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Tomorrow's Weather—Mostly Fair.

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LONDON WOMAN WAS CAUGHT WHILE ATTEMPTING TO LURE GIRL TO "WHITE SLAVE" TRAP

Bold Attempts Are Being Made on Trains Near London and in the City to Bring Young Girls to Their Ruin.

STARTLING INCIDENT COMES TO THE ATTENTION OF A CITY OFFICIAL

Beware the strange woman, oh young girls! Beware the kindly-faced, favor-bestowing chance acquaintance! Beware the magazine-passer in the train! Beware the donor of theatre tickets and quiet entertainments! She may fawn upon you, flatter you, paint bright pictures for you and hold out glittering allurements, but beware of her! She wants your soul and your life! You are worth \$10 or \$50 or \$100 to her! She is skilled in the arts of persuasion! She is the procuress! She is the black shepheress of the white lambs! And she and her creatures are not only of Chicago or New York. It has come to be definitely known that she has attempted her nefarious agencies in London, and on the trains that come to London.

Tried to Ensnare Two. For some time the police and newspapers have been hearing stories of "white slavery" in London and the vicinity, but until the present time nothing with sufficient warrant to cause investigation has come to their attention until a city official, made known that there had been a deliberate attempt to ensnare two girls by a notorious London woman on a train coming to London.

The woman in question is well known to the detectives and newspapers. Not more than two or three days ago an advertiser representative was walking with a citizen and the woman was pointed out to him.

Young Girls Perils. "That woman is working some sort of game with young girls here," said the latter, and proceeded to relate a story of how he had heard that she could secure women for those who sought them.

Two young sisters were riding in an afternoon train coming toward London. One of them was to have stopped at a station some distance from the city, and the other was going to change at a junction and proceed to Detroit. One of them was 17 years of age, and the other 19 years of age, and one of them had been working as a milliner in Detroit.

Throws Out the Lure. The London woman—she is elderly and matronly-looking—struck up a conversation with the girls, and learned that one of them was going to Detroit. While her sister was absent, the latter was the proprietress of a large millinery establishment in London, and that she would like to show the girl the stock, and entertain her for a few hours in London.

Having a day or two for leisure if she cared before returning to Detroit, the girl agreed with the offer, and stated that she would have to have her ticket changed in order that she might come to London.

It was when she applied to the conductor to extend her ticket that the designs of the woman became apparent. As the woman was sitting with her sister, the conductor did not refuse to alter the ticket, but as he knew the reputation of the woman in some degree, he became suspicious. When the other sister alighted at her station he saw her on the platform, and was told that her sister had decided to go on to London to see the millinery establishment. He informed the sister of his suspicions, and stated that he would see that the girl did not fall into the clutches of the procuress. He was aware that the woman had no millinery establishment, and he was thoroughly aroused.

Warned the Girl. Re-entering the train he found the girl by herself, and he immediately

THE WEATHER.

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including London, Toronto, and other cities.

told her of the grave danger in which she had placed herself. She immediately agreed to go on to Detroit, and when the woman again approached her she refused to allow her to sit in the same seat. She alighted at the junction where she was to make a change, transformed by what appeared to her as an awful experience from an innocent country girl into a sophisticated woman able to take care of herself. She went over her escape, and warmly thanked the conductor.

Tries It Again. The latter resolved to find out as much as possible about the woman, and induced the brakeman to chat with her. Her stamp of character was not long in revealing itself. Nevertheless when another young girl boarded the coach at another station further down the line, she attempted to strike up a conversation. The conductor was watching her, and he arranged the woman in such language as will not be forgotten in many years. He threatened to turn her over to the police upon arriving in the city, but realized there would be difficulty in proving a charge against her.

STEEL COMPANY IS FIGHTING FOR LIFE IN COURTS

President James A. Farrell the First Witness Called For the Defence.

One Year Will Be Required to Complete the Case For the Corporation.

[Canadian Press.] New York, May 12.—Taking of testimony for the defence in the Government suit to dissolve the United States Steel Corporation under the Sherman law began yesterday with James A. Farrell, president of the corporation, as the first witness. The case for the Government was completed in February, and it is expected that it will be completed in a few days.

Rose Rapidly. Questioned by the American Steel and Wire Company, one of the present consolidated American manufacturers, later he became foreman sales agent. His next step upward was the presidency of the United States Steel Products Company, another subsidiary of the parent corporation, to which he was elected in 1903. He became president and director of the parent corporation, and in that position in 1911.

Big Business. Mr. Farrell said that the corporation's export business had grown in value from \$21,000,000 to \$22,000,000 since 1904, and that none of its subsidiaries could have maintained foreign agencies on the scale established by the corporation, with branches in sixty countries, "from Iceland to the Fiji Islands."

NO DECISION YET. Supreme Court Has Many Important Cases to Pass Upon. [Canadian Press.] Washington, May 12.—The supreme court recessed today until May 26 with announcing decisions in the state rate or other important cases before it. It is understood an attempt will be made to decide all before the adjournment for the summer on June 3.

LATE FRED H. BAYLY, who succumbed to injuries due to kick from his horse.



2,000 USED SUNDAY CARS

Tariff Largely That of Church Goers and People From St. Thomas Trains.

SOME WENT TO PORT

It is estimated by the officials of the London and Lake Erie Transportation Company that two thousand persons were carried on the line on Sunday, the first Sabbath on which the cars have run for a year.

NEW ACT HITS SMALLER BARS

No Drinks Will Be Served Until After 8 o'Clock in the Future.

MANY THIRSTY ONES

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, May 12.—The coming into effect of the new act closing the hotels until 8 o'clock in the morning, was not felt by the larger down-town bars here today, but in the smaller places and in the outlying districts, a creaking many men ready to enter the bars.

POLICE CHIEF NOT WORRYING

Over Finance Committee's Cutting Out of Patrol and Station Estimates.

DEMANDS MUST BE MET

Chief Williams is not at all worried at the action of the finance committee at a meeting Saturday afternoon, when it decided to cut out of the budget a police patrol of 200 men, and a number of stations. "It does not worry me in the least," said the chief. "The commission has asked for those things as being necessary, and according to law the city council has to give them to us. The police commission in this city does not ask for very much, and the things it does request are absolute necessities. We need an auto patrol here, and need it badly on account of the large territory we have to cover, and we also need men located in East London to properly patrol the recently-annexed districts."

PLAN TO REUNITE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Conference of Senators and Leaders is Being Held in Chicago. [Canadian Press.] Chicago, May 12.—First steps toward reuniting the Republican party were taken at a conference of Republican United States senators and other leaders of the party here today. The conference decided to ask the Republican national committee at its meeting May 24 at Washington to issue a call for a national convention this year.

To reorganize the party along progressive lines? Senator A. B. Cummings of Iowa, Senator Wm. B. Borah of Idaho, and former Governor H. S. Hadley, together with the other leaders at the conference agreed that the proposed convention shall change the basis of representation in future conventions and make other radical changes, so that the party shall stand "for constructive and progressive activities in the affairs of government."

Why Were Tenders Not Called For? INCINERATOR BUILDER CAME TO LONDON FOR CHANCE TO FIGURE ON \$40,000 GARBAGE PLANT READY TO GUARANTEE APPARATUS FOR \$25,000

McGuire Company Not Given the Courtesy of Reply When It Sent Letters to Ascertain When Plant Would Be Built—Would Not Have Cost City a Cent if It Failed to Give Satisfaction—Some Information That the Taxpayers Are Entitled to Receive.

Did London get an efficient incinerator for the lowest possible price? On Saturday The Advertiser published a letter from the Toronto Furnace and Crematory Company in which that company stated that it was not given a chance to tender on the plant, that its charge for London incinerator, or one of equal capacity, would have been from \$20,000 to \$22,000.

London incinerator has cost the city \$29,750, exclusive of the land. If the Toronto firm had been given a chance to tender, and its offer had been accepted this would have meant a saving of \$17,000 to \$19,000.

Was It Good Business?

Without the slightest idea of putting the muckrake into the administration of London municipal affairs of 1912, does this appeal to London citizens as having been good business for the city? Was it businesslike, to say the least, to consider only one company, and to fail to call for tenders. Could London have lost anything by calling for tenders?

The city of Montreal wrote The Advertiser to the effect that it had secured an incinerator of 400 tons for \$29,000. London paid more for an incinerator with 50 tons capacity.

Unable to Get a Chance. Another incinerator firm which endeavored to tender on the incinerator and was unsuccessful was the W. H. McGuire Sanitary Furnace Company, of Hobart, Oklahoma. This is an American company, which has its apparatus patented in Canada, and which

had a representative in the city seeking a chance to tender. The Advertiser wrote to this company and has received the following answer: Dear Sir,—Yours of April 26 received, and will say in reply that I called in person on the Hon. John H. Beattie, mayor, Dr. T. V. Hutchinson, city health officer, and two councilmen.

One of them was a Mr. Morgan, a supply dealer, and the other a blacksmith by trade. I fail to recall his name, as this was in the fall of 1911.

I explained the McGuire incinerator proposition in detail to the above gentlemen. I had a talk over the phone with Mr. H. A. Clark, of the board of health, and made an appointment to meet him at a hotel, but as a date was not set there on time he had taken a train out of the city. I also called on another councilman at an automobile garage.

After I returned to the United States, I occasionally wrote to Mr. Clark and Mr. Morgan and received a few letters from Mr. Morgan. In his last letter he informed me that he was out of office, and advised me when to write to which I did and never received a reply.

I tried to get a line on things, and find out when the contract would be let. I never could find out anything, and as late as this spring wrote Dr. Hutchinson and Mr. Clark and to date have received no reply from either.

Our price for a 50-ton plant every 24 hours is \$25,000, including all necessary equipment in every respect. Our plants are installed under a written guarantee to reduce dead animals and all kinds of garbage to an odorless

ash without any offensive or objectionable odor. Should the plant fail to fulfill any or all of the terms of the contract and guarantor, your city would not be liable for one cent. Each of the above gentlemen referred to were fully advised of what we would obligate ourselves to do.

I hope I have answered all of your questions, and if not do not hesitate to write me, as I hold the Canadian right in full for this incinerator and will gladly furnish any information you may desire. Trusting this information will be of value to you, I remain, yours very truly, M. V. DECKER.

Hobart, Okla., May 3, 1913. Not Worth a Postage Stamp? In common with other incinerator

builders, these contractors were no doubt watching the construction magazines to secure information that would lead to their submitting a tender. In addition they sent many letters to the city, and received answers only in a few cases. Who else received letters from the McGuire Company? Did a chance to save \$14,750 for the citizens of London seem not worth a postage stamp?

In an article on the incinerator matter printed Saturday, a typographical error made it appear that the Toronto Furnace and Crematory Company offered to build a 50-ton incinerator, "in 2 steel-clad units of 2 tons each." This should have appeared as "two steel-clad units of 25 tons each." The Toronto company states that its price on the London plant would have been from \$20,000 to \$22,000.

NO SOLUTION AS TO GARBAGE

Health Department Watching Problem and May Take Hand in Matter.

CITIZENS DOING BEST

Local members of the board of health are curious to know what the city is going to do about the garbage problem. So far the health department of the city has not interfered in the situation, the citizens, sometimes themselves, making an honest effort to dispose of their garbage. In deciding to build an incinerator the city council took the garbage problem out of the hands of the board of health, but if the problem is not satisfactorily handled, in the prevention of nuisances or offenses to the public health, the board will have to take over the collection service will not begin until midsummer, when it is expected the new incinerator will be in operation. The matter will be discussed at the meeting of the board of health on Tuesday, but it is not quite clear what action can be taken. The problem is badly tangled up, and is very annoying to the citizens, who with the private collectors going out of business and the city not ready to begin, are put to great expense and trouble in disposing of garbage.

