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12,000 NOVA SCOTIA COAL MINERS STRIKE

Withdraws Authority Vested In Squire Chittick

GRAYDON ACTS ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS

Receives a Communication From Hon. W. E. Raney, Attorney-General.

SUCCESSOR NOT NAMED

Dr. Stevenson Alleges Motorists Have Been Persecuted in Middlesex.

Squire W. H. Chittick is, to all intents and purposes, through in the Middlesex county court.

Following his recent communication from the Hon. W. E. Raney, attorney-general for Ontario, Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon has tendered the squire formal notice that such authority to act as he has given him in the past is now rescinded.

"I have directed Squire Chittick to wind up his affairs. I understand that he has several judgments pending," the magistrate stated to The Advertiser Tuesday morning.

Cannot Recollect Order.

Replying to the declaration by Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, M.L.A. for London, that an order to this effect had been sent from Toronto as early as July 5 last, Magistrate Graydon stated that while he had received communications from the attorney-general from time to time suggesting certain moves that would tend to facilitate the county police court judiciary he can not recollect any such document as specially referred to by the member for London.

There have been numerous complaints about the alleged manner in which business was conducted in the court," he commented.

Just who will succeed Squire Chittick is problematical at this moment. Magistrate Graydon explains that while he entertains no desire to assume these additional duties he would not have the time in any event.

Would Not Accept.

He expressed frankly that he was at a complete loss to define his next move. Questioned as to the advisability of placing the post at the disposal of Deputy Magistrate P. H. Bartlett, the magistrate replied that the latter would not accept.

The final withdrawal of authority from Squire W. H. Chittick follows close upon the personal protest that was submitted to the attorney-general by Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson last week.

The member for London held that by reason of the "continued persecution of motorists" and their "subsequent treatment in the Middlesex county court" this community was winning an unfortunate reputation throughout the province.

AUTHORITY UNQUESTIONED.

Squire Chittick, for twenty years the ruler of Middlesex county court, whose legal right to sit on the county bench is now contestable through an order for his removal, recently issued from the Ontario attorney-general's department, continued as a sort of interim Tuesday morning as per usual with no questions asked by the defendants.

Three cases involving breaches of the Ontario motor vehicles act were disposed of during the morning session. None of the three accused.

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INTIMATES HIGHER PRICES FOR COAL

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—Frank Intimation that Ottawa residents must expect to pay more for their coal this winter was given last night at a meeting in the city hall, called by the coal controller for Ontario, J. A. Ellis, and attended by the board of control and the local coal dealers. As a sort of bait to ease this hard blow, the dealers promised that there would be enough coal to keep them warm this winter. No intimation was given as to what the price would be.

Mr. Ellis said that he did not intend to exercise his powers to fix prices unless later he decided that such a step was imperative to protect the public.

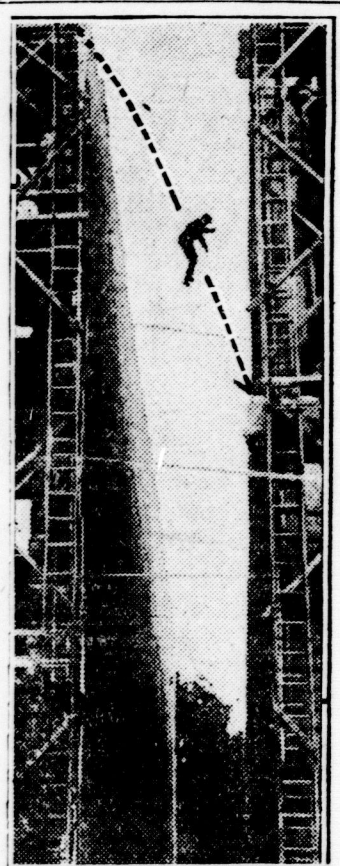
SEEK MINIMUM WAGE IN SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

Montreal, Aug. 15.—Minimum wages for building trades engaged in the construction of schools and churches, to be assured by the insertion of a clause to that effect in the contract between the owners and the contractors, was the gist of a resolution unanimously adopted at the session of the first congress of the Confederation of Catholic Workers of Canada, held here yesterday.

In the preamble to the first resolution the position is taken that a preference should be given in the employment of labor on Catholic churches and religious institutions and on Catholic schools to members of the Catholic and National syndicates.

A telegram was read by the secretary, signed by Cardinal Gaspari, secretary of state, expressing the pope's best wishes for the success of the congress, and conveying the apostolic benediction to the delegates.

Defies Death.



PARIS, Aug. 15.—Luciano Albertini, movie daredevil, leaps from one scaffold to another for a picture being made in Paris. The scaffolds are 16 feet apart. The vertical distance of the jump is 30 feet.

INSIDE SPACE AT FAIR ALL TAKEN

Secretary Hunt Now Forced to Refuse Applications.

City Clubs To Be Asked to Assist on Children's Day.

The demand for space at the Western Fair this year has been so great that the entire inside space has already been taken, and Secretary Hunt has been forced to refuse a number of applicants. There is still a little outside space left, but this is rapidly going.

A great mass of detail and routine work was cleared away at a meeting of the Western Fair board Monday afternoon, but reports from all committees show promise of even greater success than at any previous year.

The art committee has already been promised an exhibition from the Canadian National Art Gallery at Ottawa, and is making an effort to secure, as a part of this exhibition, the particularly fine war pictures which belong to the National Gallery.

The co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce and the various clubs of the city is being secured. The Canadian Rotary, Lions, and Kiwanis—is to be asked in the carrying out of Children's Day—Monday of Fair Week. All children, regardless of where their home may be, will be admitted free to the grounds and grand stand. The Boy Scouts will be asked to give an exhibition in addition to the grand stand performance Monday night, and on Tuesday afternoon. Guides will give a similar exhibition.

Secretary Hunt was asked to confer with the chief of police, in an effort to secure similar policing of the grounds to that which was so effective last year. The city garbage department will also be asked to attend to the collecting and disposal of garbage from the fair grounds.

All the space has been taken in the Transportation Building. The automobile show, which is anticipated to be one of the features of the fair, will take up a large share of the space. Cars are to be exhibited from all parts of the Dominion and from across the border.

The Canadian National Railway exhibition is already in place in the Horticultural Building, and in addition there will be a train of eight coaches and an engine placed for show purposes on the Campbell street siding.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has also arranged for exhibition space in the Machinery Building.

Gives Prisoner Ten Days in Jail To "Think" Where He Bought His Liquor

Police Magistrate Graydon holds to the belief that a few days in the county jail will induce one to tell where he gets his liquor these long and thirsty days of prohibition.

Pleading guilty Tuesday morning to the charge of intoxication, a youthful colored resident of southeast London gave utterance to the opinion that he would not be able to recollect where he accumulated his load the previous evening.

"I just ran into some," he explained.

FEELS EUROPE MISSED CHANCE

Press Expresses Opinion That Conference Should Have Led to Recovery.

London Telegraph Thinks Failure Most Disquieting News Since Armistice.

London, Aug. 15.—Europe was unable to rise to what might have been a great opportunity to put her feet on the road to recovery. This is the consensus of the press comment regarding the failure of the London conference, but as to who was responsible for the failure depends on whether one accepts the French or the British viewpoint.

The pro-government editorials express the hope that France will take the council of reason and sobriety, and not continue to act against her own best interests, while those of the opposition press, such as the Daily Mail, say the British people will not allow any administration to quarrel with their friend and ally for the benefit and satisfaction of the Germans.

Says the Times: "The initial cause of the Downing street failure was the Balfour note, and that dangerously, petty and shortsighted spirit which inspired it betrays a startling conception of British dignity."

The Daily Telegraph thinks the failure may prove the most disquieting news since the armistice, but assures the French that the British are as determined to make Germany pay as they are, the difference in views being merely one of the relative expediency of the different methods proposed.

The Westminster Gazette believes France has a genuine case against the British government on the score of the Balfour note, and says it is to be hoped Britain will not wait for the claim to be pressed, but will cast the beam out of its own eye as the first step toward ending the present deadlock.

The Daily Herald, Labor organ, says the Versailles treaty is doomed to failure in its present form.

ATTEMPT TO END TURCO-GREEK WAR

Allies Propose Peace Conference To Be Held in Venice.

Constantinople, Aug. 15.—Another attempt to get the Turks and Greeks together for a peace conference is under way. The allied high commissioners here, acting under instructions from their governments, held lengthy discussions of the situation, and have finally decided upon Venice as the site of the meeting. It is believed this will be acceptable to both belligerents.

The sultan yesterday received Brigadier General Sir Charles Harington, allied commander in chief, and the high commissioner, who reiterated the assurances of their governments that no attack on Constantinople by the Greeks will be permitted.

It is learned here that Greek airplanes have dropped thousands of Turkish translations of the British prime minister's speech on the near eastern question over the Turkish lines in Asia Minor.

ATTEMPT TO MOVE S.S. RAPIDS PRINCE

Montreal, Aug. 15.—The first steps in the attempted release of the Rapids Prince from its position in the lower Lachine Rapids, where it has been stranded since July 30, were made yesterday when a cable was fixed to the small island which lies above the vessel. This cable will be used to convey to the island the pulling engine and other apparatus to be used in the effort to haul the vessel to safety.

TO END DAYLIGHT SAVING.

Montreal, Aug. 15.—The city council has decided that daylight saving time shall cease in Montreal this year on Sept. 1, a month earlier than was at first intended.

HIS LIFE IS FULL OF THRILLS

New York Boy of 3, Rescued From Blackhanders.



ANTONIO IAVARONE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—There's little left to thrill young Antonio Iavarone.

Although only 3 years old, he's been kidnapped, held for ransom, threatened with death and rescued.

If only he could tell what his big, black eyes have seen!

On June 23 he and his mother disappeared. The alarm went out that they had been kidnapped.

The father, a prosperous

butcher, receiving threatening letters.

Blackhanders wanted \$400 for the child's release.

The father says he paid \$200. It was feared the boy might suffer the fate of the Verotta child, slain by kidnapers.

But luck was with him. Antonio was returned unharmed.

He had been held by conspirators at Syracuse.

Evangelists Report Many Wonderful Cures

DEAF CLAIM TO HEAR.

WALLACEBURG, Aug. 15.—Evangelists Wallace and McColdern, who are holding revival services here, are reported to be working veritable miracles in the cure of ailments of long-standing.

Mrs. Henry McGregor, who had been completely deaf for a great number of years, claims to have recovered her hearing.

Mrs. Broadbent, advanced in years, who has been deaf and dumb since babyhood, claims she can now hear perfectly, and is learning to talk like a child.

Mrs. Marie Backus, sick for nearly seven years with a malignant disease, after many medical treatments, and also X-ray treatments, was prayed for and anointed in the Arcadia Hall, Detroit, in June. She now claims she is in normal health, with all pain removed, and the growth completely disappeared.

Charles Mathew Fisher, of Port Lambton, claims that after being deaf for years he has received his hearing again.

Dozens of others are said to be willing to testify to wonderful cures achieved by the evangelists here.

LOSES EYE BY KICK FROM RUNAWAY

Isaac Goldin, Local Chinaman Taken to Hospital Following Serious Accident.

As a result of a serious accident which occurred at 10:30 Tuesday morning, at the corner of King and Rectory streets, Isaac Goldin, a Chinaman, living at 759 Dundas street, is in Victoria Hospital, having suffered the complete loss of one eye, although physicians claim the sight may be retained in the other.

Goldin was kicked in the face by a runaway horse and rendered completely unconscious. He was taken immediately to Victoria Hospital in the police ambulance and placed under the care of Doctors Sweeney and W. Pennicott. At two o'clock he had recovered from the effects of the anaesthetic and was doing as well as could be expected, although the sight in one eye is irrevocably gone.

WHEAT PRICES DROP BELOW \$1

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Wheat dropped in price here today to below \$1 a bushel. The break in values to less than such a notable dividing line failed to bring about any material increase of buying, although for a long time many traders have been expecting that a quotation as low as \$1 would stimulate business.

Uncertainty over the rail strike outlook, coupled with adverse foreign financial conditions, were among the chief factors leading to the decline in the wheat market.

SCOUTS IDEA OF PARTY FUSION

A. Smith, Ottawa, Claims People Will Divide on General Principles.

Chairman of Conciliation Board on Railway Shopmen's Strike.

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—"There are now three old political organizations, but some think the organizations are the parties, whereas they are but a small portion of them. The locals of the farmers' organizations do not comprise all the Progressive members of the Liberal or Conservative associations contain all who are Liberals or Conservatives." With these words, Alexander Smith, well-known Ottawa barrister and chairman of several government-appointed conciliation boards, including the one now trying to avert a railway shopmen's strike, at present on a visit to his old home in Saugeen, Bruce County, prefaced a response to a question regarding to rumored fusion at Ottawa of Progressives and Liberals. Organizations, Mr. Smith says, may not always be appreciated, and at times may, give cause of offense, but that does not lessen the standard of principles a party may choose to espouse and develop.

All who believe in certain principles may be said to form a party which is controlled by beliefs in those principles and not by organization, for organization, after all, is composed of but a few whose duty it is to see that the principles, policy and platform of the party are well presented to the public.

It does not matter, Mr. Smith contends, what names are used, people will divide on general principles, some in the broad sense will take the Liberal ideal, others the Conservative outlook, and in between the number is not great.

The members of Parliament are face to face with the fact that they are either in support of one set of principles or of another, and all the names and devices used since the world began will not change that fact.

If all Liberal and Progressive minded men in the House of Commons desire to act in the same direction they will have to adopt the best means at hand to reach that aim. That method is co-operation, where all have equal and individual liberty modulated or regulated by the greatest of all factors, self-control. Canada, Mr. Smith declares, needs the best that the members of Parliament can give.

Parliament cannot give its best while organizations appear to be urging that Premier King give places in his cabinet to Hon. T. A. Crerar, M.P., Hon. A. B. Hudson, M.P., and others, and this may result soon for the government of Parliament and give the advice and counsel of those who sit to the right of the speaker—its own supporters, who desire, not an abandonment of principles, but continued and enlarged practical exemplification of the same.

The Conservatives, by besting themselves and hastening the next session of Parliament will have reassembled their forces in many sections, as there is a demand amongst the rank and file to revive the spirit that animated the party in the days when it battled for its own principles and leaders, whether in success or defeat.

REPORT DECREASE OF COAL IMPORTS

Dominion Bureau of Statistics Issues Statement on Situation.

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—(Canadian Press)—Canada's imports of anthracite coal for the first seven months of the present year totaled 1,077,847 tons of egg, nut, etc., and 97,042 tons of dust.

The three-year average imports for the period of 1919-20-21 were 2,560,595 tons of egg, nut, etc., and 115,325 tons of dust. The percentage of this year's imports thus far to the three-year average was in egg, nut, etc., 42 per cent, and in dust 82 per cent.

