons, with brown tricolette vest, collar and small cuffs. Price \$36.00

Taupe Jersey Dress, Russian style, beautifully embroidered with two-tone soutache braid and trimmed with self-covered buttons. Price \$36.00

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New line of Georgette Blouses, in sand, navy, white and maize. Price \$6.75 to \$15.00

New Tailored Wash Silk Blouses for spring. Price \$3.75, \$5.00, \$6.75 and \$7.50

Plain Voile Blouses, with tucked front and convertible collar. Price \$5.25

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New Spring Vestees, in organdy, with lace and embroidery trimmings. Price \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.75 to \$5.00

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