LOVELY CAT ADOPTS YOUNG ORPHAN FOX

Kitten and Its Playmate Get Along Splendidly Together. [Special to The Advertiser.] Kingsville, May 12.—A cat owned by A. J. Carter, after losing seven of a litter of kittens, has adopted a young fox, the surviving one of the litter born at his place recently. The cat is capably looking after the family, the adopted fox and the kitten enjoying great frolics together.

FIFTEEN CASES TO BE HEARD

License Inspector Ayerst Paid an Unexpected Visit to Lucknow. [Special to The Advertiser.] Lucknow, May 11.—Provincial Inspector Ayerst was here on Saturday and laid many charges of violation of the local option bylaw. There are 15 charges against John McGarry, of the McGarry House, T. F. Cain, of the Cain House; J. T. Armstrong, druggist; Jas. Hunter and David Thompson, for violation of the bylaw. The cases will be tried in Kincardine on Tuesday.

LOCAL OPTION TOWN

Although she kept a strict watch, she was never able to learn where the goods were going, and in despair she was about to close her store, because her profits in that section were small, and the drain was more than she could stand. A couple of weeks ago she bought a pound of smoking tobacco, and a like amount of chewing tobacco. Out of the two lots she sold six plugs and the rest disappeared. Several days ago she left her store after locking up, to attend the funeral of her nephew in St. Thomas, and on her return she noticed that several small articles were missing. A lot of sugar was spilled over the counter and childish handmarks could be discerned in the barrel. In spite of a rigorous investigation she was unable to discover the culprits, and she was about to close up her store on Saturday night, when one of her neighbors, the mother of the little girl in the case, made the important discovery.

PRISONERS HAD NO FOOD OR WATER AND MANY DIED

British Missionary Tells of Horrible Treatment Accorded to the Turks by Bulgarians After the Fall of Adrianople. [Canadian Press.] New York, May 12.—A cable to the Tribune from London says: A woman connected with the British Red Crescent staff gives an appalling picture of the treatment of Turkish prisoners after the capture of Adrianople. She says the prisoners were left without food or shelter to fend for themselves as best they could. They were crowded into a room, and they were forced to make an attempt to eat the bark and do without fires. They were all gaunt and weary, hopeless, miserable, hungry and cold, but the condition of the sick was terrible. They had no medical attention of any kind, water or a crust of bread, exposed to the sun in the day and the cold at night. Some hoarsely begged for water, one or two prayed, some groined or screamed

ALIEN LAND BILL MAY BE VETOED BY GOV. JOHNSON

Secretary Bryan Is Trying Hard To Settle the Japanese Trouble.

President Wilson Is Confident That the Matter Will Be Adjusted.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, D. C., May 12.—President Wilson believes negotiations between Japan and the United States over the alien land legislation in California, are not in an alarming stage, but that the interchange of views thus far had been along frank and friendly lines calculated to remove the appearance of discrimination against Japanese subjects.

The President, discussing the subject informally today, took the position that the whole thing would be settled by the treaty between Japan and the United States. He intimated that Japan's protest was not founded upon a claim that the treaty would be broken in any way, but upon the ground that there was an effort to discriminate against Japanese on the ground of their alleged ineligibility to citizenship.

Not Yet Passed Upon. The President said that the question of naturalization had not entered the discussion with the Japanese ambassador, but that, of course, underlying the bill, it was realized that the bill had not finally passed upon the question of eligibility.

It was upon the basis that Japanese were not accorded the privilege of citizenship that the appearance of discrimination within the bill had arisen, and it was intimated at the White House that hope was that the legislation in California either would be vetoed by Governor Johnson or defeated by a referendum to permit smoothing over some features of the situation.

Frankness Prevails. President Wilson endeavored to make it plain that the greatest frankness had been shown between the two governments even to the abandonment of many diplomatic formalities. The confidence that the President placed in Secretary Bryan, and the Japanese ambassador were described as being those of one gentleman to another.

Intimations that the Japanese protest itself was couched neither in vigorous nor aggressive language, but was formal and friendly in character, came from the President himself in his talk today, and was pointed out by the press. It was pointed out that the phrase "a very earnest protest," employed by Secretary Bryan in his message to Governor Johnson, was the description of the protest, and not the emphasis of the Japanese ambassador.

Makes an Appeal. Washington, D. C., May 12.—The fact that Secretary of State Bryan has addressed an appeal to Governor Johnson of California, to veto the alien land law inasmuch as the governor had unofficially at least, repeatedly declared his purpose to sign the bill, if it passed the legislature, is taken as evidence by official circles here as indicating either that some powerful influences have been brought to bear upon the governor in the interest of delay, or more probably that the Wilson Administration is perfecting its record.

A Double Purpose. In this action there may be a double purpose. First, to satisfy Japan, that the Federal Government has done all it can to prevent the legislation under its constitutional limitations, of which many diplomats contend Japan should have been aware when it entered into treaty relations, and secondly, to place upon the responsibility for any serious outcome of the alien land legislation, the State of California.

As the Legislature is near the end of its session, it is expected that Governor Johnson's reply will be forthcoming today or tomorrow. If the yields to Secretary Bryan's appeal the element of urgency will be removed as Japanese land owners in California will not be in immediate danger of loss of their property, and the State Department can at its leisure embark upon negotiations with the Japanese embassy for a new treaty to replace that of 1911, and provide some permanent means of adjustment of the rights of the citizens of one country resident in the other.

To Satisfy Japs. It has been suggested that possibly by a flat declaration that neither country shall adjust the rights of citizens of the other to hold land in its territories, the Japanese may be satisfied.

Should Governor Johnson decide to sign the bill notwithstanding federal opposition, legal proceedings are also certain to follow the first attempt of the California authorities to expropriate the property of the Japanese land holders. Probably an issue could be made up immediately by some such land holder undertaking to transfer his land to another Japanese in California.

CHUTES BURNED

Grand Trunk Loss Is \$20,000 in Blaze at Belleville. [Canadian Press.] Belleville, May 12.—The coal chutes in connection with the G. T. R. in this city were burned this morning, entailing a loss estimated at about \$20,000. The large structure, situated in the yard, and being constructed of timber, burned rapidly. Five coal cars laden with coal were burned. Upwards of 300 tons of coal were consumed. It is not definitely known how the fire originated.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING

[Canadian Press.] Collinsville, May 12.—Five employees of the Texas Pipe Line Company were instantly killed today by a stroke of lightning. Two others were probably fatally injured. The men were driving to the company's oil field, three miles from town, when the bolt struck them.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

DEATHS. COOMBS—At his late residence, 622 Queen's avenue, on Sunday morning, May 11, 1913, Henry B. Coombs, in his 57th year.

INGE—At her late residence, 747 Adelaide street, on Sunday, May 11, 1913, Cora Inge, widow of the late Edward Inge, aged 65 years.

REDDY—At his late residence, 169 Cavendish street, on Monday, May 12, 1913, John Reddy, beloved husband of Jane Reddy, aged 74 years.

SHIPLEY—In Victoria Hospital, on Sunday, May 11, 1913, Lionel W. Shipley, of Stratford, aged 75 years.

TOOHY—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Sunday, May 11, 1913, Mary A. Toohy, dearly beloved wife of John Toohy.

HUSHION—In memory of James Gordon Hushion, who passed away May 12, 1911.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES. GRAND OPERA HOUSE. ANNE RUSSELL. School Children's CONCERT.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE. ANNE RUSSELL. School Children's CONCERT. Tuesday and Wednesday, May 13 and 14.

ONE CLASS CABIN. To the Old Country. F. B. CLARKE. Ocean Tickets. E. DE LA HOKE.

TEACHERS WANTED. AGENTS WANTED. STOCK-BROKERS. BUSINESS CHANCES.

OLD-ESTABLISHED CIGAR MANUFACTURING BUSINESS FOR SALE. LADIES WISHING TO IMPROVE AND REALIZE A BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION THROUGH SUMMER MONTHS SHOULD WRITE TO BOX 7.

LOST AND FOUND. GARMENT CUTTING. STUDY DESIGNING LADIES' GARMENTS.

LOST—A YOUNG WHITE PIG, SEVEN WEEKS OLD. FOUND—ON G. T. R. NEAR ADELAIDE STREET.

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CONDENSED ADS.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words. Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.

MEETINGS. DR. SPURGEON. From London England, will speak today in Adelaide Street Baptist Church.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION. MASONIC LODGE, NO. 389, A. F. and A. M. this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

MALE HELP WANTED. MAN WANTED FOR KINDLING. PORTER WANTED—GOOD WAGES.

BAKERS WANTED TO GO TO CAMP with Canadian Army Service Corps. CYLINDER PRESS FEEDERS WANTED.

WANTED—STEADY YOUNG MAN TO drive grocery wagon and assist in store. BOY WANTED FOR DELIVERING parcels.

WANTED—A FEW GOOD BENCH molders for light ironwork. CARPENTERS WANTED. CLAY CUTTER.

WANTED AT ONCE—YOUNG MAN, bookkeeper, with capability to take foremanship. STRONG BOY WANTED.

PAINTERS—BRUSH HANDS AND finishers. MACHINISTS WANTED. HAND SILDERS WANTED.

LABORERS WANTED. APPLY ROLLING MILLS. PRESSMAN WANTED—MODERN SHOP. WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN gardening work.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, MUST BE experienced stenographer and typewriter. OFFICE BOY WANTED BY WHOLESALE firm.

GOOD STRONG BOY WANTED. APPLY Advertiser Job Department. YOUNG MEN WANTED. APPLY D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited.

YOUNG MAN TO OPERATE CUTTING and sewing machine in paper box factory. OFFICE BOY WANTED BY WHOLESALE firm.

WANTED—PROTESTANT TEACHER, holding first or second class certificate. SALESMEN—STEADY POSITION AND good commissions.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY PARISIAN Steam Laundry. SALESLADIES—BRIGHT YOUNG women, must be over 16.

WANTED—GOOD STRONG GIRL FOR kitchen work. CAPABLE PERSON FOR GENERAL household work.

WANTED—HOUSEMAID FOR A FAMILY of three adults. WANTED—GIRL OR BOY FOR GENERAL office work.

GIRLS WANTED TO LEARN PAPER Box making. WANTED—GOOD SERVANT; GOOD wages paid.

EXPERIENCED C.A.P. OPERATORS wanted, also girls experienced on power machines. WANTED—ELDERLY WOMAN TO assist with housework.

WANTED—WOMAN OR GIRL FOR general housework. WANTED AT ONCE—MAID TO HELP with housework.

WOMAN TO DO PLAIN COOKING AND kitchen work. WANTED—RELIABLE NURSE; HOMEAID; references.

WANTED—AN ASSISTANT PANTRY girl; highest wages. GIRLS WANTED FOR PAPER BOX PAINTING.

OLD MIRRORS MADE NEW—FOREST City Glass Co. GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK.

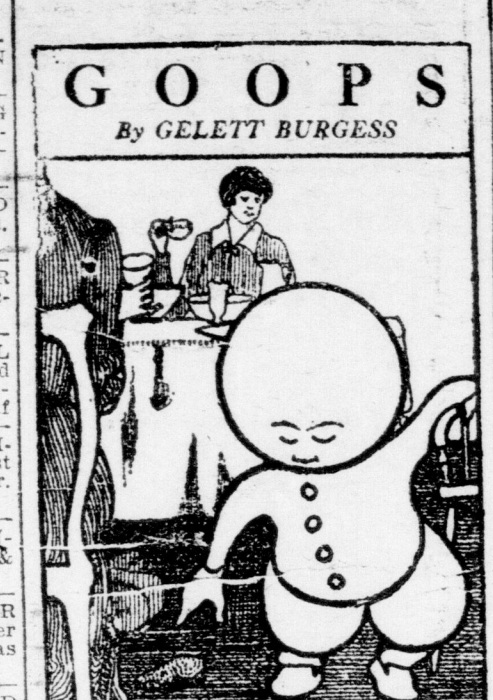
WANTED BY FOURTH OF JUNE—Experienced housemaid. WANTED TO RENT BY JUNE 1—GOOD modern house.

