

JOHN ISON, R.C.R. FIRE BUG SUSPECT, IN COURT

Patrol Fires On U.S. Fishing Vessel In Canadian Waters

CITY FIRE BUG SUSPECT REMANDED FOR ONE WEEK ON CHARGE OF VAGRANCY

Meanwhile There Will Be Complete Investigation by Civil and Military Authorities of Mysterious Fires at Carling Heights—Prisoner Seemingly Apathetic in Court.

CAME TO ATTENTION WHEN NAME CALLED

Pte. John Vincent Ison of the Royal Canadian Regiment, held on a vagrancy charge, pending the investigation of a series of mysterious fires at Tecumseh Barracks, in which the military authorities believe he is implicated, was remanded one week by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in police court today.

"The military authorities have preferred a charge of vagrancy against you, and have asked that I remand you for a week, which I accordingly do," the magistrate remarked.

Ison was brought up to court from the cells in which he had spent the night at 10 o'clock this morning. Throughout the whole session his face showed he was in a sulen mood. When court first opened shortly after 10 o'clock, he was told to stand up to answer the charge preferred against him. As the military authorities were not present to swear to the information against him, he was told to sit down again.

Signs Information.
After the few other cases on the docket had been disposed of, Sgt. A. Birtwistle of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police arrived and signalled the information.

The officer then left, and Ison's remand was ordered. Since being lodged in police cells, Ison has preferred to remain silent.

He spoke for the first time this morning when he asked for some cigarettes. Police have no record of Ison's addresses before he joined the R. C. R. He had been living at various boarding houses in the east end, they say, and had been moving from place to place periodically.

Ison is believed to be a remittance man. He came to Canada seven years ago from England, where all his relatives reside. Although he was in the army for a short time during the war, he never saw active service at the front.

Investigating Fires.
Meanwhile military authorities are investigating the mysterious fires which have broken out at Carling Heights within the past few months. Ison appeared in uniform in court today, and carried his cap in his hand. He appeared to take little interest, and after other prisoners in the dock had been disposed of and taken away to the cells, he leaned back against the prisoners' box and closed his eyes, while court officials awaited the arrival of the mounted police. When his name was called he sprang to attention and looked straight ahead, never once directing his gaze toward the magistrate.

When a city police officer beckoned him to follow him to the cells below the courtroom, Ison walked briskly, and erect, toward the door. Ison has not engaged a lawyer and claims he does not want counsel.

Not Perturbed.
Young Ison, who is of stocky build, and ruddy countenance, did not seem the least perturbed by the predicament in which he found himself. He was calm and seemed to be prepared for anything that might occur. His bearing was of sullen resignation.

His hearing was solidly and his dress neat in every detail. As he stood at attention while Magistrate Graydon read the technical charge

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS.
Moderate winds, mostly north and northwest; fine today and on Thursday; stationary or slightly higher temperatures.

The distribution of pressure over the continent has remained stationary since yesterday morning, the barometer being lowest off the Nova Scotia coast and highest over the Great Lakes.

Snow and rain have occurred in many parts of Manitoba and throughout the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere the weather has been fair.

Temperatures.
The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 3 a.m. today were:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	68	47	Clear
Calgary	60	39	Clear
Winnipeg	56	32	Fair
Port Arthur	48	28	Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	50	30	Clear
Toronto	53	35	Clear
Kingston	56	38	Clear
Ottawa	58	34	Clear
Montreal	56	36	Clear
Quebec	44	26	Cloudy
Father Point	56	36	Clear
St. John	54	32	Fair
Halifax	40	34	Rain, Fog

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 53; lowest, 30.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 3 a.m. today were: Highest, 55; lowest, 32.

Barometric Readings.
Tuesday—3 p.m., 29.42.
Today—3 a.m., 29.39.

BUCHANAN PLAYS 'ROBIN HOOD' FOR PAY LIST STAKES

Public Utilities Manager Visits City Clerk's Office and "Takes 'Em Back."

SURPRISE ATTACK

"He Did It With a Smile," Says Veteran Official, Describing Operation.

"This is 1923," vouchsafed Manager Buchanan of the public utilities commission at 4 p.m. yesterday, as he invaded the city clerk's office and confiscated the water department pay lists, seized earlier in the day by Mayor Wenige.

The general manager's counter-attack was accomplished within the proverbial twinkling of an eye, as it were, according to authentic reports. From Mr. Buchanan's own version of the incident, City Clerk Baker was taken completely by surprise. Back in camp this morning, the manager related his experiences to The Advertiser. "I soon learned that the mayor had been in," he explained, "but I did not make my approach until 4 o'clock. I just dropped in and scooped up the pay lists and was gone with the remark to the clerk that he could tell the mayor that the pay lists were going back to my office, where they would remain, as he had no business to remove them."

Taken by Surprise.
City Clerk Baker explains that he had known that there were further developments he would have been on his guard. "Manager Buchanan came in smiling and picked up the list started out, came back again, and then left," he said. "I thought he was joking and was going to leave the lists in any event."

Leaving from this surprise attack, Mayor Wenige sortied again early today, seeking a special session of the public utilities commission presumably to thresh the question out again. The commissioners could not see the necessity for such action at this time.

Copy Lists in Office.
In conference with his worship, the manager explained that the commission had instructed him that no documents were to leave the office. Mayor Wenige proposed that the clerk be sent in from the city hall to copy the lists and this was agreeable.

The mayor expects to have all the lists tabulated tonight as well as the lists from the L. and P. S. commission. Then they will be incorporated in the municipal year book as directed by the city council.

"Eight thousand ratepayers of London told me to take over the mayor's job," stated his worship. "Now, whom am I to obey, the majority, or the scant minority?"

Baby Perishes, Falls Into Tub

Toronto Mother Finds Child in Boiling Water.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Baby Teddy London, aged 3 years, was removed from his parents' home, Nassau street, yesterday afternoon, to the hospital for sick children and died early this morning. The baby was in the kitchen watching his mother washing.

Mrs. London went to the yard to hang out clothes, and on her return found the baby in a tub of boiling water. The child was removed from the tub and rushed to the hospital. Last night a blood transfusion was performed in the hope of saving the infant's life.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.
A juvenile charged with the theft of a bicycle and with truancy will face Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon today morning. Today two boys who started a bonfire under the asylum sideroad bridge pleaded guilty to being disorderly, and were bailed for one month.

Find Two-Weeks-Old Baby In Station At Georgetown

Ethel Harrison of Streetsville Is Arrested on Charge of Abandoning Her Child.

Special to The Advertiser.
Milton, April 25.—At an early hour Sunday morning the caretaker of the Toronto-Guelph radial station at Georgetown was startled by the faint cries of a baby. On investigation, he found a two-weeks-old female infant hidden in the lavatory, which a few minutes before had been infected with Gillette's Lye. He notified the police, who brought the child to the children's shelter here, where it died Sunday night.



TWO NEWLY-FOUND BUSTS FROM PEEL STUDIO.
Are these two busts now in the possession of William Loveday, and discovered in the cellar of the old Peel studio, genuine Peel casts? David Wilkie, the London artist, saw Paul at work on the bust of the old lady, the finest of the two models, but he is not sure of the author of the other which represents Daisy Peel, the artist's sister. Caleb Jones, who with David Wilkie took the Peel studio over from Paul's father, says that the busts are models of the work of the great artist and believes that Mildred Peel, afterwards the wife of the Honorable G. W. Ross, modelled these two statues. The bust of the old lady is an exceptionally fine work. She is wearing a Paisley shawl and the patterns on this are beautifully done. On the back of this bust the name Peel is traced, proving at least that it came out of the studio.

SENATOR HARDY TO REMAIN HEAD OF LIBERAL BODY

Two Hundred Delegates Rally in Convention at Toronto Today.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Senator A. C. Hardy of Brockville, Ont., today withdrew his resignation as president of the Ontario Federation of Liberal Associations, and will remain for the present, at any rate, to direct the work of the Liberal party in connection with the forthcoming general elections in Ontario.

The senator stated his decision to remain at the helm at the convention of Liberal associations and clubs. Various speakers representative of Liberalism in various parts of the province voiced their confidence in the president. It is understood that no serious criticism was made of Senator Hardy's famous letter, intended for J. W. Curry, K.C., a Liberal member of the legislature, which was wrongly addressed to Col. J. A. Currie, Conservative member, and which was read in the legislature recently.

Wellington Hay, Liberal leader in the Ontario Legislature, made a vigorous plea for the getting together of Ontario Liberals in the company campaign. Self-sacrifice would be necessary, he said. Mr. Hay made no pronouncement on the question of suggested fusion with the U. F. O. Labor government forces.

Mr. Hay told the delegates that a Liberal candidate should be nominated in every riding for the coming Hon. Mackenzie King and Wellington. The delegates passed votes of confidence in the Right Hon. Mackenzie King and Wellington Hay as leaders of the Liberal forces in the Dominion and provincial arenas respectively.

It was resolved that when Lloyd George visits Canada next September he should be welcomed by Canadian Liberals, as the greatest living Liberal of the present time.

E. C. DRURY CONSENTS TO OAKVILLE RADIAL

Premier Declares It Is Most Feasible Section of Entire Scheme.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Conceding it to be the most feasible section of the entire hydro-radial scheme, Premier Drury this morning assured a deputation, consisting of the municipal officers of all municipalities between Port Credit and Oakville, that he would, at the request of the hydro commission, pass the necessary order-in-council to permit the construction of the radial between those two points by the hydro commission. The premier also informed the deputation that the government would stand behind the bonds for the construction.

Two More Busts In London From the Paul Peel Studio

Some Doubt Whether Those Now in Possession of William Loveday Were Work of Peel or His Sister.

Is London richer in Paul Peel's work than was supposed? The Advertiser, which was able to present its readers with such a fine picture of the Peel statue in the London Public Library, offers two more "finds." These two busts are in the possession of William Loveday, of 782 Grey street, manager of the London Marble and Granite Works, Richmond street, which stand on the spot once occupied by the Peel studio. These busts show an old lady and a younger woman, the latter thought to be Daisy Peel, the artist's sister. J. P. Hunt, the London artist, says he saw Paul at work on the bust of the old lady, and he thinks the other model may be Peel's work, though it does not show the same fine workmanship.

Caleb Jones, who was the partner of David Wilkie in the marble works, is just as sure that they are both the work of Mildred Peel, who later became the wife of the Hon. G. W. Ross. Mildred Peel, he says, was always fond of modeling, whereas Paul was not, particularly, and he believes that these two busts are of much later date than of the early days of Paul.

TORONTO SALESMAN CHARGED WITH FRAUD

Accused of Tendering Worthless Check in Payment of Board at Hotel Recta.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Welland, April 25.—James Springstead, stock salesman of Toronto, was charged before Magistrate Goodwin today with fraud and remanded until Thursday, bail being accepted. He is accused of tendering a worthless check in payment of board at the Hotel Recta.

BELGIUM FLOATS BIG LOAN.

Associated Press Despatch.
Brussels, April 25.—Belgium is floating a loan of one billion francs, the proceeds of which will be applied to the reconstruction of damage caused by the war.

The Royal Bride

—Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon is today the most talked of woman in the world, for tomorrow she marries the King's son and becomes next to Queen Mary in the women of the empire.

The royal bride has given only one interview, in which she tells of her hopes and plans and her childhood. The interview appears today exclusively in The Advertiser.

CANADIAN PATROL FIRES BROADSIDE ON U.S. SHIP

Suspected of Poaching on West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Royalty Honors Unknown Soldier

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, who weds the Duke of York tomorrow, divided her time today between her dress-makers and a rehearsal of the wedding ceremony.

In the midst of all the traditional trappings and regal grandeur attending the church ceremony tomorrow, the modest little Scotch girl will touch a chord in every British heart by placing her bridal bouquet on the tomb of the unknown soldier whose ashes repose beneath the concrete floor of the great abbey.

ONE MAN WOUNDED
Crew Escapes Inland—Being Sought by the Federal Police.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Vancouver, B. C., April 25.—The U. S. fishing schooner Siloam of Seattle, suspected of poaching in Solander Bay on the west coast of Vancouver Island, British Columbia, was captured by the Canadian fisheries patrol boat Malaspina, last night after the schooner, struck broadside by a volley of shots from the patrol boat had been scuttled by a crew that fled, leaving one wounded man, who was taken prisoner.

The rest of the Siloam's crew succeeded in escaping inland on Vancouver Island where they are being sought by federal and provincial police. The Siloam is said to have fled when the Malaspina appeared. After a chase of a mile the Malaspina sent a volley through the cabin of the Siloam. The Siloam paused long enough for all of her crew except the wounded man, to take to the small boat and disappear.

Discovery that the Siloam had been scuttled was made after the wounded man had been taken aboard the Malaspina and the United States boat taken in tow. The wounded man was removed to Quatsino Sound and the Siloam was towed ashore. Inspector J. A. Motherwell who received a report of the episode from Captain Holmes, Newcombe of the Malaspina said he believes this was the first time a Canadian patrol boat has fired on a United States craft in Canadian waters.

TAKE MILLMAN ON A CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER

Hamilton Man Is Held in Connection With Death of Fellow-Employee.

Some Witnesses Swore They Saw Millman Strike Gilpin More Than Once.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Hamilton, April 25.—Ralph Millman, 32 Sherman avenue north, was placed under arrest this morning on the charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of his friend and fellow employee, Ernest Gilpin, 89 Princess street. An inquest was held on the death of Gilpin last night and an open verdict was returned. The evidence last night showed that both men were employees of the W. A. Freeman Company, and were in the habit of having friendly scuffles. Last Thursday they had one of their usual tussles over a broom. Gilpin complained of a headache and returned to his home, but found the house empty. He went to the residence of a friend and after being taken back to his home died about six hours after leaving the factory. Some witnesses swore they saw Millman strike Gilpin more than once.

AGED MILTON VETERAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Physicians Believe Arthur Goff, Who Cut His Own Throat, Will Live.

Special to The Advertiser.
Milton, April 25.—Early this morning Arthur Goff, an Englishman, aged 50 years, and a veteran of the great war, attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat at his boarding house here. Goff lost considerable blood, and ten stitches were required to close the wound. It is believed he will live. This is the second soldier to cut his throat here within a few weeks, the first one, Fred Grimster, dying in a Guelph hospital.

MOTORCYCLIST DIES AS RESULT OF CRASH

Charles Clements, Injured on Highway, Passes Away at Victoria Hospital.

Charles Clements, of 516 Queen's avenue, died in Victoria Hospital this morning from injuries received in a collision on the Lambeth highway near Glendale at 10:30 o'clock Friday night. Coroner J. C. Wilson does not think that an inquest will be necessary but has decided to interview Crown Attorney J. C. Elliott, K. C., before making a decision.

Clements was riding in a sidecar of a motorcycle driven by Harry Pritchett of 439 Talbot street, when the machine crashed into a horse and buggy in charge of John Spindler of the third concession of Westminster Township. Clements was knocked unconscious and removed to Victoria Hospital by Dr. R. P. Reynolds.

The victim never regained consciousness although he showed slight improvement yesterday. Spindler and two women were thrown from the buggy. Spindler suffered a gash on the head and a few minor injuries. His wounds were dressed by Dr. Casselman of Lambeth.

Young Clements and his brother, William E., have been conducting a bicycle repair and motorcycle shop at 145 Dundas street.

GRASS FIRE EXTINGUISHED.
Firemen extinguished a grass fire at the corner of Talbot and Victoria streets at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon.

BIG NEWS

Big news broke in London after five o'clock yesterday afternoon when Ison was arrested.

It came too late for The Advertiser's first edition and too late for the green "Night Final" at five o'clock. But The Advertiser's latest extra, the "Sporting Green," was on the street at six with the whole story, written and rushed into type in thirty-five minutes.

The people who read The Advertiser "Sporting Green" last night knew of big news a day ahead of other people, because no other paper had it.

The "Sporting Green" last night also carried the final scores of all games in both American and National Leagues, and the complete seven race results from both tracks, as well as all the closing markets and late news appearing in the "Night Final" at five.

The "Sporting Green" at Six Keeps You Up With the Times

MAYOR WANTS JUVENILE COURT OPEN ON MAY 1ST

WENIG RESENTS WORDS CREDITED TO PHILIP POCOCK

Douglas and Drake Also Are Aroused Over Remark on Railway Purchase.

VOTE OF PEOPLE

State Bus System Would Cost No More Than Arbitration Proceedings.

Mayor Wenig and Ald. Leonard Douglas, chairman of the board of works, have started in pursuit of Commissioner Philip Pocock, who has been credited with statements to the effect that "No Britisher would want to violate the city's agreement with the street railway company and oppose the purchase of that corporation."

"Commissioner Pocock is stepping pretty close to the line, and he had better be careful with his remarks," Mayor Wenig declared at noon today. "He talks about Britishers. Well, I want to challenge him if I can, and that they voted against the purchase of the street railway company are not as good Britishers as he is."

Good Britishers.

"Does he mean that they are not British just because they exercised their franchise? I'll tell him that they are as good Britishers as he is, and that they voted against the purchase of the street railway company, despite the vast amount of propaganda that was let loose at that time when there was no argument presented against the purchase of the road."

It is Ald. Douglas' belief that Commissioner Pocock's remarks have been mightily close to the line. "He practically intimates that those who were urging the inauguration of a motor-bus system are expelling graft of some nature," he commented. "I would ask how about those people who are supporting the purchase of a street railway system that is rotten, without telling the people that the price will be or even going to the company last year and asking for a figure."

Supports Bus Scheme.

"Can these same people say as truthfully that they have no personal interest in the outcome. I contend that Commissioner Pocock's remarks recently have convinced scores more citizens that the motor-bus scheme is the right one."

"Commissioner Pocock had better be careful with his language," Mayor Wenig added. "He knows all about hydro affairs, but he knows but little about city council affairs."

"Does he ever ride the street cars?" questioned Ald. Leonard Douglas. "Does he believe that he ever does?"

"Does it look right," also questioned Mayor Wenig, "that these people should be the ones to tell the street railway while the people are not to be told what the price shall be. It may be that somebody wants a good fat arbitration job at \$250 a day."

Drake Aroused.

"What's the matter with Commissioner Pocock? Has he a share in the London Street Railway?" This is the question from Ald. Gordon Drake, who voices unfeigned surprise with the remarks attributed to that member of the public utilities commission.

"I am certainly surprised," commented Ald. Drake, "that a man of Mr. Pocock's ability and business experience should expect in honoring people of the city to walk and endure such transportation as we have."

"Why, we could put in a motor-bus system for the money that he expects for arbitration proceedings. In any event, let's have transportation."

EXPECT OFFER OF SITE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Trustees Feel School Should Not Be Designated as Memorial.

From opinions expressed today by various school trustees, it is highly probable that the board of education will refuse Dr. H. T. Reason's offer for a free site for the new school in West London.

The trustees interviewed had the one objection in common and that concerns the condition which Dr. Reason has attached to the offer.

Dr. Reason has expressed his willingness to give three or four acres of land to the board free of charge, providing that the new school will be officially named the "Catharine Reason Memorial School." The site would be a part of 34 acres forming the Reason estate located west of Wharncliffe road.

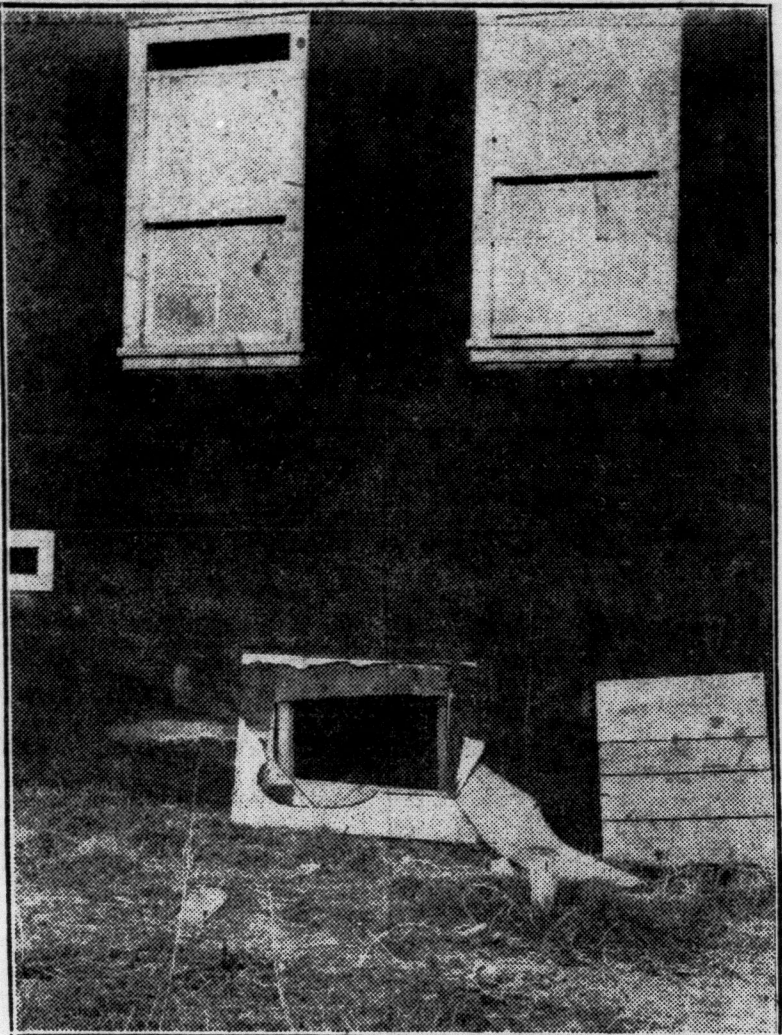
The majority of the trustees and the school officials, feel that it would be a step in the wrong direction to designate a school building as memorial for a monetary consideration.

They see no objection to the naming of a school in recognition for public service as was the case with the Memorial named in honor of the late J. B. Boyle, who served as public school inspector for a great many years and who died in his office. They do not think, however, that such honors should be sold.

The matter has not come before the board officially as yet for there was no time at the special meeting held Monday. The trustees as individuals, however, have studied the offer. A meeting of the property committee will be held in the near future to consider the various sites under consideration.

1,004 Candlesticks Sold

In 1922 we sold 1,004 candlesticks, 958 teapot stands, 302 bread trays, 469 watches, 402 bracelets, and 396 diamonds. Is it any wonder we sell for less, when we get this turnover? We love to give good value. John A. Nash, Jeweler, 182 Dundas street, "Where you will eventually buy."—Adv.



INVESTIGATED FIRE MYSTERY.

Above The Advertiser photographer shows Provost Serg. T. J. O'Connor of the R. C. R., whose active investigations led to the arrest of John Ison on a nominal charge of vagrancy following what is believed to have been an attempt to destroy the barracks at Carling Heights. The other photograph of a section of the side wall of the single men's temporary quarters at Tecumseh Barracks shows where the blazing waste was discovered. It was under the floor of the building four feet from the opening shown. The pictures were taken last evening by The Advertiser staff photographer.

Two Boys Build Bonfire Underneath C.P.R. Bridge

Truants Are Very Much Surprised When Bridge Catches Fire—Pay Visit to Police Court Today.

The feat of two school boys, who played hookey last week and then stole eggs, was surpassed yesterday by the adventures of two other truants who set fire to a bridge over the C. P. R. on the Asylum sideroad. Sunshine and soft winds tempted the two boys, both of whom were 14 years of age, to leave their classrooms at the Technical School and steal away to the country.

When in the open country east of the city, however, the boys were found to be much colder than the young adventures expected them to be, and so they crept beneath the overhead railroad bridge for shelter. Dried grass, leaves and sticks were there in abundance, and the boys had matches. The immediate result was a bonfire.

The flames reached to the very floor of the bridge, and much to the young truants' consternation, the tressle work became ignited.

Fortunately the fire was seen by the station agent, who lived nearby, and he phoned to the London East yards. Soon an engine had reached the scene, and with water, drawn from the tanks, the flames were extinguished before a great deal of damage was done.

The boys did not escape as lightly as the truants of last week, for this morning they were summoned before Magistrate Graydon in police court. They were allowed to go on suspended sentence, but they will be forced to leave the Technical School and go back to public school.

A third boy played truant from a public school and stole a bicycle from the school yard, which he rode all afternoon and then hid away.

The owner of the wheel afterwards learned where the wheel was hidden and secured its return. This morning the boy was apprehended by Dr. George Weir, attendance officer, who took him before Magistrate Graydon. It is likely that he will be sent to some industrial school.

NO ACTION IS TAKEN ON BRITAIN REPORT

James Gray Denies He Said New Hospital Head Would Be Appointed.

Members of the hospital trust have taken no action as yet to carry out recommendations made in Dr. Britain's report of Victoria Hospital.

James Gray, chairman of the board, denied a report circulated by a local paper yesterday that he had said a new general superintendent would be appointed at the hospital.

"I cannot say what will happen," he informed The Advertiser this morning. "First of all, the trust will have to consider the recommendations carefully before deciding on any action. I did not say yesterday a new head would be employed for the institution."

In Dr. Britain's report there is a recommendation that a new general superintendent should be employed. Dr. Britain stipulated that he should be a man capable of co-ordinating all departments and to restore order and authority to all whom authority belongs.