In the same period of the present year Canada imported 3,341,455 tons of round and run of mine bituminous coal, as against the three-year average of 5,579,863 tons, and 986,555 tons of bituminous slack, as against the three-year average of 1,091,446 tons.

Ontario and central district received 791,898 tons of anthracite, egg, nut, etc., this year, as against the three-year average of 1,692,203, or 47 per cent. Quebec, which received 246,554 tons, as against the average of 681,512, a percentage of 36. Quebec's importations this year included 552 tons of anthracite from Great Britain.

New Brunswick imported 25,077 tons of anthracite, egg, nut, etc., this year, which included 3,345 tons from Great Britain. Exports of coal from Canada in the same period, according to a bulletin issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics, were \$48,033 tons, which was 71 per cent of the three-year average of 1,199,156 tons.

LATE SPORT NEWS. FORT ERIE RACES.

Fort Erie, Aug. 15.—First race, 2:20-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Tycoon, \$3.20, \$3.15, \$2.95, 1; Right on Time, \$8.45, \$6.05, 2; Water Tax, \$6.20, 3. Time, 1:14 2-5. Joella J., Arragosa, Zing, Ardella, Zeureka, Blue China ran.

MRS. POWELL PASSES.

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—One of the old residents of Ottawa, Rosanna Margaret (Lola) Powell, daughter of the late Col. William Wallis of Port Hope, Ont., and wife of the late William Frederick Powell, who represented the county of Carleton for many years in the Parliament of Canada before confederation, and who was later sheriff of that county, died here yesterday. She was in her 86th year.

Their Love Cools.



WINIFRED WESTOVER AND WILLIAM S. HART.

"AND they lived happily ever after," failed to end the real life love story of "Big Bill" Hart, wild west movie hero, and his wife, Winifred Westover, also a screen celebrity, according to reports. Hart is said to have stated that he and his bride of Dec. 7 last, separated about three months ago.

RAILWAYS MAKE CUT IN PAYROLL

Companies Effect Reduction Despite Strike Ballot of Workers.

Board of Conciliation Awaits Reply to Premier's Letter.

BULLETIN.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 15.—President Harding will place the rail strike situation before the United States congress and before the country within 48 hours, it was officially announced today at the White House.

Montreal, Aug. 15.—Canadian railways slashed some \$200,000 from their semi-monthly wage bill to their shop employees, despite the overwhelming strike ballot which union leaders held in their hands from about 37,000 men employed from coast to coast.

Reply to Premier.

In the face of the cut, and owing to the refusal of the rail executives to recede from their position that they may enforce the pay reduction pending the award of the board of conciliation, the board, after a brief session this morning, adjourned until tomorrow morning to permit the railways to forward their reply to Premier King's letter. The letter in question points out to the Canadian National Railways, the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific railways, that the premier endorses the opinion of the departments of labor and justice, namely, that the companies must re-establish the old wage scale and defer from applying any reduction until the conciliation board has made its award.

Little optimism prevails in the ranks of the labor representatives on the question of the contents of the railways' reply. A repeated negative is generally expected. What the effect of this will be is being widely conjectured, and union chiefs point grimly to the sheet of telegrams which have been pouring into their headquarters, urging strike action to force the companies to bow to the government decision.

George Hodge, assistant general manager of the C. P. R. eastern lines, as spokesman for the executives, announced this morning shortly upon the resumption of the board meeting that the executives' reply would most likely be forwarded today to the premier. What its nature would be he was unable to intimate.

Wants Immediate Decision.

The hearing began with the reiterated plea of the shopmen's representatives, made by R. J. Tallon, president of Division No. 4, railways employees' department, that the question be decided immediately, otherwise the continuance of the session would be a waste of time.

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CEASE TO WORK WHEN OWNERS DENY REQUEST

Mine Officials Believe Walk-out Will Be Long One.

EFFECTS BEGIN TO SHOW

Big Steel Works at Sydney May Be Forced to Close.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 15.—With practically one hundred per cent of the United Mine Workers membership of Nova Scotia on strike since last midnight, involving nearly twelve thousand workers on Cape Breton Island and the mainland, the coal situation in this province has reached an extraordinary crisis. At noon today the miners, firemen, pumpmen, leaders and trimmers of Cape Breton were idle and executive officials had been pressed to service to keep the pumps and safety apparatus working lest the pits become flooded and choked with poisonous gases.

The same conditions prevailed at Springhill and Joggins, with conditions little better in the New Glasgow areas.

Mine officials have not so far offered any ray of hope that the strike will be of short duration, with the exception of the operators of the Fundy mine at Joggins, who, at meetings last night, agreed to restore the 1921 rates of pay. They employ about sixty-five men. Officials of the British Empire Steel Corporation express astonishment at the unexpected action of the men, and declare that they will put forth every effort to safeguard the mines.

Strike Effects Showing.

Already the effects of the strike are showing. An early cessation of the work in the steel plant at Sydney is foreshadowed as thirteen sail and steam craft are held up in the Sydney harbor, due to the strike of loaders and trimmers.

Although there has never for years been any such thing as absolute tranquility in the Cape Breton coal fields, the present prolonged dispute may be said to date back to last October, when, as required under the Lemieux act, the Dominion Coal Company and other operators notified their miners that they wanted a revision downward of rates when the agreement then in force expired on Nov. 30, 1921. That agreement had been negotiated the year before at Montreal, and was commonly called the "Montreal agreement." Under it the minimum rate of pay was \$3.80 a day.

Five thousand Cape Breton miners at a mass meeting at Glace Bay and another large meeting at New Waterford last night, repudiated the agreement, which their officers had come to on Sunday with the British Empire Steel Corporation, the principal operators of the province, and declared for the strike. All the locals of the southern Cape Breton fields, the biggest producers of Nova Scotia coal, at meetings last night decided to strike at midnight. More than two thousand miners in Cumberland County and 1,200 in Pictou County, the mainland coal areas, adopted the decision of the Cape Breton men.

Mines Enjoyed Boom.

In Cumberland County, the strike included pumpmen, but it is thought that in the rest of the province these will not be taken out at once, but possibly within 24 hours. The strike call coming within 24 hours after Sunday's agreement, it is believed, in some quarters, that many of the miners do not know the terms of the latest company offer, and their officers may persuade them to resume work pending a referendum. The

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The Weather

FORECASTS.

Light to moderate winds; fine and decidedly warm today and Wednesday. Pressure continues high over the Atlantic Coast States and the Lake Region. The weather is now fair throughout Canada, but areas of low pressure moving eastward from British Columbia and the vicinity of James Bay give indications of causing unsettled weather tonight in the West and in the northern portion of the Eastern Maritime District respectively.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

High, Low, Victoria... 82, 47
Calgary... 78, 41
Winnipeg... 84, 44
Pt. Arthur... 86, 61
P. Sound... 84, 46
Toronto... 88, 63
Kingston... 78, 61
Ottawa... 88, 64
Montreal... 86, 66
Quebec... 80, 51
P. Point... 68, 56
St. John... 76, 51
Halifax... 78, 54

Barometric Readings.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 85; lowest, 66.

The official temperatures for the 11 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 71; lowest, 53.

Temperatures.

Monday—8 p.m., 29.45.

Today—8 a.m., 29.47.

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REBELS MARCH UPON DROGHEDA

Fail in Attempt To Enter City by Means of Rail-road.

Nationals Hold Town Hall Against Advance of Republican Forces.

DROGHEDA, Ireland, Aug. 14.—The irregular troops who seized Dundalk have advanced south to within four miles of Drogheda. The Nationals here are actively engaged in placing the town in a state of defense.

Dundalk was only lightly held by the Nationals. Among the killed in the fighting was Capt. Frank Byrne, a well-known Free Stater, and chairman of the rural council. Details of the casualties are still lacking, but they were rather heavy. Twenty persons are known to have been wounded. Some reports say forty.

All railway, telegraphic and telephone communication between Dundalk and Drogheda is interrupted.

In Dundalk, Queen's Hotel was destroyed and the Anne Street Barracks blown up. The irregulars captured the workshops of the Great Northern Railway. At Killystown the irregulars left the train to march on Drogheda. Reinforcements are being sent to the aid of the nationalists.

SURPRISE NATIONALS.

Belfast, Aug. 14.—A large force of Republicans entered Dundalk at three o'clock this morning taking the National garrison completely by surprise. The attack was successful and the town is now isolated, with Republican troops patrolling the streets. The Republicans seized a railway engine, which was dispatched south with a view to blocking the rear and preventing the free states from sending reinforcements.

The Anne street police headquarters, which was occupied by the Nationals, was the first objective to be stormed and taken. The garrison was captured.

U. S. Strike Briefs

CLEVELAND, Aug. 14.—W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, today instructed two vice-presidents of his organization to go immediately on the Santa Fe coast lines where illegal strikes of trainmen are reported in effect and trains marooned.

"Instructions were given the vice-presidents," Mr. Lee said, "to insist that all laws of the brotherhood regarding cessation of work be complied with."

CHANNING, Mich., Aug. 14.—Twenty-five strike-breakers brought here by the St. Paul and Northwestern Railroad to work in the roundhouse, were 15 men on strike, were taken out of town last night after strikers, ambushed in a swamp near the roundhouse, had fired more than 200 shots from high-powered rifles into their lodging quarters.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—A Santa Fe relief train carrying approximately 125 passengers, many of whom still were suffering the effects of the terrific heat of the desert, arrived here from Needles last night after four days' delay when train service men refused to proceed. Santa Fe officials manned the relief train.

BRACKEN WILL SPEAK AT IRISH SOCIETY BANQUET

R. L. Bracken, M.L.A. for West Kent, accepted last night an invitation to speak at the banquet of the Irish Benevolent Society, which will be held at Port Stanley following the picnic on Thursday next.

It is expected that a member of the federal cabinet will also speak. Premier King, owing to a pressure of business, was unable to accept.

3 INJURED WHEN CAR AT FLESHERTON OVERTURNS

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—Word has arrived in the city of serious injuries received yesterday by a local motorist party, when their car overturned on the road just south of the village of Flesherton. Its occupants were Mr. and Mrs. W. Keenan, Jr., of Toronto, and Mrs. Bowerman of Regina.

Their injuries consist for the most part of cuts and bruises, except in the case of Mrs. Keenan, who is in a critical condition as a result of a fractured shoulder and broken ribs.

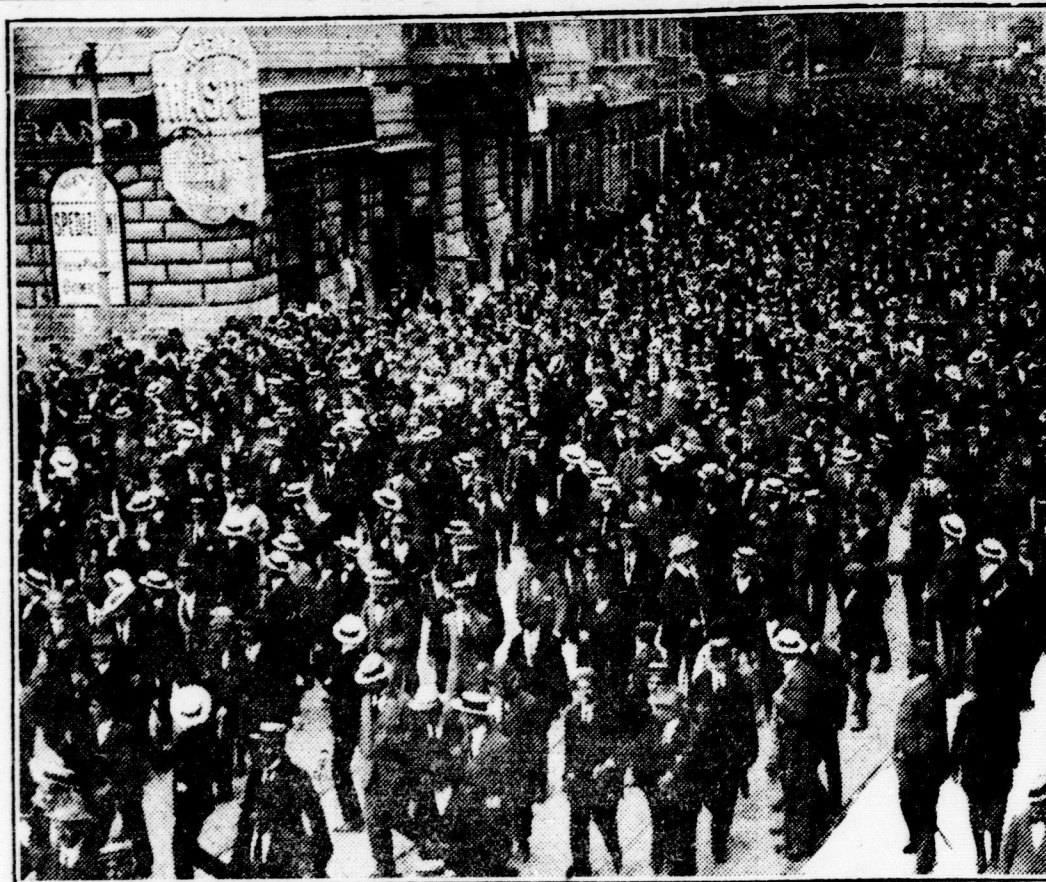
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Fascisti Wage War On Radicals in Italy



Warring factions in Italy have created a condition closely akin to that in Ireland. Here is a scene that is typical of that in many Italian cities. The Fascist, extreme nationalists, are gathering to wrest city leadership from the communists and other extremists.

Swallows Open Pin Second Time To Escape Prison Through Death

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—Safety pins as the path to mortal extinction have twice been resorted to by Adrian Payeur, 24 years of age, a prisoner in Bordeaux Jail, who is awaiting trial on a charge of theft.

Two years ago, while held on a previous charge, he swallowed a safety pin in an effort to end his life. Quick work on the part of surgeons saved him.

Yesterday guards found him in distress in his cell, the result of having repeated his attempt to dispose of himself by partaking of an opened safety pin.

The pin has not yet been found, but the prison surgeon does not think Payeur is in a serious condition.

DEMAND RIGHT TO SELL STRONG BEER

Hotelmen Claim Public Support in Asking For New Concession.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—That hotelmen in the smaller Ontario towns are almost unanimous in their demand for light beer privileges, and that the public demand for this concession is even more insistent is the statement of MacLennan, Liberal member of the Legislature for Cochrane, although now an independent, and representing the cross-benches on the hotel and tourist select committee of the house.

Mr. Lang states that from his observation of the situation as a member of the committee he is sure that a majority of the people in these places are desirous of having a per cent beer restored in the province to be sold at meals and at tables during restricted hours.