WANTED—I WANT TO BUY A SMALL modern, up-to-date dwelling. SMALL HOUSE WANTED.

WANTED—DEAD HORSES AND cattle. PERKINS & SON, LONDON'S LEADING livey, formerly of Exeter.

WANTED—PEOPLE TO HAVE THEIR shoes repaired. WANTED—PEOPLE TO KNOW THAT Hunt's Diamond Flour makes perfect bread.

WANTED—PEOPLE TO SEE OUR LINE of fine furniture and linens. WANTED—DRIVING TO DO. PHONE 3345 for prompt service.



GOOPS. By GELETT BURGESS. Patrick Burr. Your bread and butter, when 'tis soiled, You should not eat, And if it falls upon the floor, Don't eat it up, but ask for more. Take care! But if it does occur, Don't be a Goop!

WANTED. WANTED TO RENT IMMEDIATELY—Modern house. WANTED—SEWING BY THE DAY.

WANTED—HOUSE IN CENTRAL DISTRICT would pay about \$2,000. WANTED BY FOURTH OF JUNE—Experienced housemaid.

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MEDICAL CARDS.

DR. J. S. SCHRAM—CORNER KENT and Talbot streets. DR. FINGEL—OFFICE, 316 QUEEN'S AVENUE.

DR. W. M. SHORROTHAM, CORNER Richmond and John streets. DR. G. L. CLARKE—EYE, EAR, NOSE and throat.

DR. NORMAN R. HENDERSON, CORNER Park and Dufferin. DR. GEORGE MONTELL—OFFICE and residence, 245 Queen's Avenue.

DR. N. H. BEAL, CORNER OF DUNDAS and Matilda streets. J. R. CAMPBELL, M.A., M.D.—SPECIALIST in diseases of men.

DR. EPHRAIM THOMPSON, 443 PARK AVENUE. DR. J. CAMERON WILSON—OFFICE and residence, 289 Queen's Avenue.

DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE—SPECIALIST in diseases of women. DR. ERNEST WILLIAMS—SPECIALIST in diseases of the heart.

F. L. BURDON, M.D., L.R.C.P. AND S. (Edinburgh)—Special attention diseases of the heart. DR. W. J. WEEKES, 426 WATERLOO street.

DR. HOLMES, 344 RICHMOND STREET—SPECIALIST in diseases of men and women. DR. GORDON L. JEPSON, 210 QUEEN'S AVENUE.

DR. J. D. COLLINS, 171 KENT STREET—PHONE 3344. BUSINESS CARDS. CEMENT FLOORS AND WALKS LAID.

FURNITURE, BAGGAGE REMOVED—Drays, all purposes, prices moderate. AUCTION SALES CONDUCTED—SATISFACTION guaranteed.

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JAMES R. HASLETT installs Plumbing and Heating on Scientific Principles. 521 RICHMOND STREET.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE.

TAILOR'S SPOOL CABINET, CHERRY, 767 sale, 489 King street. FOR SALE—HAND CART, NEARLY new.

SECOND-HAND GO-CART FOR SALE. EGGS FROM THOROUGHBRED S. C. Black Minorcas.

SETTING HENS FOR SALE, ALSO Rhode Island Reds. LARGE MOOSE HEAD, CHEAP; STOCK of books.

PRIVATE SALE OF ENTIRE CONTENTS of handsomely furnished house. NICE HOLSTEIN COW, 4 YEARS OLD.

MEDIUM SIZE PEASE FURNACE, with hot water coil. FOR SALE—LOT OF MANURE, CHEAP.

FOR THE LATEST STYLE TWIN AUTO King, steel arch gear buggies. PIANO SALE. Special sale of Square Pianos.

GOOD DRY WOOD CHEAP. \$2.00 PER LOAD. MOSTLY HARD, 12 OR 16 INCH. GREEN & CO.

480 YORK STREET. FOR SALE—SODA WATER CYLINDER, twelve gallons.

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MR. BORDEN'S DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

In number 15 of his "Kingdom Papers," Mr. John S. Ewart, K. C., of Ottawa, makes a smashing arraignment of the Borden contribution. Certainly the force of his logic against that policy is overwhelming. It is the more so, because Mr. Ewart agrees with Mr. Borden's contention that Canada must do nothing towards imperial defence except she be accorded a voice in shaping imperial policy. He hails Mr. Borden's idea as practically "a declaration of independence," because the British Government will not, as Mr. Borden confesses, admit this country to a voice in defence policy. He objects to the Borden contribution as directly inconsistent with the Borden idea: we are to bear the burden without any participation in counsel.

Said Mr. Borden in the House of Commons, Nov. 24, 1910: "If Canada and any other dominions of the Empire are to take their part as nations of this Empire in the defence of the Empire as a whole, shall it be that we, contributing to that defence of the whole Empire, shall have absolutely no voice in the councils of the Empire touching the issues of peace or war throughout the Empire? I do not think that such would be a tolerable condition. I do not think that people of Canada would for one moment submit to such a condition."

But now he proposes to contribute nearly \$55,000,000, though the British Government has refused his request. Mr. Asquith said at the Imperial Conference of 1911 that to divide with the colonies the control of foreign policy "would in our judgment be absolutely fatal to our present system of responsible government, to the very fundamental conditions on which our Empire has been built up and carried on." Mr. Borden said in the House, Dec. 5, 1912, that the answer of the British Government in the previous summer was that "responsibility for foreign policy could not be shared by Great Britain with the dominions."

Finally, Mr. Harcourt sent to Canada, Dec. 10, 1912, in express answer it seems to a passage of Mr. Borden's speech on Dec. 5th, in which he spoke of British ministers hoping to bring about a solution of joint control and responsibility, a dispatch pointing out that "the committee of Imperial Defence is a purely advisory body, and is not and cannot under any circumstances, become a body deciding on policy, which is and must remain the sole prerogative of the cabinet, subject to the support of the House of Commons."

Mr. Harcourt refers to imperial federation as a "policy for many years a dead issue." If Mr. Borden ever expected that admission of Canadian representations to the committee of Imperial Defence would admit them to a share in shaping British policy, he has got a plain answer. His contribution is, as Mr. Ewart argues, directly contrary to the principle which he has several times announced.

Why Mr. Borden backed down from his principle makes the subject of a trenchant and rather amusing analysis by Mr. Ewart. Here are, in brief, the reasons: 1. The main wing of his party would not approve of his doing nothing. 2. He could not go on with the Canadian navy of Laurier, the only self-respecting course for a Canadian premier, having allied himself with the Nationalists and made engagements.

"The first and biggest answer is in one word—Reciprocity. It is true that reciprocity is a Dominion matter, and the Conservative press and platform were most careful to explain that it had no connection with present issues; but the farmers of Alberta looked back at Saskatchewan, and at the more recent by-election in Macdonald, and they concluded that if they elected a Conservative Government in Alberta that fact would be quoted in Eastern Canada as an indication that the western enthusiasm for wider markets was on the wane. And the farmer of the west today is more desperately in earnest in tariff matters than he was in 1911; because while then he hoped to gain something, now he fears he will lose even that which he already has."

In other words he fears that not only will he not gain anything in the way of wider markets for what he has to sell, but that he may be pinched still more severely by an increase of the duties on what he has to buy. But the Dominion Government must realize that the demand for reciprocity has not set its edge, and that it would be a dangerous provocation of the western farmer to put up the tariff after refusing him wider markets. No doubt the Government would prefer to chloroform reciprocity sentiment by something short of reciprocity itself; but what can it do? It cannot reduce the tariff because it is bound to the interests which financed the last election. Apparently it must rely on the power

of patronage, and on the hope that time will work some economic changes that will make the American market less attractive. This definition reminds one of the negro mother, who sang: "Dop't know what to call 'em, but he's mighty lak a rose." The resemblance of the Anglo-German situation, if there is one, to an "emergency" is about as striking.

If there were an emergency, Mr. Ewart, Mr. Borden's principle of no contribution without representation would reduce this "Without representation, Canada is under no obligation to participate in British wars—except in cases of emergency, and except, more particularly, in the event of war."

MOTHERS' PENSIONS.

At the meeting of the National Council of Women in Montreal last week, a proposal was made to bring before the various provincial governments the advisability of establishing a system of pensions for widowed mothers for the support of their children. After considerable discussion, the matter was referred to a committee to report at the session next year. This is not a novel proceeding. Illinois has had such a law for two years. Since then it has been adopted in Colorado, New Jersey, Ohio and Wisconsin. So far as the experiment has been tried, the results would seem to have been favorable. The only statistics we have seen have been those from Cook County, Illinois, where the juvenile court cared for some 327 mothers, with a total of 1,200 children. The cost averaged \$5.75 per month for each child; while under the plan of providing for these orphans in institutions, it averaged in the same locality \$10 per month. The pension would seem to be the cheapest.

But cheapness is not the principal argument in favor of mothers' pensions. While orphan asylums and homes for children do a good work in caring for the destitute, yet on general principles the mother is the proper guardian of the child. It is no argument against the principle to show that some mothers are very inefficient, and that some children brought up in a mother's charge turn out poorer citizens than those that are brought up in a public institution. These are but the exceptions that prove the rule. The mother is the proper guardian.

Of course, the question is not one to be decided off-hand. It calls for careful consideration. The tendency of charity, whether in the form of state aid or private contributions, to pauperize a certain class, and lead them to depend on others rather than on themselves, must not be lost sight of. Then there is the element of wife desertion. We have seen much of this lately. If a man left by deserting his wife he could secure state aid for his family, there is no doubt it would in some cases be a temptation.

The members of the National Council were wise in delaying action. The experience of those states which have passed mother's pension laws will be a good object lesson. We can wait and see the results of other people's experiments. Many suggestions look well in theory, but prove failures when put into practice. The poor we have with us, and are likely to have for many years in the future, if that the state will get the best return for its outlay is a problem that demands our best thought.

WHY ALBERTA WENT LIBERAL.

Morley Manners undertakes in the Canadian Courier to tell why Alberta went Liberal. The four cities—Calgary, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat and Edmonton—elected seven Conservatives and one Liberal. The result in Calgary is explained by the local feeling that the Government had given everything to Edmonton at Calgary's expense. Lethbridge and Medicine Hat are also in the south where there is a general complaint that in the eagerness to afford railway facilities to the vast area of the north, Southern Alberta has not received its share of development. In Edmonton there was a Liberal faction quarrel. City dwellers, too, are inclined to protection. But why did the rural constituencies of Alberta go almost solidly Liberal? asks Mr. Manners, and he replies:

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WANTED TO KNOW.

[New York World.] A Scottish minister was called in to see a man who was extremely ill, after finishing his visit, as he was leaving the house, he said to the man's wife: "My good woman, do you not go to any church at all?" "Oh, yes, sir; we went to the Baron's Kirk."

"Then, why in the world did you send for me? Why didn't you send for Mr. MacLeod?" "Na, na, sir; deed, no; we wadna risk him. Do you no ken it's a contagious case of typhus?"

A STRANGE SURVIVAL. [San Francisco Star.] Little Marie was sitting on her grandfather's knee one day, and after looking at him intently for a time, she said: "Grandpa, was you in the ark?" "Certainly not, my dear," answered the astonished old gentleman. "Then," continued the little informant, "why wasn't you drowned?"