A prediction that a new superintendent would be employed was made in The Advertiser some weeks ago.

DISMISS CECIL HANNA ON VAGRANCY CHARGE

Cecil Hanna, who was found bathing in the Thames River while wearing all his clothes, was dismissed on a vagrancy charge in police court this morning, and ordered returned to Whitchy asylum, from whence he had escaped.

Two drunks were fined \$10 and \$20, and a third was fined \$10 and \$20, and a fourth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a fifth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a sixth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a seventh was fined \$10 and \$20, and an eighth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a ninth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a tenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and an eleventh was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twelfth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a thirteenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a fourteenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a fifteenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a sixteenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a seventeenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and an eighteenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a nineteenth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twentieth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twenty-first was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twenty-second was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twenty-third was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twenty-fourth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twenty-fifth was fined \$10 and \$20, and a twenty-sixth was 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"Up From the Death Cell" *The Story of a Man Who Won a Fight Against Big Odds*

BY JOHN W. KANE

Betrayed By a Pal When the Morning Head Lines Announce a Double Murder.

BY JOHN W. KANE.
Ex-Convict No. 1666.

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BY JOHN W. KANE.

CHAPTER I.

"Morning paper! All about the murder!"

The newsboy had come around the corner just to my right. I was standing in a doorway at the foot of the dingy stairs that led up to my room. "Morning paper, sir?" he inquired, catching sight of me there.

"Yes." And I reached for my last five-cent piece, while he deftly slipped one of the papers from the bundle and shoved it toward me.

I folded the paper and quickly tucked it under my coat, then stepped out upon the walk and to a place where I could see the clock over the bar of an all-night saloon next door. It lacked five minutes to four. As I turned back toward my room the biting wind from off the snow-covered mountains to the west chilled me through. The rickety stairway creaked loudly from my weight, and with chattering teeth I glanced in nervous fright first behind me and then down the half-lighted hallway ahead. No one was in sight. A half dozen steps brought me to the door of my room, and the next moment I was inside and rapidly scanning those ominous headlines:

TWO LIVES RUTHLESSLY TAKEN IN AN ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

Those eight black-lettered words seemed to burn themselves right into my brain. For a moment it seemed as if all effort at thought was seared and paralyzed by them. Then my sense of sight reminded me that the newspaper in my hands was shaking violently. I was suddenly aware of great weakness in my legs. Two steps took me to the bed upon which my companion was sleeping soundly.

"I Thought I'd Shot Just One."

"What's the trouble?" he complained.

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ed, without opening his eyes. "What are you blunderin' around here for this hour o' the night?"

"Look at this paper."

He first opened one eye and surveyed me; then, seeing the newspaper, he sat upright and reached for it.

"Bring the light closer, will ye?" And then, as I started to shift the electric light cord:

"Surely you haven't gunned somebody."

"I don't know all the results yet," I managed to answer, with dry throat and lips. "I haven't read it."

With one elbow resting on the pillow, my partner read for some three minutes, while I sat watching him. Suddenly he looked at me.

"How did it happen?"

"So quickly I can't tell how," was my answer, the events of that previous night crowding rapidly before my mind's eye. "I thought I'd shot just one man—seems both were hit—give me the paper."

The letters no longer danced before my eyes, and I read rapidly. The news article told of what apparently was an attempted robbery of a street car crew at the terminal of the line; of how persons had heard the shots, and later found two men, one dead and the other mortally wounded; and also of the fact that a hat had been found at the scene of the crime carrying marks that the police believed to be a good clue.

The Clue in the Hat.

My partner had changed his position on the bed and was reading over my shoulder.

"How about that hat?" he stopped to inquire. "Did you lose it?"

"Yes, I lost it—one of the men knocked it off in the fight," I explained. "I was down on the car floor once, and had a gun snapped in my face three times. I managed to get up in spite of them, and when I saw him again pointing the gun toward me, I fired. After that I jerked loose from the other fellow, and in doing it my gun went off

accidentally—seems that shot hit the other fellow."

"I cut the dealer's brand out of the sweatband of that hat," said my partner; "what do they mean by 'certain marks'?"

I was reading again and failed to answer.

"Say, Curly," he broke in, using my sobriquet; "We've got to get out of here. By 10 o'clock the bulls will have every idle man in town in the can. What time is it?"

"A little after four," I told him. "But how are we going to get away from such a country in zero weather without a cent?"

He was silent for a moment; then: "You've played hell. I'm glad I wasn't in on it."

I was not yet twenty-five years old but for an uneducated youth had fair reasoning powers. And when I glanced at him and began to ponder his words, the look in his eyes told me plainly that his thoughts did not include one of loyalty to a partner in crime. I felt certain from that very moment that if we two should be arrested, he would unburden himself of all he knew. Something told me that I was then face to face with a demonstration of the truth of that old saying, There is no honor among thieves.

My Pal Gives a Hint.

"It's a good thing you took that old hat instead of your best one," said he, avoiding my eyes. "Even if I did cut that piece out of it—And then he stopped.

"Go on," said I. "What do you mean by that kind of talk?"

"Oh, nothing in particular," he returned. "I was thinkin' about it all just as if it was the case of somebody else, instead of ours—or yours."

"Listen here," And I arose and stood before him. "You're in no danger whatever—if you'll keep your mouth shut. Can you do that?"

"Yes, I can keep my mouth shut," came the answer, as he began to dress; "but I'm going to get out of this town."

"Don't be a fool," I told him. "To start leaving here now would get you arrested quicker than anything else. We're in the Rocky Mountains—mountains on one side and a desert on the other. You're not in the East now, where there's a network of all kinds of roads. We've got to stick here and keep our mouths shut—even if we should be arrested."

"Where's your gun?" he inquired, noting the absence of it as I began to undress.

"I threw it away," said I; "and you'd better get rid of yours."

"Here's the pawn ticket," He reached toward a pocket. "I soaked it last night after you left me. That by itself would show that I wasn't wanting to do any stick-up work."

By great effort I kept from grabbing him by the throat and choking him into insensibility. I knew positively then there could be no doubt about the treachery welling up within him. All my fear of a few minutes before had vanished, except a kind of half hatred and half fear of him.

Kill or Be Killed.

"Oh, you're all right," I returned in a kind of off-hand manner. "Even if I should be arrested I won't tell them that I room with you, and you could prove that your gun was pawned and you knew nothing of it. It's too bad; I'm sorry that it happened," I concluded, "but it was a case of kill or be killed."

With that I again took up the paper and finished reading the account of my crime. My partner in the meantime was sitting half dressed. Suddenly he arose.

"It's cold in here; I'm going back to bed," he told me.

"I am, too," And I put the paper aside. "After we take a sleep we can think better. And don't you be afraid. I assured him: 'you haven't done any shooting, and they can't work you in on any of it if you'll keep silent.'"

"Silent's the word," he returned, and a moment later I switched out the light.

If my companion slept he did it noiselessly. For my part I lay wide-eyed, trying to map out some course of procedure. Like all other guilty men I had one main mental inquiry: how am I to sidestep all hurtful consequences of this act? But though that question wholly or fragmentarily passed again and again through my befuddled brain, each time I was estopped from finding any kind of definite answer, and the main reason of that estoppel was the man there at my side. What, if anything, will he do? That question invariably came close in the wake of the other query. It was my last thought before I dropped off into a troubled doze.

When I awoke about eight o'clock on that January morning of 1904, the same question was facing me, and

when, about five o'clock that afternoon, I saw my partner turn a corner a half block distant and disappear, I felt that the tormenting question would soon be answered in some way.

\$2,200 Reward Posted.

By that time large posters were to be seen upon every hand offering a total reward of \$2,200 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty parties. At each turn, as I wandered about undecided, worried and fearful, one of those large-lettered cards seemed to be facing me individually and saying: "Only a matter of time and they'll have you."

I checked my steps and stood with a group reading one of the posters. Two different persons directed remarks toward me concerning the tragedy, and as I acquiesced to each, I thought of how little idea he had that he was rubbing elbows with the so-called murderer. A tall, mild-mannered youth of twenty-five is seldom if ever suspected of being a highwayman.

I was turning away from there when out of the corner of my eye I saw something that seemed to be the beginning of the answer to that question: what will my partner do? With flushed face that same partner was approaching me. Some forty feet behind him, picking their way through the crowd, came four plain clothes men.

"How is everything?" he inquired; then added, "I went to the room and wrote a letter."

I looked him squarely in the eyes and spoke low, but with a feeling of great anger:

"You're a liar! I see the bulls coming there—and you brought them."

"If I Had a Gun!"

As long as I live I'll never forget the look of treachery and terror on the man's face. He began a kind of explanation and denial, but I cut him short.

"Shut up, you cur! If I had a gun right now, I'd kill you!"

He made a movement as if to turn back toward the officers, then we walked away side by side. I was about to check my steps with a view to facing around to meet arrest, when both of my arms were seized.

"We want you," spoke a nervous, husky voice in my ear. And I knew the end of my brief criminal career was at hand.

Within ten minutes of my arrest I was led into the office of the chief of detectives. My partner was taken to another part of the building.

When a mob gathers—John W. Kane tells about that tomorrow. An installment will appear every day.

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All Things To All People.

Toronto Conservative Women's Club had a meeting at the King Edward Hotel. For the occasion, they had a speaker from West York, a Mr. A. J. Anderson, who came forth with the assurance that the O. T. A. would not be disfigured by the Conservatives.

The Mail and Empire report says "Mr. Anderson gave an account of the events leading up to the present situation in provincial politics, intimating, in passing, that the Conservatives stood for the O. T. A. . . . 'I feel Mr. Ferguson is going to give satisfaction not only to the Conservatives but to every right-thinking person in this province.'"

Is this the measure of the courage of Howard Ferguson? Was this man Anderson speaking officially for the Conservative leader, or was he simply told off for the afternoon to talk to the ladies, who, of course, would be interested in temperance and prohibition measures?

There is no foundation for the statements Mr. Anderson made. He may have been quite sincere in what he said, but he certainly has not from his leader any clear-cut, straight from the shoulder statement on the matter at all.

What else is taking place in Toronto? At one Conservative ward meeting Mr. Herbert Lennox, M.P.P. for North York, was introduced as "the next attorney-general." The enforcement of the O. T. A. is in the hands of the attorney-general. What sort of a job would Mr. Lennox make of it? It would require an elastic imagination to picture the O. T. A. in the hands of such a man as Lennox. Mr. Anderson "intimated," in passing, that the Conservatives stood for the O. T. A. while a short time before ward Conservatives in Toronto hailed Mr. Herbert Lennox as the man to whom its enforcement would be entrusted.

This double-facings will deceive no one outside of those who want to be deceived, or those to whom the fruits of office are greater than the upholding of a principle.

Hon. Howard Ferguson apparently prefers to have his campaigners run loose, suttling their message to the moods of their various congregations.

Paying Duty on Our Own Goods.

British Columbia salmon cannery have goods on hand to the extent of several millions of dollars. For a portion of these they have an offer from the maritime provinces. The cheapest way to ship is via the Pacific coast and Panama canal. If a shipment is made that way, the goods have to pay duty when they reach Halifax, because they are regarded as coming from New York, a foreign port.

The Vancouver Sun published a telegram received from the minister of customs at Ottawa. It says:

"Under present regulations and conditions canned salmon shipped from British Columbia to Halifax via New York and Panama canal would not be admitted to Halifax without payment of duty."

Vancouver is a long way from Halifax, and there are two ways of covering the distance, (1) by an all-rail haul, or (2) by the water route and Panama canal. The latter is cheaper than the former, hence the logical way to ship if the Canadian consumer is going to have any benefit from the existence of the Panama canal.

Were there a Canadian customs officer at New York to look after this Canadian point to Canadian point business that goes via the Panama canal, there would be no duty charged.

The idea of charging duty on Canadian goods made in British Columbia when they enter Nova Scotia is one that cannot be defended. It is all against the theory or the practice of developing trade in Canada.

Here is another instance: The Premier Mine, in British Columbia, was considering purchasing from a Canadian firm in Owen Sound twenty tons of grinding balls. Shipped via New York and the Panama, these goods could compete with American products, but after finding that because there was no Canadian customs officer at New York, the company would have to ship all-rail or, in the alternative, pay duty on Canadian goods, they found that it would be cheaper to buy American goods. This was done.

There is surely something seriously wrong in this system of doing business. It is unthinkable that this long transcontinental haul is being insisted upon to hold the business for Canadian railways at the expense of Canadian consumers and the development of Canadian business.

A Warning at the Right Time.

Premier Taschereau of Quebec has issued a warning to those who may be thinking of investing in gold mines in the newly-exploited districts of that province.

He advises that "before investing money in alleged gold discoveries, let the people be sure that experts have found them to be in accordance with their description."

"Let the people be wise and take advice from their bank managers or businessmen before placing their savings in such enterprises. More than all, let them beware of fine talkers."

This reads almost like the words and wisdom of Solomon applied to the follies of 1923.

If more of our leaders were to speak out boldly upon such matters there would be fewer financial scars engraved on people not able to bear them.

Could Not Inspire on Facts.

The Brantford Expositor must have been paying heed to the meeting of Conservatives in London, for it says:

"A speaker at the gathering of Western Ontario Conservatives, held in London on Friday evening last, after giving a deplorable picture of the exodus to the U. S. which is now going on, declared that it was because the King government has done away with branch American industries. He did not mention, however, any specific industries which had thus been lost, and he forgot to state that the present tariff policy of Canada was drafted by the man who prepared the tariff under which Canadian manufacturers enjoyed their greatest period of prosperity."

The Expositor makes the error of taking seriously things that take place when the Conservative entertainers get together. This London gathering was purely "inspirational." The Tory organ in London said so.

At such a gathering as this it is not to be expected that such things as political or national facts could be seriously taken into account. Facts are a nuisance when the Conservative machine beckons the boys to

come in for a half-day's inspiration. It was just a sort of limbering up affair; they wanted to know how it felt to get up on their hind legs on a platform, and those who had to sit still and listen were being schooled to say "Hear, hear" at the right time, and how to kick their feet on the floor when the signal was given for "prolonged applause."

The Brantford paper is quite wrong in expecting an adherence to facts at such a gathering—it would squeeze out every last drop of inspiration, and it was inspiration above all else that the Tories were in need of when the troops were called to London on that eventful Friday.

Give The Roads a Chance.

A few weeks ago the automobile could make the roads any place around here. Today they go out and sink to the hubs in mud, and often have to stay right there until arrangements are made to dig or pry them out.

The frost is coming out of the ground, and the roads are right now at the point where they can be spoiled for weeks to come by cars and trucks churning them up. There is no artificial means that can be employed to take the frost out of the ground overnight. It is a fairly slow, but very sure, process employed by nature, and road builders are wise if they will work in conjunction with these forces.

Ontario is forging ahead in road building, and lagging behind in the matter of wise and reasonable control of these roads during this season of the year. Unless a car can give a good reason for going on the county roads now it should be kept off. Especially is this the case with heavy trucks, which seem to go right down to the bottom and churn up the whole road-bed, with the result that it takes weeks of work to get it restored to its right shape.

The government can control the situation, as it is done in other provinces. It would save hundreds of thousands of dollars to give the roads a chance right now to have the frost come out. No car should be allowed on them unless there is a real need for the passage.

Better Sense Used in Canada.

Receivers in the L. R. Steel smash say that Canadian managers of the Steel Realty Company made money, while in United States they were going wild. Canadians picked properties carefully and well, while U. S. branches showed poor judgment in selecting securities. Even out of this wreck that has hurt a lot of Canadians who could not afford the damage, comes a statement worth remembering, viz., that Canadians had better business judgment than the men operating under similar auspices in United States.

We are too apt to look upon the enterprises of United States as something beyond us. They are not. Canadians can match wits or saw wood with United States any time.

When the war was on Canadian shell shops, manned and engineered by Canadians, made records month after month which for size and excellence of production far outstripped the most ambitious undertakings of United States plants.

Canadians are doing things, and Canadians can do things. The trouble is that it is necessary at times to search in the ruins of an L. R. Steel smash for evidence to convince us of our own ability.

Note and Comment.

Cost of living figures continue to come from Ottawa and Washington. The only people qualified for this work now are mountain climbers and aeroplane drivers.

The Sphinx has not found it necessary to talk yet, because the diggers in Egypt seem to be able to tell us all that has taken place there in the last 3,500 years.

The man who invented the thermos bottle is dead. It remains for some clever man to apply to the family purse the principle of an even and sustained temperature.

Morning sessions are being held at the Ontario Legislature, giving Hon. Howard Ferguson plenty of chance to get up and tell us where he stands on the O. T. A.

Windsor speed cop has a machine that will go 97 miles an hour. If he makes that speed on some of the roads around Windsor and district they will be calling for tenders for a new cop and a new machine.

There was a bit of a celebration in Scotland over the first Canadian cattle to arrive there in 31 years. Seeing that the cattle were on their last trip, it is not likely that they entered into the spirit of the festivities.

Why is it necessary for singers or other professional entertainers to retain their maiden names? Here is Miss Florence Easton, a Canadian singer, the wife of Francis MacLennan, a very excellent American tenor. Couldn't she sing just as well as Mrs. MacLennan, or is it the folkie public who think talent is the property only of single people?

WHERE THE FARMER LOST OUT.

(From the Brantford Expositor.) For some time the country has heard of the discouraging conditions which surround agriculture, but perhaps it is true to say that the seriousness of the situation has not been adequately realized in its relation to the general prosperity to the country. In the process of inflation and deflation that has taken place as a result of the war, the farmers, without doubt, have suffered grievously.

The following statistics, taken from the index of the department of labor, show conclusively that the farmers have received the worst of the deal. They are getting little more for their products now than before the war, while the average increase on the manufactured commodities which he buys is one hundred per cent., a somewhat striking contrast:

	Jan. '23	Jan. '14	In.
Grains and fodder	171.5	140.0	30.6
Animals and meats	207.0	189.0	18.0
Dairy products	222.3	179.9	52.4
Hides, tallow	156.0	194.0	269.0
Decrease.			
Groceries	138.0	112.9	70.1
Woolens	225.4	137.5	57.9
Cotton	284.3	145.2	139.1
Boots and shoes	207.7	155.7	52.0
Implements	280.1	106.6	123.5
Lumber	324.4	135.5	150.0
Paints, oils, glass	268.9	140.2	128.7
House furnishings	275.5	123.8	146.7

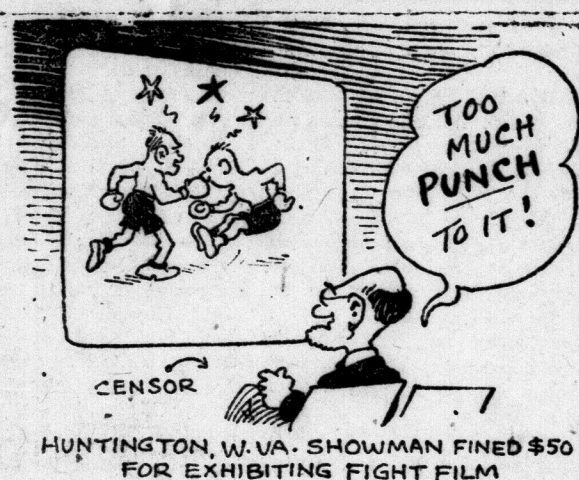
It does not require any argument to show the inequality of these figures. They show conclusively that in the process of readjustment of prices the farmer has suffered unduly. He receives less for what he sells and pays more for what he buys.

DIBS AND DABS

—BY HARRY MOYER



VANCOUVER AUTO CLUB WAGES CAMPAIGN AGAINST BROKEN GLASS ON STREETS



COULD WE BUT TAKE A PEEP ANON AT ANY FELLER'S MIND AN IMAGE OF A GIRL THEREON WE PROBABLY WOULD FIND!

TO THE EDITOR

HE WANTS ACTION.

Sir,—During this last fortnight we have been enlightened, besides on the subject of interest in Alberta coal, to the extent of regulating our feelings that such can be used in this illustrious part of the globe.

But for all that, one could not buy an ounce of this coal today. Lectures and demonstrations have been given by the fuel engineer, Alberta, but that still leaves us in ignorance how, and where, to obtain this useful commodity by purchase.

The main question, and most vital, is how a full supply of next winter's coal is to be obtained, viz.:

(1) From Alberta direct, or
(2) A grudging doling out from the U. S.

Now, Mr. Editor, I want to inquire through your valuable paper can one confidently rely upon this Alberta coal in the near future, viz.:

(a) Through a city coal merchant, or
(b) Will the Alberta mine owners open an agency in this city?

If action is not immediately taken to force the government, railway to reduce the freightage for coal to be sent on its way before the wheat movement is involved, this part of the Canadian continent will see itself in the same predicament as existed during the past winter.

Lectures and demonstrations upon their future action in this respect, and so gain our appreciation of their endeavours, and lighten the householders' burden, that during the next two months our minds may rest from this vital theme, enabling one to beam in the sunshine of our glorious summer, rest in perfect peace at night, and high praise! our Alberta coal will bob up in July and August at the normal rate of \$10 a ton—am I too optimistic?

What honor awaits this apparent mighty black diamond potentate! No doubt in time, his marble statue would adorn a prominent site in this illustrious city, as an everlasting memorial for the coming generation to gaze upon with pride, as the saviour of their forefathers, who had long groaned beneath the yoke of a foreign power (U. S. coal). I am, sir, yours faithfully, INTERESTED.

London, April 23, 1923.

PERSPECTIVE

By ANNE CAMPBELL.

When we were my little brother, Not this giant six feet two, You and I would play together In the pleasant summer weather By the spreading elm tree Where the birds' nests were to be.

And the way that huge tree towered To the arching spire of blue! I am sure you will remember How from April to September You and I played hide and seek 'Round the elm tree by the creek!

Why, its very roots were mighty, And it spread out at the base So we used to hide around it! With what happiness we found it! It was lots of fun to play By the massive tree each day.

Yesterday I went, dear brother, Down to visit the old place. And I saw what I at seven Thought was surely touching heaven. And it really seemed to me Just a small-sized elm tree! (Copyright, North American Newspaper Alliance, 1923.)

Reg'lar Jaw-Twisters.

"The London Advertiser is giving prizes to the winners in a spelling contest for the boys and girls in the upper grades of the London public schools. Don't forget to give them the word 'Phthisic.' Brer Kennedy, best speller to their seats. That word was a favorite in thinning out the row of would-be champions at spelling matches in pioneer schools. If phthisic doesn't seat the contestants give them the astronomical term 'Szygzy.' The only difficulty with this word is that to sound it correctly one has to sneeze at the same time as when pronouncing Polish names." —Cheesley Enterprise.

Your Health

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT DISEASE WE CALL MUMPS.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M.D. United States Senator from New York. Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

A few days ago, in a tailor shop, I saw a man with the mumps. He was going about his affairs, apparently unconscious of the fact that he is but a unit in society. He continued at his work, needing the wages undoubtedly, but exposing others to the pain and inconvenience of the disease.

This disease is rarely fatal. Recently some English writer said that in ten years there have been but eighty deaths from it in the British Isles. In the fatal cases, too, there is a possibility that diphtheria was responsible, rather than mumps.

It is rather uncommon, but not unheard of by any means, to have mumps in adult life. Children under fifteen and past, boys particularly, are likely to be the victims. Even nursing children may have the mumps.

There are certain glands under the jaw which communicate with the mouth. Their purpose is to furnish saliva to keep the mouth moist. They are known as the salivary glands. Mumps is a disease characterized by inflammation of these glands. It is an acute disease, appearing suddenly and marked by high fever. The fever varies from 101° or 102° to 104°.

The sufferer may become delirious. There is marked pain and great swelling on one side of the face. Pretty soon the other side may become involved.

Sometimes the swelling is so great that the patient can hardly open his mouth. This symptom persists for three, four or five days.

Most of the acute infectious diseases have shorter periods of incubation than mumps. This disease continues for two to four weeks, usually about three weeks.

You will be surprised to know that it is sometimes difficult to tell the difference between mumps and diphtheria. Slight swelling, pain, difficult swallowing and fever may give a suspicion of diphtheria. Of course, in diphtheria there is a membrane in the throat which is lacking in mumps.

This leads me to say that whenever a child is taken sick, having chill or convulsions, vomiting, running nose and fever, the parent should suspect the throat. In very young children diphtheria is a serious and too frequently fatal disease. Early recognition is of tremendous importance, because the early use of antitoxin may save the child's life, while if the recognition is postponed the disease may be fatal in spite of all treatment.

There seems little need of mistaking diphtheria for mumps, but it does happen and we must not take chances. It may happen, of course, that mumps and diphtheria appear together. The family doctor will settle all these problems.

The victim of mumps should be kept separate and apart from the rest of the family. The secretions of the nose and throat contain the organisms of the virus responsible for the disease. The other children must be guarded against exposure or the whole family or a whole schoolroom may be infected.

The family doctor will direct the treatment, although there is little to do except to keep the patient quiet. Sponging the body may lower the temperature.

Hot compresses or antiphlogistine may be applied locally. In other cases cold, even an ice pack, will prove more pleasant.

Do not laugh at mumps. It is a painful disease and there are various complications which are really serious and which are frequently met.