"It is only fair, too, that if they want a referendum on this they should have it," said he.

The committee goes to Hamilton, St. Catharines, Welland, Niagara Falls, etc., this week, spending the entire week in the Niagara Peninsula.

VISCONTRESS RHONDDA ARRIVES IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Viscountess Rhondda, known as Great Britain's loveliest woman, was an unannounced visitor in New York today, having arrived yesterday on the Adriatic, practically incognito.

She refused to discuss her flight to obtain a seat in England's House of Lords, except to say that she would renew the battle when she returns, although her application has been definitely set aside by the committee on privileges.

DISCUSS EGG-MARKETING AT POULTRY CONFERENCE

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—Representatives of the various poultry and egg interests of the Dominion, including producers, railroads and consumers had a conference with deputy minister of agriculture, when the problem of marketing of eggs and other kindred subjects were discussed.

Plans for the grading of eggs were advanced, and the importation question also received consideration. A number of important recommendations are expected to be drawn up at the conference, which continued this afternoon.

TERRIFIC STORM SWEEPS OVER TOWN IN MANITOBA

GLADSTONE, Man., Aug. 14.—A storm of cyclonic proportions struck this town and vicinity Sunday night. Buildings in the town were unroofed, shade trees uprooted, and crops for a mile in width and some eight or ten miles long, were ruined by flying hail.

The telephone system was put out of commission and only a few telegrams were available today. No lives were lost in Gladstone, but property damage will be heavy.

REPORTS HEALTH GOOD IN BRANTFORD TOWNSHIP

Special to London Advertiser. BRANTFORD, Aug. 14.—At a meeting of the Brantford Township Board of Health held in the office of D. H. Tattersall on Saturday afternoon, Dr. C. B. Chaplin reported the general health of the residents throughout the township to be in a very satisfactory condition.

One case of smallpox was found on the Cockshutt road, but this, however, was of a mild nature.

George Unger, the medical health officer, and Secretary D. H. Tattersall were appointed a committee to locate a dumping ground for the use of the residents of Grand View.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—United States, Copenhagen.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 14.—Baltic, New York.

PLYMOUTH, Aug. 14.—Finland, New York; Saxonia, New York; Copenhagen, New York.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 12.—Fredrick VIII, New York.

ANTWERP, Aug. 12.—Minnesota, Montreal.

DANZIG, Aug. 8.—Lithuania, New York.

MOURN PASSING OF NORTHCLIFFE

French Press Claims British Publisher Was True Friend of Republic.

German Papers Blame Late Viscount For Bringing U. S. Into War.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Viscount Northcliffe was mourned today by the French press as one of the country's best and most powerful friends. The comment of the afternoon newspapers, who received the news late, can be summed up in the words in the Petit Parisien, appearing tomorrow:

"France saw in him a singularly ardent friend, true and faithful, who never failed her during twenty years. France cannot forget him."

GERMANS CONDEMN.

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—The German newspapers, commenting on the death of Viscount Northcliffe, are outspoken in their condemnation of the man, as the Allgemeine Zeitung designates him, "who organized the campaign of German-baiting throughout the world." This paper charges that he systematically built up a world coalition against Germany.

"The blood of millions clings to his hands," says the Pan-American Tages Zeitung, which believed that Lord Northcliffe spent billions on propaganda which eventually accomplished the entry of the United States into the world war.

Viscount Northcliffe's genius as an organizer is amply recognized in the German editorial opinions, although some of the Berlin papers express the belief that his influence on the press of England proved demoralizing. It is recalled that he planned to issue a daily paper in Berlin in English, and that he secured the German government's permission for this enterprise in the spring of 1914.

DAMAGED PROPELLER WILL DELAY STEAMER

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Cunard Line offices have received a wireless message from the steamer Benicaria, due at Cherbourg tomorrow at noon, from New York, that she will be delayed, her propeller having been damaged, presumably by striking submerged wreckage.

The August 18 sailing for New York may be delayed a few days, as the vessel will have to be placed in drydock for repairs.

DISCOVER REGISTERED MAIL TAMPERED WITH

LONDON, Aug. 14.—(Canadian Press Cable.)—When postal officials arrived to unload the mail train at Euston Station today, they found that four or five bags of registered mail from Canada had been tampered with.

What happened exactly is not yet known, but an investigation is proceeding.

Four Young People Meet Death in River Near Saskatoon.

SASKATOON, Sask., Aug. 14.—Four young people, two boys and two girls, were drowned in the North Saskatchewan River, near Hepburn, on Sunday afternoon. Their names are: Benny Peters, Stella Peters, Herman Roetz and Olga Kruger. Miss Kruger was brought to shore, but was too far gone to survive. The bodies of the other three have not yet been recovered.

CEASE HUNGER STRIKE AT SIGHT OF MILK AND EGGS

Communist Prisoners at Paris, After Brief Hesitation, Eat Food With Evident Enjoyment.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—(Canadian Press Cable.)—Milk and eggs set tantalizing in front of them caused communist prisoners here to abandon their hunger strike. The prisoners and their friends had been giving the authorities considerable trouble of late, and only the other day a party of friends had to be forcibly ejected from the prison. The authorities had been advised of the manoeuvre and were ready to handle the visitors when they arrived.

The hunger strikers were informed yesterday that they would be fed forcibly if they persisted with the strike. Today they were taken to the prison hospital, where forcible feeding appliances were erected, and at the same time milk and eggs produced. After brief hesitation the strikers surrendered and began to eat with evident enjoyment. They announced that the strike was over.

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Sparkling with vivacity and spirit; glowing with vitality; and owning a complexion that any school girl might envy.

It is easy to have a soft velvety skin free from blemish, rosy cheeks and well formed neck and shoulders. Everyone knows how yeast builds health and vitality, clears the skin, fills out the hollow places and puts good firm flesh just where it is needed. And the secret "ironization" process used solely in IRONIZED YEAST enables the yeast to produce its results twice as quickly. GET IRONIZED YEAST from your dealer today. You'll soon look and feel years younger.

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TWO ROBBERIES IN SARNIA REPORTED

Intending Harvest Excursionist Relieved of Fare and Ferry Office Pillaged.

Special to London Advertiser. SARNIA, Aug. 14.—Two Sunday night robberies were reported by local police today. In the more serious of the two, Albert Housen of Cleveland, Ohio, a temporary employee at the Point Edward Wharf, was held up by a masked man armed with an automatic revolver in Bayview Park and relieved of \$10, which was the amount of his savings prior to taking the harvesting excursion to the West.

In the second instance, a young lad whose identity has not been definitely determined, broke into the ticket office of the Northern Navigation Company and stole a quantity of ferry tickets and some small change.

SUFFERED YEARS WITH ECZEMA

"Fruit-a-tives" Cleared Her Skin.

POINTE St. PIERRE, P.Q. "I suffered for three years with terrible Eczema. I consulted several doctors and they did not do me any good."

Then, I used one box of "Soothing Salve" and two boxes of "Fruit-a-tives" and my hands are now clear. The pain is gone and there has been no return.

I think it is marvelous because no other medicine did me any good until I used "Soothing Salve" and "Fruit-a-tives," the wonderful medicine made from fruit.

Madam PETER LAMARRE. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.—Advt.

ANSWER THIS PUZZLE WIN \$1000 or OVERLAND

The operator of the movie machine in this theater decided to play a joke on his audience, so he threw these re-arranged "Movie" players' names on the screen.

To solve the Movie Puzzle, all you are required to do is to re-arrange the letters, so that they will spell the correct actor's or actress' name. No. 10 is Charlie Chaplin. If you can guess all ten you can win OVERLAND Automobile or \$1,000.

WHO ARE THEY?

1. WAR IS NO SLOGAN 2. BALD MAN OR MEN 3. A BAD HEART 4. MIGHTY HANSOME 5. SALA CHERY 6. IDLE BAY CAR 7. FIND PURE RICE LAKE 8. DRY HOG IS HOT 9. PARCK MY FORD 10. PREACH ALL CHIN



Can You Answer This Puzzle? 25 Prizes Given

Probably you know the names of most of the famous "stars" but just to refresh your memory, we mention below the names of a few of the most popular "movie" players.

Charlie Chaplin, Charles Ray, Mary Pickford, Thomas Meighan, Dustin Farnum, Theda Bara, Douglas Fairbanks, Blanche Sweet, Mabel Normand, Marjorie Clark, Pearl White, Rudolph Valentino, Wallace Reid, Beverly Sills, William Farnum, Alice Brady, Gloria Swanson, Anita Stewart, Pauline Frederick, Dorothy Gish.

ONLY 185 "POINTS" WINS AUTO

For each name that you arrange correctly, you will receive 10 "Points" toward the OVERLAND Automobile, or 100 "Points" in all, if you arrange all names correctly. You can gain 60 more "Points" by "qualifying" your answer. That is, by giving the names of the ten Superior Features of the VELVPOINT Fountain Pen to five people during this Big Booster and Advertising Campaign. The final 25 "Points" will be awarded by three independent judges on the neatness, style, handwriting and spelling of your answer.

The answer gaining 185 "Points" (which is the maximum) will win the OVERLAND Automobile, or \$1,000 in cash. Second highest will win \$500; third prize, \$250, and so on down the list of 25 big prizes. In case of a tie, both winners will receive same prize. Send in your answer TODAY! As soon as it is received, we will send you a regular telling about the 10 "Superior Features" of the VELVPOINT Fountain Pen.

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You will not be asked to buy a Velvpoint Fountain Pen, nor spend one penny in order to win. Just write your answer to the Puzzle on one side of the paper, name and address in upper right hand corner. You can win—Don't delay—Answer the Puzzle NOW and send your solution to:

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Real Bargains! Large Reductions! Every article in the store reduced from 10 to 25 per cent. Take advantage of "LONDON'S LARGEST HARDWARE SALE." Our stock is all new, assuring you of first-class goods at greatly reduced prices.

Aluminum Ware. Wear-Ever and all popular makes Reduced 15 and 20 Per Cent.	Hammers All Steel Claw Hammers, fully guaranteed, each .73c	Tool Grinders No. 1 Champion, 4-inch disc, 1-inch face. Reduced to \$3.83	ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINES. "Universal." Cylinder Type. The machine that leads them all. Special \$148 Come in and have us demonstrate the machine for you.
Paint! Paint! Sherwin-Williams Paint, guaranteed pure. Reduced 10 Per Cent	Saws Disston's and Maple Leaf Handsaws reduced 15 per cent.	Dustbane Sweeping Compound, a tin 10c	Sher-Will-Lac A Sherwin-Williams product. Reduced 25 Per Cent. Stain and Varnish in one operation.
Jap-a-Lac Renews from cellar to garret. Reduced 25 Per Cent.	Carpenters' Planes No. 4 Iron, smooth plane, 2-inch cutter \$3.40 No. 5 Jack Plane \$3.83 No. 110 Block Plane 93c Every Tool Fully Guaranteed.	Electric Lamps Canadian made, fully guaranteed. Each 29c each.	SCREEN DOORS AND SCREEN WINDOWS. Reduced 20 Per Cent.
Toilet Paper Garden City brand, that silky tissue; one mile for \$1.00 Majestic brand, 25 rolls \$1.00	Cut Glass Every Article Reduced 20 per cent.	Silverware All Articles Reduced 20 per cent.	Graniteware All articles reduced 15 Per Cent.

We can honestly say that the prices being offered in this sale have never before been put before you, Mr. Public. Note, that when you purchase here you are getting new goods at greatly-reduced prices. Every article in the store reduced in price.

We give special attention to our out-of-town customers during this sale. Two deliveries daily, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

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Insists Provincial Memorial Be Erected On Federal Square

BENCH REFUSES REED'S EXCUSE

Ex-Soldier Fails to Convince Magistrate Alcohol Intended for Rubbing.

Constable Testifies Arrest Was Made at Instigation of Hotel Management.

No physician enjoys the right to prescribe liquor for a person that he does not see, according to Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in the city police court Tuesday morning, finding James Reed guilty of having alcohol in his room at a private dwelling and assessing him the usual \$200 or three months in the county jail.

Reed held that the contents of a small bottle found in his hip pocket Monday night was intended for rubbing purposes only. He admitted, however, that no doubt the same was alcohol.

P. C. Parkes testified that he had arrested the prisoner, a returned soldier, at the instigation of the management of the Iroquois Hotel.

Reed explained that while strolling on Queen's avenue he was seized with a bad spell occasioned by a weak heart, and that a companion rushed immediately to a doctor nearby, procuring the alcohol. This was subsequently used to rub him, he stated.

The defendant explained further that he had been just recently discharged from the Westminster Hospital and was what is termed as an "out" patient.

In an effort to ascertain just where Reed had been residing since his departure from that institution twelve days ago, the magistrate gleaned the information, eventually, that he had been staying at the Middlesex county jail for the past ten days after conviction for drunkenness.

This seemed to settle the matter. "There is no good, evidently, in treating you at a hospital," the magistrate declared. "It would appear that you just get out and get drunk."

EXPECTS BOARD TO RENT BASEMENT

Chairman Smith Thinks Hamilton Road Church Will Be Leased.

Chairman Edwin Smith of the board of education announced on Tuesday that in all probability the board of education will rent the basement of Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church this winter, to be utilized as a classroom, accommodating 65 children. The original offer of the church trustees to rent at \$175 per month has been reduced to \$150, which will include services of janitor, light, and fuel.

Two houses acquired by the board on school property in Southeast London will be rented for \$20 a month each, so that the rental for the church basement will be reduced to \$190 a month when this revenue is checked up.

The basement will be divided into two classrooms as a temporary expedient until the school accommodation in the district improves, and the rental now awaits formal ratification by the board of education.

PLAN PICNIC FOR KIDDIES OF CITY'S PLAYGROUNDS

Provided that sufficient funds for the purpose can be raised 1,500 children who have patronized city playgrounds during the summer will be treated to a trip to Port Stanley followed by a picnic in the nearby future. Last year, through the generosity of a London merchant, more than 1,000 kiddies were afforded a trip to the lakeside, and the success of this outing has stimulated officials of the public utilities commission to an effort to stage a similar event before the city schools open. In all probability a subscription list will be opened, and citizens of London requested to donate sums to make the outing possible. General Manager E. V. Buchanan, of the public utilities commission, is making plans for this monster picnic, and he declared Tuesday that the picnic will undoubtedly be held, as London citizens are ever behind movements of this nature.

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Cancel Authority



MAGISTRATE A. H. M. GRAYDON Tuesday morning sent official notice to Squire W. H. Chittick, of the Middlesex court, that any authority vested in the county justice by the magistrate was rescinded from this date.