ART AND ABSINTHE. [St. Louis Post-Dispatch.] The exhibit of futuristic art which is being foted around the country at least will convince ordinary mortals that Congress acted wisely in forbidding the importation of absinthe.

NOT A MACHINIST. "Could you help me to take a chicken apart?" "I'm afraid not," answered the groom. "I know very little about machinery."

A BABY'S EYES. [Argonaut Charles Swinburne.] A baby's eyes, ere speech begin, Ere lips learn words, or sighs, Bless all things bright enough to win A baby's eyes.

Love, while the sweet thing laughs and lies, And sleep flows out and in, Lies perfect in their paradise. Their speech might cast out pain and grief, Their speech make dumb the wise; But maby glad godhead felt within A baby's eyes.

THE PRICE. [Chicago Record-Herald.] The ones who thrive in sinful ways, May think success attends them, And give Good Fortune lavish praise; For every gain she sends them, They may be filled with pride and think, As low and lower still they sink, The god of chance defends them.

A FEW LINES FOR MOST ANYTHING. FRONT ELEVATION OF THE NEW MONUMENT.

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Our Weak Ones Have Left Us. Both Victims of Public Opinion. It's rather difficult to convince a healthy boy that manuring his nails is one of the manly acts.

Good-evening, have you done your Maying yet? Neither have we. St. Thomas has a new cemetery. It is a very large cemetery. When thinking of rare definitions, don't forget the boy who said, "A hill is a field with its back up."

Joy and Sorrow. Soon now will the circus poster/ Decorate the country town, And the young man and the maiden Go and giggle at the dawn. Go and giggle at the dawn, Go and giggle at the dawn, Go and giggle at the dawn.

To Dr. Hill, of Our Health Department. How's your health, Doc? We are giving a little affair of eight or ten covers, May we borrow a turtle or two? Promising to return in good order and believing that turtle soup is potent if turtle serum is not, We are, yours, ELECTRA.

Hint to Gardeners. A good way to keep pollywogs out of one's penunias is to hire a duck. A picture of Roosevelt's lions mounted on this great family journal, We could believe that they were stuffed by T. R. himself.

Anxiously Awaited. "Free wool, free sugar," hobo cried, "On every side I hear What we consumers need the most, And long for, is free beer."

Life Too Uncertain. He walked along a country road, An auto car it struck him—Zim!

And while he rested in a lot, An aeroplane fell down on him.

IT IS. [Yonkers Statesman.] Yeast—see street gas lamps were first used in London in 1807. Crismonbeak—Indeed, I didn't know that joke about the fellow holding up a lamp-post in the early morning hours was as old as that.

SOME RELIEF IN SIGHT. [Stray Stories.] "I got a new attachment for the family piano," said Mr. Growder, "and it's a wonderful improvement." "What is it?" "A lock and key."

NO CHANGES IN PRESENT POLICY SAY MUSICIANS

American Federation Meeting in Toronto, With 300 Delegates Present.

Splendid Progress Has Been Made During the Year, Says President.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, May 12.—The rotunda of the King Edward Hotel was thronged today with 300 delegates for the convention of the American Federation of Musicians, which opens this afternoon for a week of business. The meeting may be a most amiable one, and still, although the national executive do not know of any proposed radical changes in any way, it may result in something of a hot nature. "We have really no burning question before us," said Joe S. Weber, New York city, for 13 years chairman. "It is the first time we have been in Toronto, and of all conventions the accommodation here has been the best."

Splendid Progress. "The progress of the last year has been marvellous," Canada states today 40 delegates, representing over 2,000 members, and this convention will be the biggest one ever held by the federation on the American continent. No one can tell beforehand what new changes may be proposed, as any member may send a resolution, and this is referred to the proper committee—we have nine committees—and then brought before the convention, which is the supreme body.

No Changes Planned. "There will be no change in the personnel of the officers, but one thing you may say, and that is this, that the entire profession is organized on the American continent. There is not an orchestra, opera, or symphony, or band that is not now affiliated with this body, and there will be no change in policy," the president told the Canadian Press.

At 1 o'clock a monster parade of delegates and their friends, led by a band of 100 pieces, left the King Edward Hotel for the Labor Temple, where the mayor opened the proceedings.

Old Masters Will Be Put Up At Auction

[Canadian Press.] New York, May 12.—A cable from London to the Tribune says: It is understood that negotiations are in progress, for the sale by auction in London next month of the Stafford House collection of old masters, the property of the Duke of Sutherland.

PARKHILL CONCERT A GREAT SUCCESS

Musical Society Band Made a Hit With All Numbers. [Special to The Advertiser.] Parkhill, May 12.—The concert given by the Musical Society Band in the town hall was a great success. Several numbers were given and the band was well received. The program was most interesting and the players, vocal numbers were given by Miss Adelaide Gibbs, of Parkhill, and Miss Jessie Steele, of Forest, and received hearty applause.

TAUGHT IN WINGHAM

George Buchanan Dies in Winnipeg After a Brief Illness. [Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, May 12.—George Buchanan, aged 53, chief clerk in the Winnipeg customs office, died Sunday. He was born at Port Hope, studied law in Toronto, and taught school in Wingham before coming west 20 years ago. Many relatives live in Toronto and Wingham.

W. K. GEORGE, one of the new governors of Toronto University.



Mr. George is a director of the L. and L. E. T. Company, of this city.

THIS little boy is known as "Tommy George," the mysterious youngster at the Children's Shelter, Toronto, who would rather stay with the authorities than go home.



He refuses to divulge anything that would lead to his real identity. Apparently the parents are unconcerned.

LONDON WOMAN

(Continued From Page One.) The police were notified of the occurrence, and given the name of the woman. They state that a close watch will be kept upon her movements. While it is not possible to reveal her identity, it may be stated that she is the widow of a man who was at one time a public official in London. "I thought she never knew anything," she has long been suspected of having at times conducted a house in which women of uncertain reputation were admitted.

One Case of Many. This is but one case of a dozen that have been heard by Advertiser reporters. In the other cases there was a desire to shun publicity, and the facts could not be verified. But in view of an authentic case coming to light, the others may be briefly narrated.

Sensational though it may seem, it is stated that a fashionably-dressed stranger had induced a girl working in a London store to attend a theatre after having professed gratitude for the service the girl had given. The girl preferred going to the theatre alone and was given a single ticket. Another girl in the store witnessed the presentation and secured the number of the seat, she went to the theatre and got a seat directly behind it.

At the performance she saw the girl enter, and in a short time the woman and a man left their seats behind the girl. The three struck up a conversation, and in the course of the evening a box of chocolates was passed. A few minutes later the girl had eaten the candy, she appeared to become violently ill, screaming great concern over her "illness," the man and woman assisted her to the outside.

Another case recently related in this city was that of a Hamilton young woman who was induced by a stranger to go man riding in a Pullman to Toronto to go to her home. She was locked in a room and kept there until she appealed to a young man and was released. Many other even more sensational stories have been told to newspapermen. That there was an organized gang working in London to secure girls for Buffalo and Detroit is not a great mystery, but the vigilance of the police has never been rewarded by a capture. Recently a Stratford girl was sent home after she had been in a house for some time, and the police are still endeavoring to secure a second man who is believed to have drugged a respectable girl and to have thrown her out of a buggy on the main streets.

The conductors on the local club are all men notified to be on the lookout for suspicious characters, and it is believed that the woman recently caught red-handed at the game has been operating on the trains around the city for some time.

SOAKED THE UMP.

Stovall's Friends Now Asking That He Be Dealt With Leniently. [Canadian Press.] St. Louis, Mo., May 12.—President Ban Johnson, of the American League, today will receive a letter from the directors of the St. Louis club, asking it is understood, leniency in the punishment to be meted out to George Stovall, suspended as manager of the local team, because he jerked an umpire's cap off his head and spat on him.

The letter, decided upon at a meeting of the directors of the local club yesterday, asks that the directors desire to obtain Stovall as manager and that the club is weakened materially when he is absent.

FOREST.

Forest, May 12.—Wilfred Duffus, G. T. R. operator, has gone to Owen Sound to take the position of night operator there. C. S. Rawlings, of Toronto, spent last week here looking after his estate in the West. J. J. Potts has arrived home from Preston greatly benefited in health. Mrs. Potts went on to Toronto to visit her mother, Mrs. Lee, and sister, Mrs. Merritt. Miss Edna Duffus spent the week with her parents, near Ravenswood. Mr. and Mrs. Norman McCordie, of London, are visiting Mr. McCordie's mother and other relatives in town prior to leaving for the West, where they will reside in future. Dr. and Mrs. Treadgold have bought

AGRICULTURAL STUDY WILL BE ENCOURAGED

International Institute Will Translate Works Into All Languages. [Canadian Press.] Rome, May 12.—The general assembly of the international institute of Agriculture was called today when the Italian minister to Italy, Dr. Carlo Manuel de Azunza, proposed that the work of the institute be translated into all languages and distributed in all countries. This was unanimously approved.

Marquis Capone, president of the institute, spoke, thanking the countries represented for their generous contributions. He expressed the satisfaction of the King of Italy at the progress and achievements of the institute.

COMPANY TO FIGHT FORT WILLIAM STRIKE

Men Declare They Had Nothing To Do With Fatal Rioting. [Canadian Press.] Fort William, May 12.—The joint board of the street railway system at a meeting today decided to stand firm and defeat the strikers at all costs. It was decided to ask Port Arthur and Fort William for police protection, and if this is granted they say the usual service will be operated.

No cars have been running since the rioting of last night, and all is quiet at the coal docks today. The street railway strikers declare that they had nothing to do with Sunday's rioting, and say it was the work of foreigners, many of them Socialists.

OBJECTS TO CHARGES

[Canadian Press.] Ossining, N. Y., May 12.—John S. Kennedy, warden of Sing Sing Prison, issued a statement today, declaring that he would ask the grand jury to investigate the report of conditions at Sing Sing submitted by George W. Blake to Governor Sulzer. Mr. Kennedy said he would request the grand jury to ascertain if the criminal libel law had been violated.

"I am not a man the right to criticize my business methods," reads Mr. Kennedy's statement, "but to no man the privilege of directly or indirectly accusing me of dishonesty or of incompetency of graft."

THE WORLD'S WORK DEPENDS ON THE WORLD'S DIGESTION

From the captain of industry to the food carrier—from military in the auto to the woman with the scrubbing brush—the accomplishments of every one of us depend absolutely on the accomplishment of our stomachs. Backed by a good digestion, a man can give the best that is in him. When his stomach fails, he becomes a weakling.

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A PAGE FOR WOMEN

Bright Articles Daily on Women's Interests and Activities Here and There

DO YOU WORRY ABOUT GROWING OLD?

"You Shouldn't," Says Billie Burke, "For Our Greatest, Most Popular, Most Famous, Best-Loved Women Are Old in Years."

I have always wondered why women were so afraid of growing old; but when I voiced ideas on the subject someone always said, "Why, of course, you are young enough not to worry yet awhile."

I don't think I shall worry even when I have passed that line where the woman begins to worry, for I am going to do things up to the moment I leave this mundane sphere. Thank the fates it has been demonstrated in the last few years that a woman can accomplish things in the great world's movements outside the one task that has always been hers—that of bearing children.

This perhaps is the reason why women have dreaded old age, because they have dreaded the time when, according to the world's verdict, their one occupation should be gone.

It is entirely different today. Now most women just begin to live after their children have grown up, even after their grandchildren have grown.

The leaders of society today are grandmothers. Our greatest actress is a great grandmother and although some people say that the human voice rarely lasts after middle age, not many of our greatest opera singers are under 40.

Our famous woman writers and painters are all middle-aged, and then why should one worry about growing old.