Answers to Health Questions. R. D. Q.—My hands are always red in cold weather and they perspire

olive oil on the face promote a growth of hair?
A.—No, it will not promote a growth of hair.

A Reader, A.—Kindly send a self-addressed, stamped envelope for full particulars and restate your question.

H. S. A. A.—Kindly send a self-addressed, stamped envelope for full particulars and restate your question.

Miss A. L. Q.—Kindly tell me how many food calories a shredded wheat biscuit contains.

2.—How many soda biscuits are required to make 100 calories?
3.—What food elements do soda biscuits contain?

A.—A shredded wheat biscuit contains 100 calories.
2.—Three and a half soda biscuits are required.

3.—They contain: carbohydrate, 70 per cent; fat, 20 per cent, and protein, 10 per cent.
R. F. Q.—Kindly tell me what causes my skin to smart for a long time after I use — soap.

A.—Apparently there is too much caustic in the soap. Stop using it on your face for a while.
M. T. Q.—Will you kindly tell me whether you think I need medical attention for the following condition? Frequently I get a numb feeling from my arm to my toes. The feeling lasts about a minute and occurs when I am rushing or doing things in a hurry.

A.—You should consult your doctor and let him examine you to determine the cause of this trouble. He will then prescribe the treatment which you should follow.

C. S. Q.—I am a girl 15 years of age, height 5 feet 1 inch. Will you kindly tell me what my correct weight should be?
A.—For the age and height you mention the weight should be about 111 pounds.

M. H. Q.—We are having a contest in school to determine who is the most physically fit fellow in the school. Will you please tell me if the height is a factor in determining the winner? What is the average height of a boy 17 years old?

A.—Yes, the height is a factor in determining the winner. A boy 17 years old should be about 5 feet 3 inches in height.

H. C. L. Q.—Some time ago, I strained my back by lifting a heavy package. Now I am suffering from a pain in my back. Will you kindly tell me how to remedy this?

A.—Undoubtedly your symptoms are due to the strain. Strapping your back with adhesive tape and applying heat will tend to help your condition.

A READER. Q.—Will you please tell me what causes my neck to crack occasionally, especially when turning the head?

A.—Car-sickness may be due to some intestinal disturbance. You should be careful of your diet and if constipation is present it should be corrected. For further particulars restate your question and inclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

2. The condition in the neck is probably muscular and need cause you no worry. Massage with chloroform liniment would help you.

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"The Ten Books I Have Most Enjoyed"

By Marie Conway Oemler. Author of "Slippy McGee," "A Woman Named Smith," "The Spirit of the House," etc.

The Bible (King James version, unvarnished).
"Pilgrim's Progress" (Bunyan).
"Gullistan" (Swift).
"Thais" (Anatole France).
"Martyrdom of Man" (Winwood Reade).
"Leaves of Grass" (Walt Whitman).

Poems (Swinburne).
Autobiography of Benvenuto Cellini.
"The Golden Ass" (Apuleius).
"The Three Musketeers" (Dumas).
"Tomorrow—Frederick O'Brien." (Copyright, 1923, U. S. and Great Britain, by North American Newspaper Alliance. All rights reserved.)

No Materialist.
"Don't you think Angelica looks spirituelle in that evening gown?"
"Well, I must admit there's not much of the material about her."

No Trespassers.
"Now," said the teacher, "I want you to draw a river with two men sitting by the bank."
Later she went round the class, and, stopping at Johnny's drawing, exclaimed:
"Why, Johnny, but you've only drawn the river!"
"Well," explained Johnny, "I can't draw men, so I drew the river and a board saying 'Trespassers will be prosecuted.'"

Obedying His Doctor.
In an out-of-the-way village in Scotland a man entered one of the mourners' carriages at a funeral. Opposite him was seated another man whom he did not recognize. Leaning forward, the newcomer said: "Tell me a brother of the corpse?"
"No," replied the other.
A minute later the man remarked: "Maybe he'll be a cousin of the corpse?"
"No," came the answer.
"Well, he's a fren' then?" suggested the man.
"No," said the man emphatically, "I'm nae relation, but I himna been verra well and the doctor ordered me to talk keridge rides."

On His Way.
A professor had promised to deliver a lecture in London, but owing to the poor train service he found he had very little time to spare if he was to get to the hall in time. On arriving in London all he could find was a "growler."

"Drive as fast as you can," he shouted to the caddy as he jumped in.
The caddy whipped up his horse and after ten minutes' furious driving the professor put his head out of the window.
"Do you know where you're driving me?" he asked.
"No," growled the caddy, "but I'm driving as fast as I can."

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PLANS READY FOR MADE-IN-LONDON EXHIBITION

MADE-IN-LONDON
SHOW TO BE HELD
ALL NEXT WEEK

Various Industries Will Exhibit
Products at Smallman
and Ingram's.

FIRST SINCE WAR

Several New Firms Will Reveal
Wares for the First
Time.

London as the heart of Western
Ontario industry will be graphically
represented in a large "Made in
London" exhibition to be held at
Smallman & Ingram's department
store all next week.

This will be the largest and best
"Made in London" display ever at-
tempted. Several years ago a simi-
lar exhibition was staged at the
local armistice building, but the
nature has been seen since the war.
More than thirty of the city's in-
dustries are showing their products
on the main floor of Smallman &
Ingram's. The number and extent of
the articles shown is surprising.
Since the last exhibition of that
kind, many years ago, numerous
concerns have started up in London,
and this will be the first opportunity
for them to exhibit their wares to
the entire populace.

Each booth will distribute litera-
ture describing and pointing out the
merits of their products.

The industrial carnival begins
Monday next, and will continue the
week through. Following is a list of
exhibitors: Empire Brass Manu-
facturing Company; Holeproof Hooley
Company; Murray Shoe Company;
O-Pee-Chie Cheating Gum Com-
pany; McLeod, Nolan & Co., cigar
manufacturers; John McNeen &
Sons, cigar manufacturers; Coca-
Cola; Beatty Bros.; Manufacturing
Company; J. R. Gurd, broom manu-
facturer; London Metal Products
Company; Hobbs, Ltd.; Service
Lamp Company; I. X. L. Spice Com-
pany; McCormick Manufacturing
Company; Hunt, Mills; London
Hosiery Mills; Battle Creek Toasted
Corn Flake Company; Scott-Mc-
Kale, Limited; S. F. Lawson &
Co.; Gorman, Eckert Company;
Greene-Swift Company; Limited;
Hall Dent Company; D. S. Perrin
& Co., Limited; Helena Costume
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Corset Company; J. R. Shuttle-
worth Company.

MAY NOT ASSIST IRISH
WISHING TO EMIGRATE

Order-in-Council Prevents the
Overseas Office From Help-
ing Residents of Erin.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—The fact that
the overseas settlement office is at
present debared by the terms of an
order-in-council from making grants
to persons resident in Ireland who
wish assisted passages to one of the
dominions, was brought to light by
the Duke of Devonshire, colonial sec-
retary, in the House of Lords last
night, in reply to a statement made
by Lord Carson.

The latter cited the case of a British
officer, who on demobilization ap-
plied for assisted passages for him-
self and family, with a view to the
officer taking up employment which
was open to him in Canada, but the
desired assistance was refused on the
ground of his being a resident of the
Irish Free State.

The Duke of Devonshire undertook
to see that the order-in-council
would be altered, so that in such a
case as that of the individual officer
mentioned by Lord Carson, and other
cases of a similar nature, the situa-
tion would be met in a reasonable
manner.

URGES ENGAGED COUPLES
GET MEDICAL CERTIFICATES

Associated Press Despatch.
Milan, April 25.—A resolution ur-
ging that engaged couples obtain
before marriage, medical certificates
containing simple eugenic infor-
mation was passed unanimously at
a meeting of the leading Milan physi-
cians yesterday. The doctors did not
propose that such certificates be
made compulsory by law or that the
granting of marriage licenses be con-
ditional upon a clean bill of health.

218 SEATS FOR PEASANTS.
Associated Press Despatch.
Sofia, April 25.—Final returns from
the Bulgarian election give the pas-
sant party 218 seats, the communists
12, and the opposition bloc 12. Four
of the successful candidates in the
latter group are former cabinet min-
isters, who are now in prison.

WASHINGTON IS
EXCITED ABOUT
HARDING SPEECH

Now Waits Breathlessly To
Hear Lodge's Statement on
World Court Issue.

PRESIDENT IS CALM

Watches for Reaction on People
at Large—Cares for No
Other Opinion.

Special to The Advertiser.

Washington, April 25.—Political
Washington was in a fever heat of
excitement today over President
Harding's New York speech, relating to
his 1924 candidacy and to his party's
fortunes in the world court issue. Mr.
Harding returned from New York
early this morning. Senator Watson
of Indiana came back from New
York and hunted up Senator Lodge
to talk to him about the president's
speech.

Lodge was expected to speak at the
White House.

Republican politicians were wait-
ing almost breathlessly to hear what
he would say after meeting Mr. Har-
ding. For Lodge's expected statement
of his position on the court issue, which
he has promised to issue after he
has discussed the matter with the
president, was expected to give lesser
Republicans their cue and to notify
them whether there is a split in the
party.

Mr. Harding returned calmly to
face the opposition here. He knew it
would come and was prepared for it.
What he was more interested in, he
told members of his party on the re-
turn journey, was the reaction of the
country at large. It was too soon to
appraise that reaction.

But Mr. Harding indicated he
would not be much disturbed by
Cormick's speech, which he had learned
what Lodge, Watson, and others
whether the people at large sided
with him or with his Republican
critics.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT
FOR CHURCH BUILDING

Excellent Entertainment in the
Church of Christ, Disciples,
Largely Attended.

The most successful and largely-
attended concert in the history of the
church was that held last night in
the Church of Christ, Disciples,
Dundas and Elizabeth streets, in aid
of the building fund of the new church.

Such capable artists as Mrs. Harry
Kingsmill, Miss Minnie Raymond and
Sidney Kingsmill contributed to the
program, in which they had the very
delectable assistance of Mrs. Pauline
Teeter Wilson, soloist and reader of
the Boston-Chicago Redpath Chau-
taquus Lyceum Bureau.

The program was most agreeably
selected, and included such numbers
as "By the Waters of Minnetonka,"
an Irish folk song; "My Dear Soul,"
and "I Love a Lassie," by Sidney
Kingsmill; "The Duck," "Calla and the
Night," by Mrs. Kingsmill and Mr.
Kingsmill; "The Voice of the
Love," by Mrs. Kingsmill, sung by Mrs.
Wilson; and in addition several de-
lightful encores, and a reading by
Mrs. Wilson, "Stella at the Pitcher-
show," which was most enthusias-
tically received.

Rev. J. H. Versey, the pastor, moved
at the conclusion of the program,
a vote of thanks to the visiting ar-
tists, which was seconded by H. B.
Johnston, and most heartily given by
the audience.

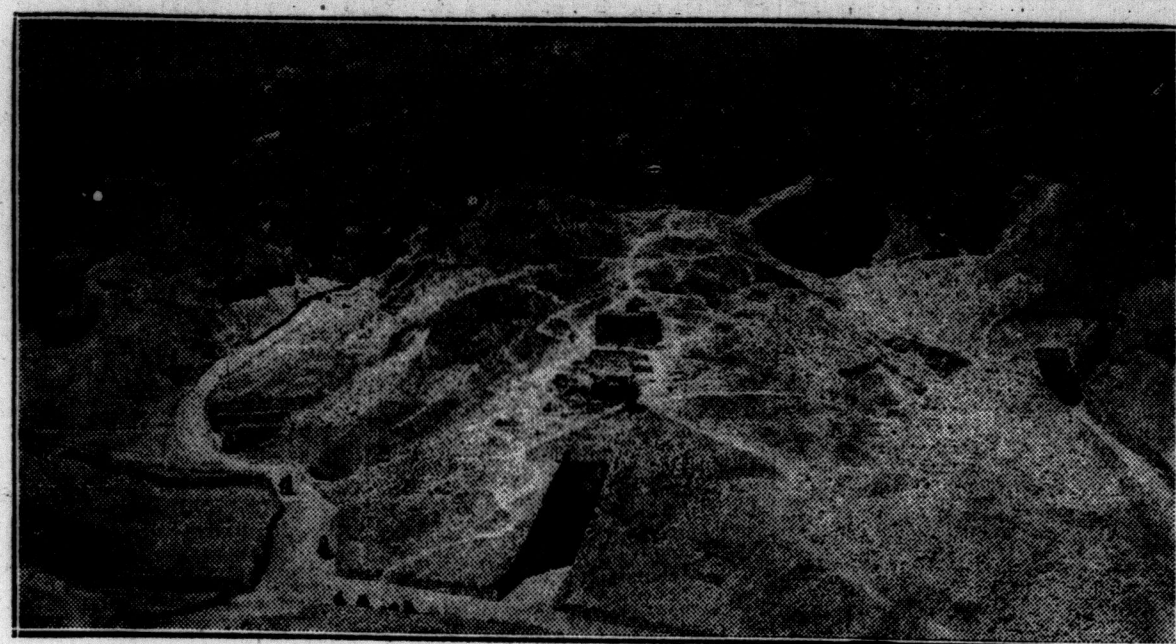
The officers of the Missionary So-
ciety and the Christian Endeavor ar-
ranged served supper to the artists
and a few guests.

REFINED SUGAR EXPORTS
REACH 16,982,219 POUNDS

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 25.—Canadian ex-
ports of refined sugar during March
amounted to 16,982,219 pounds, as
compared with 31,527,444 pounds in
March last year. Of the sugar ex-
ported last month, 10,350,000 pounds
went to the United Kingdom and
5,577,600 pounds to France.

DRY INCREASE IN EGYPT.

Special to The Advertiser.
London, April 25.—The Egyptian
government is viewing sympathetically
the growth of the prohibition
movement in that country, according
to a Cairo despatch to the Morning
Post. The government recently re-
fused several applications for licenses
to sell alcoholic liquors on the ground
that it "desires to curtail the sale of
spirituous liquors in Egypt."



TUTANKHAMEN'S TOMB IN THE VALLEY OF THE TOMBS OF THE KINGS.
This is one of many interesting pic-
tures brought back from the Land
of the Pharaohs by S. F. Lawason of
this city. King Tut's tomb entrance
is shown in the foreground, looking
not unlike the entrance to a dugout
in France. It is interesting to note
that Ramesses VI. is also buried in
Tomb No. 9—his tomb being above
that of King Tutankhamen. In Pull-
man car parlance, Tut has "Lower 9."

DIOCESE OF HURON
HAS MOST INDIANS

Leads All Others in Number of
Aborigines Under Its
Ministry.

An interesting feature which comes
to light in the reports now being
prepared for the annual synod meet-
ing of the Diocese of Huron, May 14,
in Cronyn Memorial Hall, is the fact
that Huron has under its care a
larger number of Indians than any
other diocese in Canada.

The Anglican Church carries on
work on eight reserves, the largest
being that on the Grand River, near
Brantford, where they have six mis-
sion churches, and also St. Anne's
Chapel, to the Mohawks, which is the
oldest church in Ontario. In addition
there is the Mohawk Institution, where
boys and girls are trained in
farming and other industrial pur-
suits. The spiritual work on these
reserves is under the charge of sev-
eral Anglican missionaries, who are
supported by the Diocese of Huron.
The financial digest, which will be
given at the synod by the secretary,
treasurer, Venerable Archdeacon
Doherty, is a very happy one, in that
it indicates that all the obligations
of the synod for the past year were
met in full, including the appoint-
ment of the Missionary Society of
the Canadian Church, the General
Board of Religious Education and the
Social Service Council.

MEDICINE HAT OIL FIRE
LOSS PLACED \$80,000

Blaze Still Burning—Effort Is
Being Made To Save
Storage Tanks.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Medicine Hat, April 25.—A fire,
which had already done damage es-
timated at \$80,000, was burning in the
oil storage district of the industrial
part of the city last night. The Im-
perial Oil Company sustained a loss
of \$50,000, and the Prairie City Oil
Company \$30,000. It is estimated by
representatives of the companies that
the main buildings of the Imperial
Oil Company were completely de-
stroyed. The fire fighters last night
were endeavoring to save the storage
tanks to the east of the buildings.
A large stable of the Imperial Oil
Company is also menaced by the blaze.

The cause of the fire is not de-
finitely known. It started from a
truck in the Prairie City Oil Com-
pany's yards.

VICTIM IS KEPT ALIVE
14 HOURS WITH ADRENALIN

Associated Press Despatch.
Los Angeles, Cal., April 25.—In-
jection of adrenalin into the veins of
Dan Leary, seriously injured Monday
by an explosion, failed to avert
death but was directly responsible
for keeping him alive fourteen hours
after the accident, according to
physicians.

Dr. F. G. Banting Is Subject
For Ethylene Experiment

Former Londoner Is First Human Subject to Whom the Newly
Discovered Anaesthetic Is Administered.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Recent experi-
ments on ethylene as a general
anaesthetic, in which use it seems to
have superior qualities, were de-
scribed by Dr. W. Eason Brown, as-
sistant anaesthetist with the Toronto
General Hospital, before a meeting
of the Toronto Academy of Medicine
held here last night.

He also told of how he had been
able to produce partial analgesia,
that is, loss of pain without loss of
consciousness, with a mixture of
ethylene, nitrous oxide and oxygen.
Demonstrations were carried out in
the laboratory by Dr. Brown.

Dr. F. G. Banting, the discoverer
of insulin, formerly of London, On-
tario, who was a classmate of Dr.

GOLD RUSH IN QUEBEC
SHOWS NO ABATEMENT

Staking Is Already Taking
Place in Township of Clercy
and Extends Eastward.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Dane, Ont., April 25.—Information
coming out by mail from prospectors
in the new gold field of Northwestern
Quebec, and brought out by the last
so-called "moonshine wireless" this
season, carries the news that the
rush has shown no abatement, and
that the movement is general toward
the east.

Some staking is taking place in the
Township of Clercy, around Clercy
Lake, but the great majority is along
the Kenogvis River and extending
away off toward the east.

"Prospectors are coming in pre-
pared for a six weeks' siege at the
rate of eight to ten men a day,"
said W. A. Gamble, one of the more
active prospectors in the field. "Natu-
rally, they are all headed east," con-
tinues the letter.

Plans are being made to cut a road
from Here Lake to Pelletier Lake,
and this is the most talked-about
summer road at the present time. The
snow is still deep, and it is evident
that it will be toward the end of May
before the last of winter disappears
from the swampy and shaded sec-
tions, although the last of winter dis-
appears from the swampy and shaded sec-
tions, although already an occa-
sional knob of rock is showing up on
the hillsides.

LORDS DISCUSS PUBLICITY
GIVEN TO DIVORCE CASES

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—The undue pub-
licity given by certain sections of the
press to the indecent details of cases
recently tried in the law courts here,
especially divorce cases, was the sub-
ject of a debate in the House of
Lords last night.

While all the speakers agreed as
to such publication being an evil,
opinion was divided as to whether
legislation to curb it was necessary
or whether action to lessen the evil
would be possible under the existing
law. There the matter rested.

OXFORD STREET
HOME ENTERED
BY SNEAK THIEF

Jewelry and Money Are Stolen
From Home of James
McCormick.

DOOR LEFT OPEN

The Detectives Warn Citizens
Against Activities of Such
Prowlers.

Thieves entered the home of James
McCormick, 241 Oxford street, be-
tween 9 o'clock and 10:30 o'clock last
night, and stole several articles of
jewelry and \$15 in cash. Entry was
gained by a rear door, which had
been left open. Mr. Dayton, father-
in-law of Mr. McCormick, was in the
house at the time.

Two rooms, Mr. McCormick's bed-
room and his wife's bedroom, were
ransacked.

The thieves obtained one gold wrist
watch on which was engraved "From
Papa to Mamma," and either the date
"1905" or "1907"; a lady's gold chain
and pendant set with amethysts; two
opal rings, one having three stones
and one having one stone; one chain
and locket on which forget-me-nots
were engraved; brooch set with
pearls, an old-fashioned bracelet; a
lady's harpin; a set of opal spirals;
a brilliant pin; \$15 in bills and a few
pennies from a child's bank.

Mr. McCormick's brother left the
house at 9 o'clock and returned at
10:30. During that time the robbery
occurred.

Detectives believed the robbery to
be the work of a sneak thief or
thieves. They did not enter the part
of the house in which Mr. Dayton
lives.

At this time of the year, when
householders begin to take off their
storm windows and open their doors
and windows, sneak thieves begin
their operations, detectives say.

They have issued a warning to
citizens to lock their houses securely
before going out for an evening.

Exhume the Body
of Boy Convict

Officials Told They Will Find
Marks of Flogging.

Special to The Advertiser.
Tallahassee, Fla., April 25.—State
legislators visited the dead today in
search of new evidence of atrocities
in connection with Florida's penan-
cy system.

Led by Arthur Johnson, a negro,
who declared he aided in the simple
burial, a joint committee of the state
legislature went into the swamp land
near Ft. Marion in search of the grave
of Martin Tadey, North Dakota youth,
who died in a convict camp following
a flogging. The investigators have
been told they will find the boy's body
buried in a water-soaked hole, in-
cised in a cheap coffin, and still
carrying tell-tale marks of the al-
leged brutal beating.

PROBE 16 1-2 CT. PRICE
FOR KANSAS GASOLINE

Attorney-General Will Confer
With Officials of Standard
Oil Company.

Special to The Advertiser.
Jefferson City, Mo., April 25.—The
Standard Oil Company was to ex-
plain here today why it could sell
gasoline for 16 1/2 cents a gallon in
Kansas City, while other communi-
ties pay as high as 21 cents.

Attorney-General Barrett, who has
conducted an investigation of the
price war in Kansas City, on com-
plaint of independent companies, an-
nounced that attorneys for the Stan-
dard Oil company will confer with him
and explain their position. Indepen-
dent companies have contended the
Standard is seeking to destroy com-
petition by forcing dealers to sell
gasoline below cost.



VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.
Charles Clements who died in Vic-
toria Hospital this morning from in-
juries received when a motorcycle
sided in which he was riding
crashed into a horse and buggy on
the Lambeth highway Friday night.
He never regained consciousness.

LARGE CONTRIBUTIONS
SWELL WELFARE FUND

Many Additional Subscriptions
Received Since Closing of
Campaign.

Contributions continue to reach
headquarters of the United Welfare
Fund from citizens who were out of
the city at the time of the recent
campaign or who for some other
reason were not reached by canvassers
during the drive.

Among the larger subscriptions not
previously acknowledged are: Mc-
Mahon & Granger, \$600; W. M.
Spencer, \$500; Kaufman Rubber Co.,
\$300; Mrs. T. P. McCormick, \$300;
Battle Creek Toasted Corn Flakes
Co., \$250; Coates, Burns & Wan-
less, \$200; Miss Helen Gibbons, \$200;
W. Mara, \$200; Major Gordon In-
gram, \$200; P. P. Betts, \$120; Geo.
A. Wenige, \$120; Noble & Rich, \$120;
Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt, \$100.

The following also gave \$100:
Fred W. Matthews, Dr. John Wishart,
Mrs. A. Garvey, Judge R. G. Fisher,
Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, L. H. Scan-
drett, Marshall Bros. & Co., Mr. and
Mrs. W. E. Wismer, Mrs. Arthur Mc-
Clary.

PRESIDENT RETURNS
TO NEWSPAPER WORK

Harding 'Makes Up' Editorial
Page of New York
Publication.

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, April 25.—President
Harding last night went back to the
newspaper business in earnest during
a two-hour visit to the plant of the
New York Tribune. He passed quick-
ly through the news and editorial
rooms into the composing room. Here
he shook hands with the printers, and
proceeded to the make-up room,
where he found Alex. Torrey, a
staunch Democrat, making up the
editorial pages of the Democratic
Tribune.

Taking Torrey's "rule" away from
him, the president himself made up
the entire page, which contained
among other things an editorial on
his address of the afternoon, and a
cartoon depicting the president swim-
ming in a world court pool, and in-
viting retiring senators to come in
the ship without a union card, but
the president assured him he held
a card.

TODAY IN PARLIAMENT.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 25.—The House of
Commons will continue its committee
on the bill to amend the naturaliza-
tion acts of 1914 and 1920. Second
reading of an act respecting Chinese
immigration will then be the order.
After these are disposed of, estimates
of the department of public works
will then be taken up.
The senate will sit in the evening.

MUNICIPALITIES
SHOULD CONTROL
HYDRO MATTERS

Philip Pocock in Toronto To
Urge This Point on the
Gregory Commission.

TO EXPLAIN STAND

Suggests Permission to Munici-
palities to Buy Rights and
Control.

Philip Pocock of the public util-
ities commission is appearing before
the Gregory commission in Toronto
today to tell why he thinks the gov-
ernment should turn over the affairs
of the hydro-electric commission to
the municipalities concerned.

A resolution to this effect was
passed at a meeting of the Muni-
cipal Electrical Association held in
Hamilton two weeks ago. Mr. Po-
cock with T. McFarland repre-
sented London, was one of the
strongest supporters of the move-
ment.