TRUSTEES FAIL TO ATTEND MEETING

Only Smith and Udy Put in Appearance at Monday Session.

After waiting in the board of education committee rooms for one hour Monday afternoon, Trustee Edwin Smith, chairman of the board, and A. A. Langford, one of the trustees, decided that their colleagues on No. 1 committee of the board would not be on the job and that it would be impossible to obtain the necessary quorum for the scheduled meeting.

Investigation revealed the fact that Trustees Wright and Casselman are out of the city, while Trustees Thomas Rowe and A. A. Langford could not get away from business to attend the meeting. Instead of engaging the services of two manual training instructors for city schools the two trustees present discussed matters in general for an hour with Senior Inspector of Public Schools V. K. Greer and then adjourned.

"I closed my office to come here," said Chairman A. N. Udy, when informed that Trustees Rowe and Langford could not get away from business.

"I guess the insurance men make the best trustees," commented Edwin Smith, chairman of the board, mentioning the fact that both he and Trustee Udy are engaged in this work.

TO DEBATE SCHOOL ACT WEDNESDAY

Trades and Labor Council to Listen to Chairman Smith.

The stage is all set for the debate at the Labor Temple Wednesday night respecting the adolescent school attendance act of the Province of Ontario, 1919. Edwin Smith, chairman of the board of education, who is a firm contender that the clause of the act in question compelling all children to attend school until 18 years of age will be difficult to enforce has accepted the invitation extended him to attend the regular session of the Trades and Labor Council when this subject will be discussed at length. A liberal interchange of views is anticipated, as the council, several weeks ago, placed themselves on record as being favorable to the act, incidentally lauding the provincial legislature. Trustee Smith explained Tuesday that he would be in attendance to hear the views of the labor delegates and to express himself if called upon. He emphasizes his plea that there will be no controversy other than a friendly consideration of this important question. A record attendance of labor representatives is expected Wednesday.

SOUGHT REPRESENTATION FOR LONDON BACK IN 1920

While there is considerable agitation in a certain quarter pertaining to increased provincial representation for London, ex-Ald. William A. Wilson holds that "credit should be given where credit is due," stressing his claim that as a member of the London City Council of 1920, he instituted a move to the same effect. In November of that year, the ex-alderman relates, he moved in the council that the provincial legislature be petitioned to increase the representation of the city of London. This resolution was subsequently adopted, he states, following which he undertook, without success, however, the fight for further federal representation.

At the Theatres

PORT STANLEY—Free movies on the boardwalk: Monday and Tuesday, Norma Talmadge, in "The Wonderful Thing." ALLEN—Charles Ray, in "Two Minutes to Go." LOEW'S—Viola Dana, in "There Are No Villains." PATRICIA—Pearl White, in "Without Fear."

OFFER LONDONER POST AT ST. JOHNS

Y. M. C. A. Seeks Wilf. Spearman as Boys' Secretary.

The Young Men's Christian Association in St. John, New Brunswick, which in boys' work, is rated as one of the four best in the Dominion, has offered the position of boys' secretary to Wilf. Spearman, the popular assistant boys' secretary of the London "Y," at an increase in salary of \$500 a year.

Word to this effect reached the city today from Edward Jenkins, general secretary of the London association, who is spending a short vacation at Lake Couchiching.

Mr. Spearman, who is at present attending the Y. M. C. A. summer school at Lake Couchiching, has not decided whether or not he will accept the position, but in all events, would not leave for a few months yet.

Local officials look upon the offer of this position to Mr. Spearman, coming as it is from the St. John "Y," as a sign of honor not only to himself, but to the local association, and predicts a bright future for "Wilf," as he is popularly known among the boys.

Arnold Bennett of the London Y. M. C. A. Athletic Club, who made a splendid showing at the Ontario championships in Orillia, Saturday, Aug. 12, is spending a few days at the Y. M. C. A. secretaries.

Bob Liddle, men's secretary, and Lloyd Houlbush, boys' secretary, are attending lectures at Deseronto, and will not be in the city for a week or two, when the fall work begins.

Town Topics.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Look at the generations of old, and see if ever they trust in the Lord, and was confounded? Or did any abide in His fear, and was forsaken? Or whom did He ever despise that called upon him?—Ecclesiastes 2:10.

I DARE do all that may become a man: Who dares do more is none. —Shakespeare.

THREE COMPANIES OF THE Royal Canadian Regiment went into camp at the cave ranges today, and for the next month will be instructed in company and musketry training. Col. R. J. Langford, D.S.O., is in command.

ARMED WITH A BLOWER apparatus, painters are busily engaged treating the steel structure of the London Street Railway Company portion of Dundas street bridge to a much-needed coat of black paint.

CHIEF OF POLICE Robert Birrell has been missing around the Carling street police station the past couple of days. It is reported that the head of London's finest is enjoying a few days' respite from his duties.

WORKMEN OF THE KINGSTON Construction Company, contractors, who erected the new Central Collegiate Institute on Waterloo street, have played up the campus, preparatory to sowing grass seed, and making a beautiful lawn surrounding the new building.

FROM THE OFFICE of the syndicate of Huron has been announced the appointment by Bishop Williams of Rev. R. C. Pitts, rector of Bayfield, to Christ Church, Petrolia. Mr. Pitts is to succeed Canon W. T. Hill, who, since his superannuation from the Petrolia church, has been living in London.

CHIEF OF POLICE WALSH of Seaford, has notified the local detective department of the theft of that community Monday night of a Ford touring car, license No. 112380, serial No. 120699. Four extra new tires were also in the machine when it was taken.

"ONE WOULD HARDLY recognize the central collegiate grounds," remarks Trustee Edwin Smith, referring Tuesday to the fact that the employees of the Kingston Company are fast completing their work at that institution. The chairman relates that hundreds of loads of surplus earth have been removed and building permit to erect a two-story brick veneer dwelling on Emery street, costing \$4,500, and Mr. Dyer will remodel a brick building at 591½ Richmond street for residential purposes at a cost of \$850. Building permits for this month in London total 49, and the cost of the work involved is estimated at \$68,035.

F. C. WESLEY of the F. C. Wesley Company, engravers, St. John, N. B., made a short visit to his brother, Geo. Wesley, Richmond street north. Mr. Wesley reports business conditions as being very steady in the east, where the volume of trade is not as susceptible to changing conditions as it is in other districts. Business failures in St. John were very unheard of. Like all others from St. John, Mr. Wesley is thoroughly sold on the idea that it is the greatest seaport in the world.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS of public school teachers which will be recommended to the board of education by No. 1 committee were announced Tuesday morning. The appointments and transfers are as follows: Miss Hazel Cunningham, to be transferred from Chesley avenue public school to the household science staff; Miss Hazel Denison appointed to the staff of Egerton street public school; and Miss Margaret MacEachern appointed to the staff of Tecumseh public school.

Proposes to Keep Office of School Inspector Open During Entire Year

Under arrangements being made by V. K. Greer, senior inspector of public school, his office will be kept open all year instead of eleven months under the present system. Inspector Greer's stenographer receives salary for eleven months each year, taking the month of July for holidays without pay. As Mr. Greer is also absent on summer vacation, the office is closed for one month. However, Mr. Greer has pointed out that during the summer many entrance examination appeals and other important business matters come to his office, and has asked that it be kept open for the year. He suggests that his stenographer receive a twelve month salary each year, and the privilege of two week's holiday similar to other board of education staffs.

Members of the board, discussing the matter informally with Inspector Greer, are unanimous in the opinion that his office is no less important than others maintained by the board, and therefore it is expected that the necessary authority to keep it open all year round will be forthcoming without difficulty.

SEES NO NEED TO WORRY OVER BRICK

Secretary Claims Collegiate Built Under Contract Price Doesn't Matter.

Despite the fact that he has been absent from his office on a two weeks' vacation, W. A. Tanner, secretary of the board of education, demonstrated to a reporter Tuesday morning that he has managed to keep in touch with matters pertaining to educational administration in London. When the reporter sauntered into Mr. Tanner's office this morning, the official said: "What's all this talk about \$300 bricks in the London Collegiate Institute?"

Knowing that Secretary Tanner was conversant with the details of this latest scandal, the scribe remained silent and gave him a hearing.

"What does it matter if it cost \$10,000 a thousand, \$10 a thousand, or \$1 a thousand for the bricks, so long as the Kingston Construction Company put them there under contract?" asked the secretary. "Their contract was \$40,000 less than the bid, so it does not matter what the bricks cost, in so far as the ratepayer is concerned."

When Mr. Tanner reiterated that the contractors built the school for \$40,000 less than the bid, the contractor's representative told me that all the high school needs is to have the hose turned on the walls to wash them off," advised Mr. Tanner, thereby opening up a new controversy.

"Why doesn't he do it then?" queried the press representative. "That is not included in the contract," explained the secretary with a smile. "You know the Tudor style of buildings was selected by the school architect, Mr. Carrothers, and it calls for window sills flush with the walls, and these allow the water to drip and soil the bricks."

"Why didn't he foresee this and warn the board?" asked the reporter. "He understands this type of architecture," declared Mr. Tanner, "but then there are lots of little details like that overlooked." The advertiser man agreed with Mr. Tanner on this point. "They criticized the plumbing while I was away," the secretary continued, once more changing the conversation. "It is all right."

"Do you know anything new?" queried the reporter, calling to mind his mission at the secretary's office. "No," replied that official, "I wouldn't tell you if I did."

Mr. Tanner states that his vacation was a very enjoyable one.

Obituaries

MRS. JOAN BROWNLEE. The funeral of Mrs. Joan Brownlee, aged 75 years, of Nilestone, who died at her home, 11 May street, Friday, was conducted from her late residence to Dorchester Union Cemetery Monday afternoon.

Rev. John Smith, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Dorchester, conducted the services. Pallbearers were John Brownlee, Wm. Brownlee, Thos. Whitley, R. R. Lee, E. L. Moore and Henry Hart.

Mrs. Brownlee had been a lifelong resident of Nilestone, and a large number of friends from the township of Westminster were present at her funeral.

Surviving are her husband, Andrew, two sons, John of Souris, Man., and William of Westminster, two daughters, Mrs. T. W. Thompson, 12 Byron avenue and Mrs. J. H. Crockett of Dorchester.

Is Glad To Be Back In Old Home Town.

"CHICAGO is a nice little town all right, but I sure like to get back to London and renew old acquaintances," says Tom Egerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Egerton, 384½ Kidout street, and a nephew of Detective Robert Egerton, who is in the city on his summer vacation from the Illinois metropolis.

Since his departure from this city, when quite a youth, Mr. Egerton has attained a wonderful record in the American business world, and is now the general manager of Rothchilds & Company, one of the large departmental stores in the Windy City.

The bag and its contents were found hidden in the attic of Hill's house.

SAVES MONEY ON DUNDAS ST. PAVING

City Engineer Gains Permission to Lay Asphalt at Asylum.

By obtaining consent of the provincial government to construct an asphalt pavement on Dundas street east, fronting the grounds of the Ontario Hospital, the city of London has saved several thousands of dollars, according to City Engineer H. A. Brazier.

Mr. Brazier points out that there is approximately one thousand feet frontage of government property abutting the new pavement, and according to law, the province cannot be assessed for local improvements, and if the pavement were laid in the face of government opposition, the city would be compelled to pay for this work.

However, the city engineer succeeded in obtaining consent of the provincial authorities to lay the pavement, along with the assurance that the government will pay its share of the cost in a manner similar to that of ratepayers who are assessed for frontage to bear the cost of local improvements.

The only difference will be that the province will pay for the pavement fronting the hospital grounds in a lump sum, instead of having payments spread over a period of years, as is the custom with ratepayers.

Dundas street from Ashland avenue to Hale street was closed to traffic Monday morning, and city employees commenced concreting in preparation for the asphalt pavement Monday. Detouring via King street, Highbury avenue, Beattie avenue and Hale street is necessary for motorists.

A total of 58 men are on the paving job, which includes 36 employees who were laid off when the city paving program was halted recently. The street car tracks have been torn up, and this makes it necessary for the Dundas cars to turn at Ashland avenue.

POLICE ARE looking for a Brantford bicycle No. 202714, the property of Eddie Cookson and reported as stolen Monday night from the Thames Park playground.

Wants Memorial



DR. H. A. STEVENSON, M.L.A., has declared that unless the London council agrees to erect a federal square as the site of the \$400,000 Ontario monument to the fallen soldiers he will withdraw his request to Premier Drury to have the memorial erected here.

FINGAL WANTS COUNTY CONSTABLE REAPPOINTED

FINGAL, AUG. 14.—The municipal council has appointed a committee to deal with the reinstatement of J. H. Young as a county constable. Reported Sunday canvassing in the village is taken as evidence that a competent officer is urgently needed.

A number of village girls have been employed picking berries for George Lethbridge at Watson's Corner. Miss Twila Martin has the distinction of picking 87 boxes in one day. This is considered to be a record.

In Spain, Tuesday is considered an unlucky day for weddings.

DR. STEVENSON ISSUES THREAT

Will Withdraw Request for Cenotaph If Site Refused.

Assured London Will Receive Consideration by Premier Drury.

Declaring that unless the city of London donates the Federal Square property at Wellington and Dundas streets as a site for the proposed new \$400,000 monument to be erected by the Ontario government as a tribute to those of the province who died on war service, Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M. L. A. for London, informed The Advertiser, that if this site is refused the province, he will withdraw his request to Premier Drury that London be selected as the site for the memorial.

Referring to Mayor Cameron Wilson's offer to donate other city property to the government for the monument, Dr. Stevenson takes the stand, "The Federal Square or nothing at all." He discounts the mayor's explanation that this property is too valuable for business purposes, pointing to other cities, where monuments to various people are erected in the heart of the business district.

Will Withdraw Request. "If London does not want this monument," said Dr. Stevenson, "all Mayor Wilson has to do is say so, and I will withdraw my request to Premier Drury that it be erected here. It must be on the Federal Square or not at all. Mayor Wilson, who says that property is too valuable, had better consult some of the old country people on the question."

"In London, England, the monument to the soldier dead is in the heart of the business district. The same applies to memorials in the city of Glasgow, in Montreal and in Boston. Look at the monument in Grand Circus Park, Detroit, right in the heart of the greatest traffic. The Federal Square is an ideal location, because it is on every provincial highway, and thousands of tourists turn to Page 11, Column 1.

ODD LOTS SALE

Wednesday Morning at Ashplant's Shoe Store

You Can Buy \$7 to \$3.95 \$10 Oxfords for . . . \$3.95

They are broken lines, which must be disposed of to make room for incoming fall goods. These Shoes will be style correct for some time to come. Sizes are good, plenty of 4, 5, 6 and 7, and good widths.