The young girl is only a creature of general lack of interest and enthusiasm which the mature woman if she is wise, fills her highest destiny makes an out of it all.

Keep your head up. Don't grow your chin in. Don't close your mouth in a determined manner just before you go to sleep. Use plenty of cold water on your face and neck and above all don't wear ugly high collars. Don't think unkind or pessimistic thoughts. This is the best world you've got.

Yes, I know this is only a sensible routine or do you think that if you would be young and beautiful until you die means that one has let the world run you have only to practice a sensible means that shows indolence and a good health and good thought regime.



"Now, Most Women Begin To Live After Their Children Have Grown."

A Sweeping Change

In springtime, when the word she gave Would I, her glad perspiring slave, The tacks pry out once more; I hauled, and rolled, and brushed, and beat, Then "putting down" our heads would meet, And how a kiss made labor sweet When Flora swept the floor!

Ah, me! From which you may infer Home's pleasures are not what they were In simpler days of yore; Science our joy domestic robs, And vacuum pumps now do the jobs We did with sentimental throbs, When Flora swept the floor. —Frederick Maxon, In Judge.

Daily Menu

- TUESDAY. BREAKFAST. Cooked Cereal. Coffee. Stewed Rhubarb. Muffins. DINNER. Beefsteak. Creamed Onions. Lemon Pie. SUPPER. Potato Salad. Cold Tongue. Shredded Pineapple. Cake. Tea. SEASONABLE RECIPES. Fruit Salad. Soak half box of gelatine in a generous pint of water, add the juice of two lemons and two cupfuls of sugar. Bring to a boil and strain. When cool pour over two sliced oranges, two bananas, half cupful of cherries, half cupful of English walnut meats as nearly whole as possible. Stand on the ice till it sets. Serve with whipped cream.

Casserole of Lamb. The next time you are preparing lamb get out your casserole and you will be delighted with the results of the given recipe.

Take two pounds of lamb from back, two tablespoonfuls drippings, two and a half cupfuls well seasoned stock, one-half teaspoonful onion juice, five tablespoonfuls well washed rice, one cupful canned or stewed tomatoes. Suit the lamb from bones in pieces suitable for serving and put with pepper and salt. Fry in drippings, add rice and onion juice, then the tomato and stock. Let come to boiling point, pour into casserole and bake in slow oven till tender—about two hours.

Coat Styles

The cutaway coat is not only considered the ultra mode by Paris, but it has won the favor of the best-dressed women, because it has the long and graceful lines that are needed to attain fashion's silhouette this season.

There are dozens of cutaway styles, from the quiet conservative two-button and moderate dip-back model, to the one that almost duplicates the coat of a man's evening dress suit. Some of these coats are quite short, others are very long—this variety so that women of all figures can have these coats in becoming styles.

Fads of Fashion

Virgin blue, sapphire and Dresden still hold supremacy. Sheerest possible bolides are seen on evening gowns. More closely to the head than ever clings the fashionable coiffure. Silk stockings, with open work cloaks, are the mode for evening.

For the Sick-Room.

Dear Miss Grey: Would you kindly tell me through your helpful column, the name of a sweet smelling disinfectant for a sickroom, and oblige?

Book Information.

Dear Miss Grey: I saw in "The London Advertiser" of May 6, that "Black Beth" wanted to know the author, and where the book "Paid For" could be obtained.

Heated Carriages.

Closed, heated carriages for all occasions. Palace Livery. Phone 338. Ross & Boss, proprietors.

Kitchen Program For the Maid

This program might be hung up on the kitchen wall. It is culled from the practice of a methodical house-keeper, and is offered by us as a suggestion to others. It saves a constant reminding if maids have poor memories.

Daily Program. Go over house, straightening up. These things should always be done in the morning, except on wash day. Bathroom fixtures wiped out and left clean. Beds made, bureaus dusted, scraps on floors taken up with sweeper, porch brushed if it needs it, living-room dusted. In the afternoon fill oil heater, trim wick, empty garbage pail, burn all papers, empty scrap basket. Lie down or take a walk. There is plenty of time.

Monday—Clean silver, candlesticks, etc. Scald and clean ice-box and bread box. Tuesday—Wash. Wednesday—Scrub and disinfect bathroom. Thursday—Clean alcohol stoves. Clean bathroom and bedrooms. Go home after lunch dishes are washed. Friday—Clean living-room, sleeping porch, scrub floor, air fireless cooker, scrub shed. In cleaning floors are to be oiled, windows cleaned and furniture polished as it needs to be done. Always pour over two sliced oranges, two bananas, half cupful of cherries, half cupful of English walnut meats as nearly whole as possible. Stand on the ice till it sets. Serve with whipped cream.

To go on cheerfully with a petty round of little duties, little avocations, to smile for the joy of others and to do this, his works will follow him. He may not be a hero of the world, but he is one of God's heroes.—Canon Farrar.

Fashionable Shoe for 1913

Women with high feet and women with little feet will have plenty of sailor ties in the spring outfits—if they can afford it. Sailor ties with cloth quarters—quarters meaning the tops of low shoes—are very popular, and when the cloth matches the wearer's suit or gown, they are very effective. Sailor ties are low shoes that aren't tied at all but are fastened with buckles.

The Housekeeper's Attire

Before beginning to cook make sure that the hands and nails are perfectly clean and the hair neatly dressed. The above is quoted from good authority and should be followed, writes Alice G. Kirk. But the strange thing in the above quotation is that the one great fact was lost sight of entirely, and that was the dress of the housekeeper who was to prepare the meal.

The Poets' Corner

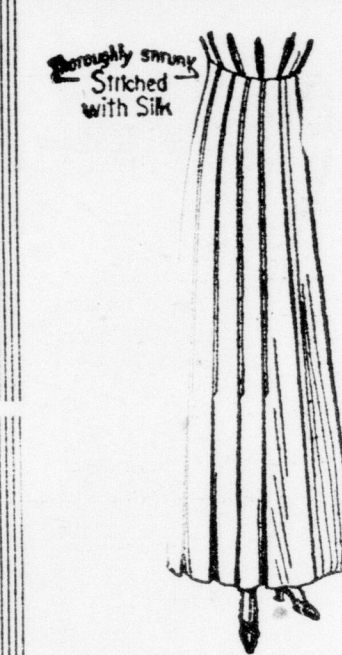
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THE WORD OF PRAISE.

There is nothing better for a human being, sometimes, than a little hearty praise. Many good people conscientiously set on the perfectly opposite, and seem to think nothing better than a little hearty blame. They are mistaken, conscientious in their blame as they may be. There are sore burdens enough in life, bitterness and pain enough, hard work enough, and little enough for it, enough to depress a man and keep him humble—a keen



Separate Skirts AT CLEARING PRICES

AS THE time is drawing near when we will be moving into our new store, we are beginning our attacks on our large stocks, and prices are being slaughtered to reduce these goods. At present we find we have more Skirts than we should have, and consequently this department will see some big bargains this week. These are all new lines, and are the best of value.

Women's Separate Skirts, \$2.75 These Skirts are made of very good quality French panama, in black and navy, and have panel backs and raised waistline. These are splendidly tailored and prettily designed. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. Regular \$4.00 values, for \$2.75

Serge and Panama Dress Skirts, \$3.75 These are regular \$5.00 values, and are made of fine French panama and all-wool serges. Are made in panel back style with high waistline. Some have single pleats on side, others with double pleats. All are beautifully tailored and fit perfectly. All sizes. Selling at \$3.75

Misses Tailored Separate Skirts, \$2.00 These are made of all-wool tweeds, in navy, tan, brown and gray shades; raised waist-line and panel backs. A splendid skirt for spring and summer wear. Sizes 33, 35, 36 and 37. Clearing sale price \$2.00

Children's Spring Coats, \$3.75 14 only Children's Spring Coats, made of all-wool cheviot cloths, in tan, maize and cardinal shades. Neatly trimmed on collar and cuffs with fancy braid. Sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12. Special sale price \$3.75

IF ORDERING ABOVE SKIRTS BY MAIL, INCLUDE 25c EXPRESSAGE.

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PROBLEMS OF THE FAIR SEX SOLVED BY CYNTHIA GREY

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received. No letters can be answered privately.]

A Foolish Girl. Dear Miss Grey—Last night my sister told me that she and a young man in the elevator in the building in which she is employed, it was the first time she saw the young man, and he went boldly up to her and asked her if she would have an ice cream soda. My sister accepted, and while talking he kept making her up to her for telephone number. I think my sister did a foolish thing in giving this young man her telephone number. I would like to have your advice on the subject. Did she do right?

Dear Miss Grey—Will you kindly tell me through your column if there is any way of keeping one's eyes sparkling and from getting discolored? If so, what is the name of it? I have a very nice eye, but I would like to collect upon a lovely enameled sink, but it can be removed by scrubbing it with washing soda and hot water. I have also tried with a lumpy cloth will also take off the stains, after which the enamel must be washed in hot water and soap to remove traces of the oil. Gasoline will also clean the insides of enameled or porcelain lined tubs and sinks.

Question of Etiquette. Dear Miss Grey: I am a married man, and I sent my wife and baby away for their health a few weeks ago. I have been alone in the house ever since. When I want to know if I should I invite my wife's relatives to dinner first, or should they invite me first?

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SUIT SALE Clearing every Ladies' Suit in stock at and below cost. Come in and look them over. \$7.85 up to \$20 H. Wolf & Sons 263, 265, 265 1/2 DUNDAS STREET, Near Wellington Street.

UNANIMOUS VERDICT IN THE CASE OF THE I.X.L. WASHER BEFORE THE COURT OF PUBLIC OPINION IN FAVOR OF THE I.X.L. VACUUM WASHER PRICE, \$2.50 Washes Anything and Everything from a Horse-Blanket and Overalls to the Finest Laces with the Safety Coupon Below Saves You \$2.00 Washes a Full Tub of Clothes in 3 Minutes Perfectly Hot Soap Washes the Bones and Blazes LONDON ADVERTISER, COUPON

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Daily Healthgram TO GET FAT eat more than you absolutely need, sleep long hours and regularly. Do not worry. Be regular in habits and get plenty of fresh air. Do not depend on medicines or fat foods to turn the trick.

ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

FIFTH INNING BEE OVERCOMES BIG EARLY LEAD AND TURNS TIDE FOR LONDON

Deneau's Delegation "Breaks" Into League by Winning a Game From St. Thomas Here on Saturday—Score Was 11 to 9—London's New Line-Up Works Much Better.

[BY JINX.] HE goddess of fortune, or chance, or whatever old goddess it is that guides the destiny of ball players...

THIS IS STRANGE, BUT TRUE. And all this prepares the way for the welcome news which we have to impart today...

OR PROTECT. However, there is still a fly in the ointment, so to speak. Before said game was over and during the time Mr. Deneau and his tribe were making strenuous efforts to put it out of Mr. Ort's reach...

Some Loyal Fans Present. It was a nice game despite its large score, and its parade of pitchers, and the freezing weather it was played in...

A Change For the Better. The change in the London infield worked all wonders in the work of the team. Deneau came in to play second. Herby Furseddson was put out in the centre garden and his playing made a big hit with the fans...

Both teams found it necessary to use two pitchers. Higgins looked pretty good for the local batters, but he was touched pretty hard and safe, and in the fourth, when the pitcher was out, the London infield played the game for him...