The matter is being taken up by
the Gregory commission this week
which, and yet at the time the re-
solution for the provincial govern-
ment. To secure further infor-
mation the chairman invited Mr. Po-
cock to explain his views before the
commission.

For Municipal Control.
Mr. Pocock feels that the various
municipalities, ten in number, who
are the users of hydro-electric and
therefore are the real backers of the
system, should control the business
of the system rather than a body of
men appointed entirely by the provin-
ce.

With others who attended the con-
vention in Toronto, Mr. Pocock be-
lieves that there is too much inter-
ference by the provincial govern-
ment in the affairs of hydro. This he
thinks is not fair to the municipali-
ties who are backing the scheme.
The municipalities using power
are fully responsible for the bonds
issued, and yet at the present time
have no representative on the com-
mission which controls the affairs of
the system. The Ontario govern-
ment merely backs the bonds and yet
it takes full control.

Stirred to Action.
Recent agitation and investigations
into the affairs of the system
have stirred the municipalities into
action. They feel it is time the con-
trol should pass to those who are
actually interested.

To carry out the plan the provin-
cial government is to be asked to
allow the different municipalities to
issue debentures to pay off the bonds
issued by the government. In this
way they will have full control of
development.

Such a move Mr. Pocock contends
will make little difference as far as
consumers of hydro power is con-
cerned. The transfer will cause no
disruption in business. The munic-
ipalities will be running a great
risk by assuming full responsibility
for in Mr. Pocock's opinion, the sys-
tem has already proven itself a
splendid success.

FREE STATE OFFICIALS
EXECUTE 3 PRISONERS

Deserter From British Regi-
ment Pays Life Penalty
Today.

Associated Press Despatch.
Tralee, County Kerry, Ireland, April
25.—Richard Hatheway, James Mc-
Enery and John Greaney were exe-
cuted here today by the Free State
authorities. Hatheway, who was a
deserter from a British regiment,
was captured in the recent siege of
a cave in which a band of irregulars
was holding out on the Kerry Cliff.

WILL ISSUE REVOLVERS.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—A Dublin des-
patch to the Times says the Free
State government has decided to is-
sue revolvers and ammunition to
certain persons for the protection
of their lives and property in view
of the prevalence of robbery, which
in many instances has been
accompanied by violence.

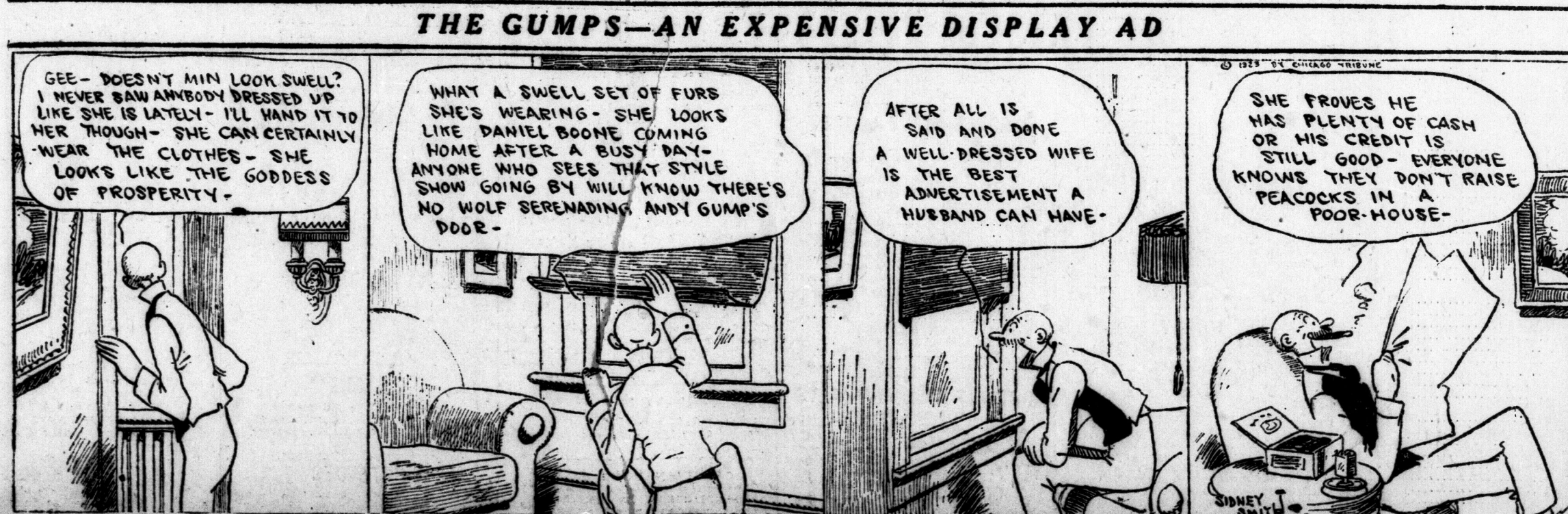
WANTED FOR ASSAULT,
SETS HOUSE ON FIRE

Police Find Gordon Wood
Trying To Burn Down His
Home—Make Arrest.

Canadian Press Despatch.
St. Catharines, April 25.—When
Sgt. McCarthy and High Constable
Boyle went to the home of Gordon
Wood, in Grantham Township, to ar-
rest the man for his failure to an-
swer a summons on an assault charge
in police court today, they found the
front door locked, but entered by a
side door, making their way upstairs,
where they found Wood had set the
place afire. Wood was arrested, and
the flames extinguished, but not be-
fore one room had been badly gutted.

NAVIGATION OPENS TODAY.

Associated Press Despatch.
Duluth, April 25.—Actual opening
of 1923 navigation from the head of
the lakes will date from 10 a.m. to-
day, the steamer America leaving
the dock harbor for the first trip of
the season. Washington Harbor or
Isle Royal, and north shore points
are to be visited. Port Arthur and
Fort William will not be entered be-
cause ice still chokes these harbors.



MINING NEWS

O'Brien mine was the only shipper from Cobalt during the week of April 20, having consigned three carloads of the aggregate weight of 129,346 pounds to Delora.

The most outstanding event of the week in mining will likely prove to be the auction sale of the Quinze power plant, situated on the Quinze river, only a few miles from Cobalt. This particular sale, good for 30,000-horsepower, is up for sale on Wednesday, the 25th, and it is looked upon as the key to settlement of the power question for the Ontario gold mining industry, as well as the source of supply for the new fields in the Royon district, Quebec.

The McKinley-Darragh is handling approximately 140 tons of ore daily, and producing an average of about 1,000 ounces of silver per day, amounting to 3,000 tons of ore monthly and an output of close to 50,000 ounces of silver. A high degree of efficiency is shown in the fact that the balance sheet at the end of each month since resuming work nearly a year ago has shown a satisfactory net profit in spite of the fact that the value of the ore has ranged from only \$7.50 to \$9 a ton.

The lease on the Long Sault Rapids has been signed, sealed and delivered to the Hollinger Consolidated Gold Mines, according to information secured during an interview with A. F. Brigham, manager of the Hollinger. Asked as to the probable date on which development of the property would commence, Mr. Brigham replied: "We prefer to actually do something before offering any predictions."

The underground workings have been deepened, the new development program has been commenced on the Victory Silver Mines. A station is being cut at the 200-foot level, preparatory to carrying lateral work along the high-grade vein encountered during the course of sinking the shaft. The work will also include continuing a cross-cut at the lower level, with the object of intersecting a big vein which carries encouraging patches of high-grade ore at the surface, as well as at a depth of 150 feet.

Shareholders of the King Kirkland Gold Mines, Limited, at a special meeting, unanimously ratified an agreement with the Toronto Public Ledger, under which the latter company will operate the property. More than 180,000 shares were represented at the meeting, in person or by proxy. C. F. Jordan, president of the company, was in the chair, and stated that operations would be started as soon as possible.

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St. Lawrence Market, Toronto.
S. J. 25-26

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	Price	Yield
Bank of Commerce.....	198	6.57
Bank of Toronto.....	191	6.28
Bell Telephone.....	171	6.23
Canadian Locomotive, Pref.....	96	6.23
Consumers' Gas.....	158	6.63
Dominion Bank.....	198 1/2	6.55
Dominion Bankers, Pref.....	88	7.95
Royal Bank.....	217	6.46

Our Stock Department will be glad to execute orders on the Toronto Stock Exchange. We do not carry marginal accounts.

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We will cash your Victory Loan Coupons or place them to your credit in our Savings Bank where they will draw interest at 3% per annum.

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R. T. Brynner, Manager
W. J. F. Ross, Manager

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TURKS HESITATE TO CONCEDE POINTS TO ALLIED NATIONS

Angora Delegates Show No Inclination To Alter Decisions.

HASSAN BEY SPEAKS

Financial Expert Says Detached Provinces Must Help Pay

Associated Press Despatch.

Lausanne, April 25.—The resumed Near East conference got under way today with the Turks apparently in no more conciliatory frame of mind than at the previous conference, which collapsed over the economic and financial problems of the proposed peace treaty. The Angora delegates, allied spokesmen said tonight, gave no impression during the day's proceeding of an intention to make concessions on any of the disputed points.

Hassan Bey, the Turkish financial expert, told the financial committee of the conference at its first meeting that Turkey wanted the whole world to understand that she was ready and determined to pay her just share of the Ottoman debt, but wanted a definite understanding that the provinces detached from her territory as a result of the great war should also bear their just share of the total debt burden.

He contended further that the succession states, including Syria, Palestine, Mesopotamia, and the others, should stand a proportionate cost of the withdrawal from circulation of the Turkish paper money. The Allies flatly declined to accept the Turkish contention that the paper money constitutes a debt to be borne by the detached provinces, but agreed that division of the Ottoman debt should be obligatory, and the matter will be worked out by experts who will detail the details.

Numerous other financial questions of an extremely technical nature were referred to the experts.

INTERESTS SAFEGUARDED.

By SAMUEL DASHIEL.

Special Cable to The London Advertiser and the Philadelphia Public Ledger. Lausanne, April 25.—It was indicated from official sources within the conference yesterday that the government and private American interests can be considered as virtually safeguarded at Lausanne, and that there is little likelihood of the American observers rolling backhills in the meetings, as occurred at earlier sessions.

This information was given, not to minimize the importance of the American position, but rather to emphasize the fact that the powers which are going to count in the settlement have agreed that American claims in the Near East are based on sound commercial principles, free from politics.

The fact was also pointed out by Minister Grew today that the U. S. desires to participate in the conference as little as possible. The observers will sit at every session, no matter how dry the discussion may be, but the United States will not dominate the conference, it will be the initiative of its open-door policy rather than by active leadership.

Cannot Recognize Grant.

Turkey is delighted with the equal rights for all idea, and will make the first attempt at its enforcement tomorrow when the economic commission meets to consider a program which, being economic, really means oil, railroad and port building concessions. It will be in that commission that France will rub salt in the United States on the much-discussed Chester concessions.

Premier Poincare also declared the concession quarrel would not mar the conference, that France and the United States might fix it up out of court. From present indications that probably will happen, as it is generally believed the Turks only gave the concession to Chester to annoy the French for not playing their game at the first Lausanne parley.

Furthermore, the Turks, annoyed today, then reiterated the fact that the British are still in Constantinople, still in Mosul and in the Chanak—represented by troops. Thus it was plainly indicated that this conference must remove those troops or there will be no peace.

Venizelos Goes Alone.

After the session I saw a white-haired old man, wearing a white hat and a blue suit, walking alone up the hill alone in deep meditation. No delegate of the Allies nor anyone else was talking to him. The old man was ex-Premier Venizelos, who is in the singular position of negotiating for defeated Greece and trying to make the best reparations bargain for his country at the same time fearing to return to Athens lest that tough band of dictators might assassinate him.

Three years ago the Allies would not have let Venizelos walk up a hill alone. He would have had the royal suite at the best hotel. Then he was the "Allied soldier watchdog of the Near East."

However, fickle fame has alighted on his former enemy. The menu of the Lausanne Palace Hotel led off today with "Ismet Pasha Rice," which was garnished with bright red tomato sauce. It is recalled that the hotels were never so gracious with Lord Curzon. A waiter explained that they rarely served cold fish.

OAKVILLE BONDS AWARDED TO AMELIUS JARVIS & CO.

Amelius Jarvis & Co. have been awarded the last of \$7,000,000 and 20 instalment 5% per cent debentures by the town of Oakville.

Tenders included the following:

Amelius Jarvis & Co., 100.00; R. A. Daly & Co., 100.37; Wood, Gundy & Co., 100.31; Gairdner, Clarke & Co., 100.37; Bain, Snowball & Co., 100.15; C. H. Burgess & Co., 100.02; Dyment, Anderson & Co., 100.00; Macneil, Graham & Co., 99.87; Municipal Bankers Corporation, 99.52; McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., 98.87.

All the Theatres

ALLEN'S
MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY — "Vanity Fair," a screen version of Thackeray's novel.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY — Jackie Coogan in "Daddy."

GRAND
TUESDAY, FOR 5 DAYS—Douglas Fairbanks in "Robin Hood."

LOEW'S
MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY—Fred Niblo production, "The Famous Mrs. Fair," vaudeville.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Pola Negri in "Bella Donna," vaudeville.

MAJESTIC
GLADIE PLAYERS.
PATRICIA

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY — "The Three Musketeers," featuring Douglas Fairbanks.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Chas. Jones in "Boss of Camp Four."

Bird Notes

Contributed by The McIlwraith Ornithological Club

(Contributed by the McIlwraith Ornithological Club.)

Sunday, April 22nd, produced no new arrivals. Though warm, it was not a very nice day for an early morning ramble. There was an occasional drizzle, and the light was poor.

However, one is always repaid for any effort made. No matter what the weather is like there is always the chance of seeing or hearing something interesting and we were rewarded to a sound so seldom heard here, that it is worth mentioning.

On Mr. Saunders' pond there are four loons, and on Sunday morning one of these gave utterance to his weird cry, a long, drawn-out, wailing note, compared by those who have heard both to the howl of a wolf. There is something positively uncanny about this cry. One instantly associates it with some lonely lake among the northern forests, where these birds breed, and where their cry is so often heard, particularly at night. Perhaps this particular call was an invitation to a loon that was flying over at the time. If so, it was not accepted, the flying bird continuing on its way north.

So other birds, excepting perhaps swans, curlew and grebes, are on the water. They swim and dive without any apparent effort. One lived several times on Sunday morning, perhaps for his breakfast of fish, each time remaining under water nearly a minute, and reappearing 50 yards from where he disappeared.

Thirty or more waterfowl species of birds were noted, not considering the weather.

WALKER WILLING TO RUN AS S. OXFORD CANDIDATE

Ingersoll, April 25.—Although an announcement was made in the press some time ago that A. T. Walker, South Oxford's U. P. O. member would not be a candidate in the coming election, this does not appear to be the case. According to a report emanating from U. P. O. quarters, Mr. Walker will seek re-election if his services are desired.

It is also stated that he is willing to assist anyone else who may be named, if such a course is considered in the best interests of the party.

Other names mentioned are those of James Innes, reeve of West Oxford, and Byron Jenvey, also of the same township.

SEES ORIENTAL PROBLEM AS REAL MENACE TO CANADA

Canadian Press Despatch.

Fredericton, N. B., April 25.—Unless the Oriental problem of Western Canada is soon solved, the Pacific Ocean will not long remain the boundary between eighty millions of white races of Asia and the white races of the west, said John Nelson, former managing editor of the Vancouver World, during the course of an address on the problem at the Rotary luncheon today.

WATERLOO LIBERALS NAME MAY 12 FOR CONVENTION

Special to The Advertiser.

Galt, April 25.—The executive of the South Waterloo Liberal Association, in session yesterday afternoon, after considerable discussion decided to call a convention of the party on or before May 12 to nominate a candidate for the coming provincial election, the date to be set as soon as arrangements for a speaker are completed. The convention will be held, it is believed, in practically a three-man contest in this riding.

FIREMEN CATCH BOYS WHO RANG FAKE ALARM

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 24.—Their store of ideas for fun having been exhausted this morning, several boys, students of Queen Mary Public School, pulled the alarm box number sixty-one on Raleigh street. As the crew of engine company number one from the city fire station rounded the corner on their truck they saw the boys taking the school route over the back fence of the school grounds. On being chased, they caught several boys and turned them over to the respective teachers for the necessary corrective measures.

AUSTRALIANS EXPECT TO REALIZE SURPLUS

Associated Press Despatch.

Melbourne, Australia, April 24.—The Melbourne Argus, analyzing the commonwealth's finances, shows that the accumulated surplus is likely to reach £9,000,000 by June 30. This is mainly owing to the remarkably heavy customs receipts, which during the past nine months have exceeded the estimate by nearly £5,000,000 and represent £6 per capita, compared with £3 per capita in 1913-14. It is considered probable that the termination of the present financial year will reveal a revenue surplus of £2,500,000.

DECLARES KEMAL HAS APPEARANCE OF FIGHTING MAN

American Editor Describes the Turkish Leader As Found At Home In Angora.

EYES STONY HARD

Despite His Looks the Pasha Is An Agreeable and Courteous Host.

By EDWARD G. LOWRY.

Special Cable to The London Advertiser and The Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Angora, April 25.—The railroad that brought me from Karaköy to Angora is part of the notorious Berlin to Bagdad route that was one of the causes of the war. The Germans built it, and one of the superintendents of construction built himself a very nice stone house near the station. It is now occupied by Rauf Bey, the prime minister.

Here I first saw Mustafa Kemal. I was sitting in the cabinet room, which is furnished with faded brocade French furniture, when Kemal came in. He wore a lambskin kalpak, which he has made the fashionable head-dress in Turkey, dark civilian clothes and patent leather button shoes with cloth tops. His eyes command instant attention. They are blue, brilliant, steady, stony, and implacable. Even when he smiles his eyes do not soften. They are the eyes of a fighting man, a hard man, a conqueror, one who rides down opposition with a sort of cold fury. He has a trick of narrowing them when he meets strangers. It is a cold scrutiny that comes from behind the half-closed lids, and not an easy gaze to face. He has a big, square, strong jaw, as befits a man with such eyes.

Always a Soldier.

He has a broad, almost Germanic face, with high cheek-bones. He looks anything but the traditional Turk because of his blondness; his fair hair, which he slicks back from his forehead without parting. He might pass anywhere for a "Z" officer. Merely to see him is to understand how he came to be where he is today.

Kemal is not the type of the easy-going Turk that is so familiar. His motto might be that one that many businessmen at home cherish, "do it now." Even in civilian dress he would never be mistaken for other than a soldier. He speaks clearly and to the point, does not waste words and makes decisions instantly. I particularly do not wish to give the impression by this description that Kemal is a forbidding or repellent personality. It is true his eyes can have a menacing quality, but I have never met anyone with greater charm of manner or one who could make himself more pleasant and agreeable at a dinner table or in private talk after dinner. His voice is soft, low and gentle, as, in fact, are the voices of all cultivated Turks.

Nowhere, except in England have educated people of the upper social classes such soft-spoken, pleasantly modulated voices as in Turkey, and the quality of Mustafa Kemal's voice would be remarked upon even at Oxford. He does not repel by his personality; he actively and almost immediately attracts.

Gave Complimentary Welcome.

He came upon me in Rauf Bey's house unexpectedly, and after the first narrowing scrutiny and introductions welcomed me to Angora in a few complimentary phrases. He understands and can speak French, but prefers to talk to strangers in Turkish and have his words translated. I told him how far I had come to see him, and he smiled deprecatingly and asked whether it was worth while. He was sorry that Angora was such a poor place and hoped that I had found a place to live where I could be comfortable, and asked me to dine with him and his wife this evening, promising a long, private talk after dinner. He suggested that the prime minister come, too, and interpret for us.

Kemal explained that the departure of the delegation for Lausanne, the dissolution of the assembly and preparations for the coming election filled every moment of his time, but that he was glad to explain to America the aims and purposes of his government and that he welcomed any visitor who came to see for himself the people who were ruling Turkey.

"I will answer your questions," he promised. Tomorrow I shall cable what he tells me tonight.

MEAT HOUSE OF CHICAGO SUFFERS DAMAGE BY FIRE

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, April 25.—Fire in the meat house of Morris & Co. within the stockyards, which did damage estimated at \$100,000, late last night, broke out anew early this morning, increased the loss to an estimated value of \$500,000. The meat house was the former office building of Morris & Co. and was one of the stockyards landmarks.

FOREIGN TRADE FIGURES SHOW SLIGHT DECREASE

Associated Press Despatch.

Calcutta, India, April 24.—The foreign trade figures for the fiscal year 1922-23 for British India show that the imports totalled \$232,500,000 and the exports \$232,500,000, compared with \$235,000,000 and \$231,350,000 respectively in 1921-22. The re-exports totalled \$150,000,000 last year, compared with \$140,000,000 in the previous year.

CURRENCY STATEMENT.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, April 24.—Dominion notes in circulation at the end of March, according to the monthly currency statement of the finance department issued today, amounted to \$242,657,765. They were covered by gold to the amount of \$125,650,245, or 51.7 per cent. The percentage of gold held at the end of April was 53.1. At the end of March there were also on deposit against Dominion notes outstanding approved securities to the value of \$84,145,050.

MORE GASOLINE USED.

New York, April 24.—The domestic consumption of gasoline in February was 42 per cent higher than for the same month last year. The foreign and domestic consumption was 52 per cent higher than in February, 1922. The supply on hand on February 28 was equivalent to 171 days' supply.



King Brain

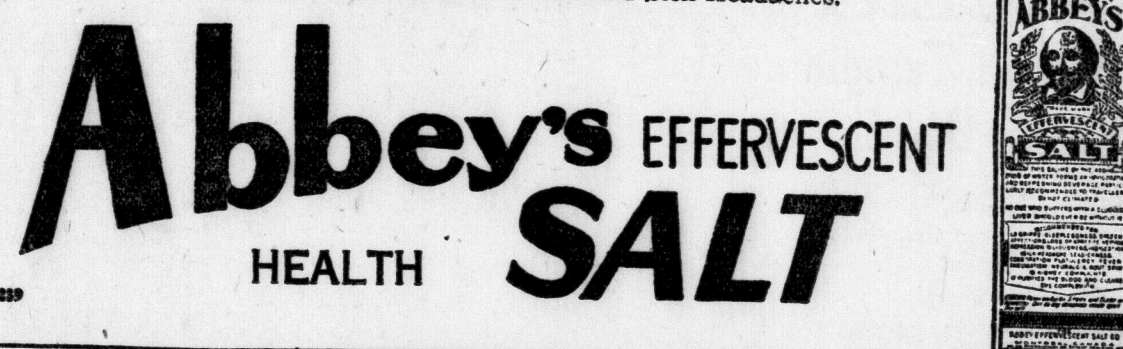
Which do you allow to rule?

Is your Brain master of your thoughts and emotions? Or does Tyrant Stomach dictate how you shall eat, harass you with pain and gloom your days and nights?

King Brain and ABBEY'S will overcome Tyrant Stomach.

Tyrant Stomach

ABBEY'S neutralizes acidity of the stomach—relieves belching, distress and fullness after eating—and stops heart "fluttering" due to the pressure of gas in the stomach upon the heart. It also corrects Constipation and prevents Bilious Attacks and Sick Headaches.



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Window boxes are a decided asset in making the home attractive and should be much more common than they are in our cities. If well filled with the proper plants suitable for this purpose, they are a pleasing feature in house decoration.

In making a window box it will pay to spend considerable time in the making of the box itself. Hastily constructed boxes are short lived and unsatisfactory. One of the best ways to make a window box for outside display is to take two boards planed and sanded and the exact length of the outside window sill. The third board of the same length and at least ten inches in width, is nailed on the inside edges of the two sides. The ends must be cut to fit exactly into the ends of the box, and should not be nailed on the outside edges of the side boards, as it will not be neat or strong. Holes to permit of good drainage should be bored here and there through the bottom board, and the whole inside of the box should be given a light coat of paint.

The outside should be given two coats of paint in any color that will harmonize with the paint work of the house. Ornamenting the box in the form of beading strips, scroll work, etc., are better omitted, as they add little to the appearance of the box, and are continually coming off and become unsightly. See that some suitable provision is made to hold the box in position on the window ledge.

As to the plants you may use for the filling of the box, there are hundreds from which to choose. Leaving the selection of kinds for the time being, it will be well to draw attention to the essential types that should be employed in filling the box. Along the front it is necessary to plant some form of a creeping plant which will shade the front surface of the box before the hot weather arrives, and which will in time completely cover the front of the box. The second row should be filled with a short plant that will overtop the first row, but will not hide the third or back row in the box. In the third and last row plant some upstanding variety which will slightly shade the window, and at the same time act as a background to the less conspicuous plants in front.

Before commencing to fill your box with earth, it will be well to place a layer of pebbles or broken flower pots in the bottom of the box in order to prevent clogging of the drainage holes.

Having filled the box with good garden earth, mixed with one-third its bulk of well-rotted manure, you are now ready to proceed with the planting. For the front row of your box use one or more of the following kinds: Canary Creeper, Nasturtium (tall or trailing sort), Creeping Jenny, and Ivy-Leaved Geraniums.

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As a background use taller plants such as Ostrich Plume Asters, Ten Week Stocks, etc., or if a solid green background is wanted get a quantity of common wood ferns.