Comprising Black Kid, Gun Metal, Patent Calf, Brown Calf and Brown Vici Kid lines. Every pair Goodyear Welted and High Grade in every particular. All Cuban heels. Sold this season at from \$7 to \$10 the pair. We have made a low price to insure quick clearance. No approval. No exchanges.

Women's \$4 and \$5 Canvas Oxfords and Pumps \$1

Tomorrow morning we will clear about 100 pairs of White Canvas Oxfords, excellent quality, and with Military heels, at \$1 the pair. Goodyear Welted pairs in the lot.

Also about 70 pairs of High-Grade, American-Made Canvas Pumps and Colonials, including a few pairs of Ankle Strap. All have Louis heels covered.

For Small Feet \$2 a pair

Sizes 3, 3½, 4.

Presenting the season's biggest opportunity to those ladies wearing Small Sizes. Our best quality Oxford Shoes, in Black Kid, Calf, or Brown Leather, at \$2 the pair. Every pair Goodyear Welted, Cuban or Military heels. No approval. No exchanges made.

A real good investment for the woman who comes early will be found in these Gunmetal and Black Kid Pumps, Cuban heels, that we are going to clear at . . . \$1

Values up to \$7.00 in the lot.

Super-Bargains for Children

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The Passing of Northcliffe.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE is dead. From obscurity to the greatest publisher in the world is a long cry—yet Northcliffe did it. One may well ask how. In the first place the man had the real gift of the successful newspaperman; he was fearless, honest, a worker, and in his great successes never too great to get out and write a story himself.

Passing by all his earlier ventures in weekly and religious papers, all of which succeeded, the young publisher took his first plunge in the daily field when he bought the *London Evening News*, then on the point of failure. He introduced a style of journalism that was new to Britain—in short, it was the American idea of a daily paper. Heads well written, stories crisp and short. Then came his acquisition of the *Daily Mail*, and during the Boer war the sale of this paper ran up to over a million a day, and now stands at 1,350,000. In 1906, when it was announced that Northcliffe had purchased the greatest paper in Britain, the *London Times*, or "The Thunder," it was the equivalent of an earthquake to the conservative classes of Britain, for up to that time he had been branded as more or less of a yellow journalist.

One thing outstanding about Lord Northcliffe was the fact that he was a critic, and a hard one; when it came time to strike, in his opinion, he never believed in delivering two blows where one good one would do. But with all his smashing he was a builder, with all his criticism he was also constructive. It was during the war that he threw the whole strength of his great chain of publications toward making Britain efficient for the carrying on of the war. He attacked with a bitterness that came from a knowledge of facts; he struck out right and left against the policy of "blundering through," which has at times been the boast of certain Englishmen.

Few men possessed a greater first-hand knowledge of world conditions than Northcliffe. To him the world was the field for news. He traveled and studied, always with the idea of making himself conversant with world conditions, and he immediately turned his newly-gained knowledge to the strengthening of his immense string of publications.

He planned his days and his work. He retired early, generally at 9:30. Think over this, some of you mid-night people. He was up and at work at 6:30 in the morning, believing that a man is better fitted for work in the early hours of the day. When he made an appointment for 10 o'clock he kept it at 10, and not at a quarter past ten. He abhorred aimless chatter, and any conversation to interest him had to be worth while. He never carried his business, although it was tremendous, home with him. When his head touched the pillow at night he went to sleep.

Thus is a great Britisher gone. He played his part like a man; he stood up to his opponents squarely and well. He has given a whole lot of half-and-half people a lot to think about.

What Doctors Find.

DOCTORS have been analyzing figures of men examined for the United States army. Out of each 100 city men examined for the army, 61 physical defects were found. The figure was only 53 for the farm boys. This confirms what you already know—that health is in the country, close to the soil.

A fifth of the Class I men were found physically unfit for military service in the field or for home duty. This is a very serious handicap for the next generation, as yet unborn—for, while few physical defects are inherited, the weakness or tendency toward a physical defect is definitely known to be liable to be passed on from father to son.

Three out of each 200 men examined were rejected for mental defects—inadequacies or abnormalities. On this basis, at least 1,500,000 Americans have hopelessly inferior brains, some of them of the vegetable type.

Germany Is Rich.

IN THE last analysis, Germany's ability to pay her war debts depends upon Germany's financial ability to earn money as a nation. The nearer we can get to knowing real conditions in Germany, the nearer we come to knowing for sure whether Germany is bluffing, or by her present policy is deliberately seeking to wreck her financial standing before the world in order to escape payment.

A writer has just returned from Germany, being sent there by the *London Daily Mail* to find out the actual conditions.

His belief is that Germany, far from being poor, is one of the richest countries in the world. He claims people are being deceived by the fact that almost every day sees the value of the mark being put down lower and lower. The wealth of a nation does not depend on money, which is simply a medium of exchange. Now Germany has plenty of raw material within her own borders and is turning it into manufac-

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THERE'S A LOT OF
OTHER CITIES WE
HAVEN'T SEEN YET



tured goods at a tremendous rate. Hence Germany's wealth.

Germany is far richer than France whose industrious peasants and bountiful crops used to amaze Canadian soldiers. All North Germany is a level plain, very fruitful and easily cultivatable, and it is opened up by a unique system of gently flowing deep rivers which can easily be connected, while France has little level ground and only turbulent or small rivers. The principal wealth of nations is created nowadays in factories. Modern industry, as Canada and the United States keenly realize, depends on coal. Germany lost much coal by the peace terms, but in the Ruhr Valley alone, she has about 200,000,000,000 tons of coal, twelve times as much as France, and considerably more than the United Kingdom.

For international commerce Germany has the best position in Centre Europe. Russia, which formerly bought more from Germany than from any other nation, and is likely to become a tremendous market for German goods in the near future, is almost next door. Germany has 60 million of population, while France has less than 40 million. Owing to her superiority in man power and natural resources, and therefore in production, Germany is undoubtedly twice as rich as France.

GERMANY'S industries are extraordinarily prosperous, declares the investigator, but the profits are disguised as far as possible by "writing off" large sums. He cites the Badische aniline and soda chemical works, whose gross profits in 1921 were 407 million marks, whereas its capital was only 400 million marks, and which, after writing off 145,528,245 marks, managed to pay a dividend of 30 per cent. Its profits for 1922 can be imagined. And other great chemical industries show similar prosperity, despite the fact that they are almost everywhere hampered by high tariffs, prohibitions and government subsidies. Nevertheless, between 1916 and 1921 their net profits have been increased eightfold. Some concerns even paid as high as 220 per cent on their 1916 capitalization, despite of huge sums written off.

We are told that Germany is crushed by taxation, but avers the writer, Germany's national revenue for the current year equals at the present rate of exchange \$250,000,000, whereas Great Britain's is \$1,000,000,000. In other words, the people of Britain are paying four times the taxes paid by the people of Germany.

Germany is eating good food, drinking its full of beer and wine, wearing fine clothes, and lastly, going in for every form of enjoyment to a far greater extent than it ever did in the palmiest days of the Kaiser. Germany is fast overcoming what she claims as her meat shortage, by breeding live stock. The shortage of the German masses are not fact but usually well off is apparent to every visitor and to every reader of a German newspaper. Theatres, of concerts, hotels and restaurants are overcrowded with well-dressed people.

That is surely a picture in striking contrast to other nations that have been poor, even to the point of starvation by reason of the war that Germany plotted and started. It puts in evidence that makes it plain that Germany can pay her war debts.

LITTLE TISERS

Short skirts are going out. Calf love only lasts a little while.

Oysters, along with other vacation lists, are due back next month.

Money goes to some folks' head. 'Tis then it touches their soft spot.

Health is much better than wealth, and then no one tries to borrow it.

As long as the strikes are un-

settled business is bound to be unsettled also.

And now we are approaching the hunting season, when cows look like deer and chickens look like birds.

Come to think of it, the mosquito comes in the same class as those that bite the hands that feed them.

It would be a great thing if auto drivers could get it well fixed in their bonnets that pedestrians don't carry spare legs.

If PREMIER DUBAY makes many more picnic speeches we can see where the fall plowing is going to be late at Crown Hill.

After all, have we ever come to realize that the tax dodger is stealing money from the pockets of those who do pay their just share?

The *Kitchener Record* is of the opinion that the hardest time to handle girls is when they're just a wee bit too large to be spanked.

A Port Hope paper is being sued by a minister for remarks made about him. It would be interesting to know where the minister got Biblical precedent for the action.

The *St. Catharines Standard* has a story about the formation of a new club in New York, where women are learning to bend again after wearing corsets for years. The slogan is "Bend or bust." Easy, sisters, you may do both.

Winnipeg Free Press: "If the news spreads that all the members of the new Manitoba cabinet are Presbyterians it would not be surprising to see the general assembly forsake Port Arthur for 1923 and come back again to Winnipeg."

The commercial editor of the *Winnipeg Free Press* made a four-day tour of 100 miles through the Manitoba harvest fields, and reports "the best harvest in years." Much better reading, we say, than the usual motor stories of blow-outs and detours.

Camping parties from United States spending week-ends in Western Ontario quite often put up their tents in church yards. We don't know whether this is so they can go to church on Sunday or because there is generally a pump around the premises.

Western cities fear they will be called upon to keep a number of the harvesters who have gone to that country from Ontario. A man who goes west to work in the harvest is hardly a loafer. Men who really want to work are not likely to be a burden on Western Canada.

A very clever cartoon pictures miners, operators and the general public sitting in a poker game. At the other side of the table is one man, large, ugly and fat. He has all the ships and all the money, and his name is Simon Pure Waste. The

cartoon tells a wonderful story in a wonderful way.

A series of articles in the *McLaurine* (Australia) *Argus*, bitterly attacks the compulsory arbitration legislation that has been in force there for some years, claiming it is not fair to the workers, and that it frightens away capital. In Canada we feel the lack of some such provision as Australia has for making certain that arbitration awards will be accepted by the losing as well as the winning side. Probably the nearest any firm ever came to a solution of the trouble is to be found in places where conditions of employment are so made that there are never any strikes. It is well to remember that there are such places.

READ YOUR CHARACTER

By Digby Phillips.

NO. 296—FIRST ANALYSIS.

If you have been following this series of articles with any consistency you may be curious to try yourself at an analysis of handwriting. Here is your chance. Cover up the last paragraph of this article, so that you won't inadvertently see the answer, and then consider the following:

Suppose you are examining a specimen of handwriting, and you note first of all that the writing is very small, and that a great many words have been forced into one line, giving the whole an appearance of being crowded together. You note also that the lines are inclined to descend as they reach the right-hand side of the page.

In addition to this you note that the letters "a," "o," "d," and "e" are made in such a way that the loops composing the bodies of the letters are well closed at the top.

And finally, your subject writes back-hand.

Small writing indicates a certain degree of intellectuality; in other words, mental activity; in other words, shows a lack of generosity, in thought as well as in the giving of material things. Descending lines show pessimism and cynicism. The well-closed letters indicate a degree of secretiveness, and the backhand indicates a natural ability at planning, scheming, analyzing. Altogether you have here a group of characteristics of just the sort that goes to make up a keenly suspicious personality, for all of the foregoing characteristics enter largely into the quality of suspicion.

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IN BAD CASE. "He has hired the best lawyer in town to defend him."

"Is his case as desperate as all that?"

ITS ONLY USE. Teacher—Do you remember what I told you about the north pole?

Tommy—Er—er—I—I—I—

Teacher—You never remember anything. What is the use of your head?

Tommy—To keep my collar from slipping off.

HOW ABOUT WATER?



BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

ESPIE anything

anti-dry forces

may say against it,

drinking water is a

mighty necessary

adjunct to good

health. Few people

drink enough of it.

There are lots of

heavy eaters, but

few heavy water

drinkers.

There is a time

for drinking water

just as for everything else.

The person who is fighting fat should

avoid drinking at meals, because the

food is washed down too easily and

one overeats almost unconsciously.

The sufferer from acid stomach

soups, potatoes and tomatoes.

should not drink immediately after

eating, or, in fact, until digestion is

well started. Although water is an

aid to digestion, if taken in excess,

it will cause an excessive flow of

gastric acid.

To be sure of enough water to keep

the body in a normal condition one

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

HERE WE HAVE ITEMS OF LOCAL AND DISTRICT INTEREST
AS RECORDED IN THE ADVERTISER OF 1897.

AUGUST 15, 1897.

Proof of the necessity for a fire-hall in the north end of the city was furnished last night about 6 o'clock when the department was called to attend a blaze a mile and three-quarters from the central station. A shed belonging to Patrick Burns, Grafton street, between Cheapside and Huron, had caught fire, and the dwelling-house close by was in danger. Quick service was given considering the length of the run, but it was a great tax on the horses. The damage to the building was slight.

The correspondent of the Michigan State Guards at Island Lake camp, writes: "Five members of the

LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY

TODAY'S word is—EPISODE.

It's pronounced—ep-i-sode, with accent on the first syllable.

It means—an incidental experience; a separate incident in a story, introduced to give variety; a digression, separate from some main subject and yet naturally arising from it. Originally, as used by ancient Greek playwrights, it meant that part of a tragedy between two choric songs—the equivalent of an "act" in a modern play.

It comes from—a combination of Greek words meaning "coming in besides."

It's used like this—"Our recent strikes are episodes in the still-running story of the post-war readjustment of relations between capital and labor."

Our Own Country

CANADA'S AIR FORCE.

Q.—What is the Canadian Air Force?

A.—The Canadian Air Force had 407 officers and 840 men in training at Camp Borden in 1921.

I. O. D. E.

Q.—Who and what are the I. O. D. E.?

A.—The I. O. D. E. stands for the Imperial Daughters of the Empire, with the Children of the Empire as the junior organization—"a bond of union among the daughters and children of the empire." There are 30,000 members in over 700 chapters in Canada.

CANADA'S AGE.

Q.—How old is the Dominion of Canada?

A.—The Dominion of Canada was 55 years old on July 1, 1922.

Q.—What do tax exemptions amount to in Canada?

A.—Tax exemptions of churches, schools, educational institutions, etc., amount to nearly a billion dollars in Canada.

Queen's army were in camp today, and were entertained very pleasantly. The party consisted of Lieut.-Col. Smith, deputy adjutant-general, London, Ont.; Lieut.-Col. Guillot, 21st Fusiliers, and Mr. Beattie, 21st Fusiliers. They were entertained by Major Corns of the brigade staff, took supper with the governor, and finally fell into the hands of Capt. Baxter of the Fourth, who entertained them until their train left.

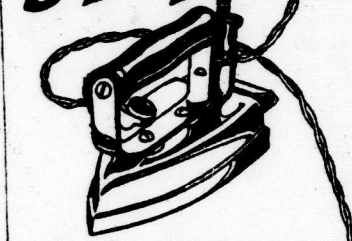
Hay has been offered at Tara for \$4 per ton, or to supply for the winter at \$5 per ton.