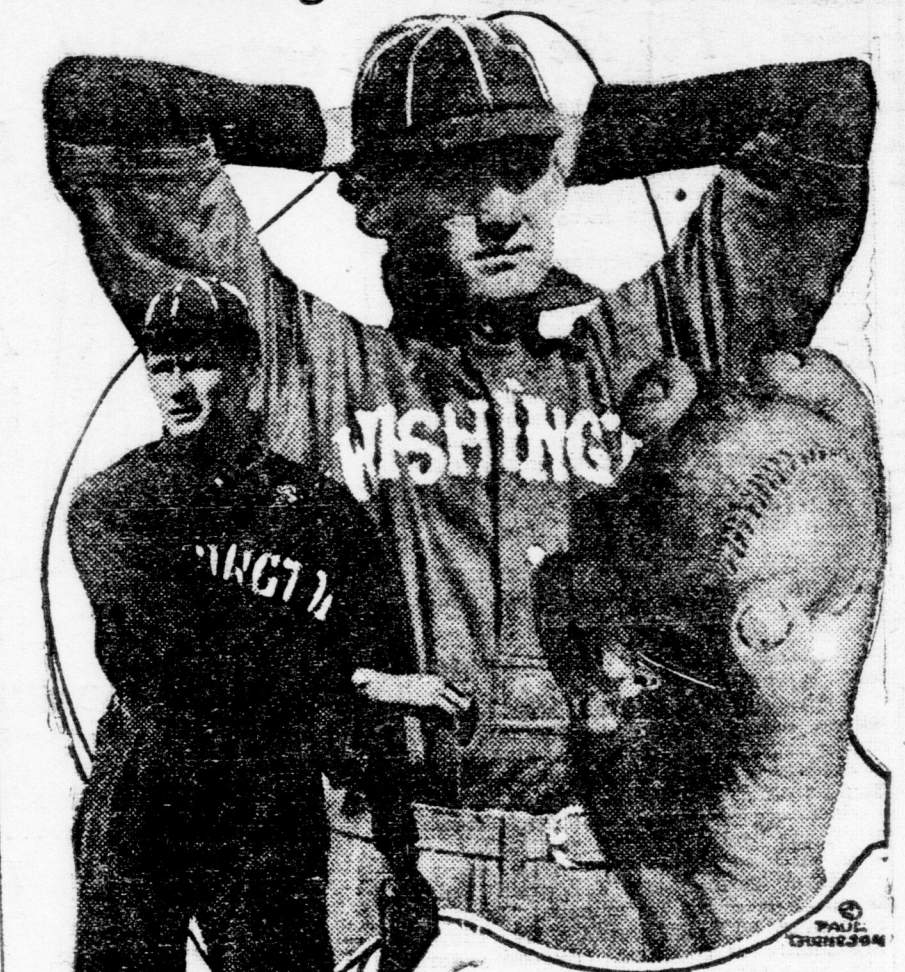
WELCOME, LITTLE VICTORY

Table with columns: St. Thomas, A.B., R., H., P.O., A., E. and London, A.B., R., H., P.O., A., E. showing game statistics.

Two Out of Three From Colts Is What Deneau Anticipates With Much Strengthened Team

[BY JINX.] With the infield greatly strengthened, the Tecumshs will open a three-game series at Hamilton this afternoon, returning to London Wednesday night...

Marvellous Walter Johnston; 52 Innings Without a Run



WALTER PERRY JOHNSTON.

If Washington wins the American League pennant, Johnston will get the credit for the victory, for unless the unforeseen happens, the tall boy from Humboldt, Kansas, will win something...

Ladies and Gentlemen—The Washington Baseball Club! Yes, the above is a group picture of him.

OTTAWA WON ANOTHER FROM KEENAN'S DUTCHMEN

Both Teams Hit the Ball Hard and Scored Lots of Runs—Hamilton Won From Guelph in Close Finish, While Brantford Nosed-Out Peterboro by One Run.

Berlin, May 10.—Ottawa captured the second game in a weird exhibition today by a 14 to 10 score. The cold day made it bad for the pitchers, and none of them was effective...

PETES LOSE BY ONE RUN.

Brantford, May 10.—The Red Sox bats again wrought havoc with opposing pitchers Saturday, and Peterboro was lost in the ninth, score 7 to 6.

Free Treatment for Skin Sufferers!

Although Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a liberal sample of each, with 32-page booklet on the care and treatment of skin and hair, will be sent, post-free, on application to Cuticura, Dept. 32, Boston, U.S.A.

TIGERS BEATEN IN TEN INNING BATTLE

Were Beaten Out by Boston Red Sox Sunday After Leading Until Ninth

NAPS BEAT YANKS

Chicago White Sox Won From Philadelphia, While St. Louis Beat Washington Easily.

Detroit, May 11.—After being the score in the ninth by a lightning rally, which produced three runs, Boston took a desperate ten-inning struggle from Detroit today by a 5 to 0 count...

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NAPS BEAT NEW YORK. Cleveland, May 11.—One of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a ball game here saw Cleveland defeat New York today by 7 to 2.

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HAMS WIN A CLOSE ONE. Hamilton, May 11.—The 1,200 fans who braved the cold wind and journeyed to the H. A. A. grounds yesterday afternoon to witness the game of the series between the Colts and the Guelph Leafs were treated to several varieties of excitement...

BROWNS BEAT SENATORS. St. Louis, May 11.—George Baumgardner kept up his Sunday winnings by defeating Washington this afternoon, 7 to 3.

CHICAGO BEAT MACKMEN. Chicago, May 11.—Ed Walsh returned to Chicago after a long rest, and Chicago defeated Philadelphia in the opening game of the series here, 4 to 3.

JOHNSON'S GREAT RECORD. Detroit, May 11.—Walter Johnston, the speedy pitcher of the Washington club, added nine more innings to his record in holding his opponents helpless by shut-out in the local club today, 3 to 0.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS. CANADIAN LEAGUE, INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE, NATIONAL LEAGUE.

\$13.75

We sold an extra good Sovereign Brand fifteen-dollar suit for thirteen-seventy-five on Saturday. We've added about twenty-five more today for those who did not get in on Saturday. While they last \$13.75

The Live Oak Hall

DAILY COUPON—MAY 12, 1913. The London Advertiser Scoring Tablet Coupon.

Form for a coupon with fields for NAME and ADDRESS.

Fifty Thousand See Donerail Capture Kentucky Derby

Louisville, Ky., May 10.—A crowd larger than that which witnessed English Lad's victory in the Chicago Derby journeyed to far-famed Churchill Downs this afternoon to see the cream of the American three-year-olds battle for the Kentucky Derby purse.

MACKMEN BEAT BROWNS. St. Louis, May 10.—Philadelphia won from St. Louis today, 8 to 5. Plank was hit hard by the naps, and his wildness in the ninth inning almost caused his downfall.

CLEVELAND WON AGAIN. Cleveland, May 10.—Taking today's game from Boston, 9 to 2, Cleveland captured three out of four from the world's champions in the first series of the season.

PIMLICO RESULTS. Pimlico, May 10.—The races here today resulted as follows: First race, two-year-olds, fillies and geldings, 4 1/2 furlongs—1. Pittaway, 2. Holiday, 3. Velchen. Time, 55.45.

THE 1913 RUSSELL "30". A magnificent car. Ask us to send you particulars. Address: RUSSELL MOTOR CAR CO., LIMITED, WEST TORONTO, ONT.

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Advertiser Patterns



No. 9537-9538—Composed of Ladies' Waist Pattern 9537, and Ladies' Skirt Pattern, 9538.

Blue crepe de chine, with point de venise lace for trimmings, and white messaline for vest, with chemise of chiffon over net, was used for this model. The waist front opens over the vest, that is ornamented with tiny buttons. A deep collar and revers give breadth to the figure. The design is suitable for serge, broadcloth, voile, linen, messaline, taffeta, brocaded silk, and other seasonable materials. The waist pattern is cut in five sizes, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32 inches bust measure. It requires 6 1/2 yards of 44-inch material, with 1 1/2 yards for the guimpe of 27-inch material, for a 36-inch size.

This illustration calls for TWO separate patterns, which will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents FOR EACH pattern, in silver or stamps.

PATTERN DEPARTMENT OF THE ADVERTISER.

Please send above-mentioned pattern, as per directions given below, to:

Name Town Province Measurement—Bust Waist Age (if child's or misses' pattern).....

CAUTION.—Be careful to inclose above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is bust measure, you need only mark 32, 34 or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to mark the date of order. Price of each pattern is 10 cents in cash or in postage stamps.

Rothschild's Loan Was Not Subscribed

London, May 12.—Financiers are taking their holiday, says the Daily Mail, after one of the most striking incidents of recent times. The long series of rebuffs to new loans at the hands of the investor reached a climax in the ill success of the great Rothschild issue.

It will remain a topic of financial discussion for many a day, and many in the city are expressing the opinion that it may have a revolutionary effect upon the present system of loan issuing and underwriting.

It is an event when the Rothschilds make a loan issue at all, and much more so when it is not a success. Such an amount as \$55,000,000 is abnormal, even allowing for the fact that Brazil is a borrower.

Another remarkable circumstance of the splendid failure was that only 6 per cent of the issue was subscribed by the public; that is, only \$3,300,000 out of \$55,000,000, leaving more than \$50,000,000 in the hands of the underwriters.

Perhaps the most remarkable circumstance of all is that as soon as the prospectus appeared, offering the loan at 97, it was offered on the stock exchange at 96, and has been obtainable at that or lower ever since, so that it paid investors to buy the stock in the market rather than subscribe for it on the prospectus.

It is another practical protest, if an indirect one, against the existence of the middleman, which protest is one of the features of present-day finance.

HERO SUICIDED.

Chicago, May 12.—Benjamin Allison, hero of the Chicago fire, who saved a score of persons with his canal boat, committed suicide yesterday. He was 88 years old, and brooded over his infirmities.

TODAY'S RIDDLE

When is a fish like a fish? (ANSWER) When it is dead.

"SALADA" The TEA of Surpassing Excellence.

Last year its Sales increased over those of the previous year by almost a Million and a Quarter Pounds.

Appreciation is the final test of merit.

Black, Mixed and Green.

Maniac Threatened To Kill Children

New York, May 12.—In a fight Sunday with a maniac foreigner, who had threatened the lives of women and children visitors in the Botanical Gardens at Bronx Park, Policeman Frank Anderson shot and killed the man after several times escaping injury by dodging a well-aimed stone and the thrusts of a long knife.

Stabbed Pedestrian and Escaped In an Auto

New York, May 12.—The automobile served as a vehicle for the escape of criminals here again today, when some member of a motor party, including five men and two women, leaped from the car in the Bronx and stabbed Frederick Newman in the back.

GEMS DISAPPEAR

Authorities Puzzled Over Where Ever-Increasing Importations Are Going.

New York, May 12.—Customs appraisers are wondering what becomes of the ever-increasing wealth of gems brought to this country. Every month marks a new record, with a remarkable total of \$16,000,000 given as the value of gems that have passed through the New York customs house since the first of this year.

How We Bagged Three Walrus in Bering Straits

BY JOHN CAMPBELL CORY.



HE PLUNKED ALL THREE OF THOSE ENORMOUS BRUTES SQUARELY IN THE HEAD BEFORE THEY COULD FLOUNDER BACK TO SAFETY.

(EDITOR'S NOTE.—A few years ago our special cartoonist, John Campbell Cory, dropped the artist pencil. He hunted gold and incidentally wild animals, all over the far north-west and clear up into Alaska. The following is his story of one of his adventures not far from Nome, Alaska.)

The Arctic summer was waning and the sun looked red and sullen as it worked its murky and monotonous course around the horizon from day to day.

Our sturdy little launch had been spluttering off her seven good miles per hour since 6 in the morning, and it was now nearly midnight, so that we figured we were somewhere between Cape Prince of Wales and Point Spencer, having broken camp at Shismarek Inlet eighteen hours before.