These are only a few of the better-known plants that can be used for this work, and if the gardener wishes he has many more from which to choose.

The great essential in the successful care of a window box is an appreciation of the fact that it is a very unnatural manner in which to grow flowers, and that the evaporation of moisture from both the plants and the box will be excessive. This must be made good by daily watering and the stirring up of the surface soil occasionally to allow air drainage throughout the soil. If these two important points are not neglected you will be rewarded with a splendid display of flowers which makes your house a home rather than a shelter.

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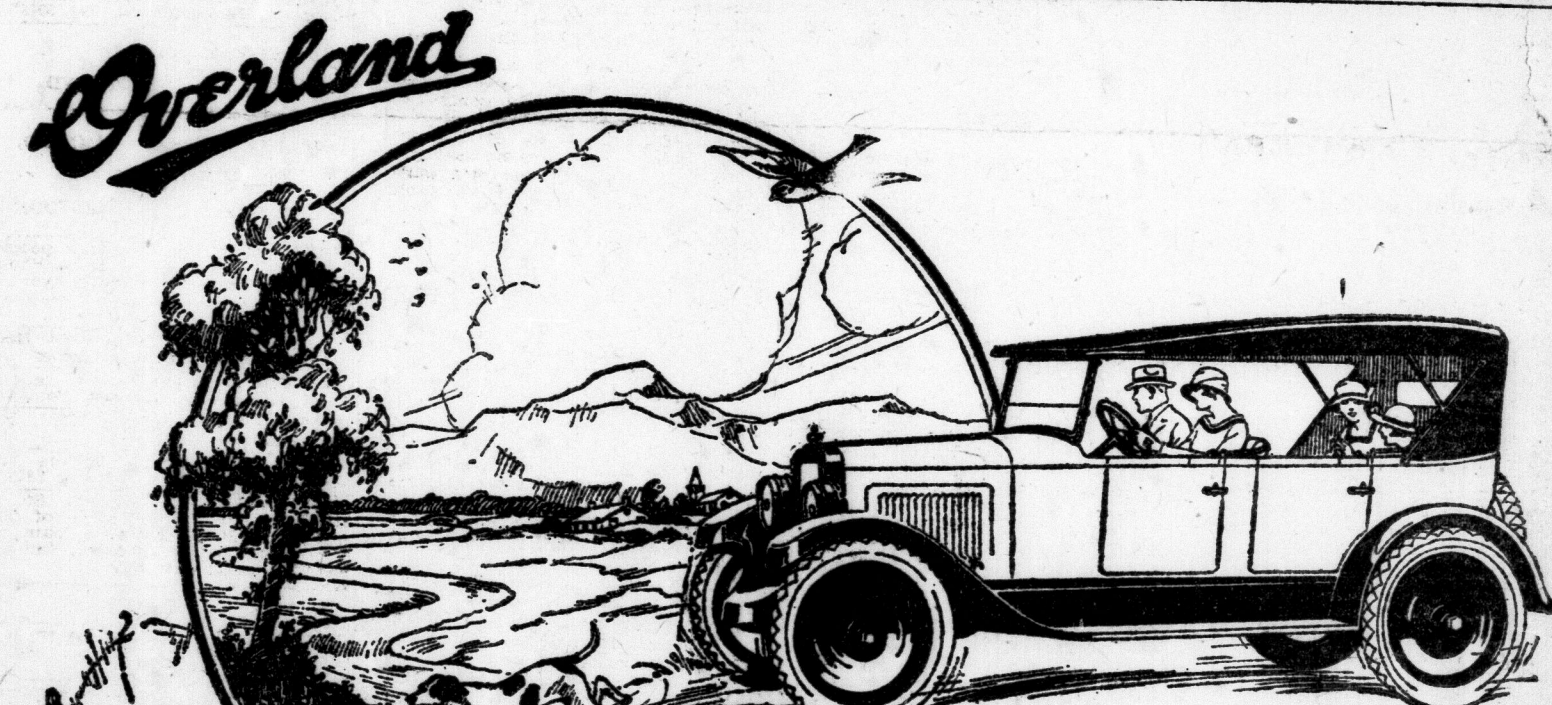
CHAMPION BASKETBALLERS WILL MEET OTTAWA TEAM

Ottawa, April 25.—Toronto West End, Ontario Basketball Association, champions, and Rideau Aquatic Club, Eastern Canada champions, will meet in Ottawa on Saturday in the first of home and home games for the Dominion championship. The Rideaus have been trying to get into this series for some time and finally received word this morning that Toronto would play.

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In the first of the despatches which will cover the season's big events, the holder of the British open championship sizes up the British situation in which he will contend as cup defender, and tells of the chances of the American entries, including himself.

What will the wind do on the new cup links at Troon?

Who are the American players who have a chance of carrying off the major title?

Will France make a showing?

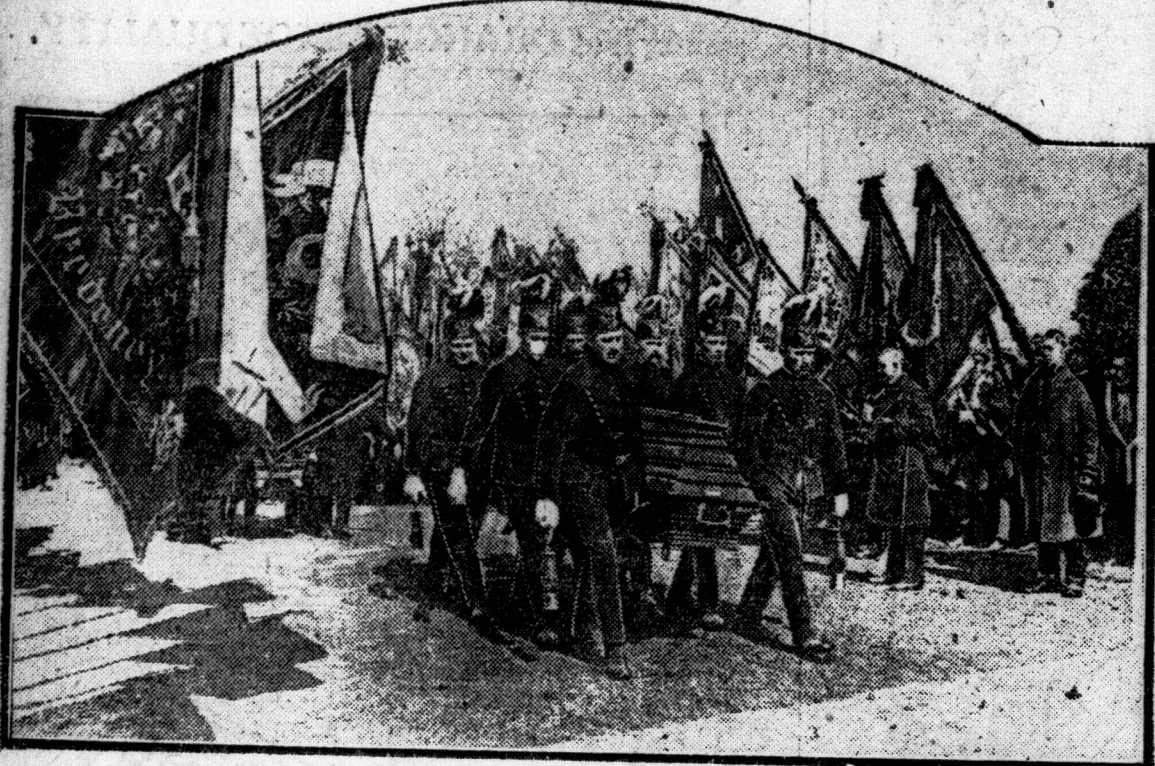
Where does Long Jim Barnes stand? Kirkwood? Sarazen? Charlie Hoffer?

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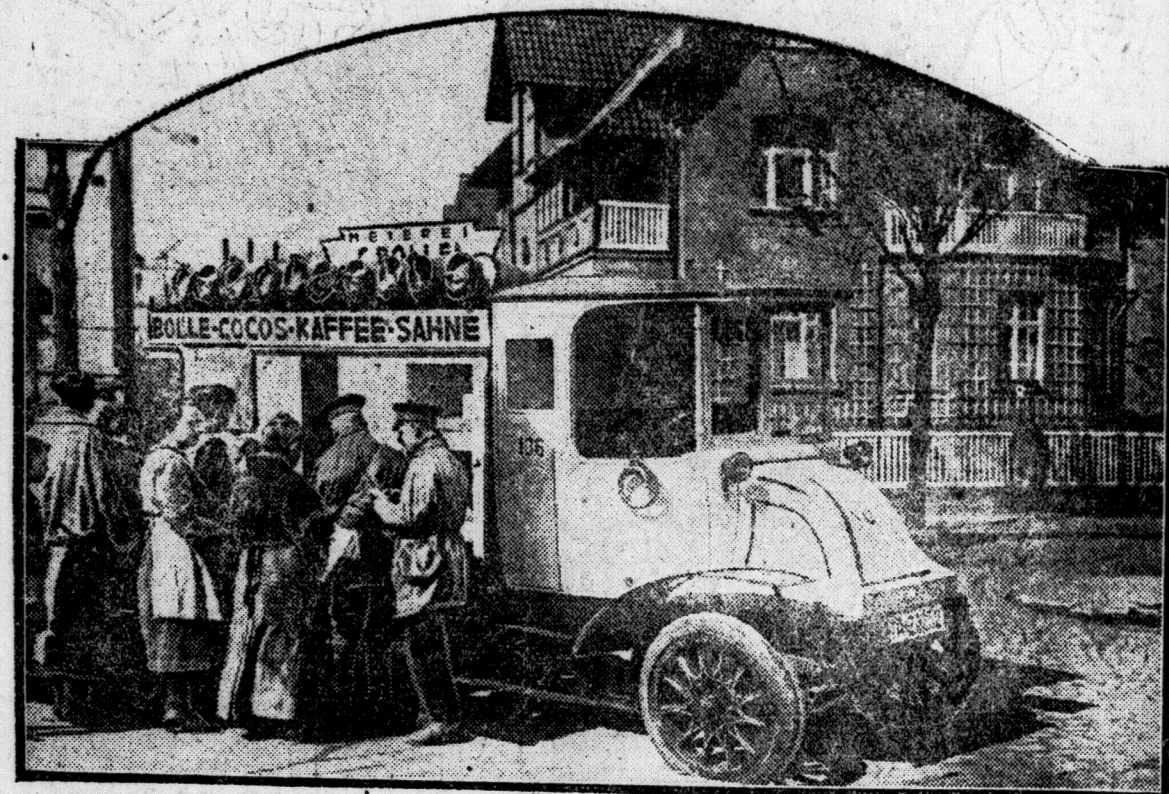
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The crowd attending the funeral of the 12 German workmen killed in a clash with French troops at Essen was estimated at 84,000 persons. The photo gives an idea of the pomp and ceremony that attended the burials.



Alden Gay, "prettiest girl in the world." As she is an actress playing in John Murray Anderson's "Jack and Jill," it is quite natural that he would be the one to make this claim.



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The French are giving great attention to the care of the German children in the Ruhr. The photo shows a soldier with a little girl whom he has given a can of food.



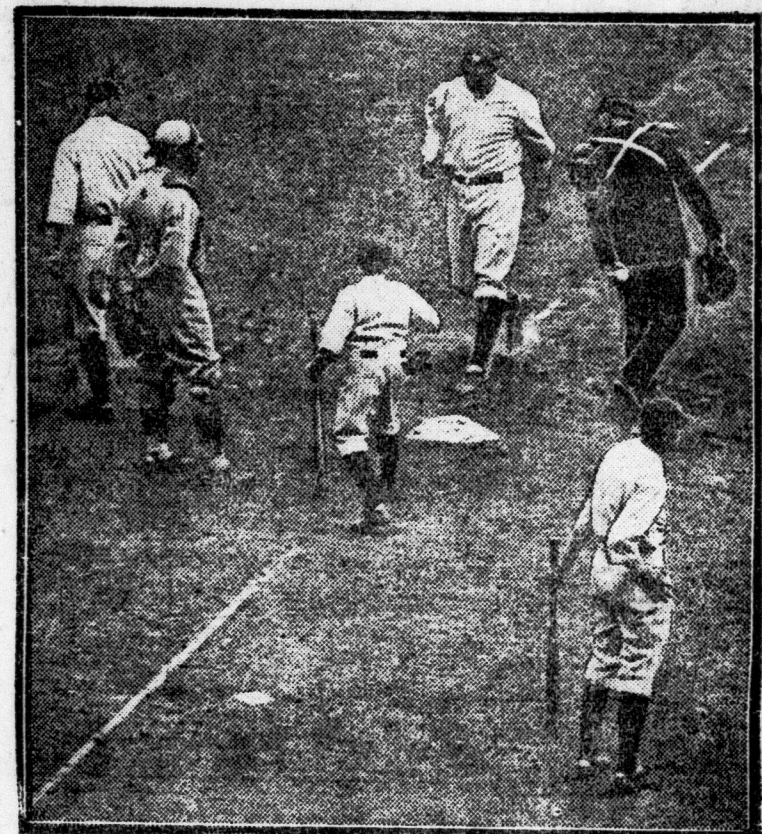
Miss Mariette Van Hoorde, a Belgian girl now living in Toronto, who is suing W. W. McKeown for alleged breach of promise.



Dry but wet. A scene in Algeria, now becoming a famous resort. In the multi-colored palanquin are Lady Vaughan Lee and Mrs. Newall out on a desert picnic.



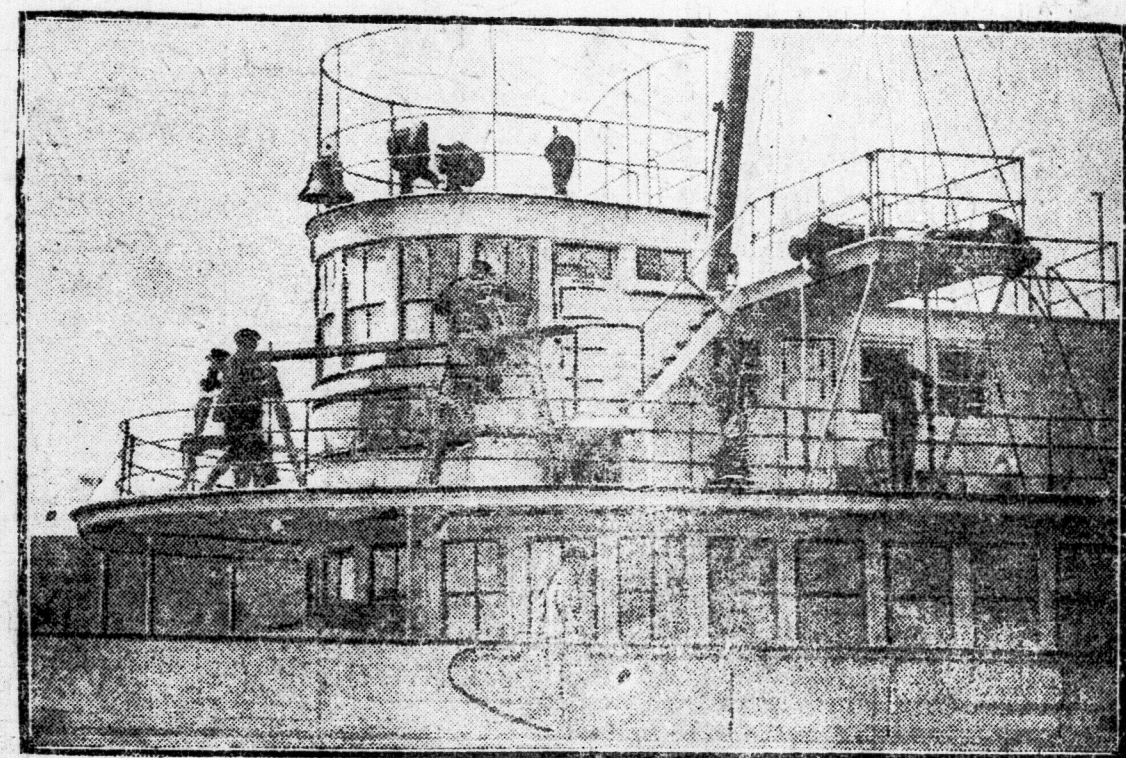
Charlie Paddock, star sprinter, left for France determined to compete in the meet there even without official sanction.



Babe Ruth crossing the plate in the third inning after poling out his first homer of the season. The game was between the Yankees and the Red Sox at the Yankees' new stadium.



The male life-saver has been completely abolished at Kilda Beach, Melbourne, and a platoon of girl guards installed.



Marine house-cleaning on Toronto's water front. Painting and cleaning the Hamilton and Niagara steamers before navigation gets well under way.



Rex Ingram, movie director, and the star of his biggest hits, Alice Terry. She is Mrs. Rex Ingram in private life.



Marquis Curzon, foreign secretary, is among those mentioned as a probable successor to Bonar Law.



Miss Hedda Hopper in an evening wrap of Spanish motif. It is of black crepe trimmed with yellow bands and a collar of summer ermine.



Marquis Dominzio Torrigiani of Rome, grand master of the Free Masons of Italy, who is now visiting America.



Clarence De Mar of the Melrose Club, and now 35 years of age, won the Boston marathon for the third time on Saturday last.

DUKE OF YORK'S BRIDE CHUMS WITH FAMILY GHOSTS

LADY ELIZABETH OF SCOTLAND BIDS FAREWELL TOMORROW TO HER CHILDHOOD SPENT AMID GHOSTS OF GLAMIS CASTLE, WHEN SHE BECOMES THE BRIDE OF A ROYAL BRITISH PRINCE

This Simple-Hearted Girl Is the Idol of Her Clansmen, and While Old London Celebrates They Will Light Bonfires on the Northern Hills.

QUEEN MARY ALREADY TUCKS HER INTO BED

When Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon marries the Duke of York tomorrow, no other woman will stand between her and succession to the British throne, as the Prince of Wales, heir to the crown, is still a bachelor. On her marriage, Lady Elizabeth, as a royalty, will be beyond interviews; below appears the only interview granted by her. It is a remarkable and frank picture of a charming girl who was won by true love—the picture of her character as disclosed by herself in her chat on her childhood, the ghosts she has met in her family's castle, Glamis—built in 1376—and her trousseau and wedding gifts. She tells much else besides and gives an unusual picture of the home life of the British royal family.

This interview was interdicted by high command in England, but permission was given for its publication abroad. It was passed on by Lady Elizabeth and by Commander Greig, the Duke of York's equerry. It appears exclusively in The Advertiser and was secured by the North American Newspaper Alliance.

Lady Elizabeth herself, in a note written and signed in her own hand, gave permission for publication here, after having granted the interview to Jean Victor Bates, one of the foremost of British newspaper women and herself the member of a distinguished family.

Has Met Ghosts Like Conan Doyle

As a child and in later life, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, fiancée of the Duke of York, has been the chum of the ghosts in her family's fourteenth century castle, Glamis. And she isn't afraid of them. She is more intimate with spirits than even Sir Conan Doyle, student of spirits. She says:

"To us the ghosts are just members of the family. Old Beattie is our oldest and best ghost, and the Gray Lady the gentlest and kindest. They frightened Walter Scott out of his senses. As a child I have walked up and looked our ghosts in the face, and they have never hurt me. Queen Mary Stuart comes at times, carrying a sealed letter in her hands. She is very like her portraits."

By JEAN VICTOR BATES, (Late private secretary to Lord Carson, the great Ulster leader, and sister of the Right Hon. Sir Dawson Bates, M.P., minister of home affairs in the northern parliament.)

Special Cable to The Advertiser.

London, April 24.—The most talked of girl in Europe, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, who, on Thursday is to be married to the Duke of York, confessed in an outspoken exclusive interview which she accorded me that she is awed by the great position which is soon to be hers.

With a girlish candor in which, once she has become a member of the British royal family, she never again will be able to indulge, the future Duchess of York told of her hopes of serving her country and of ultimately solving some of its industrial problems by co-operating in the welfare work for the toilers of Britain to which her husband-to-be, ever since the end of the war has devoted a considerable part of his time and energy.

Naively Lady Elizabeth talked of her already daughter-like relations with Queen Mary, of her wedding dress and wedding plans, of her care-free youth, and—last but not least—of the famous ghosts of Glamis Castle, which spectres, to my considerable surprise (won't the statement delight Sir Arthur Conan Doyle) she declared she has more than once "looked in the face."

This is the first interview worthy of the name that Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon has given to a representative of the press. Being now absolutely insured by royal command against unwelcome journalistic invasion, she is all but unapproachable.

Four Lady of Empire.

Fortune, therefore, favored me greatly when, thanks to a personal acquaintance, I found myself admitted to the town house of her father, the Earl of Strathmore, 17 Bruton street, and privileged to put questions freely to the Duke of York's fiancée, soon to be the fourth lady in the United Kingdom, and, if anything should prevent the accession of the Prince of Wales, one day England's queen.

It was in a room of Victorian atmosphere that I waited, rose-tinted as to curtains and covers, with great pots of spring flowers distributed on mantels and tables. There were book-filled shelves, topped with large autographed photographs of the King, the Queen and the Duke of York.

Liberally covering the sofas, tables and the floor were cases of wedding presents, which had been unpacked and the gifts put back again for removal. I inferred, to Buckingham Palace, where the royal presents are to be displayed after the reception on the wedding day.

My mental camera had taken in only just a part of the picture when Lady Elizabeth entered. Barrie-esque little woman, aerial of manner, smiling, merry, unconscious of self.

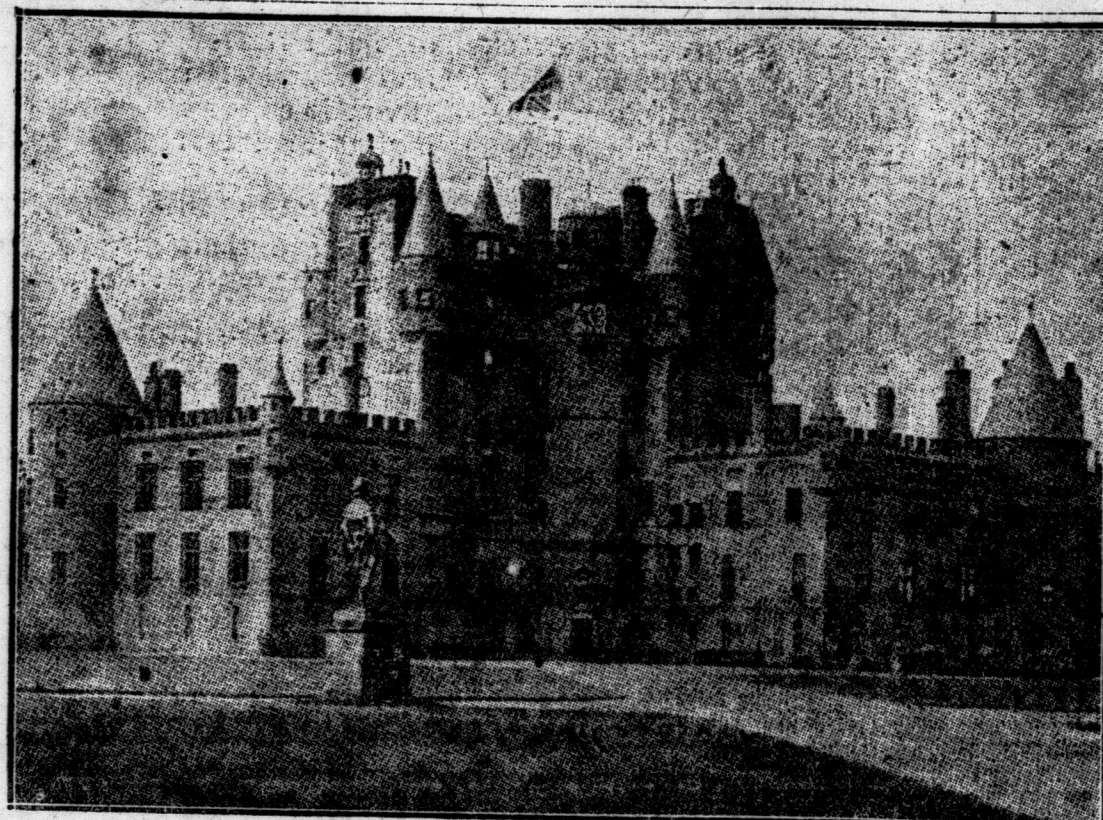
"I am so sorry to have kept you waiting. I am always late; I hope you don't mind."

"Looks a Bit Like a Shop," She tossed her little blue toque on a nearby chair and ran her fingers through her jet black hair as she pushed it from her brow.

"This room certainly looks a bit like a shop, doesn't it, with all these boxes about? Yes, we are receiving many, many presents. Best of all I like the useful ones. We have to start from the very beginning, you know, to furnish our house, and a house cannot be comfortable done with just ornaments and silver, can it?"

"I don't really know half the people who are sending me things. I am simply thrilled with gratitude. And antiques, which I never could afford to collect—my friends, who know, are sending such rare and lovely ones!"

"You will be Princess Elizabeth after your marriage, will you not?"