Ald. Stevely celebrated his birthday with a party of friends on Liberty Hill, Port Stanley, and around the pleasant summer resort.

The Grand Trunk will put on a special flyer of first-class coaches for the Woodmen of the World excursion to Detroit on Monday, Aug. 15, 1922. Those who wish may return by the great St. Clair tunnel at Sarnia.

A fishing party, consisting of Capt. Thomas Gleason, Frank McVean, Dan Wiley and Willie Murray, returned last evening after having spent ten days at Gleason's camp, near Putnamville. The boys report having caught 35 pike and 40 large black bass.

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Ladies' Combinations, step-in style... 78c
Pink Bloomers, elastic top and knee... 25c
Children's Black Cambric Bloomers... 25c
Girls' Hygienic Washable Waists, hose supporters... 75c
Misses' Elastic-Top Corsets, special... \$1.00
Corsets for the average figure, low and medium bust, hose supports, etc... \$1.69

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Cambric Night Gowns, slip-over style, trimmed with embroidery. \$1.98
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Cambric Night Gowns, slip-over style, edged with embroidery. \$1.25
at...
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at...
One table of Children's Night Gown to clear. 98c
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RIVAL CHINESE FACTIONS

OPEN PARLEY FOR PEACE

Agents of War Lords Assemble To Meet Sun Yat Sen.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 14.—The first actual peace parley between the discordant elements of North and South China, opened here today, unheralded by any preliminary announcement.

Agents of General Wu Pei Fu, war lord of the North; General Chan Tso Lin, military director of Manchuria; General Tso Kun Tehuan of Chihli; General Li Huang, and Former President Hsu Shih Chang, are here to meet with Sun Yat Sen, former head of the Southern government.

MOVES TO MEET COAL SITUATION

Ontario Fuel Controller Issues Notice of General Conference On Thursday.

Believe Problem Calls For Immediate and Concerted Action.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—J. A. Ellis, Ontario fuel controller, who was in Ottawa today, sent out notices from the capital that a conference on the fuel situation would be held in the parliament buildings here on Thursday afternoon. Mayors and other representatives of Ontario municipalities and coal dealers are invited to attend the conference, which is called for 2:30.

Summons of the conference on short notice points to a growing realization of the seriousness of the situation and the need for immediate and concerted action to meet the province's fuel needs during the coming winter. Today's action followed the receipt of a telegram from Fuel Controller Ellis, who has been in Ottawa conferring with former Fuel Controller C. A. Magrath, and federal officials.

The municipal authorities of Toronto and Ottawa have been notified by letter. Telegrams were sent to the following cities: Belleville, Brantford, Galt, Guelph, Hamilton, Kingston, Kitchener, Chatham, London, Niagara Falls, Peterboro, St. Catharines, St. Thomas, Sarnia, Sault Ste. Marie, Paris, Welland, Windsor and Woodstock.

While officials are inclined to minimize the seriousness of the shortage with a view to averting anything in the nature of a panic, those in close touch with the situation do not take a reassuring view of the effect the United States rail strike will have on the Ontario consumer's chances of obtaining anything like his usual supply of coal before the first snow-furrows.

Place Large Orders. One United States railway has ordered a million tons of coal from England, and other railways have also placed heavy orders, a representative of a large firm of British coal shippers now in Toronto declared today. This representative, in view of his intended relations with coal dealers and large consumers in Eastern Canada.

Family Escape Unhurt

When Automobile Turns Turtle.

Special to London Advertiser. WOODSTOCK, Aug. 14.—S. Garner, wife and three children had a miraculous escape from death early this morning when the car in which they were riding turned over into a ditch, seven miles from the city.

The occupants of the car had just left their home on their way to Windsor. They had only gone a short way when the radius rod broke, and the car turned turtle, the five occupants of the car being pinned underneath. Miraculously the occupants escaped injury other than a bad shaking up.

ada and the United States, refused to allow the press to use his name. He, however, freely discussed the coal situation. He stated that United States railroads and dealers and brokers were rushing into the British market with huge orders. This was causing a sharp rise in prices. This anxiety on the part of the railroads to get coal supplies indicated, he said, that the strike in the United States would be a fight to a finish. He continued: "The unfilled United States orders for Welsh anthracite now amount to about one and a half million tons."

LARKIN TAKES ACTION.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—Mayor Maguire today received a letter from Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian high commissioner in London, who, as a result of a request which Mayor Maguire made by cable, has been endeavoring to further the interests of the city in the securing of fuel.

Hon. Mr. Larkin, after stating that he has instructed various reliable Welsh collieries to communicate with the local board of control, comments as follows upon Swansea coal, 3,000 tons of which are in transit from England, and 10,000 additional tons of which have been contracted for: "This coal is in the highest grade that is mined in Europe. Dr. Cammell of the department of mines, who is over here, assures me that it is 15 per cent more efficient than the Pennsylvania coal, which, in recent years, has been steadily deteriorating in quality."

The writer continues then to compare the Swansea coal most favorably with the Walsford product, which is possibly more widely known, and concludes that it burns with very little ash and with no clinkers.

EXPECT MILLIONS FROM RACING TAX

Raney Predicts Rakeoff On Race Track Gambling Will Net \$4,000,000.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—If Hon. W. E. Raney's estimate of the probable revenue from the 5 per cent race track rake-off is correct, the provincial treasurer's task of finding a surplus for the current year should be somewhat easier than it was last year.

In a statement issued today in connection with the race-track gambling controversy the attorney-general stated that the total provincial revenue from the tracks for 1922 will be somewhere between three and four millions of dollars.

After pointing out that the 5 per cent rake-off on the amount wagered is in addition to the tax of \$7.50 per day on each track, the attorney-general continues: "The amount wagered last year was upwards of \$50,000,000, and the amount that will come from this taxation (the per diem tax) this year will, it is estimated, amount to upwards of \$2,500,000, so that the total revenue which will be derived by the province of Ontario from race track tax for 1922 will be somewhere between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000."

HOLD DECORATION DAY AT WINGHAM

Oddfellows and War Veterans Conduct Joint Services At Cemetery.

WINGHAM, Aug. 14.—Marching between rows of silent, bareheaded spectators and led by the Wingham Citizens' Band, returned men under command of Major H. C. MacLean, M.C., with Maitland Lodge of Oddfellows, paraded to Wingham Cemetery this afternoon where they jointly conducted memorial services in honor of their dead.

One whole car was filled with floral tributes, supplied by the veterans and Oddfellows and their friends, while this in turn was followed by carriages and cars bearing the immediate relatives of the deceased soldiers and brethren.

Upon arriving at the cemetery prayers were said after which the band played "Abide With Me."

The names of the deceased Oddfellows were then read by John F. Greaves, while the names of the soldier dead were read by C. R. Wilkinson. While the graves were being decorated, the band played "The Dead March in Saul." A prayer by the chaplain of Maitland Lodge, I.O.O.F., concluded this portion of the ceremony.

Rev. Mr. West of Kincardine, was the chief speaker, and in a brief and impressive address dwelt on the noble sacrifice which the dead had made. While it was well to decorate their graves, he said, it was needful that one should honor them in one's life and uphold firmly the things that they had died for.

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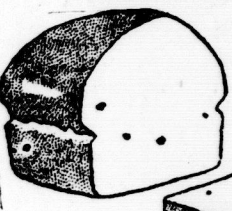
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their country were thus fittingly commemorated: Nursing Sister Maud Hanna; Comrades R. J. Pailis, George Hayes, Arthur Dovey, Percy Syder, Grant Felty, R. Chittie, H. French, Joseph Holland, Alfred Pulten, H. M. Philcox, E. J. Murch, Gordon Adair, David Laughlan, Aitchison, Wallace Aitchison, Herbert J. Bond, Ross Forsyth, Paul Gillespie, Thomas F. McDonald, Chester McLean, Norman E. Nicholls, Harvey F. Willis, Leonard Brock, Richard Howson, A. T. Horne, W. E. Hilde, Frank Johnston, Theodore McDonald, Wilfred Pocock, David Loughheed and Wilmer Johnston. Not all these, however, lie buried in Wingham Cemetery. Some of them sleep under white crosses in the poppy-strewn fields of Flanders, but all are from this district and by this district mourned.

With the Oddfellows the ceremony is an annual event. This is the first time that ex-service men of the district as a body held a decoration day. It is likely that hereafter it will be an annual event.

DROWNS NEAR SARNIA.
SARNIA, Aug. 14.—Becoming exhausted while swimming in the river

ERIE LURES TO IDYLIC SCENES

Balmy Lake Breezes Invite Tired Thousands To Port Stanley Beach.

Western Ontario's Favorite Pleasure Mecca Daily Grows in Popularity.

Resembling much the idyllic, beautiful, island home washed by languid summer seas, whereon grew the lotus plant of magic powers and lived the Ulysses of ancient Grecian lore, Port Stanley, London's haven from the dusty, hot streets of summer, is increasing in popularity day by day as is evinced by the throngs that crowd the "Movie Limited" and other trians every night for the lakeside resort.

There, the sound of the waves lapping the shore, the cool soothing breeze that flows landwards nightly, and the pleasing strains of haunting melodies, drive the cares of the day away for a few hours at least, bringing back the strength necessary for daily toil.

Along Lake Erie's shores, in the vicinity of Port Stanley, fires blaze nightly. They are not the campfires of the Ku Klux Klan nor of wandering gypsy bands. These fires are built by citizens of London and Western Ontario. Every night you will find parties of visitors to the resort, gathered around these fires, roasting marshmallows.

And so a new pleasure has been found at London's summer playground on the lake. Cool weather may prevent evening bathing, but it brings with it its crop of roasts.

There are many other pleasures awaiting the visitor at the lakeside resort. Bathing is one of them. Canoes and rowboats can be rented for a reasonable sum.

One must not overlook the riding devices, such as the roller-coaster, the ferris wheel and the merry-go-round. These and many other mechanical amusement facilities have been installed at the Erie Amusement Company's park.

Every evening one of the best dancing pavilions is in operation until 11:30 o'clock. At this place, the Casino, only the best music is supplied and by the best orchestras.

Hardly one thing common to a summer resort can be named but Port Stanley has it. In fact, each year Port Stanley is gaining additional fame, and is now known in all parts of the continent as one of the best summer resorts on either side of the boundary line.

Besides, it is London's summer resort—the Coney Island of Western Ontario—and Londoners, being shareholders in it, should strive to make it bigger and better each year.

LEAVE ON EXCURSION.

STRATFORD, Aug. 14.—Upwards of 80 left Stratford this afternoon on the "harvesters" excursion for the West.

TWO BOYS DROWN FISHING IN GRAND

Kitchener Youths Venture Into River At Breslau in Leaky Boat.

KITCHENER, Aug. 14.—Two little 10-year-old boys, Laverne Snider and Frank Bosenburg, of Kitchener, were drowned in the Grand River at Breslau, at 5:30 this afternoon. They had secured an old flat-bottomed boat above the dam at Breslau and had gone out into the center of the river to fish. The boat quickly filled with water, and the boys screaming frantically for help, disappeared below the surface of the water.

Several children who were playing on the bank saw the accident, but none of them could swim. One of them had the presence of mind to run for assistance and managed to stop Oscar Williams who was passing in his motor.

Mr. Williams hurried to the spot, and after swimming around for a few minutes, managed to recover the body of Snider, but as yet the body of the Bosenburg boy has not been found. Dr. L. M. Shields and Fire Chief

Dancing Contests at The Casino Thursday

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday (Irish picnic), prize dancing competitions will take place. As this is the big day of the season at Port, a big crowd of dance devotees will undoubtedly attend. Be on hand early with your dancing partner. The hall will be open all afternoon and evening.

Port CASINO Stanley

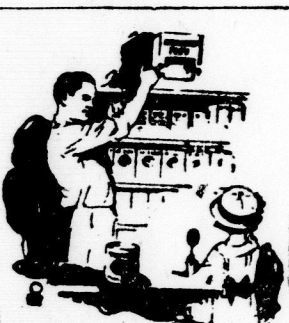


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Guerin of Kitchener, were summoned and although they worked over the body of the Snider boy with a lung motor for more than an hour they were not able to revive him.

If the body of the Bosenburg child is not recovered in a short time the authorities intend to let out the water in the dam to assist them in their search.

The parents of both of the children reside on Mitchell avenue, Kitchener, and they have the sympathy of a host of friends in their great loss.

STATES WAITERS' UNION TO PROSECUTE OWNERS

Secretary Declares Action of Number of Toronto Hotel Proprietors Illegal.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—According to W. Smythe, secretary of the Cooks and Waiters' Union, a number of Toronto hotels are still working their help a whole or part of seven days in the week. "This," says Mr. Smythe, "is absolutely illegal in view of an act to promote the public health," originally introduced by Sergeant-Major McNamara, M.L.A., and coming into operation on the first of August this year.

The act provides that all employees of hotels, cafes or restaurants

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WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

Baseball Fans Rally To Cheer London Girls' League Players

Series, Nearing Close, Affords Splendid Sport For Teams, Fine Entertainment For Public—Umpire Occasionally Has Troubles Even If Backed by Strong Arm of Constitution.

Hear that lusty cheering two or three evenings a week any time you are in the area of Wellington street, west of Mainland, north of the G. T. R. tracks and south of Dundas street? If your ears are acute the waves of sound may be carried to you at a much greater distance. No, it isn't an echo of the enthusiasm attendant upon the big league games at Tecumseh Park. It is a demonstration accorded at Alexandra School grounds to the teams of a very live and very modern organization, the London Y. C. A. Girls' Baseball League, which, weather permitting and disputes all settled, will complete its summer schedule the end of this week or early next.

Apart from the fun the girls have got out of the games themselves and the credit that has been reflected upon the association and firm representation, a large public has been nightly amused and edified, young people, old people, every age people, from the great-grandfathers to the kiddies just beginning to take a real live interest in sports. And it doesn't cost a cent for admission to the "twoing circus." The beauty of it is that two league games are usually in progress, and if one quarrels with the decision of the umpire, or if some other reason decides to move on, why there is always another game going strong to arrest attention not a hundred yards away.

The interest of the public is the feature that has surpassed all expectations the first season for a real live, businesslike baseball league organized in connection with the Y. W. C. A. The novelty of seeing girls in gym costumes marching jauntily down the street to take their places on the diamond has long since worn off.

Grandfather, dad, and even older brother who is developing into a mellowed bachelor have "I remember" about the times such doings were not seen outside the theatres. Now they are taken for granted in the life of wholesome, healthy, athletic, outdoor-loving Miss Canada.