Men become cruelly sore in the muscles and stiff in the joints from wallowing through tundra, slipping about on treacherous ice and wading the piercing cold creeks in the Arctic circle, to say nothing of sleeping on the ground with only a few thicknesses of blankets and a tarpaulin between their backs and a howling gale that screams and whistles straight down from the top of the earth and penetrates one's very marrow.

Mighty Wave of Athletic Energy Stirring Germans

London, May 12.—The Olympic congress at Lausanne brought out pointedly, chiefly in private conversation among its members, the astounding thoroughness of the German organization for the next Olympic games in Berlin in 1916, according to advices circulated here. It is said that four departments of the German Government are concerned with the organization of athletic clubs and private subscribers are contributing on a large scale.

REACHED HONG KONG

C. P. R. Steamer Empress of Russia is Making a Great Trip. (Special to The Advertiser.) Hong Kong, May 10.—Welcomed by a thousand craft of all descriptions and sizes, the new Pacific Ocean steamer, The Empress of Russia, passed through Sulphur Channel today and dropped anchor in Hong Kong harbor. This is one of the busiest and most picturesque British ports that the Canadians have yet visited on their round-the-world cruise.

Chinese junk with their huge mats and sails and noisy crackers and songs, several gunboats flying flags of foreign nations, and a conglomerate fleet of launches, sampans and other boats of all nationalities, joined in greeting the Canadian Pacific liner as it just came from the Duke and Duchess of Connaught witnessed the same scene on their way back to England from India.

DORCHESTER SCHOOL ELECT OFFICERS

J. W. Hunt is New Superintendent of Methodist Sunday School. (Special to The Advertiser.) Dorchester, May 10.—The annual election of officers of the Methodist Sunday School, which took place last evening resulted as follows: Superintendent, Mr. J. W. Hunt; assistant, Mr. S. Oliver. The teacher for the Adult Bible Class could not be fully decided upon.

SOME DANCING, THIS!

St. Petersburg, May 12.—The long-distance dancing record is claimed by the Countess Lamsdorf, who estimates that she has covered 15,000 miles the last of this year. Alarm over the proposed increase in the tariff is believed to have had some influence among importers.

YOUR SUMMER VACATION

THE SEASHORE AND LONG ISLAND SOUND RESORTS WARM SEA BATHING DEEP SEA FISHING



ONE NIGHT'S RUN FROM MONTREAL

For the season of 1913, the Grand Trunk Railway System is inaugurating Superb Service to ATLANTIC RESORTS including NEW LONDON, FISHER'S ISLAND, WATCH HILL, BLOCK ISLAND, NARRAGANSETT PIER, SHELTER ISLAND, etc.

TRAIN SERVICE WILL BE OPERATED BETWEEN MONTREAL AND NEW LONDON MAKING CONNECTIONS FOR ALL THE ABOVE RESORTS AS FOLLOWS:

Day Train Except Sunday Night Train Daily Leave Montreal. 8:31 A.M. 8:30 P.M. Leave New London. 9:45 A.M. 10:10 P.M. Arrive New London. 9:00 P.M. 9:40 A.M. Arrive Montreal. 10:10 P.M. 7:40 A.M.

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AMONG THE POPULAR HOTELS ARE: At NEW LONDON, CONN.—The Griswold, Capacity, 600. At FISHER'S ISLAND, N.Y.—MANSION HOUSE, Capacity, 150; MUNNATWICK HOTEL, Capacity, 200; ELLIOTT HOUSE, Capacity, 70. At WATCH HILL, R.I.—OCEAN HOUSE, Capacity, 400; NEW WATCH HILL HOUSE, Capacity, 350; KENNETH RIDGE LODGE, Capacity, 30. At BLOCK ISLAND, R.I.—HOTEL MANISSES, Capacity, 300; SPRING HOUSE, Capacity, 250; NEW NATIONAL HOTEL, Capacity, 250; EUREKA HOTEL, Capacity, 125; SURF HOTEL, Capacity, 125.

FOR FULL PARTICULARS AND ILLUSTRATED PUBLICATION GIVING HOTELS, RATES, ETC., APPLY TO R. E. RUSE, CORNER RICHMOND AND DUNDAS STREETS, LONDON, ONT.

NO MORE DANDRUFF FALLING HAIR SCALP ITCH

Men and women—do you want a splendid head of luxuriant hair free from scalp itch and dandruff? Do you want hair so bewitchingly radiant that it compels the admiration of all who see it?

Do you want a scalp as immaculately clean and bright as a newly-minted coin?

Do you want to use a hair dressing that will surely prevent baldness, that always refreshes and invigorates and makes your entire head feel fine?

The spend 50 cents this very day and get a bottle of PARISIAN Sage at any drug store or toilet goods counter. Use it as directed and you will never care to use ordinary tonics again.

No poisonous sugar of lead, no sulphur, no injurious ingredients in PARISIAN Sage. Ask for PARISIAN Sage.

All druggists and toilet goods counters.

Would Rather Play Exhibitions Than Scheduled Games

Newark, N. J., May 12.—The New York team of the United States Baseball League, which began its season here only last Saturday, has lost its franchise, according to Umpire Cullum, who was on hand yesterday for the regularly scheduled game with the Newark, for which the New York players failed to appear.

The umpire declared the game forfeited, and also the franchise, because the New Yorks chose to play an exhibition game at New Brunswick, where there was a larger attendance than here.

Coins in His Pocket Resulted in Drowning

Evansville, Ind., May 12.—Weighted down with coins which he had taken from his suit on Saturday night, Edward Ruckman, a saloon-keeper, was drowned in the Ohio River near here yesterday.

When his launch upset, he was running with the current, and when both leaned over the same side of the launch to pull in a large fish, the boat upset. Yeager was rescued. Ruckman, whose body had not been found early today, had about \$150, mostly coins, in his pockets, and this is believed to have caused him to sink.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

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All-Wool Cheviots, Fine Worsteds and French Whipcord Suitings, 46 to 52 inches wide, cream only. The correct material for suitings. Special, the yard \$1.00

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46 inches wide, fine crisp weave; also French Whipcords, in cream. Special, the yard 75c

500 YARDS OF SILK AND WOOL SAN TOYS, RESILDAS AND FANCY SILK STRIPE VOILES,

42 to 44 inches wide, in all colors and black. Values up to 85c. On sale Tuesday only, for yard 49c

BLACK AND WHITE SHEPHERD CHECK SUITINGS,

In three sizes, 44 inches wide. Sale special, yard 25c

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In stripes and small designs. Special fine mercerized finish. Special, yard 15c, 25c

1,000 YARDS OF FINE (BOMBAY) UNBLEACHED COTTON, 36 inches wide. Tuesday special. 10 yards for \$1.00

ALL-SILK TAFFETA RIBBONS, 5 1/4 inches wide, in all colors, also black. Special, the yard 15c

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VELVET, 22 inches wide; will wash perfectly. Special, yard 50c

WOMEN'S WRAPPERS,

Made from American percale, in grays and navy only, sizes 34 to 46 bust measure. Special sale price \$1.50

LARGE SIZE PRINT

APRONS, Dark colors only. Tuesday special, each 18c

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Dress Shields (size 4 only). Regular 20c, special, pr. 10c
Hooks and Bars, white and black. Regular 5c, sale price 3 cards for 5c
Pearl Buttons. Regular 12 1/2c dozen, sale price. 3 dozen for 25c

KIMONO DRESS SHIELDS

Regular 40c, special, pr. 25c
Pins, assorted sizes, 730, or two papers for 5c

22-INCH ALLOVER

EMBROIDERY, Neat patterns. Regular 25c value, sale price 19c

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HAD CLOSE CALL IN

EARLY MORNING FIRE

Albert Hodder's General Store Caught From a Defective Chimney.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Dorchester, May 12.—Albert Hodder, his wife and little daughter had a close call from being burned to death, in a fire which partially destroyed their general store and dwelling early on Sunday morning.

About 3 o'clock a neighbor, Mr. Callack, noticed flames licking up the side and roof of the frame building. He gave an alarm at once and aroused Mr. Hodder, who at once got out with his wife and child. A few minutes more and the escape would have been cut off, as the flames were making rapid progress.

A bucket brigade was formed, and after a couple of hours' hard work the flames were extinguished, after the interior of the building had been badly damaged. The loss will amount to about \$2,000.

The fire, it is believed, caught from a defective chimney.

CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. E. A. Pocock's Rejoinder.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: My attention was called by some of the amused readers of the Free Press in West London to an article in last Friday's issue of the paper, headed "A Warm Roast for Pocock," "Warm Impudent Letter," etc. Inferring that my letter on behalf of the West London Progressives in re delay in the re-organization was impudent, and had given offense to the board of works.

In reading said article, it turned out that the board of works was composed of the Mayor and Aldermen, now, Mr. Editor, I admit that in conveying the expressions of the discussion at the meeting some remarks were not very complimentary to certain members of the board. But I deny that my letter was impudent, and I herewith call the Mayor's bluff "that the letter should be published to show the public why my application for publicly commissioning the city council to give the city better service than an outsider, and there were others on the list of applicants who could, I believe, do likewise. But, coming back to the Mayor's lame excuse in my case.

1. Let me point out that the appointment had been made several days before the so-called impudent letter was received.

2. I don't believe the public will think much of the Mayor's ability to judge and appoint a man for this office, anyway. But if he expected my official letters to the city council and myself would contain a lot of sweet things because I was an applicant for that position he is mistaken, and although the Mayor and his council are largely by his bidding, I am an applicant, I refuse to engage to his plea. His actions in this appointment, and his lame excuses thereafter, are typical of all his methods of doing business. Whether it is public appointments, bridge or breakerwork contracts, city of London bill, Indemnity contracts, etc. Yours, etc., E. A. POCKOCK, POCKOCK, POCKOCK.

SIGNING PETITIONS TO WIPE OUT BARS

Canada Temperance Act is Now Being Sought by Wingham People.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, May 12.—The petitions for the Canada temperance act are now in the hands of the convenors for the different wards and are being largely signed. The abolition of the bar is regarded by temperance now as certain, as they are meeting with every success. A rally was observed in the Methodist Sunday school yesterday, and the special services were attended by over 400. Splendid addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Langford, of Kingsbury, and by Mr. Black, the first superintendent of the Sunday school 50 years ago. During the services a duet by Misses Minto Reid and Madeleine Duncan was much enjoyed.

PLAN BIG PARADE

Arrangements Under Way For a Victoria Day Celebration.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, May 12.—To arrange for a big parade on Victoria Day, a public meeting of representatives of the various societies, trades and professions, manufacturers, etc., will be held in the town hall this evening. Plans will be discussed and an earnest effort made to secure a good turnout by all those interested.

NEW LAW MAY MEAN CHANGE IN SCHEDULE

Present Arrangements Have Proven Most Satisfactory to the Public.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, May 12.—Although only two ferries were running between Sarnia and Port Huron Saturday night, the shopping crowds were handled with the same facility as the preceding Saturday, when three boats were operating. It is said that it may be necessary to alter the recently inaugurated 15-minute schedule, as under a new ruling of the marine department at Washington, crews may not be worked more than thirteen hours a day.

STRATHROY MEETING

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Strathroy, May 10.—The Women's Institute met yesterday afternoon in St. John's Hall for the election of officers. There was a large attendance. Mr. N. L. W. Hodgson, of the Bank of Commerce, gave an interesting talk on "Banking."

Sick Woman Moved When House Burned

[Special to The Advertiser.] Camiache, May 12.—The home of James Fisher, in Plympton Township, near here, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday. The blaze started in the chimney, and had made great headway when noticed.

Mrs. Fisher had been confined to her bed for the past month, and she was hurriedly moved to her son's home. Returning members of the family were able to save some of the furniture before the blaze swept through the farm house. The structure was frame, and soon was a pile of ashes.