A ROYAL BRIDE COMES OUT OF THE NORTH.

From Glamis Castle, above, ancestral home of the Duke of Strathmore, comes Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon (lower left) to wed the Duke of York, second son of the King of Britain. Lower right—A brown suede shooting suit with a brown felt hat, which is one of the many costumes which form Lady Elizabeth's trousseau.

"I really don't know. I believe I shall be a royal highness, but personally I don't mind what I am called."

"You will have a lady-in-waiting?"

"I Want To Make Others Happy."

"Oh, I suppose I shall have some."

one with me at big ceremonies, but not always, I fancy. Do you know, it is awfully embarrassing to prophesy about myself, and it is difficult to say suddenly just what I like to do, definitely mentioning my tastes in books, music, art and sports. Interviews quite frighten me.

"The day of my engagement, sixteen journalists rushed into the hall of this house and demanded news. I thought it very nice of them to be interested and all I could say was: 'I am very happy and I want to make others happy.' But that was not enough. They wanted to know when the duke proposed to me; how often he proposed; what I said when he proposed, and so on."

I looked at the pretty girlish face and a wave of sympathy came over me. How could this young, lovely, gay and free character bend to all the etiquette and rules of a court so strict as the court of England?

I said: "Do you not feel it rather difficult to be the fiancée of a royalty?"

She Tells of Courtship. "Difficult, yes; that is why—" she broke off abruptly.

I filled in the gap to say that was why she refused the Duke of York's offer of marriage, until youth and love became too strong to refuse longer.

"You have refused to marry the Duke of York several times?"

"Yes," came the answer, with girlish honesty. "I said to him I was afraid. It seemed too big a thing to decide—as a royalty, never, never again be free to think, or speak, or act as I really feel I ought to think, or speak, or act. I do so want to help him. He is so keen on his welfare work, you know. He does so love the men and women who work. He is trying to find out just how he can make their lives easier and happier."

"When I marry him I hope to begin to work, too. I might help the working women, and together we may do a lot. You see, the duke feels that he must first really understand all about the industrial problem, for one can never do any good unless one understands things; and, unless one is practical, talk can do nothing. So he reads omnivorously on the subject, especially books that explain the worker's point of view."

Love Will Solve Problems.

"He studies hard, goes to meetings down at the factories and everywhere, just to learn at first hand; and I mean to do the same thing, because I think these industrial problems and puzzles have to be solved. If we make up our minds to try and solve them in good fellowship and out of love for one another and for our country, we will somehow and some time, I think, get things right."

There is a curious something about Lady Elizabeth that hints at strange and beautiful possibilities. Though small and almost fragile in figure, with tiny feet and tiny hands, she is possessed of a wonderful, girlish air of dignity; and her face—looking at her one realizes why ancient writers of austere temperament so frequently warned men to beware of the Celtic women, who, more than others, are gifted with the power of beguilement.

Her eyes, large and darkly blue, deeply fringed with long black lashes, fascinate with their spell. Now and again, under quick pleasure or excitement or shyness, a faint flush plays across her clear, transparent cheeks, but the mobile mouth with its pretty curves and dimples remains red and fresh.

A Childhood Among Ghosts.

There is a charming snap in her expression when she speaks in definition accents which suggests a temperament not to be imposed upon. If necessary, the future Duchess of York will be able to control. She has the shrewdness of the Celt and a correct idea of justice.

With regard to her life as a child, she laughingly said: "There is nothing very much to tell. My earliest years were spent at Glamis, 'the castle of ghosts,' and my best pal was my little brother David. We were inseparable. We used to wander about, play with our dogs and our rabbits and pets, fish with the clansmen, do a little shooting, and just mucked about generally."

"I never went to school. When David went to college I had governesses. I have never really been finished."

"We had our holidays in Italy, which we spent, sometimes with one of our grandmothers, sometimes with the other. We were mostly in Florence, where we were taught much by visits to the galleries. It was there I learned to love pictures."

Florentine Gown Copied.

"My wedding dress is to be a copy of an old Florentine picture, with the graceful flowing lines, something like the robes of Dante's Beatrice. I am too small to wear anything heavy or elaborate, so the dress has to be made as simply as possible, introducing some ancestral lace, including a bit worn by one of my very great-grandmothers at a ball given for Bonnie Prince Charlie. The sleeves are of Nottingham, as a tribute to a British industry on which I am very keen, and Queen Alexandra has given me a bit to be appliqued on my long tulle veil."

She finally told me her family had lived at Glamis since the year 1376. In that year the castle was given to the house of Lyon as the dowry of Princess Johanna, daughter of Robert II of Scotland. There is no nook or cranny in the whole building with which she is not familiar, and as for its famous ghosts—

"You know," she said, "we forget about the ghosts; to us they are just members of the family. But you have no idea of the number of terrified visitors who have declined to sleep another night in the castle after having met poor old Beattie, our oldest and best ghost; or the Gray Lady, our gentlest and kindest one."

They Scared Novelist.

"Even Walter Scott was frightened out of his senses after going to bed; and the poet Gray was simply frozen dumb the morning after his experiences."

"As a child, I have walked up and looked our ghosts in the face and they have never hurt me. Queen Mary Stuart comes at times, carrying a sealed letter in her hands. She is very like her portraits."

"I shall never forget when I was about six, a very charming American came to Glamis; he was visiting some friends near by. I think he was from Harvard. We, David and I, were greatly taken with him because he was the first American we had ever met. We told him thrilling tales about the ghosts and we answered all his amusing questions."

"One day he said: 'Lady Elizabeth, do you think you and David could "san" one of these ghosts for me to "take back to Boston"? David and I took him very seriously, and we spent some time searching about to see if we possibly could find a very little ghost that might fit into a bottle or a jar. Oh, he was a scream: fancy a "canned" ghost!"

Queen Tucks Her in Bed. "Tell me of your first visit to the royal home," I asked.

"Oh, the king and queen and all of them were so good to me. They made me seem so very welcome at York Cottage, and gave me Princess Mary's own suite of rooms. They are not big rooms—rather small, but so home-like and gay. The first night I was there Queen Mary tucked me in bed. She kissed me and said: 'I am so glad you are here. I have lost my own little girl, and now you are to be just

like a very own daughter to me.' She had put the most beautiful flowers in my room, arranging them all herself. "Do pardon my curiosity, but must you always curtsy to the queen?"

"I always try to, but the queen takes me by the hand, lifts me up and puts her arms around me."

"The decorations in the Abbey will be very elaborate, I suppose?"

"On the contrary, the whole idea is to have everything as simple as possible, with no attempt at display—just palms and white flowers, and we hope to have some heather, but it will be rather early for heather."

Honeymoon House Lent. "Our honeymoon will be spent in England in a house which is to be lent by a friend. We have had many places offered us, but most of them are too big and pretentious. We want just a sort of medium kind of a house, where we can have a quiet life; and some time before the year is over we hope to go abroad."

"We have to economize, you know, because our income will be small, and the duke's public expenses are very heavy. We shall live most of the time at Richmond at White Lodge. Lord Farquharson has left heaps of his wonderful furniture for our use, and he has given some beautiful pieces for wedding presents. As for a town house, we have made no plans. We shall be obliged to have some sort of a home actually in London sometime. I suppose, but where it will be I can't say."

"I wish my dear Scotch people could all come to the wedding. There will be a ball at Glamis for the clansmen that night, and they will light bonfires on the hills. Our people are pleased that the duke is marrying a Scotch woman."

There came into her eyes a look of longing—for the heather and the highlands and the free life there.

She Loves a Joke.

It is to be hoped that court dignity will not erase all of Lady Elizabeth's

natural buoyancy and unconventional charm. As she speaks she spaces her clever sayings with little bits of laughter. She loves jokes and amusing stories, but her sense of humor is well balanced by deep feeling of sympathy. She is keenly interested in life and anxious to please. There is no thought of brilliant prospects or rank. The future Duchess of York is simply happy, and the idea that she may make others happy is foremost in her mind.

On the arms of the house of Lyon is a little lady, richly dressed, rising upwards with a thistle in her right hand. The story of how this lady came to be included in the arms of the house is unknown to the family, but may it not be taken as a sign of the future when, who knows, a daughter of Scotland may rise to help and bless the world of industry, the world which Lady Elizabeth rightly declares is "the real world."

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CONSERVATIVE LADIES ORGANIZE NEW CLUB

Enthusiasm Prevails At Inauguration of Auxiliary Society.

The Women's Conservative Club was formed last night at a meeting in the rooms of the Conservative Club. There were about 70 ladies present at this meeting and the greatest enthusiasm for the cause prevailed. The constitution of the new club was decided upon, ward chairmen were elected and routine business carried out.

The following officers of the association were elected: Honorary presidents, Mrs. Arthur Meighen, Mrs. J. H. Ferguson; honorary vice-president, Mrs. Frank White; president, Mrs. A. T. Edwards; first vice-president, Mrs. H. E. Turt; second vice-president, Mrs. J. E. Dennis; secretary, Miss I. Stephenson; treasurer, Mrs. Partridge; auditors, Miss Woolverton and Mrs. E. Watson.

Fashions by Wire

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Paris, April 24.—The smartest earrings at the moment are of colored stones, which make no claim to being precious. Several colors are used in one earring, a very large stone at the lobe of the ear, and a fringe of smaller stones hanging to a length of six inches.

WEARS TUT GOWN.

London, April 24.—Lady Mountbatten is one of the young matrons who has succumbed to the lure of the Egyptian gown. She attended a recent dance at the Savoy wearing a beautiful creation copied almost exactly from one of those worn in King Tut's time.

DONS HAREM SANDALS.

New York, April 24.—The warm weather has brought out late spring styles in all their glory. One young lady attracted a good deal of attention today while strolling down the avenue by her harem sandals of desert brown and her stockings of beige with horizontal bands of Egyptian figures.

MY LADY'S GARTER.

New York, April 24.—Scarab garters are the latest idea today. The garters are merely pieces of ribbon pinned together with jeweled brooches in the form of scarabs. They are going to be much worn with bathing suits.

CANE MATCHES GOWN.

New York, April 24.—Swanky little canes which pretend to be necessary for countrywide hiking are being worn along the boardwalk as to have today in colors matching any costume. Some of them have really lovely carved handles in the form of scarabs, and are finished in brilliant colors, and occasionally jeweled.

MRS. ARMSTRONG PASSES AT KINGLAKE RESIDENCE

Special to The Advertiser.

Kinglake, April 24.—Mrs. Armstrong, widow of Henry Armstrong, passed away Monday at the family residence, Kinglake, in her 83rd year. She leaves three sons, Jack, Steven, and Charles, and one daughter, Mrs. W. Stansell.

The funeral will take place Wednesday at 2 o'clock from her late residence to the Kinglake church for service and interment.



Our Children
By Angelo Patri

TO THE IN-LAWS.

If you belong to the great host of in-laws, and who doesn't, won't you take to heart and practice that fine old American maxim, "Mind your own business," where the children of your families are concerned? You know how sounds harsh, but it doesn't sound any worse than its disregard sounds in the minds of the parents whose children you attempt to manage.

Suppose you were working and at the most critical time in your job one of the firm's relations came along and began firing advice and suggestions at you until you were dizzy.

And suppose as you sweated over a bit of the machinery that didn't seem to fit into place, although it was plainly intended to do so, as you juggled it about on your finger tips, coaxing and balancing and adjusting and hoping that three more of the relations came along and made speeches. Speeches about the good old days when workmen were workmen and a job was a job. Won't you pour out a stream of advice and counsel that would drown a fish.

Says mother: "Pet, look where your books are! You know I've spoken to you about that more than a few times. Put them where they belong and try to remember." Her voice is low because she does not want the assistance of the kindly intentioned relatives but sharp-eyed Uncle Dick hears it.

He rustles out of his newspaper and children: "I should think that by this time you would have learned to

do that simple thing. By now you ought to have learned to obey your mother. When I was your age I did what I was told to do or I wished I had. My mother spoke to me once, to me my life would be easier and my home a thousand times happier."

The only way a family can live together in peace is for each branch of it to mind its own business, make a religious practice of it. The rearing of children is the duty and the privilege of the parents. It is not for Uncle Dick to delegate it to any one else. If they want help or advice they will ask for it and then is the time to give it. That is the time it will come with good grace.

And if you really intend to mind your own business and do it with cheerfulness and spirit. Keep your eyebrows in order and don't express your opinions with your double chin or your tilted shoulder or your favorite dress humming dirge. Just keep still and the harassed parents of this land will rise in a body and chant you psalm of praise.

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WEDDINGS

HUNTER-LINEHAM.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 24.—Pretty decorations of sweet peas and roses made the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lineham most attractive for the marriage on Saturday of their daughter, Neta Lineham, to Russell Gordon Hunter, son of Mrs. Hunter and the late Russell Hunter. The service took place at 11 o'clock, with the Rev. Dr. H. W. Crews, pastor of Park Street Methodist Church, officiating. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. C. Griffin, the bride, sister, the bride entered the drawing room with her father. She was prettily attired in sapphire blue taffeta with silver lace, and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and lily of the valley. The bridesmaid was Miss Opal Fenner of Windsor, in navy canton, with bouquet of roses and lilies. The groom, Mr. Russell Hunter, was in a tuxedo, the bride's mother, Mrs. Lineham, in black satin and the groom's mother, Mrs. Hunter, in black satin and tulle. A buffet luncheon was served, the Misses Margaret Thompson, Hazel Ogilvie, and Margaret McIntosh taking charge of the dining room. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter left on a honeymoon trip to London and Warton, the latter traveling in navy gabardine, seal scarf and mohair hat. Upon their return they will reside in the city. Out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Eldridge of Port Dover, Miss Opal Fenner of Windsor, Mr. William Lineham of Walkerville and Mr. and Mrs. Correll Griffin of Ruscomb.

DOYLE-ENNETT.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 24.—This morning, in St. Joseph's Church, at 8 o'clock, the marriage was solemnized of Mary Josephine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ennett of Patterson avenue, and Herbert Doyle of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle of Detroit, formerly of town. Rev. Father Gnam performed the ceremony in the presence of only the immediate relatives. The bride wore a traveling dress of sand color. Her only attendant was the bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Ennett, wearing navy blue, with corsage of roses, and gold cloth hat. Mr. Herbert Lawrence of Detroit was the best man. Miss Major, who presided at the organ during the service, sang a solo while the register was being signed. The groom's gift to the bride was a string of pearls, to the bridesmaid a wrist watch, and to the best man gold cuff links. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle left for Toronto and other cities, and upon their return will reside in the city. Relatives attending from a distance were Jack Stevenson, Miss Alice and Miss Josephine Doyle of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lannigan of Irbert.

DOUGLAS-ABRAMS.

Special to The Advertiser.

Wallaceburg, April 24.—A quiet wedding took place at the manse when David E. Douglas and Jennie Myrtle Abrams, both of Sombra, were united in marriage by the Rev. M. C. Fair. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Abrams and Mr. Geo. Douglas. After a short honeymoon they will reside on the groom's farm in Sombra.

ADDRESSES "GET TOGETHER" CLUB.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 24.—A highly appreciated talk on "The Inside-Outside" before the "Get Together" club of First Presbyterian Church last evening. Jack Stevenson presided and extended the thanks of the club to the speaker for his kindness. Miss Maud Lane favored the evening with a solo, and First Presbyterian male quartette with a few selections. Last night closed the meetings for this season.



WHEN SUMMER COMES, SMALL HAT GOES.

The large brimmed hat will soon be pushing the small shape aside. When the sun's rays become hotter millinery will want the protection as well as the flattery of the broad-brimmed hat. In the summer the large hat most emphatically sends a message to the hat maker that the brim slightly turned at one side and long and drooping on the other. Two lovely flower-trimmed hats are shown at the upper left and lower right. Haircloth in a light tan shade makes the lower model. It is trimmed

with roses in many shades of pink and two lovely blooms snuggle on the under side of the wide brim. The large picture hat above is of white georgette and straw and is trimmed with a spray of flowers at one side. The large black hat at the upper right is a round derby crowned cloche of milan straw. It has a large black velvet bow at the back, its only trimming. This hat may be worn with the dark dress or with the flimsiest of summer frocks.

seen in an advance showing of mid-summer millinery. They are proof not only that the large hat is to be the fashion but that it will be trimmed with flowers, feathers or ribbon. At the lower left is a smart style made of gray silk and trimmed with pheasant feathers. It is a large black hat with the brim slightly turned at one side and long and drooping on the other. Two lovely flower-trimmed hats are shown at the upper left and lower right. Haircloth in a light tan shade makes the lower model. It is trimmed

CLUB NEWS

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 24.—"Wise and Unwise Uses of the Sabbath" was the subject discussed at the weekly meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union last evening. Mr. Jack Beardsall, the president, had charge of the topic and was assisted by the Misses Lorene Hodges, Margaret Dye, Thomas and Ada Dye. The lesson was read by Clarence Jackson. Miss Erva Thomson will have charge of the meeting next week.

GIVE BENEFIT BRIDGE.

The 24th Kent Regiment Chapter, I.O.O.F., Chatham, having pledged itself for \$1,000 towards the war memorial, has arranged several social events to raise the money, and the first, a bridge and euchre, was held on Saturday afternoon. There were 22 tables of cards, and the prizes were won by Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. McNabb. Mrs. W. R. Irwin, Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw and Mrs. C. A. Glend were conveners, and Mrs. R. V. Bray and Mrs. A. L. McCall poured tea. Over \$50 was realized.

PLAN CONVENTION.

The Kent County convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Chatham on June 12th in Park Street Methodist Church, according to arrangements made by the executive committee. The convention will be held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Blakeby, local president. The program as outlined is as follows: Devotional invocation, Mrs. J. E. Little of Blenheim; scripture reading by Mrs. A. E. Jones; prayer by Mrs. J. E. Blakeby; noon meal; devotion by Mrs. Thomas Coadworth of Blenheim; address of welcome by Mrs. H. W. Crews; response by Mrs. (Rev.) W. R. Irwin; memorial service; address by Mrs. W. M. Pugsley of Toronto. Dinner and tea will be served in the evening. A medal contest will be held and all members are invited to be present.

TO PRAY FOR CHINA.

Mrs. Nathaniel Mills, 88 Elmwood avenue, has been on a lecture tour in the interests of the work with Dr. Howard Taylor, medical missionary on furlough, speaking in a number of points in Illinois and Iowa. They are now beginning a tour of Minnesota.

BLUES WIN.

The contest held by the Epworth League of Charing Cross Methodist Church closed Monday night, and the blue side won by 175 points. In connection with the contest, a banquet will be held in May. On Friday evening of this week the league will meet to elect officers for the new year. Mr. and Mrs. D. Frank Smith, who played the piano for the contest, were the winners of the evening. The former speaking on "Taking Delight on the Lord's Day," and the latter on "Our Duty as Citizens in the Latter Days of the Law." Mrs. A. Pardo presided over the opening exercises, and Alex. Russell, citizenship vice-president, for the program.

MISSION BAND REORGANIZES.

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Mothers and Their Children



A TYPEWRITER IN THE HOME.

I bought a second-hand typewriter for my son and daughter as soon as they were of school age. They learned to type at the same time that they learned to write. I took the time to teach them just how the machine worked. Using the typewriter has made writing of letters and school papers easier and more interesting for both of them.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. J. Isaacs is spending two weeks in Detroit, visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leigh of Watford were visitors in London yesterday.

Mr. Stanford Ivey of Montreal was a visitor in town recently, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ivey of Port Dover, who have been guests with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCormick, have returned home.

The St. Joseph's Hospital graduating class of 1923 will be the guests of honor at the annual banquet given by the Nurses' Alumnae this evening.

A social evening will be held in St. Peter's Hall tonight, the proceeds of which will go toward improvements at Sunning Park. Rev. Mr. Will be convener, and Mrs. R. V. Bray and Mrs. A. L. McCall poured tea. Over \$50 was realized.

The Senator Coffey Chapter, I. O. D. E., recently arranged an enjoyable dance at Westminster Hospital, which was greatly appreciated by the patients. Music was supplied by the hospital orchestra. Mrs. E. H. Nelles, regent of the chapter, acted as convener, assisted by Mrs. Chisholm, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mrs. Dromgoole and Mrs. C. Wilson.

Red, white and black, the lodge colors, were used to decorate the tables at the supper given by the Olive Hive, No. 309, Lady of the Macabees, Monday evening. Baskets of roses also adorned the tables. A short business session followed, in which the lodge accepted an invitation to attend a meeting of the Sir Knights of London Tent No. 4, May 3rd, at which the provincial commander, James S. Green, will be present. Then enjoyed, and euchre was played during the remainder of the evening. The ladies' prizes going to Mrs. Lyon, Mrs. Kindred and Mrs. Spear, and the gentlemen's to Messrs. A. Glintz, H. Herring and A. Tutt. The buffet set was won by Mrs. E. H. Nelles, assisted by Mrs. George Nightingale and Mrs. E. Russell. The proceeds are in aid of the chapter's fund towards the room it is endorsing in the War Memorial Hospital.

Following his London visit and concert, Mr. Edward Johnson, famous Canadian, left yesterday for a visit to relatives in his old home city, Guelph. Amongst those waiting to give him a warm welcome there was his little daughter, born in Italy during the years her gifted father was studying and making a name for himself in the musical world there.

Much appreciated by the members of the Chatham branch of the Chalmers Avenue Mothers' Club bazaar was the assistance given at the show by the accompaniments. Mrs. R. Rawlings, Princess avenue, was hostess of the event, which resulted in several contributions of toothsome sweets for the candy table.

A smart luncheon was given at the Kennels yesterday by Miss Louise Duffield in honor of Miss Mabel Muir, and Mrs. D. Frank Smith, who played the piano for the contest, were the winners of the evening. The former speaking on "Taking Delight on the Lord's Day," and the latter on "Our Duty as Citizens in the Latter Days of the Law." Mrs. A. Pardo presided over the opening exercises, and Alex. Russell, citizenship vice-president, for the program.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTS OFFICERS AT THORNDALE

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HONOR MRS. SMITH.

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Delaware, April 24.—A shower was arranged in honor of Mrs. Frank Smith, formerly Miss Cassie Francis, at her home, Saturday evening, when many of her friends met to wish her every success and happiness in her married life. Mrs. Smith, who has been a faithful worker and member of Christ Church for many years, was presented with a handsome mantle clock.

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1 ply \$1.50 square
2 ply \$2.50 square
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12 in. wide, 2 in. mesh 5c yd
18 in. wide, 2 in. mesh 7c yd
24 in. wide, 2 in. mesh 8c yd
30 in. wide, 2 in. mesh 10c yd
36 in. wide, 2

Thistles and Shamrocks Both Confident On Eve

Experts Waver As They Try To Pick Tonight's Winner

Uncertainty of Feminine Temperament Leaves Male Dopesters Uncertain and Hanging Fire—Tilt Will Pack Armories.

"If" and "maybe" were two poor overworked little words which crept into the buzzing conversation of the city basketball fans on the eve of tonight's great struggle between Thistles and Shamrocks at the Armories. Odds should have favored the Shamrocks, because they have appeared before the public more often than the Thistles, and against probably better teams on several occasions, and it is believed they did in certain of the low male gaming places. But among the feminine plungers the largest wager recorded was box of chocolates to a hair net, and the Thistle better was offering the odds.

What the best girls' basketball team in the world would do under one set of circumstances and still under a totally different set is something that the mere male mind refuses to grapple with, hence the constant use of "if" and "maybe" by the experts. The "jump" and all the rest of the factors that enter into boys' games is highly intensified and multiplied, it seems, when it comes to trying to dope out the variations of the feminine temperament in athletics.

No uncertainty of the outcome was apparent in either of the camp last evening, and, according to the latest curl paper reports, both teams were supremely confident of the outcome. Players of both teams retired early last night for respectful slumber, and all will be fit and ready for the fray this evening, and all will be fit and ready for the fray this evening, and all will be fit and ready for the fray this evening.

With all the modesty with which managers of athletic artists announce their predictions, the two rival girl managers last night each openly stated that their team would win. Either one of them is going to be contradicted this evening.

Early in the evening a drawing for the referee was made, and O. Miller of Central Y. Toronto, drew the assignment. Both teams will get instructions to play cleanly, which, according to the teams, will be entirely superfluous.

Fans who were rather privately hoping for a dishevelled affair apparently are going to be disappointed. Wasty cases are not barred, but pretty nearly everything else will be.

Those who know the two teams best and who are unprejudiced say the game will be extremely close no matter which way it goes, but they are added to the "if" Shamrocks don't get rattled or Thistles get crowd-struck. And thus it goes, and will go on until the game tonight has proved either one of two or three sets of contentions about the two rival girls.

About the most certain fact of the whole affair is that the biggest crowd that ever attended a basketball game, or any other indoor game, for that matter, not even excluding hockey, will be on hand tonight at the Armories to witness the first set-off of the series which will decide the argument once and for all as far as the capabilities of the two teams on the basketball court are concerned.

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John A. Heyder, president of the National League, obtained him through arrangement with John Conway Toole, head of the International circuit.