The reason people stopping the first time out of curiosity have come back again and again, night after night, to see the league games is because real good ball is played. The fans who have attached themselves to the league series naturally have picked their favorite teams and come on the run when they sight the distinctive uniforms. The Smallman & Ingram Thistles, for example, appear in delf blue middies, navy bloomers and white shoes. The London Hostery team has adopted a gay red midly with black bloomers. Pennmans wear white middies with blue collars, and so on.

To facilitate action, the league from the time of registration, was divided into two groups with half a dozen or more teams in each. The schedule calls for the playing off of the final game by leading teams in the two groups on Thursday, August 17.

How do the teams stand at present in their respective groups? That is a question to be decided with firmness, not to mention diplomacy, and

interpretation of the league rules for softball laid down at the beginning of the season that will leave no doubt even-handed justice has been meted out.

The league constitution definitely states that the word of the umpire was to be law and his decision final. Of course, the umpires were chosen for their experience, knowledge of the game, and uncompromising determination always to see fair play.

It is the first year for the league and for the girls' teams playing in the league. For many of the players it is the first time in their lives they have been brought bang up against the stone wall of an umpire's decision which does not agree with their own view of the matter. Agree with the umpire? What were voices made for but to be used in protest? Hence protests occasionally have been in order.

Learn How To Lose. In just such circumstances as these the girls are achieving one of the objects in forming the league. They are learning the meaning of the term good Canadian sportsmanship, which involves taking their medicine in sportsmanlike manner when the decision handed out is against their team and may even involve loss of a game.

Have the players enjoyed themselves, with all their hard work? "Great," said a young member of a team well to the front to The Advertiser Monday evening. "The harder you play to win the better you always enjoy the game, you know," she continued.

"But, doesn't it worry you having so many onlookers and hearing the people cheering?" Doesn't it make you self-conscious?"

"Not a bit," she answered. "You forget all about the people and all you are aware of is that you must play your best on account of the team."

The umpires, who have never failed to be on the spot or have a reliable substitute, are J. B. Ferguson, Mel Brock and Gordon Marr, on whom a large share of the work and praise (not to mention blame) have fallen. Ernie Dennis, Jr., and W. Legg have been ready to fill in when needed.

In the main, difficulties that have arisen (as they will do in the best regulated leagues) have been traceable to wording of the constitution in one or two instances. Since the constitution was made and adopted it is necessary for a properly loyal league to stand by it. Experience gained this year, the girls say, will be invaluable in building a constitution for the second season of the league.

Of course there is going to be a second season and seasons stretching away out into the future, with such a creditable beginning of real baseball history in connection with the Y. W. C. A. in the summer of 1922.

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Personals

Miss Anne Pratt, Oxford street, is holidaying at the Nepahwin-Gregory, Muskoka.

Mrs. H. W. Bremner and little daughter Sadie, of 578 Talbot street, are visiting relatives in Paris, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Salton (formerly Anne Neilson) of New York are visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Mrs. J. Fairbairn and Miss May Fairbairn, Evergreen avenue, are spending a few weeks at Sunset Hotel, Goderich.

Mrs. George Allen and two daughters of Glen Williams are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen, 9 High street, London.

Misses Marjorie and Norma Springhell have returned to their home in Hyde Park after holidaying at Port Stanley.

Mrs. Arthur Bentley, 24 Wilson avenue, has been spending the past fortnight in Strathroy, the guest of Mrs. E. Forbes.

Miss Marjorie Carrothers and Miss Hazel Stone have returned to the city after a delightful holiday spent at Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peach, Wharncliffe road north, have returned to the city after spending a delightful two weeks at Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holman and Miss Marjorie Holman of 381 Princess avenue are guests at Nepahwin-Gregory, Lake Rousseau.

R. W. Jackson, D.C., of Clayton, Ill., has returned from visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jackson of Elderton, Ont.

City Engineer Brazier and Mrs. Brazier, accompanied by their family, spent the week-end at Port Franks.

Mr. Harry Wideman of Wyandotte, Mich., is spending his holidays with his cousin, Archie Ramer, Tecumseh avenue.

Mrs. A. W. Ramer and son Archie have returned home after spending two weeks with relatives in Flint and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egelton and son Maxwell of 60 St. George street are holidaying in Muskoka, staying at Gregory.

Mrs. Homer Black and Miss Ahita Black are visiting in Detroit, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rice, Boston Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Young are with Mr. and Mrs. George G. McCormick at their summer home, "Oakay," on River St. Clair.

Miss Frankie and Mr. Melville Element, Piccadilly street, have returned home after a very pleasant fortnight spent in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Jackson and family, who have been visiting friends and relatives in this city, left by motor Sunday for their home in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson of Mayfield have returned home, after spending their holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jackson of Elderton, Ont.

Mrs. John Dolan and small son, Master Jack, Mainland street, accompanied by Miss Dolan of Stratford, have been spending the summer at Edison Beach, Port Huron.

Mrs. F. J. Ballantyne and son Willis are visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. A. Willis, at her summer home, "Hazel Brae" cottage, Erie Rest, Port Stanley.

Miss Bertha Smith, superintendent of child welfare nurses, has returned after a happy three weeks' holiday spent in Delhi, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Lee, and in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wootton of Detroit spent the week-end in the city with Mr. Wootton's grandmother, Mrs. James Wootton, 698 Mainland street, going on to Goderich to visit relatives of Mrs. Wootton.

Miss Betty D. Thornley left for New York Monday evening, after spending the past ten days in town with her mother, Mrs. May R. Thornley, on her return from a trip of several months to China and Japan.

Miss Ethel Grant, bookkeeper at Campbell & Sons, and Miss Gertrude Prior, teller-accountant of the Home Bank of Canada, Delaware, have left for a trip down the St. Lawrence River, visiting at Quebec, Montreal and Thousand Islands.

Mr. G. McStay Jackson of Chicago, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. F. Jackson, Central avenue, and also with relatives in Hamilton and Toronto, left for Detroit Sunday, where he will spend a few days before returning to Chicago.

Rev. Dr. D. C. MacGregor, who left the city the end of May to attend the meeting of the General Assembly in Winnipeg, going on from there to visit relatives in Calgary and Spokane and spending the past few weeks in the vicinity of Orillia, is returning to London this week and will preach at the union presbyteries of St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian churches on Monday. Mrs. MacGregor, who left some weeks ago for a holiday visit in Orillia, is also returning this week.

Rev. J. D. McCrae, Mrs. McCrae and two daughters Mary and Alberta paid a brief visit to Mr. McCrae's parents, Rev. Dr. McCrae and Mrs. McCrae, on Monday, after spending ten days with friends in Strathroy and Petrolia. They have left with Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey A. Wheable and little son on a motor trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Ogdenburg, Prescott, and thence to their own home.

Miss Margaret Wade, for several years past editor of McClary's Wireless, goes Tuesday to Windsor, where she has accepted a responsible position.

Present Portfolio To Mrs. Imrie.

IN honor of Mrs. John Imrie, who is leaving shortly with her husband to engage in mission work in west South Africa, under the American Presbyterian Mission Board, the W. M. S. and Lillian McVicar, Y. W. M. S. of New St. James Presbyterian Church, held a farewell social evening in the home of the W. M. S. president, Mrs. Robert J. Webster, 791 Wellington street.

Gaily illuminated and beautifully adorned with summer flowers, the rooms of the house and verandas presented a most festive appearance.

Mrs. Webster presided, and interesting addresses were given by Mrs. D. L. McCrae, London Presbyterian W. M. S. president, and Mrs. Richard Crouch, who has recently returned after spending a year in France.

On behalf of the W. M. S. and the young ladies' society, Mrs. Imrie was presented with a handsome writing portfolio as a goodbye gift. Several numbers were contributed to the program by the members of the Lillian McVicar Y. W. M. S., who also served the tempting refreshments.

Mrs. Imrie leaves the end of this week to visit her sisters in Oklahoma, before sailing Sept. 3 from New York, with her husband for France, where they will remain to take special study for six months before proceeding to Africa.

With a mortgage-bond company, leaving several days earlier than she had expected, it was necessary for the Women's Press Club, of which she is an officer and most popular member, to cancel a farewell entertainment planned.

She is retaining a connection with McClary Wireless, and for the present will return to the city for week-ends.

When Girls Are Away Grown-Ups Will Play

The announcement from the Y. W. C. A. camp for girls at Port Bruce that the last camp of the season will open Tuesday, August 22, brings a shiver of realization that the summer has all but run away. The last camp, however, promises to be the merriest of all, a real holiday camp, covering a full two weeks, for employed teen age girls, mothers, aunts, big sisters, anybody that cares to throw responsibilities to the winds for a glorious fortnight and revel in the out-of-door life, paddling, swimming, boating, roaming at will through the woods. Educational, in a pleasant, sugar-coated way, the camp will be also, with Miss Norma Ford of Toronto University to take the nature study, and Miss Nora McLenan, who has been on duty all summer, as sports and swimming leader, to remain to see that the grown-ups play the game, and do not get beyond their depth.

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BARN HUMS WITH LIFE ON MIDSUMMER DAY

But it's interesting place to laze in, just the same.

BY ELSPEITH WILSON.

A weird place is the farm barn on a hot midsummer day. Doors fling invitingly open wide, tempting us to lazily throw ourselves upon sweet-smelling hay and enjoy life and sounds about us. Breezes waft in, stirring even the cobwebby corners, and in shafts of sunshine dust particles turned to gold dance gaily, while myriads of winged insects live out their obscure existence. Honey bees drone past the open door staggering under their burden of sweets. Crickets and grasshoppers keep up a merry concert soothing to the senses in this particular setting, while ants studiously trudge under immense loads.

Swallows dart about amid the dust-laden beams, chattering excitedly should a bold sparrow appear and annoy them. Speckled "Biddy" with her healthy brood of chicks ventures upon the barn floor chucking lustily as she vigorously scatters the chaff and litter in search for grain or grubs, keeping ever one bright eye upon her arch enemy, Collie, who for once is too indolent to frighten and scatter her flock. Overcome with heat and comfort even in slumber he flicks the teasing flies from his ears. The barn pussy perched on a beam keeps a furtive eye for field mice, a rustle in the straw having aroused her suspicions.

Thus we drowse day-dreaming, half asleep, and only partially away from the creaking and straining of the loaded wagon of grain approaching reminds us that life is not all pleasure and idleness. Several flies from his ears. The barn pussy perched on a beam keeps a furtive eye for field mice, a rustle in the straw having aroused her suspicions.

It is evident that we must change our quarters or get to work for a barn with wagonload of grain to be emptied in no place for idleness. Accompanied by Collie we set out for fresh drinking water for the thirsty men.

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Mrs. Watts, grand president of Petrobor, Mrs. Mann, grand secretary of Toronto and the grand treasurer of Hamilton, and the grand officers of the lodge were present. The ceremonies of installation of officers and initiation of members occupied the afternoon and a portion of the evening, and the officers were then instructed in their duties. After business, speeches were given by the visiting officers, and refreshments served by the members of the new lodge. Music was furnished by the Cayuga Orchestra. About one hundred and fifty ladies were in attendance from Waterford, Simcoe, Hagersville and Dunnville. The proceedings ended with a dance in the town hall, where the meeting was held.

CELEBRATES PIONEERSHIP.

Self claims the honor of having organized the first Women's Institute in Haldimand County, and on Aug. 10, the members of that branch held a picnic at Woodlawn Park. A most delightful day was enjoyed, an invitation having been extended to the different branches in the county. During the day Miss Ethel M. Chapman, assistant superintendent of Women's Institutes, gave a most interesting address on "Institute Work and How It Can Help the Community." A boat had been chartered for the day and many in attendance availed themselves of a short sail on Lake Erie.

say good-bye to it. The music is precious to me because my boys handed it. Still, I wish to help if possible. Washing cream and more soap, but I shall be a busy woman, for I shall play each piece before I

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Dear Cynthia Grey—I have planned to join the happy group in the "A Lie" contest. I have a number of pieces of music, mostly popular stuff, my sons used to play (they are not here now), and of pre-war days. Happy days those were for me.

Anyone wishing two copies, at least send a dime for fund; phone me, and I will mail two copies. I am very much interested in your column, and seldom miss reading it. I am sending a parcel to a needy one I heard of through a Boxite. It is a blessing to help others even a little. Now, don't all speak at once, or I shall be a busy woman, for I shall play each piece before I

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CRUMLIN

THE RED HOUSE MYSTERY

by A. A. MILNE

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Who had shot and killed the deer-do-well?

ROBERT ABLETT, within two minutes after his arrival at The Red House, the country estate of his wealthy bachelor brother,

MARK ABLETT? Robert's body was on the floor of the locked office, Mark was missing and, in the opinion of Inspector Birch, it was clear that Mark, who had looked forward with anxiousness to the return of his brother from Australia, had shot Robert and then disappeared.

But there were mysterious circumstances. The shot was fired a few moments before

ANTHONY GILLINGHAM, gentleman adventurer and friend of BILL BEVERLEY, one of Mark's guests, had entered the hall where he found

MATT CAYLEY, Mark's constant companion, pounding on the door and demanding admittance. The two men entered the room through a window and found the body.

Anthony and Bill had decided that Cayley knows more of the crime than he will disclose. They discover a secret passage from the bowling green to the house and, in Cayley's absence, try to find an opening to it in the library.

GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"We shall have to take every blessed book down," Bill said, "before we can be certain that we haven't missed it."

Anthony's pipe was now going satisfactorily, and he got up and walked leisurely to the end of the wall opposite the door.

"Well, let's have a look," he said, "and see if they are so very frightful. Hello, here's your 'Badminton.' You often read that, you say?"

"If I read anything."

"Yes," he looked down and up the shelf. "I like books of travel, don't you?"

"They're pretty dull as a rule."

"Well, anyhow, some people like them very much," said Anthony reproachfully. He moved on to the next row of shelves. "The Drama. The Restoration dramatists. You can have most of them. Still, as you have remarked, many people seem to love them. Shaw, Wilde, Robertson—I like reading plays. Bill, there are not many people who do, but those who do are usually very keen. Let us pass on."

He went to the next shelf, and then gave a sudden whistle. "Hello, hello!"

"What's the matter?" said Bill, rather peevishly.

"Stand back there. Keep the crowd back, Bill. We are getting amongst Sermons, as I live. Sermons. Was Mark's father a clergyman, or does Mark take to them naturally?"

"His father was a parson, I believe. Oh, yes, I know he was."

"Ah, then these are father's books. 'Half-Hours With the Infinite'—I must order that from the library when I get back. 'The Lost Sheep' Jones on the Trinity. 'The Narrow Way, being Sermons by the Rev. Theodore Ussher'—hello!"

"What is the matter?"