JUNIOR SOCCERITES GET MUCH WORK OFF

L. and D. F. A. Taking Up Question of Rovers Turn-Down By St. Thomas.

The London and District Junior Football Association held an executive meeting Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. The meeting resolved to embody in their constitution a clause recognizing the O. R. A. of London and District, also a list of official referees' names and addresses, and to communicate with the St. Thomas Junior League, asking the latter to allow a referee to officiate at their games.

The district secretary was instructed to communicate with the St. Thomas Junior League, regarding non-acceptance of the London and District Association into league with a communication to the Ontario Junior Football Association for consideration.

The meeting resolved that the John Nash Injured Players' Cup conditions and entries be left until next meeting. The representatives also went on record, tendering their thanks to the donor of the trophy, Junior C. N. R. They were granted permission to stage an outside game on May 24 (Empire Day) in all probability with some Montreal team. The L. and D. F. A. themselves also intend staging an "international" game the same day between two eleven representing Scotland and England with the title to be staged at St. Thomas, providing the necessary grounds can be secured.

The officers and representatives at the meeting were Secretary William Martin; Delegate Peter Leung, St. Thomas Juniors; Rovers; G. H. Dent, C.A.S.C.; James Henderson, Thistles; and O. R. A. Strickland representing the O.R.A. of L. and D.



WOODSTOCK MAN ON OXFORD LACROSSE TEAM. Oxford University lacrosse team, champions of the South of England for first time. They play the northern champions at Manchester for the championship of England on Saturday, May 5. The present Oxford team is composed of Canadians, including Neylan, the captain, who comes from Midland, Ontario. Reardon, Fleming, Prince Edward Island; L. W. McLennan, Vancouver; A. C. Valentine, R. R. P. Barbour. Sitting: J. C. Farthing, Montreal; H. O. Hopkins, V. C. Vanabrough, J. L. Neylan (captain), Midland, Ontario; and Toronto; E. B. Pitblado, Winnipeg; L. B. Pearson, Windsor, Ont. In front: H. Heywood and W. H. Coates, Vancouver.

COLORED STARS AND TECS TO DO BATTLE TODAY

Lost Letter In Mails Accounted For Non-Appearance of Detroiters.

WILL BE REAL TEST

Stars Are Major League Calibre and In Shape As Well.

Owing to a mix-up in the mails, the Detroit Colored Stars will not appear here until this afternoon for their pre-season series with Lee Mackey's local Minter squad. They will be here Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the last game being called for two o'clock, in order that the Stars may make connections for Indianapolis, where they open in the Continental League Sunday.

Cancel Games.

The letter which concluded arrangements for the series was lost in the office at Mack Park. Meantime, games had been booked for Thursday and Friday in Indiana for the Stars. However, when the follow-up wires in search of the Stars, and explanations were developed, the other games were called off, and the Stars will come here.

Jake Schaefer, heavy-hitting outfielder, landed in the city late Monday, and, though slightly retound, is in fine condition, and will be able to jump into today's game against the Stars.

His heavy stock will be needed against the colored champion, who are admittedly one of the finest baseball machines playing the game.

Win Three Titles.

For three years now they have won the title in the Continental Colored League, which boasts many individual stars of major league calibre.

Manager Mackey has had two more days in which to round out his squad. This fact should make the series more interesting than ever, as the day counts now in conditioning. Chubby will probably do the greatest part of the backstopping during the series, as Mackey will be trying out various combinations and checking up on results.

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CLOSE FIGHT FOR MAJOR LEAGUE HONORS

Harris, Senator 2nd Baseman, and Bohne of Indians, Set Early Mark.

SHORT SUITS FEWSTER

Looks Better For Red Sox Than Ever Did For Yanks, At Third.

By JOHN B. FOSTER, Copyright.

New York, April 24.—Whether the Washington Senators or the American League pennant or doesn't, please note today's "pull early in the season" Harris, the human circus, got the second for the Senators, has started on a career with a "first of his kind" in the American League.

Harris was the first infielder of the season to bob up with eleven accepted chances in a nine inning game. Neither of these players is as flashy as a half dozen others who could be mentioned. Neither dancs on his feet. But both have the faculty of getting behind the ball and playing it in front of them in the best accepted style. Another infielder who seems to have taken on a new lease of "get there is Peckinpaugh. If he is headed for the outfield area is limited to the playing area within 40 yards of each goal line.

Law 4 it is decided to add: "A game shall be won by the team scoring the greatest number of goals. If the game has been scored of the scores are equal at the end of the game, the game shall be drawn. This provides all newspaper decisions on games and puts a complete stop to quibbling on the matter."

In connection with the English amateur cup, it was decided that a professional or any player who had received payment as a professional shall not be able to participate in this competition.

It was decided to add the following under the following conditions. All players with the exception of the opponents' goalkeeper shall stand outside of the penalty area, and inside the field of play, and no player shall approach within ten yards of the ball until the kick is taken.

In the agreement with the International board, it was decided to add the following: "Players retained by clubs under the rules of each national association are registered players."

T. and D. F. A. have decided in having only 18 clubs participate in the Robertson Cup (Injured players) series this season, with the competition being limited to the seven Toronto Inter-City teams and nine of the ten in the T. and D. First Division League.

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Down the Line In All Sports

This series which starts tonight between Shamrocks and Thistles may do more than put an end to controversy which has raged too long. It may pave the way for the start of an international girls' basketball league next season, with London being represented by the best team that can possibly be mustered from Shamrocks or Thistles or any other team. It's a big idea, and may take some thinking over, but it's possible.

The senior baseball players will workout tonight at Queen's Park, and the biggest turnout in the history of amateur baseball is expected.

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MAY STAGE ONTARIO MAT BOUTS HERE 24TH

Genaro, Lightweight Champ, Likely To Accept Kid Curtis Challenge.

Arrangements are under way for the staging of Ontario championship wrestling bouts in this city on May 24. J. W. Souture, who is promoting the bouts, told The Advertiser last night that the mat entertainment would, if present efforts are not sidetracked, be staged in the Majestic Theatre on the evening of the holiday.

His proposal is to match Kid Curtis, the local boy who holds the city lightweight championship, with Charlie Genaro, Ontario champion in the same class. Genaro is at present in this city, and is looking for a match with Curtis.

Curtis also wants work, and has is-kinks out of their muscles.

GALT'S N.H.L. CHAMPIONS ARE EACH GIVEN MEDAL

Special to The Advertiser. Galt, April 24.—Herb Carter entertained the members of Galt's hockey team, senior Northern League champions of 1922-23, at his home, and during the course of the evening they were presented with medals. They in turn showed their appreciation of the work Mr. Carter had done in their behalf, and presented him with a pair of solid golf cut links.

The Terriers, 1922 O. A. B. A. senior champions, while unable to get onto the ball diamond, have commenced indoor training at the Y. M. C. A. with Coach Bob McWhirter helping get the Minnesota 2, at Kansas City 15.

BY ABREN.



GIANTS CLEAN UP DODGER SERIES

Knock Reuther Out of Box and Dodgers Pummel Blume.

ONLY TWO HITS

Vic Aldridge Stingy With Offerings To St. Louis Cards.

Associated Press Despatch. Brooklyn, April 24.—New York cleaned up the series with Brooklyn today, winning a close game by 6 to 4. The Giants knocked Reuther out of the box, bunching 7 hits for 5 runs off the southpaw star. The D. J. Dodgers knocked Clinton Blume out of the box in the fifth. Fred Johnson, right-handed pitcher from San Antonio, finished the game and shut out the Dodgers with-out a hit.

Score: R.H.E. New York 6 0 0 0 0 - 6 8 1 Blume 0 0 0 0 0 - 1 6 1 Ruetheer, Dickman and Deberry.

REDS EVEN SERIES.

Cincinnati, April 24.—Cincinnati evened the opening series with Pittsburgh by winning the final game today 5 to 4. After the third, Louche pitched 5 to 4. Score: R.H.E. Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 0 - 4 9 3 Cincinnati 5 0 0 0 0 - 5 8 1 Kunz and Gooch; Louche and Wingo.

ALLOWS TWO HITS.

Chicago, April 24.—Vic Aldridge held St. Louis to two hits today, while Chicago's winning streak continued, making a clean sweep of the series by shutting out the visitors 3 to 0. R.H.E. Chicago 3 0 0 0 0 - 3 0 0 St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 - 0 2 0 Aldridge and Siffworth; Aldridge and Hartnett.

TO SETTLE JUVENILE FINAL IN KITCHENER

Toss of Coin Decides It—St. Thomas Kids Are Confident.

Special to The Advertiser. St. Thomas, April 24.—A telegram was received by the St. Thomas branch of the local juvenile basketball team today from Tom Brown of Stratford, president of the Ontario Association, to the effect that the play-off game for the championship of Ontario would be staged at Kitchener next Saturday night, and not at Brantford as was previously announced. The local fans favored Brantford and the Toronto team, favored Kitchener, so President Brown then decided to stage the game at Kitchener.

There is considerable opposition shown in this city among the fans to the decision, as it is felt here that Toronto always gets the best of the deal. The members of the St. Thomas Division, however, are prepared to prove their true mettle and bring home a provincial honor.

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RUTH HITS HOMER, MEETS HARDING

Yanks Return To Form and Bat Out a 4-0 Victory.

PILLETTE GOOD

Stops Indians Winning Streak, Allowing But Five Hits.

Special to The Advertiser. New York, April 24.—The Yankees recovered from their batting slump today and pounded out a 4 to 0 victory over Washington with Fred Ruth hitting his personal staff in the stands. Babe Ruth got his second home run of the season, and posed in the most confident manner.

Score: R.H.E. Washington 0 0 0 0 0 - 0 14 1 New York 4 0 0 0 0 - 4 0 0 Morgridge, Brillhart, Russell, McGraw and Gharriy, Ruel; Jones and Schang.

VAN GILDER REPEATS.

St. Louis, April 24.—Elam Van Gilder, who won the only previous victory for the Browns this season, repeated his performance today, and the locals defeated Chicago 1 to 0. He allowed the visitors but four hits.

Score: R.H.E. St. Louis 1 0 0 0 0 - 1 0 0 Van Gilder and Selask; Van Gilder and Severeide.

DETROIT STOP INDIANS.

Cleveland, April 24.—Detroit broke the Indians' winning streak, thus had reached six games today, winning a closely-played game 8 to 7. Pillette held Cleveland to five hits.

Score: R.H.E. Detroit 8 0 2 0 0 - 8 12 3 Cleveland 7 0 0 0 0 - 7 14 3 Pillette, Francis and Woodall; Bassalor, Metcalfe, Shaute, Morton and Onell.

MACKEN COME BACK. Philadelphia staged a comeback against Boston today, batting out five runs in the first inning and winning the game 7 to 4. Percy Fullerton, Boston's ace pitcher, Naylor twirled fine ball in every inning but the seventh.

Score: R.H.E. Boston 0 0 0 0 0 - 3 8 4 Philadelphia 7 0 0 0 0 - 7 14 3 Percy, Fullerton, O'Brien and Devernier; Naylor and Perkins.

ENGLISH CUP THE FINAL BILLED FOR SATURDAY

Wembley Park Stadium, Largest In World, Will Be Cynosure of the Soccer World.

By BILLY BISSETT.

...B.A. May Not Adopt Retroactive an. 1 Rule Today

N.W.B.A. ANNUAL MEETING TODAY FACES PROBLEM

Must Decide Whether to Make January 1st Residence Rule Retroactive.

TO BOND TREASURER

W. A. Clarke, Palmerston, Hon. Pres., By Acclamation. Nominees Announced.

Special to The Advertiser. Listowel, April 24.—The annual meeting of the North Wellington Baseball Association, being held tomorrow at Palmerston, a further amendment to the residence rule will be voted on. The new amendment is as follows: That the residence rule will be changed from May 1 to January 1 to take effect January 1, 1924.

This amendment means simply that instead of the N.W.B.A. residence rule being retroactive to the first of the present year as was adopted by the O.B.A.A. with which association, the North Wellington organization, in affiliation, the latter body's rule will not come into effect during the present season.

If the amendment is adopted, it will also mean that the North Wellington winner may have to enter the O.B.A.A. play-off with a team, possibly vastly different from that which was victorious in its own circuit.

Another amendment is that the treasurer be a bonded officer, the amount of the bond to be decided at the annual meeting tomorrow. The nominations, which will be voted on, are as follows: Honorary President—W. A. Clarke, Palmerston (acclamation). Honorary Vice-President—Dr. H. B. Coleman, Palmerston; J. J. Clancy, Cargill; J. Pritchard, Harrison; S. J. Kemp, Listowel (all acclamations; four were to be elected). President—D. P. McFarland, Harrison; C. G. Washburn, Harrison; R. Horning, Palmerston. First Vice-President—D. L. H. Bamford, Listowel; E. Horning, Palmerston. Second Vice-President—Rev. C. A. Killerman, Chesley; R. Horning, Palmerston. Third Vice-President—L. Looby, Dublin; E. Bellamy, Flesherston; W. Watt, Oranville. Treasurer—C. G. Washburn, Harrison; Dr. George Howson, Wingham. Secretary—R. Horning, Palmerston. Sub-Committee—(Two to be elected)—S. Burns, Palmerston; J. P. Miles, Harrison; P. H. Holton, Palmerston; Washburn, Harrison; J. Mahoney, Listowel; M. Watt, Oranville; E. Bellamy, Flesherston; O. R. Fairless, Lucan.

RACE RESULTS

HAVRE DE GRACE RESULTS. First race, maidens, 2 years, 4 furlongs—Sunnylight, \$4.70, \$3.80, \$3.20, won; Off Color, \$3.00, \$2.40, \$2.00, second; Ducky, \$7, third. Time: 1:44. Modest Neptune, Verona, Blue Hill, Run Four, Beaulieu, Flying Dutchman, Water, Playon, Querulous, Bok, Dixona Pride ran.

Second race, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, about, 1 mile, 1:40, \$4.50, \$3.50, \$2.50, won; X-Cavendish, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, second; Reddest, \$3, third. Time: 1:47. Mohican, X-R Tan, Jack Pryor also ran. X-Bear and Smart entry.

Third race, 3-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Raffles, \$4.30, \$3.70, \$3.10, won; Lady Boss, \$3.00, \$2.40, \$1.80, second; K, \$5.10, third. Time: 1:14 2-5. Penon, St. Lawrence, Beach Beauty, Seth's Lemon and Elizabeth Bean ran.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Wilderness, \$7.60, \$3.90, \$3.20, won; Blazes, \$3.20, \$2.50, second; Champlain, \$7.80, third. Time: 1:13 3-5. Hildur, Cal, Washie, Dexteros and Suffernace also ran.

Fifth race, the Shenandoah Handicap, 1 mile and 70 yards—Eulalia, \$10.60, \$5.00, \$3.50, won; Dunlin, \$2.70, second; Lady Myra, \$4.10, third. Time: 1:46. Autumn Belle, Daniel and Luminist also ran.

Sixth race, claiming, 3 years and up, 1 1/16 miles—Star Realm, \$26.60, \$10.20, \$6.40, won; Duke John, \$4.30, \$3.80, second; Billy Barton, \$5.20, third. Time: 1:50. W. W. W. and J. J. Roberts, Royal Duck and Frezy Sneezy also ran.

Seventh race—Tony Beau, \$4.90, \$4.30, won; Kingling, \$4.40, \$3.80, second; Tom Cassidy, \$2.60, third. Time: 1:51. Blazonry, Perhaps, Agosta, Cret, Gona and Tulsa also ran.

EIGHTH RACE. First race, claiming, 3 years, 6 furlongs—Don't Bother Me, \$10.80, \$3.60, \$2.4, won; Adventurers, \$2.60, \$2.20, second; Old Flyer, \$2.4, third. Time: 1:15 2-5. Carter, Sweet Cookie, Crudenra ran.

Second race, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs—Kingling, \$4.40, \$3.80, \$3.20, won; Bantam, \$3.40, \$3, second; Pler, \$3.20, third. Time: 1:14 4-5. Pretty Baby, Carrure, Manokin and Wreckless ran.

Third race, claiming, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs—Araphoe, \$23.60, \$6.60, \$4.80, won; Broom Peddler, \$3.20, \$2.80, second; Roy, \$3.20, third. Time: 1:15 3-5. Kentucky Smiles, Lively, Mary Rock and Challenger ran.

Fourth race, claiming, 4 years and up, 5 1/4 furlongs—Louis Lichtenheim \$4.50, \$3.20, \$2.20, first; Last Chance II, \$2.40, \$2.20, second; Doris \$2.80, third. Time: 1:08 2-5. John Spohn, Seaboard and Emden also ran.

Fifth race, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/16 miles—High Gear, \$21.80, \$8.40, \$5, won; Darnley, \$4, \$3.60, second; Zone D'Arme, \$3.60, third. Time: 1:47 3-5. Herron, Matinee Idol and Reefcot also ran.

Sixth race, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/16 miles—Bally Bell, \$7.40, \$3.80, \$2.60, won; Kingling II, \$4.80, \$3.20, second; Buckboard, \$2.40, third. Time: 1:49. British Liner and John R. Rothe also ran.

Seventh race, 4 years and up, mile and 70 yards—Oakawn Belle, \$22.80, \$8.20, \$5.20, won; Roopy, \$3.60, \$2.80, second; Rustler, \$3.20, third. Time: 1:46 2-5. King Prosperity, Sea Mine and Felyelo also ran.

PT. ELGIN AFTER 15 YEARS REVIVING LACROSSE

Port Elgin, April 24.—At a large and enthusiastic meeting held here last night a lacrosse club was organized with the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. V. T. Mooney; president, Roy Wesley; vice-president, Fin Hepburn; secretary-treasurer, Harry Marshall; executive committee, J. W. Reinhardt, Dr. W. E. Power, A. Schell, B. Eby, D. Roppel and D. MacArthur. This town has been out of lacrosse for over fifteen years, but there is enough material to insure fast teams. The executive decided not to enter a team in the O. A. L. A. this present season, but to form a town league. Stevens-Hopner brush factory has the nucleus for at least two teams. It was also suggested to organize a school team.

Ed. Stein's Appointment As Manager Popular One

Brings Back Days of Old City Leagues, When London's Amateurs Played Near-Professional Brand of Ball—Work-Out Tonight.



ED. STEIN.

for years connected with amateur baseball in London as manager of

The appointment of ex-Alderman Ed. Stein, official stationer of the Mint League at the present time and the London O. A. B. A. senior team, is probably the most important move the baseball sub-committee has made. The appointment is a popular one, for all the present day fans remember the days of the London West Stars, Londona, McClary, Rockets, 7th Regt., all teams which made of the London City League of those days a loop which played a semi-pro standard of baseball.

George Gibson, now assistant manager of the Washington Senators, got his start in these days. Ed. Stein shared with Gibson the catching honors in the league, and after Mooney's graduation the professional ranks, and the Gibson brothers' battery was broken up, Bob Gibson and Ed. Stein became the most feared battery playing amateur ball hereabouts.

The new manager has a natural love for the game, and as a close student during the last two decades of all the various stages of progress in the game, knows the pastime as few people do. As well as knowing the game, he has the ability of handling men and commanding their respect.

With Stein at the helm and Gil Fergus to do the active coaching in the workout stage, the London seniors should have something to show when they take to action.

Sunday he'll go out to Queen's Park and look over his squad for the first time, and after this he and coach Fergus will be in full charge.

MFRS. LEAGUE WILL OPEN SEASON MAY 14

Elect P. L. Ferguson Representative to L. A. A. Sub-Committee.

Percy L. Ferguson was last night elected by the Manufacturer's Baseball League to represent that body on the Senior O. B. A. baseball sub-committee. The members of the league unanimously expressed their confidence in Mr. Ferguson.

It was decided to open the schedule with Murray Shoe, opposing the C. N. D. Transportation nine, on May 14. D. S. Perkins meet Scott-McFaire on the 15th, McClary's and Civil Service start the 17th, and C. N. R. A. A. take on the Murray Shoe outfit, May 18. The adoption of the complete schedule was left over until the next meeting. However, it was decided to play once around the first series, and then have the first four teams play once around themselves. This arrangement will make it possible to conclude the first series about June 23. The second series schedule was left in abeyance, owing to the fact that Old Boys week might conflict. It will, however, be drawn up in the early future.

Discussion at the meeting agreed that the schedule be arranged as not to conflict with the seniors. It was also decided to send a delegation to the Public Utilities Commission with a view to having the seating accommodation at Queen's Park increased.

GIRLS OF ARTS '24 BANQUET BOYS' TEAM

Basketball Squad Receives Cup As Inter-Faculty Champions.

The basketball team of Arts '24, champions of the Inter-Faculty League of Western University, were the guests last night of the co-eds of their class at a banquet in the arts building. The feature of the evening was the presentation of the George Gibbons Cup, emblematic of the championship. This was made by Prof. N. C. Hart, representing the athletic directorate of the university. Milton Walker, captain of the squad, received the trophy and made a fitting reply on behalf of the team.

Kenneth Crawford ably filled the post of toastmaster. The first toast, "The King," was proposed by Allan Talbot, and the members of the class responded in a body by singing "God Save the King."

Charles Humphries proposed the toast "Alma Mater," and the response to this took the form of shouting the class yell, "Canoe, Canoe, Canoe." The last "The Team," proposed by Miss Lela Currie, was answered by Milton Walker, who expressed the gratitude of the team to the young ladies of the class who arranged the banquet.

The committee of co-eds in charge of the festivities was composed of Lela Currie, Helen Patterson and Alice Darch.



PLAY CITY CARPETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS TONIGHT

The last half of the first round of the city carpetball championships will be played tonight in Duffield Hall, over against City Gas office. Sherlock Holmes Wire-Pullers meet McClary Upjohn Gadabouts, and the L. O. L. Langmunks play the C. N. R. A. A.

The winners of these games will meet the winners declared in last Wednesday's games, namely the Davids and St. Andrews, on Monday night, and the finals will be played off one week from tonight.



AMERICAN GOLF TEAM SAILS.

America's most formidable aggregation of golfers goes abroad in search of British laurels. Chick Evans of Chicago, who was to go, was unable to accompany the team.

TORONTO LEAFS GET EYES ON BALL AT LAST

Knock Three Newark Hurlers Out of Box and Win 16-5.

Associated Press Despatch. Newark, April 24.—The Toronto Maple Leafs, after dropping a twin bill to the Bears here Sunday, came back with a vengeance, and won the third game by the score of 16 to 5, knocking three Newark hurlers, Kneisch, Ellis and Keady, off the mound, Onslow and O'Rourke had four hits apiece.

The score: Toronto..... 300 520 510-16 R.H.E. Newark..... 200 100 020-5 4 5 Taylor and Vincent; Kneisch, Ellis, Keady and Devine; Manley, Greene.

SEVEN RUNS IN NINTH. Reading, April 24.—After what looked like a hopelessly lost struggle opening stages, Reading, through an exciting ninth-inning rally, which netted seven runs, managed to stave off defeat.

The score: Reading..... 100 300 400 00-8 R.H.E. Syracuse..... 100 300 400 00-3 2 3 Reading..... 010 000 007 01-3 11 0 Molony, Ward and Niebergal; Schacht, Hughes and Clarke.

BISONS RALLY AND WIN.

Baltimore, April 24.—A big eighth-inning rally gave the Buffalo Bisons the victory over the Orioles here this afternoon. The score was 12 to 4. After allowing the Herd but 7 hits and 2 runs for seven seasons, Rube Farnham blew up in the eighth.

The score: Buffalo..... 020 000 091-12 R.H.E. Baltimore..... 100 201 002-6 11 3 Peilman, Reddy and Urban, Stearn; Farnham, Lowder and McCoy.

BASEBALL SUMMARY

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. New York..... 8..... 1..... .888 Chicago..... 7..... 1..... .875 Philadelphia..... 2..... 2..... .500 Pittsburgh..... 2..... 2..... .500 Boston..... 2..... 2..... .500 St. Louis..... 2..... 2..... .500 Brooklyn..... 1..... 6..... .143

Yesterday's Results. New York 6, Brooklyn 4. Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 4. Chicago 10, Washington 1. Philadelphia at Boston, rain. Today's Games. Chicago at Pittsburgh. Cincinnati at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Cleveland..... 6..... 1..... .857 New York..... 5..... 2..... .714 Philadelphia..... 4..... 2..... .667 Washington..... 4..... 2..... .667 St. Louis..... 2..... 4..... .333 Boston..... 1..... 5..... .167

Yesterday's Results. Detroit 4, Cleveland 7. New York 6, Washington 0. Philadelphia 7, Boston 3. St. Louis at Chicago 0. Today's Games. Detroit at Cleveland. Washington at New York. Boston at Philadelphia.

PETROLEA YOUNGSTERS NOW PRACTICING LACROSSE

Special to The Advertiser. Petrolia, April 24.—Lacrosse is gripping the younger set of the town. Pete Zimmerman, who is managing the local middle team, has about 25 enthusiastic players eager to step into the game. Practice is held every evening, and the crowd is fast rounding into shape. Games will be made and the schedule drawn up for the coming season.

DOUBLE-HEADER, 24TH. Special to The Advertiser. Stratford, Ont., April 24.—A double-header on the 24th of May between Stratford and London is to open the Southern League schedule here this season. At a meeting of the executive of the Stratford Southern Baseball Club it was decided that all games be held on the collegiate fields. Seats for the games will be provided. It was also decided that ticket good for four games be issued.

ANNOUNCE TOURNEY. Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Ont., April 24.—Announcement of the Stratford Bowling Club for the 1923-24 season was made at a meeting of the club on July 11 last year. The tournament on July 11 last year the tournament proved a distinct success, and this year plans are under way for an even better gathering. Stratford seems located by the Windsor churches, are the finest in Western Ontario.

SNOWSTORM HINDERING SASKATCHEWAN SEEDING

Canadian Press Despatch. Regina, Sask., April 24.—The first crop report of the season, issued last night by the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture, states that seeding conditions all over the province will be modified as a result of the snowstorm yesterday and last evening.

Snow was general over the south-eastern part of the province, and a storm of water-laden snow hit the Regina district early in the evening. In some cases reduced acreage is predicted, owing to a scarcity of farm laborers.

HOLD AN INFORMAL TALK ON EGYPTIAN HISTORY

Dr. K. P. R. Neville, registrar of Western University, and about 30 young men of the Y. M. C. A. class held an informal discussion on archaeology and Egyptian history following a supper at the Y. M. C. A. The discussion was of a most informal nature and chiefly consisted of a series of questions and answers. Dr. Neville answering the various questions to the best of his ability. Dr. Neville stated that most of the stories about King Tutankhamen were pre-supposed. He declared the majority of stories could not be believed unless they were signed, as there were few men at the tomb at the time of its opening.



JACK MCULLIFFE, 20, HERE TO MEET LUIS FIPPO ON MAY 12 AT THE NEW YANKEE STADIUM.

LAMBTON CO. LEAGUE TO BE INDEPENDENT

Special to The Advertiser. Watford, April 24.—The new baseball league for Lambton County will play independent amateur baseball. Such was the decision arrived at at the meeting held in Watford yesterday evening, when representatives of the various towns met to organize the new league. The town and their representatives were as follows: Sarnia, O. "Red" Wilson and George Dawson; Forest, W. H. Roche and W. Leche; Tarkish, H. Smith; Watford, H. W. Nixon, J. C. Tremouth and R. Nicholson.

Strathroy was not represented, as that town has decided to play under the auspices of the O. A. B. A. for this season. Parkhill, however, was represented in place of Strathroy. The following executive officers were elected: President, H. W. Roche; Secretary-Treasurer, O. Wilson of Sarnia. The president and secretary of the club will give the executive committee of the league.

The Parkhill representative was not here, as the town's preliminary league on account of the long distances. Tomorrow night will reach a definite decision before the meeting of the new executive next Monday. In the event of Parkhill deciding not to join the league, Sarnia will enter two teams.

The new executive will meet in Forest on Monday evening, when final plans will be made and the schedule drawn up for the coming season.

GETTING INTO SHAPE. Special to The Advertiser.

Petrolia, April 24.—The high school football team is getting into shape in years this season. Nearly all of last year's team are back, and they are likely to give the town the earliest start yet made. The team will also play Watford high school some time next week.

HOME HELPERS' YEAR. Special to The Advertiser.

The year 1923, has been designated "Home Helpers' Year." Ontario's share of the estimates will be \$225,000 for the coming year. Mrs. Walker urged the objective of raising the membership to 60,000 for the year 1923.

In closing her address the president made a strong appeal on behalf of closed hospitals and schools, suffering children, unattended women calling for help, to which, with aiding aid, and a loyal co-operation of its membership, the society can render valuable assistance.

The report of the treasurer of the society, Mrs. J. G. Gauld of Hamilton, shows the finances to be very satisfactory, the total gifts throughout the province for the year amounting to \$24,426.44, being an increase of \$22,314.48, an increase of nearly 10 per cent over last year. Of this amount, the Presbyterian of Chatham, in which the Windsor churches are represented, contributed \$10,439.96.

During the year the Ontario Provincial Society contributed \$12,609.86 as its share of the deficit which lay on the W. M. S. at the end of last year.

JAMES BROOKS REMOVED TO KINGSTON PENITENTIARY

James Brooks of Sherbrooke, Quebec, who was sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary by Magistrate Graydon last week on three charges of fraud, was taken to Kingston yesterday morning by Arthur Warton, head turnkey at the county jail, accompanied by County Constable McConnell.

During the past few years Brooks has swindled at least three Londoners by passing bogus checks, and he was apprehended by Detective Elmer Walsh two weeks ago.

DEAN OF YUKON'S NURSES, SISTER MARY JOHN, DIES

Associated Press Despatch. Dawson City, Y. T., April 25.—Sister Mary John, dean of St. Mary's Hospital, and dean of the Yukon's nursing women, died here yesterday, aged 58 years.

She was beloved throughout the north, and probably was the best-known pioneer woman of the territory.

CHURCH WOMEN MEET AT WINDSOR FOR CONVENTION

Ontario Provincial Missionary Society Holds Ninth Annual Convention

300 IN ATTENDANCE

President Walker of Toronto Reports Organization Free From Debt.

Special to The Advertiser. Windsor, April 25.—More than 300 delegates are in attendance at the ninth annual convention of the Ontario Provincial Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church here yesterday.

The society is one of the largest women's organizations in the province, comprising a membership of approximately 60,000, and having an annual income of nearly a quarter of a million dollars. It stands for Christian service throughout the Dominion of Canada, as well as on the foreign field, and its work embraces every sphere where there is need, regardless of creed, color, or nationality.

Has Several Departments. Besides school homes and mission hospitals the work of the W. M. S. in Canada includes work among the Chinese; deaconess work; French work; Indian work in Western Canada; International; Jewish; and the Strangers' Department.

During her address at the first public meeting today the president, Mrs. J. B. Walker of Toronto, complimented the auxiliary of St. Andrew's Church on its courage, generosity and enterprise in entertaining so large a delegation.

In a brief report of the society's finances, Mrs. Walker stated that Ontario's share of the deficit which lay on the W. M. S. at the end of last year, was entirely wiped out by the wise planning and determined effort of the members of the organization.

"The financial burden having been lifted," continued Mrs. Walker, "does not mean that the deficit is entirely gone; rather it is a time to speed up and to meet the challenge of the situation in the world and church today. The retrenchment needed to meet this deficit has weakened the work and building up is required along all lines of endeavor."

Praise Temiskaming. Temiskaming, the north and youngest presbytery, is given special mention for having the largest number of new branches, each new auxiliary having been organized during the year. It also increased its contributions considerably, in spite of the fact that a large part of its territory was destroyed by the late disastrous fire.

While work among young women and the Canadian girls-in-training has made rapid advance, and they are getting nearer every day toward the idea of personal giving, there is much unorganized territory in every congregation, from which recruits and leaders and workers at home and abroad may be gained.

Stratford presbytery reports an innovation in the form of an installation service for the officers of mission bands. This is considered of importance, as well as the dignity of this office to children.

It has been decided to group several departments together, under the name, "Social Service," and secretaries have been appointed under this name on the provincial board.

Recommendations have been received as to the social service policy of the W. M. S., passed by the general assembly affecting children.

The child question is not an academic one, but a live issue, the importance of our tomorrow, and as such cannot have too much attention," the report says.

WILL EXCLUDE JIM LARKIN FROM SOUTHERN IRELAND

Associated Press Despatch. Belfast, April 25.—James Larkin, Irish labor leader, and former head of the Transport Workers' Union, who has been deported from the U. S., will probably be excluded from Southern Ireland under the Free State constitution, according to the newspapers. They point out that he was not born in Ireland, being an Englishman of Irish parentage, and has not been a regular resident of Southern Ireland for seven years.

Would Educate Indians Along Practical Lines

Hon. Charles Stewart Points Out Need of Technical Instruction As Estimates Totalling \$3,500,000 Pass House.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, April 25.—Indian estimates totalling roughly three and a half million dollars went through the house last night. The view that everything possible had been done to give the Indian practical education found sympathy on both sides of the house. It was no use, urged Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, to try to make a white man out of an Indian. Following his usual school course, the Indian should be given technical extension training—a view which Hon. Charles Stewart, superintendent-general of Indian affairs, concurred. Mr. Stewart added that it was hoped by the employment of nurses and education, to check the spread of tuberculosis among Indians. "The Indian is an asset," urged Hon. Dr. Manion. With little increase in expenditure, said Dr. Manion, the Indian could be taught to protect himself against disease.

Hon. Mr. Stewart said that his own observations while visiting Indian reserves in the west last year, led him to believe that the young of the Indian race would benefit from technical education was necessary. One must remember, Mr. Stewart said, that the white man was becoming a keen competitor of the Indian

in hunting and trapping; it was essential, he claimed, that looking to the future, the Indian must be assisted towards changing his mode of living, as well on the plains as in the bush. Otherwise, Mr. Stewart believed, parliament, in the not-distant future, would be voting large sums to enable the Indian to continue to subsist.

"No Indian child," he added, "should be without the opportunity for a decent public school education." The thing to do with the Indian was to keep him in the open as much as possible and to utilize the funds of the government to teach him to earn his living along lines suited to his physical temperament. Too much had, perhaps, been spent in the past upon unnecessary curricula. Unless something was done, the practical education followed the school course, this last was apt to be entirely wasted. Following his term at school, the young of the Indian race would be left with a direct bearing upon his work in the world.

Hon. Mr. Stewart entirely concurred with this view. It was useless to try to educate the Indian and then abandon him outside of the school-room door.

Chatham Mayor Seeks To Revive Defunct Chamber of Commerce

Special to The Advertiser. Chatham, April 25.—The general consensus of opinion among the businessmen of the city is that the defunct chamber of commerce should be revived. The matter will be taken up in a big meeting which will be held in the near future. In an interview yesterday Mayor Harrington intimated that some organization should be formed to take the place of the chamber of commerce.

Buckshee!

Total list to date: The following is the list of those who have given to the Buckshee Bag to date:

The total amount will be sent today to Col. C. H. Hill, D.S.O., for distribution among the men of the R. C. R. who suffered loss of savings and personal property in the big fire at Tecumseh Barracks two weeks ago. "Wish I Could Make It More"..... \$ 1.00 Friend of the R. C. R..... 5.00 Anonymous..... 50 J. H. H..... 2.00 "Good Luck"..... 2.00 Anonymous..... 2.00 John Newell..... 1.00 Anonymous..... 5.00 Mike..... 1.00 A. E. Cooper, Molsons Bank..... 5.00 Building..... 2.00 "Soldiers' Friend"..... 2.00 E. F. Conley..... 1.00 John Patterson..... 1.00 St. Thomas Boys..... 3.00 "Six-Year-Old"..... 50 J. T. B. Woodstock..... 2.00 "Buddy"..... 1.00 "18th Veteran"..... 1.00 W. Scott..... 1.00 A. T. Brownley..... 2.00 Anonymous..... 1.00 Widow, Lambeth..... 50 Soldier's Mother..... 1.00 George Verney..... 1.00 "Over the Top"..... 2.00 Anonymous..... 1.00 R. J. F..... 10.00 J. T. B. Woodstock..... 2.00 "No Name"..... 50 J. R. B..... 50 C. L. Hawkey..... 5.00 Anonymous..... 50 "Glad to Help"..... 1.00 P. P. C. L. I..... 2.00 J. T. T..... 1.00 A Friend..... 1.00 "Buckshee"..... 2.00 R. I. Lipton..... 2.00 Anonymous..... 1.00 "Two of the Old 38rd"..... 1.00 "Little Little Girls"..... 1.00 Jack T..... 1.00 Doris, Eva and Hugh..... 50 Anonymous..... 50 M. P. Kelley..... 1.00 Anonymous..... 2.00 Ingersoll..... 1.00 Anonymous..... 1.00 Londoner..... 1.00 Eille and Jack..... 50 "18th Battalion"..... 2.00 Anonymous..... 50 R. F. Jackman..... 1.00

WILL HEAR REV. R. HICKS. Special to The Advertiser.

Crediton, April 25.—A special spring thanksgiving day is to be held in the new Crediton Methodist Church on Sunday with services at 10:30

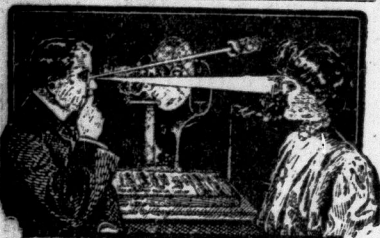
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GERMAN BANKRUPTCY WILL END RUHR BATTLE

French Will Have Won Struggle Only When the German Gold
Supply Is Exhausted and Her Industries Ruined—
Use Gold To Carry On Fight.

GOVERNMENT PAYS MEN OUT OF WORK

By ERNEST M. HEMINGWAY.
Special Cable to The Advertiser.
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Offenburg, Baden, April 24.—Offenburg is the southern limit of the French occupation of Germany. It is a clean, neat little town with the hills of the Black Forest rising on one side and the Rhine plain stretching off on the other. The French seized Offenburg in order to keep the great international railway line open. This line runs straight north from Basel in Switzerland through Fribourg, Offenburg, Karlsruhe, Frankfurt, Cologne, Düsseldorf, to Holland. It was the main artery of communication and commerce in Germany.

According to the French, their occupation was to insure the safe passage of coal trains on the main line between the Ruhr and Italy. They feared the Germans might shunt the cars off at Offenburg and ship them on a branch line up into the Black Forest, and eventually back into the industrial district of what the French papers refer to as "unoccupied Germany."

Offenburg Without Trains.
Germany denounced the occupation of Offenburg, located in the Duchy of Baden in the far south of Germany, some hundreds of miles from the Ruhr, as a breach of the treaty of Versailles. The French replied by expelling the burgomaster and some two hundred citizens who had signed the protest, from the town. The Germans then informed the French that no more trains would run through Offenburg on the great main Rhine-Ruhr railway.

For almost two months now not a train has run through Offenburg. I stood on the bridge over the right-of-way and looked at the four wide-gauge tracks stretching to Switzerland in one direction, and Holland in the other, red with rust. Trains stop three miles each way from Offenburg, north and south.

Passengers get out with their baggage, and if they are Germans, can



FRENCH TROOPS IN THE MARKETPLACE AT OFFENBURG.
Germany denounces the occupation of Offenburg, Baden, by the French as a violation of the Treaty of Versailles. The French, however, took in sufficient supplies for a long stay.

ride into Offenburg in a motor bus and make their way to the three miles the other side of the town where they can continue their journey. If they are French they are allowed to walk, carrying their baggage.

No Coal Has Gone Through.
No coal has gone through since the town was seized. Now the French face the problem—if they want to control the Rhine railway—of occupying every town along the whole length of it at an expenditure of at least four hundred thousand men, and then running the trains themselves.

Otherwise the Germans say they will run the trains to just outside the limit of the French occupation, and then stop them. It is their answer to the strategists who put their fingers on the map and said, "It is very simple. We will take this town here and that will control this railway. It will only take a few men, etc."

The Franco-German commercial war has settled down to a question of which government goes absolutely broke first. The French, I have talked to say, "We could not do anything without our government. The government pays all the people who lose their jobs through the occupation. It pays all those who are expelled from the town. It pays the unemployed."

The German Government Is Using Gold.
The German government is now using up the gold to stabilize the mark that it ordinarily paid over to the gold supply the German government. It is using these marks that it buys at the fixed price of 20,000 to the dollar to fight the occupation. It is also already using a good portion of its hoarded gold.

When through the crippling of German industries and the exhaustion of the gold supply the German government is no longer able to fight the occupation by putting the government resources back of the individuals who suffer by the occupation, and making good their loss with government money, the French will have won the struggle of attrition. But Germany's gold will have been used up before she quits, her industries ruined, and she will be as profitable to France as a squeezed lemon.

On the day before I left Paris M. Poincaré asked the chamber of de-

Resourceful Reporter Exposes Fake Of French Spiritualistic Medium

Toulouse, France, April 25.—Pierrot Mascaras is only a nine-year-old boy, but he once had quite a reputation as a spirit medium, much to the financial advantage of his father.

Pierrot's specialty was to lie in his bed, ostensibly going into a trance. Always, following a sufficient lapse of time, there came queer knockings, and a little bell under the bed would begin to answer questions of mere mortals in spirit language. Pierrot apparently never moved.

All went well for several weeks.

COUPLE DIE OF BURNS IN HAMILTON MISHAP

Mike Ordana and Wife Succumb As Result of Coal Oil Blast.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Hamilton, April 25.—Mike Ordana and his wife Sophie succumbed last night in general hospital to burns received this afternoon when a can of coal oil in the hands of Ordana, who was pouring it into the stove to speed up the fire, exploded. His wife was standing behind him and the two were knocked unconscious to the ground. Their clothing was ignited and burned nearly off.

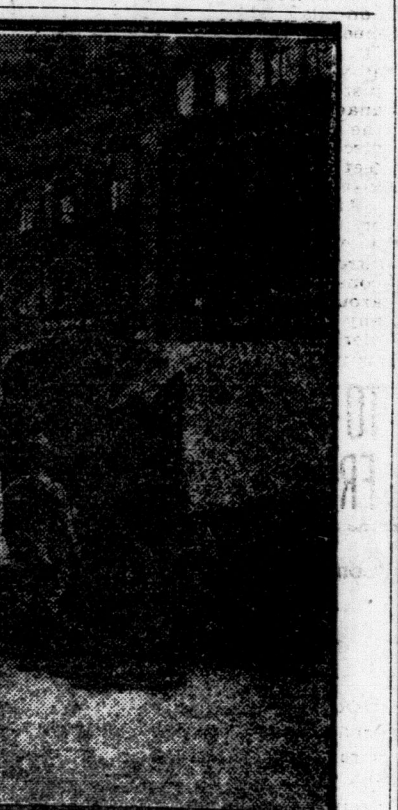
Severo, a neighbor, rushed into the blazing room and carried the man and wife to the street. The fire department extinguished the blaze.

UNITED STATES PLANS COMMERCIAL OFFENSIVE

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—A widespread United States commercial offensive throughout the Middle East to Central Asia is in preparation, according to the Daily Telegraph's diplomatic correspondent. This writer says that the Chester concession and a syndicate now forming in the United States are parts of this movement, which includes in its prospective scope Turkey, Bulgaria, the Caucasus and Persia.

BODY OF CHIEF ENGINEER OF MAPLEHURST IS FOUND

Canadian Press Despatch.
Kingston, April 25.—The body of chief engineer Ambrose Dunn, who lost his life in the tragic sinking of the steamer Maplehurst of the Canadian Steamship Lines, off Calumet, Michigan, on December 1, 1922, was found yesterday and a telegram to that effect was received in the city last night. The message was from Hancock council of the Knights of Columbus to J. Welch, and it stated that the members of that order in Hancock were looking after the body and would have it sent here.



**ENGINEER FAVORS
CENTRAL STORAGE**

Advices That All City Horses,
Vehicles and Cars Be
Stored in One Building.

In his report concerning the inauguration of a "city garage," strenuously advocated by Mayor Wenige and Ald. Leonard Douglass, chairman of the board of works, City Engineer Near is more or less non-committal.

He does point out that if it is the intention of the council to proceed in this undertaking, and the public utilities department will co-operate, it would be imperative to make an addition to the utilities garage, Horton street. The suggestion had already been voiced that this building also house all city cars.

The engineer is impressed with the need for the centralization of the municipal horses, wagons, carts, etc., and believes that the city paving plant location on Adelaide street would be the best suited for that purpose. At the present moment, the horses are kept in a rented barn in the north end of the city and a part of the city equipment remains in the old Michigan Central roundhouse. He believes that all should be stored as much as possible in one place.

Ald. Douglass, long since appointed chairman of the special "city garage" committee, announced this afternoon that he would call a meeting in the immediate future, when the city engineer's detailed report would be considered.

NOTED CANADIAN BANKER, GEORGE P. REID, IS DEAD

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 24.—George P. Reid, former general manager of the Standard Bank of Canada, and later general manager of the United Empire Bank, died this forenoon at the home of his son-in-law, Lieut.-Col. Gilmann, officer commanding the Royal Canadian Dragoons in this city. He was born at Demerara, British Guiana in 1846, and came to Canada about 1870, joining the Standard Bank shortly afterwards. He retired from his position of general manager of the United Empire Bank when it was merged with the Union, and had since been secretary-treasurer of the Anglican Synod of Toronto. He is survived by his widow, three sons, Col. Hector, now serving in Palestine; Douglas in Montreal; and Eric A. of Toronto; three daughters, Mrs. Gilmann, Mrs. (Major) Roy Nordheimer, R.C.D., and Mrs. John Oakley, New York.

Sale of Olde Tyme Table Damasks

Tomorrow, 58, 60, 68, 72-Inch Widths
Priced at 89c, \$1.29, \$1.49, \$2.19 Yard

These extraordinary values are available through a manufacturer's stock clearance at a liberal discount, and marked at a saving of 25 to 33.1-3 per cent off regular prices. You will be delighted with the exceptional qualities in all pure linen represented in these semi-bleached numbers. A part shipment of these same numbers arrived in time for our January Sale, when every yard of the fifteen pieces was cleared the day of sale. You will readily admit these are the finest quality Cream Damasks it has been possible to procure in the past five years, and will welcome the return of such dependable lines that can stand the wear and tear of the laundry.

See Window Display Today.
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72-Inch All Linen Damask, \$2.19
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60-Inch All Linen Dice Patterns, \$1.29 Yard
Small and medium dice checks, in heavy weight all pure linen damask, for kitchen cloths. There's no better to stand solid wear and launder well. Will bleach white in a few washings; four pieces. Sale price \$1.29 yard

60 and 68-Inch Floral Damask, \$1.49 and \$1.69 Yard.
Guaranteed all linen and a lovely weight, and pretty designs. You'll appreciate the outstanding value here in this special. The quantity is limited to about 200 yards; 64 in. wide. Sale price \$1.49 yard 165 yards, 68 inches wide \$1.69 yard

All Linen Scotch Crashes Specially Priced

This is an announcement you no doubt have been awaiting. Take full advantage tomorrow of these mill-clearing numbers, as opportunities such as these are few and far between. Either Hand or Roller, or the wider width Tea Toweling at interesting prices.

58-Inch Union Damask, 89c Yard
You'll be well repaid in an investment in this number as the quality is exceptional. Usually sold as all linen. However, a small percentage of heavy cotton yarns are woven with the warp to get the desired weight. This number comes in both 56 and 58 inch. One price tomorrow 89c yard

24-Inch Linen Tea Toweling, 29c Yard
There are just ten pieces only of this Linen Tea Cloth, cleared by the maker at a sacrifice; full width; a heavy weight. You'll need no urging to lay in a supply at this extremely low price; 24 inches wide. Tomorrow 29c yard

18-Inch All Linen Toweling, 27c Yard
Not a low quality light weight cloth made for a price, but a solid all pure linen heavy Scotch Crash is featured here for tomorrow. There are just fifteen pieces, all white, blue and red border. This should be an old-time sale and you will want a share, so advise early tomorrow; 900 yards in the lot. By the piece of 60 yards \$15.50; or 27c yard

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50-Inch Chintz, Heavy Quality, \$1.50 and \$1.75
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COUNCILLORS PUZZLED OVER TRANSPORTATION

Anxious To Have Mayor Take
Action To Settle the
Question.

The councillors are frankly puzzled as to the next move in the transportation game. They appear as anxious as Mayor Wenige to start something in the way of a "showdown," but they do not seem to know just how to go at it.

Ald. Douglass dropped into the mayor's office at noon yesterday and suggested a special council parley to talk buses. His worship voiced willingness, and Monday night next was set for the meeting. The councillors are to determine whether they should ask the people to vote next December upon the mayor's motorbus scheme. Then it developed that the council, earlier in the year, had passed a resolution that a ballot of this nature be taken, and the mayor questioned then the need of a meeting at all. There is no use discussing the question further, he contended, unless they should desire to meet to cancel the street railway franchise.

This would be good business, he argued, and Ald. Douglass agreed. In any event, the company would not stick up and get out. They would stick until "the last dog was hung," and if in the meanwhile the people had approved of a motorbus scheme, the buses or a number of them would be already in operation and the remainder could be introduced while the company was preparing to vacate.

**CALL TENDERS IN AUGUST
FOR TEMISKAMING ROAD**
Canadian Press Despatch.
North Bay, April 25.—Tenders will be called in August for the construction of the balance of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway extension north of Cochrane, from Tin Can Portage to Moose Factory on James Bay. It was announced today by Chairman Lee, of the T. and N. O. Commission. Work on the extension which has now been completed some distance beyond the Abitibi River, is proceeding with all possible speed, and supplies are now being taken in. New gangs of men are being recruited for rushing work on the extension as soon as the frost

ARRIVED AT VANCOUVER.
Colonel Wm. Gartschore arrived Monday in Vancouver according to a telegram received by the McClary Manufacturing Company. Colonel Gartschore and his party report a fine trip and everyone in good spirits.

MRS. FISHER DIES.
Special to The Advertiser.
Petrolia, April 25.—The funeral of Mrs. Samuel Fisher was held here yesterday from her residence on Wingfield street. The deceased was a resident of the town for a number of years.

She is survived by two sons, Frank at home, and Samuel in Detroit. Interment was made in Hillsdale Cemetery.

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