"William, I am inspired. Stand by." He took down the Reverend Theodore Ussher's classic work, looked at it with a happy smile for a moment, and then gave it to Bill. "Here, hold Ussher for a bit."

Bill took the book obediently.

"No, give it me back. Just go out

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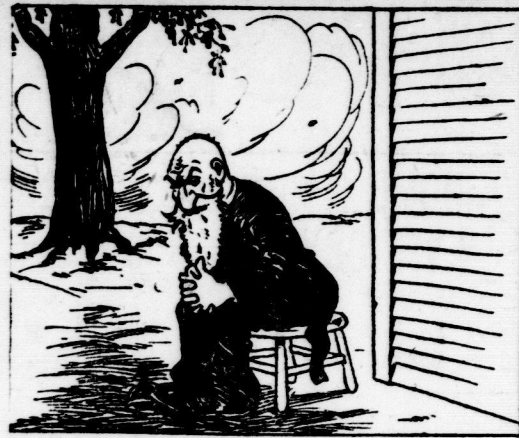
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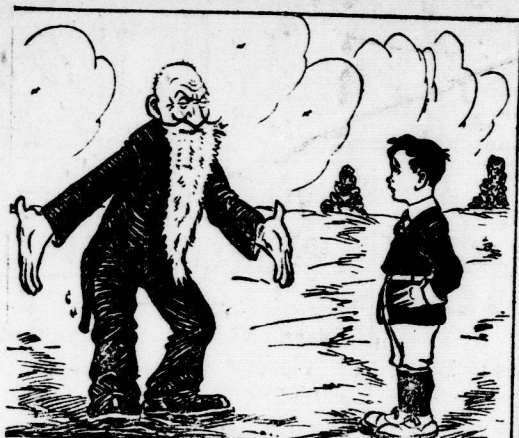
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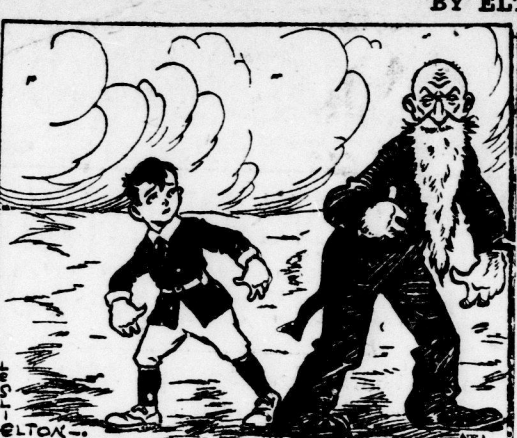
THE OLD FELLOW WAS A VERY LONESOME MAN, AND WANTED JACK TO POSTPONE HIS TRAVEL UNTIL FOR A FEW DAYS. SO HE TRIED TO THINK OF A PLAN TO KEEP HIM.



HE FINALLY HAD AN IDEA AND CALLED JACK OVER TO HIM. JACK LIKED THE OLD MAN, BUT WAS ANXIOUS TO GET STARTED AGAIN, HOWEVER HE CONSENTED TO LISTEN TO THE PLAN.



YOUR DOG BERT MY TRAINED BEAR SO I'LL RACE YOU MYSELF. SAID THE OLD MAN. IF YOU WIN YOU GO, AND IF I WIN YOU STAY WITH ME FOR A WEEK. JACK AGREED TO THE IDEA.



THEY WERE TO RUN FIVE HUNDRED STEPS IN OPPOSITE DIRECTIONS, THEN TURN AND RUN BACK, GET ON YOUR MARK, GET SET, GO! THEY CRIED, AND STARTED ON. THE RACE CONTINUED IN THE NEXT CHAPTER.

New Fabrics For Fall Wear



ONE doesn't expect stripes of fuzzy plush on crepe. No, nor velvet stripes on chiffon, but one finds these and other unexpected oddities in the newest fabrics for fall.

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Flush-striped satin or crepe is advocated for afternoon gowns striking in effect and simple in line. These are developed in two colors, too, and are often very effective.

ham, who is staying with you. We were just going to have a game of bowls."

"Yes, it's dashed difficult. I don't know what to say. I've been rather forgetting about Mark. He wandered over to the window and then turned back to his friend."

"All the same," he said, "you wanted to find the passage, and now you've found it. Aren't you going into it at all?"

Anthony took his arm.

"Let's go outside again," he said. "We can't go into it now, anyhow. It's too risky, with Cayley about. Bill, I feel like you—just a little bit frightened. But what I'm frightened of I don't quite know. Anyway, you want to go on with it, don't you?"

"Yes," said Bill firmly. "We must." "Then we'll explore the passage this afternoon, if we get the chance. And if we don't get the chance, then we'll try it tonight."

"Do you really think we might find Mark hiding there?" asked Bill.

"It's possible," said Anthony. "Either Mark or—." He pulled himself up quickly. "No," he murmured to himself. "I won't let myself think that—not yet, anyway. It's too horrible."

CHAPTER XII

IN the twenty hours or so at his disposal Inspector Birch had been busy.

The discovery of Mark was all that mattered immediately. Drawing the pond might not help toward this, but it would certainly give the impression in court tomorrow that Inspector Birch was handling the case with zeal.

He was feeling well satisfied with himself, therefore, as he walked to the pond, where his men were waiting for him, and quite in the mood for a little pleasant talk with Mr. Gillingham and his friend, Mr. Beverley. He gave them a cheerful "Good afternoon" and added with a smile, "Coming to help us?"

"With you luck. But I don't think you'll find much at the pond. It's rather out of the way, isn't it, for anybody running away?"

"That's just what I told Mr. Cayley, when he called my attention to the pond. However, we shan't do any harm by looking. It's the unexpected that's most likely in this sort of case."

"You're quite right, inspector. Well, we mustn't keep you. Good afternoon," and Anthony smiled pleasantly at him.

"Good afternoon, sir."

"Good afternoon," said Bill.

Anthony stood looking after the inspector as he strode off, silent for so long that Bill shook him by the arm at last, and asked him rather crossly what was the matter.

Anthony shook his head slowly from side to side.

"I don't know; really I don't know. It's too devilish what I keep thinking. He can't be as cold-blooded as that."

"Who?"

"Without answering, Anthony led the way back to the garden-seat on which they had been sitting. He sat there with his head in his hands.

"Oh, I hope they find something," he murmured. "Oh, I hope they do."

"In the pond?"

"But what?"

"Anything, Bill, anything."

Bill was annoyed.

"I say, Tony, this won't do. You really mustn't be so mysterious. What's happened to you suddenly?"

FRESH VEGETABLE SALAD

DURING the summer fresh vegetables should be eaten every day. Sometimes they taste better cold. And what is more attractive than a pleasing arrangement of bright-colored vegetables with a little green lettuce or romaine or some salad plant and a good salad dressing?

Just a few things are well to avoid—for instance, a combination of beets and tomatoes, or carrots and tomatoes.

Try the following:

1 cup cooked green string beans, cut in pieces
1 cup cooked carrots, cut in cubes
1 cup potatoes, cut in cubes
1 cucumber, thinly sliced
1 cup shaved raw cabbage
1 head lettuce
½ cup French dressing
1 hard-boiled egg

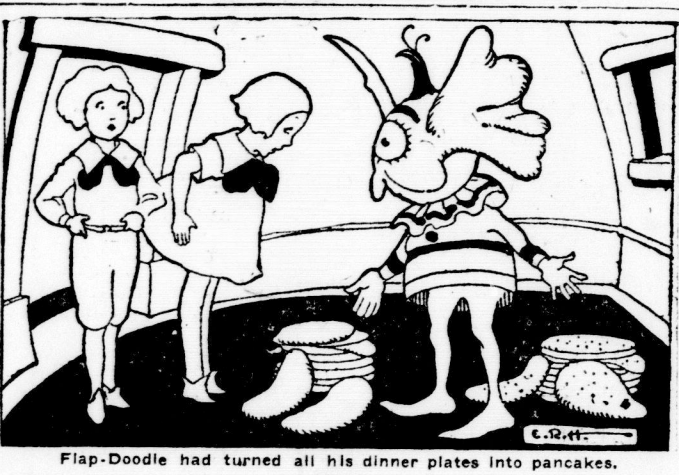
It is well to serve such a salad arranging each vegetable by itself. Then if there is any one which some member of the family does not like, that vegetable can be avoided.

Chop the egg and add to the French dressing. Either put a slice or two of onion in the salad itself or chop it finely and add to the dressing.

If possible, arrange these vegetables on a platter. Place first the lettuce, then the cabbage; on this arrange the piles of vegetables and over all pour the dressing.

FLAP-DOODLE NOW IN TWINS' HANDS

[By Olive Roberts Barten.]



Flap-Doodle had turned all his dinner plates into pancakes.

EVERYWHERE the Twins went they asked the same question: "Do you know where Flap-Doodle is?" Flap-Doodle stole the Fairy Queen's wand, and were hunting for it.

But they always got the same answer from the queer Tinky-Winklers. The Tinky-Winklers were orange-colored fairies on the Tinky-Winkle Star.

"No," we're hunting for him ourselves," they said.

Each one had a complaint to make, for since Flap-Doodle had got hold of the magic wand, he was doing awful things with it.

One Tinky-Winkler said Flap-Doodle, with one stroke of his wand, had turned all his dinner plates into pancakes. Another Tinky-Winkler said he had turned his nice spotted cow into a crocodile.

Another told the Twins Flap-Doodle had turned his chickens into egg-plants. But what made everybody angrier than anything was what he did to the Tinky-Winkle Star itself. You know it was flat like a coffee saucer, with the edges turned up.

Flap-Doodle took the magic wand and turned the edges down, my dears, and folks had a dreadful time to keep from sliding off.

Nancy and Nick, even with their Green Shoes, kept slipping and slipping, and several times they almost tumbled down to earth again.

After a while they came to a house and knocked on the front door. "Come in," said a voice.

The Twins nearly fell over with surprise when they entered. For there sat Flap-Doodle himself in a rocking-chair, fanning himself calmly with a frying-pan!

(To be Continued.)

"clicks," as distinguished from the great "grinders" caused by lightning discharges in the sky.

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Finally, perhaps, a change of wind, temperature or humidity will throw into the vicinity of the tree a body of atmosphere which is bearing very little or no charge at all. The tree imparts some of its charge to this new air strata. It is done suddenly. An infinitesimal spark may take place. There is set up an ether wave, which makes itself known in the radio receiver.

"Clicks." It may be strong. Very frequently discharges of this sort are extremely numerous, and their continuous "click, click, click" may completely obliterate the signals from distant stations.

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How To Pick the Right Negligee—Marian Hale's Advice



TWO PARIS NEGLEGES SHOWING AN ORIENTAL INFLUENCE. LEFT, A CAPE KIMONO; RIGHT, A NOVEL USE OF EMBROIDERY ON A SILK PYJAMA SUIT.

BY MARIAN HALE.

To be effectively uncertain, coy and hard to please in her hours of ease, a woman should be highly decorative. And that is one time when she may be.

The clothes we wear for work are stylized, the ones in which we play must follow a certain formula, but the ones in which we rest and lounge may have all the imagination and color we want so that thoughts as well as body may have a change.

Our most fascinating negligees come from countries where leisure has prevailed and influenced the dress of the people.

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Teeth are clouded by a film. It clings to teeth, gets between the teeth and stays. Stains enter it, then the film, if left, forms the basis of dingy coats. That's why teeth lose luster. Film is also the basis of tartar.

Most tooth troubles are now traced to that film. It holds food substance which ferments and forms acid. It holds the acid in contact with the teeth to cause decay.

Germes breed by millions in it.

They, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

Stays on teeth

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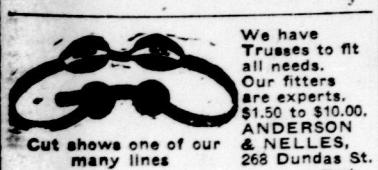
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LONDONER SPEAKS AT SARNIA DINNER

Harry B. Muir Addresses Chamber of Commerce On Sphere of Newspaper.

Special to London Advertiser. SARNIA, Aug. 14.—Harry B. Muir, publisher of London, was the principal speaker at today's weekly luncheon of the Sarnia Chamber of Commerce.

Taking as his subject, "The Value of the Newspaper in Community Life," Mr. Muir said the greater growth of activities within a community, the greater was the reflection and growth of the newspaper, which he referred to as a mirror reflecting community life.

The newspaper, Mr. Muir said, was the greatest advertising force in existence, a fact that was being more readily appreciated by the modern businessman.

He instanced the enormous sales of California oranges, amounting to 20,000,000 boxes a year, created by co-operation on the part of the fruit growers and organized advertising of the product.

S. F. Lawrason, a London manufacturer, who accompanied Mr. Muir, spoke briefly on the application of the golden rule to modern business, and another speaker was Aid. T. H. Cook, who outlined some of the trials and tribulations of an acting mayor. The luncheon was well attended.

REPORT HERO OF FIUME SERIOUSLY HURT IN FALL

GARDONE, Riviera, Italy, Aug. 14.—Gabriele d'Annunzio, Italy's noted soldier-poet, was seriously injured by a fall yesterday in the garden of his home here.

For some time following the accident his condition gave rise to considerable anxiety. Later reports today were more reassuring, but his doctors declined to announce an opinion on his chances for recovery.



Wednesday Half Holiday
As in June and July this store will close at 1 o'clock on Wednesdays, during the month of August.

Wednesday Half-Holiday Sale List

Morning shoppers will be rewarded tomorrow, as the sales listed are the most important of the whole summer series so far, and may be just what you have been waiting for, as the list covers almost every section of the store and offers many lines at first reductions of the season—merchandise that even now seems too good to sacrifice—but our clearing policy pays no attention to style or quality, they must be sold the season they are bought. Read carefully every item listed below.

A FULL DAY'S BUSINESS IN THE FORENOON TOMORROW



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All Sport Dresses One-Third Off Wednesday Morning

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NOTICE

As a protection phone orders will not be taken for Wednesday morning Sale Goods.

Dinner 11 to 12:30 tomorrow. No noon delivery.

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Greatest Bargains ever shown by us in London

Wednesday Morning 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
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1 size 16, 4 size 34, 3 size 36. Regular \$18.50 to \$20. Clearing at \$8.00

9 Colored Flannel Suits

7 size 36, 1 size 20, 1 size 18. Regular \$21 to \$27.75. Clearing at \$10

4 Striped Flannel Suits

1 size 34, 3 size 36. Regular \$20 to \$21.50. Clearing at \$7.50

15 Palm Beach Suits

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One table of Boys' Hats 59c
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Fourth Floor.

Silk Tricolette—Baronette Silks and Black Queen Quality Taffeta for \$1.39 Yard Wednesday Morning. See Window Display.



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