Word has been received of the death of James Fisher, in Plympton Township, near here, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday. The blaze started in the chimney, and had made great headway when noticed.

HIS SUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM.



"A boat upon the river is The place on a summer night, But one needs a damsel with him Just to keep it balanced right."

BUT THE BOBBY DIDN'T.



OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

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Engelshman	Montreal
Christina Range	Montreal
Empire of Britain	Quebec
Battle	New York
Compania	New York
Amelia	New York
Calcedonia	New York
St. Paul	Southampton
Man. Merchant	Liverpool
Carmanha	Liverpool
Janet	Liverpool
Lapland	Dover
Montfort	London
Rapana	London
Saxonia	Naples
Oceania	Naples
Campania	Boston
Napoli	Genoa
Europa	Genoa

EVERYBODY WANTS THIS GIRL'S PICTURE.

PORT STANLEY.

Port Stanley, May 12.—The heavy frock of the past few days have done considerable damage to early fruits all through this district.

Mrs. P. L. R. Scott has returned after spending the winter in Toronto and Buffalo.

Harry Chapman, of London, is building a gasoline boat. It is 35 feet long, 8 feet beam, and will be fitted with a six-horsepower gasoline engine. He expects to have it ready by June 1.

Mr. and Miss Brook, of London, were here recently inspecting their cottage on Willow Beach, preparatory to moving in for the summer.

The Oddfellows marched to the Methodist Church yesterday afternoon where anniversary services were celebrated.

The steamer Lakeside arrived recently from Port Colborne with two loads of stone for the new breakwater. After discharging her cargo she returned to Port Colborne for another load.

R. Carlisle, assistant engineer of the department of public works, is here fitting out his new gasoline launch, which was built at Penetanguishene. She is a handsome craft, 20 feet long, with a six-horsepower gasoline engine.

James Payne has left for Winnipeg. His sister, Miss May Payne, accompanied him to spend two months in Winnipeg.

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SHRUBS!

Garden Hydrangea, Climbing Rose, Boston Ivy and Clematis. We have a full line. Now is the time to plant.

East End Floral Store

PHONE 719. The Values We Offer in Furniture

Cannot be beaten elsewhere. When buying Furniture you will find it to your advantage to come to

PATTON 247 Dundas St. Phone 1688

Flowers For All

and all flowers in season. Prompt delivery.

F. Dicks & Son

125 DUNDAS STREET. PHONE 1237

100 Ladies' Suits On Sale Half Regular Price

This is a splendid opportunity to secure one of this season's latest style Suits, newest shade, at a very special price.

We must have room on our racks for summer goods, which are arriving daily, and, with this object in view, all our Suits are to be cleared, regardless of former prices.

Suits regularly sold at \$11, now \$5.50
Suits regularly sold at \$15, now \$7.50
Suits regularly sold at \$18, now \$9.00
Suits regularly sold at \$25, now \$12.50
ALL OTHERS AT HALF PRICE.

LONDON READY-TO-WEAR

LEGAL CARDS.

MACPHERSON & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors, money to loan. Robinson Hall Chambers.

J. H. A. BEATTIE, BARRISTER, ETC., 187 1/2 Dundas street. Money to loan on real estate.

CRONIN & BETTS & COLERIDGE—Frederick P. Betts, K.C.; Thomas Coleridge.

FITZGERALD & FITZGERALD, BARRISTERS, Money to loan. Masons' Temple.

GIBBONS, HARPER & GIBBONS, BARRISTERS, etc., corner Richmond and Carling. Sir George Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper; George S. Gibbons.

M. P. McDONAGH, BARRISTER, ETC., 425 Richmond street. Money to loan.

J. M. McEVoy, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, Robinson Hall Chambers. Money to loan.

GRAYDON & GRAYDON, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, 419 Taylor street, N. Park Graydon; A. H. Marshall Graydon.

T. H. LUSCOMBE, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, 125 Dundas street, near Richmond. Money at lowest rates.

PURDOM & PURDOM—DOMINION SAVINGS BLDG., COR. RICHMOND AND KING.

W. H. BARTRAM, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., Office, 83 Dundas street.

STUART & SCANDRETT, BARRISTERS, etc., 95 Dundas. Money to loan. Alex. Stuart, K.C.; T. W. Scandrett.

McKILLOP, MURPHY & GUNN—OAK HALL BUILDING.

U. A. BUCHNER, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, corner Taylor and Carling. Phone 39. Money to loan.

F. HARRY GREENLEES, 13 B. BANK of Toronto, barrister, etc. Funds to loan.

BLACKBURN & WEEKES, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc., 124 Carling street. G. S. Weekes; H. S. Blackburn.

JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS, etc., 101 Dundas. C. G. Jarvis; J. Vining, B.A.

TENNENT & CAMPBELL, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc.; Money to loan, lowest rates, 75 Dundas.

AUCTION SALE.

Tuesday, May 13, at 123 King street. High class furniture, mahogany parlor suite, rugs, rockers, brocade, hall table, curtains, china cabinet, buffet, round dining-table, chairs (leather-seated, all in oak), brass-mounted beds, etc., trunks and trunks, chiffonier, mandolin, six stove, kitchen utensils, all in use a few months. Sale at 2 o'clock.

City of London

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS, CURBS AND GUTTERS, AND THE SUPPLY OF GENERAL SUPPLIES.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the "Chairman and Members, No. 2 Committee," will be received at the office of the City Engineer until 5 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 1913. (a) for the construction of cement concrete sidewalks, (b) for the construction of cement concrete curbs and gutters, (c) for the supply of tools, oils, blacksmithing supplies, etc.

Each tenderor shall name a sum as called for in the various specifications, and must make his tender on the form furnished by the City Engineer.

Specifications covering the above-mentioned work may be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

Contractors must inclose a marked check for ten per cent (10%) on the amount of their tenders.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept any bid.

W. M. ASHPLANT, City Engineer.

B. W. BENNETT, Chairman, No. 2 Committee.

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The Dominion Savings and Investment Society

(DOMINION SAVINGS BUILDING), LONDON, ONTARIO.

Total assets \$2,258,171.02
Liabilities to the public 1,119,752.52
Margin of security for debenture holders and depositors \$1,138,418.50

T. H. PURDOM, K.C., President.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Managing Director.

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Financial and Commercial

LIVE HOG SHIPMENTS WERE POSTPONED

Small Attendance at the Market Square This Morning.

Owing to the postponement of the weekly shipment of live hogs until Wednesday the attendance on the market square today was small.

About a dozen loads of hays were sold, but the prices remained the same as on Saturday, from \$5.50 to \$11.50 per ton.

Oats were firm at \$1.08 to \$1.16 per cwt.

One or two loads of wheat straw sold for \$8.00 per ton, while inferior quality was quoted at \$7.00.

The prices: Grain, Per Cwt. Wheat, per cwt. 1.08 to 1.16

Vegetables. Lettuce, per doz. 40 to 50

Fruits. Apples, per bushel 25 to 30

Hay and Straw. Hay, per ton 11.50 to 12.00

Dairy Produce. Butter, fancy, retail, lb. 28 to 30

Live Stock. Cattle, per head 10.00 to 12.00

Poultry, Alive. Chickens, per lb. 15 to 18

Butcher's Meats. Lamb, per lb. 12 to 15

For Other Markets See Page 7

WOOL. TORONTO, May 10.—Wool market is quiet and steady.

SUGAR. TORONTO, May 10.—Sugars are quoted in London at 10 1/2.

OILS. LONDON, May 10.—Calcutta linseed, 48s.

LIVE STOCK. EAST BUFFALO, May 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500 head.

PRODUCE. CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

COTTON. NEW YORK, May 12.—Cotton prices up to 2.30 p.m.

COBALT STOCKS. Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the Toronto Stock Exchange.

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In Robe de Nuit Routs Messenger; All Get into Court

Deliveryman Charges Rough Treatment at Hands of Householder.

An alleged invitation from one of three men to Richard Rawlings, of Chesley avenue, to come out and display himself in night attire at 10 o'clock Wednesday night, and a punch in the mouth which Rawlings subsequently gave to Edward Mercer, led to a lengthy and bitter court case this morning, the latter being the complainant, and the former the defendant.

Mercer was until last Thursday, driver of Kingsmill's automobile, and went Wednesday night to deliver a parcel to the home of Rawlings. Accompanying him were his brother, William Mercer and Roy Moore.

Mercer arrived with the parcel and the letter from Mr. R. McDonald, of Guelph, who last week was appointed publicity commissioner for London. In declining to accept the appointment, Mr. McDonald states after reading the report of the local press concerning his appointment, he came to the conclusion that it would not be in the best interests of London or himself for him to accept the appointment.

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Feared That He Would Have Friction With the City Council.

Fears Friction. "I am led to believe," says Mr. McDonald, "that there would be considerable friction, and that I would not have the unanimous support of the council. The appointment was by no means unanimous. If I understand aright even your committee were not all of one mind as to my appointment, and further I have no assurance that services would be retained beyond the end of this year, unless a council in sympathy with the office were elected for 1914."

London is once more without a publicity commissioner, but Ald. Spittal states that a meeting of the committee will be held shortly to consider the appointment of another man.

EARLY SESSION NOT POPULAR

Sir Wilfrid and Premier Were the Only Front Benchers Present.

ANNUITIES DISCUSSED. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 12.—Parliament began morning sittings today. It was with some apparent reluctance that the members came to the first morning shift, and only a handful heard Speaker Sproule pray in the two official languages. Premier Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier were the only front-benchers present. Mr. Moore came, but the sitting dragged.

It brought on non-contentious Government bills. Out of thirty questions standing on the order paper it answered only five.

The Government bill, increasing the size of annuities which may be bought under the act, was the first of a general outbreak. Dr. Hutchinson stated.

Chelsea Green Lots Sold.—The sale of building lots at Chelsea Green on Saturday afternoon was well attended. The lots were sold at an average of about \$2,000 each.

Measles Disappearing.—Dr. Hutchinson, medical officer of health, said today that the measles epidemic is practically over, although reports have been current of a few cases. There are still a great many cases of the disease in the city. There are a number of scarlet fever cases in London, but they are not so numerous as they were some time ago.

Delegates Return.—Saturday morning saw a large party of the delegates to the National Council of Women convention, held in Montreal last week, boarding trains for their home cities in various parts of the Dominion. A number of the National Council officers, including Mrs. Torrington, president; Mrs. W. L. Hutchinson, secretary; Mrs. Campbell, of Toronto, and Mrs. Sanford, of Hamilton, sailed from Montreal on Saturday morning for The Hague, where they will represent Canada at a convention of the International Council of Women. Later they will proceed to Budapest and attend a second large conference of women there. The London delegates to the National Council report a very enjoyable time in Montreal, and most interesting sessions at the council meetings. Mrs. W. L. Hutchinson, secretary, and Mrs. Walker returned to London on Saturday night. Mrs. R. M. Graham having remained for a few days to visit with friends in Sherbrooke, Que.

Deserted Wife Dies in Hospital. The death occurred in Victoria Hospital this morning of Mrs. M. Fenn, the woman who was recently deserted by her husband, and who was forced to seek shelter for herself and three children in the police station overnight.

Inspector and Citizen Differ as to When a Tax is a Tax. There is one man living in one of the recently annexed sections of London who has decided to pay the fixed assessment which the city grants the districts at the time of annexation. This man has a dog on which the taxes are due. He is willing to pay \$1 to the inspector for the dog, but the inspector insists that the dog is a tax, and that all he can be assessed is \$1.

Mr. McCullum insists that he owes \$2, and they have reached a deadlock. The inspector has decided to lay a charge against the man, and will make a test case out of the question.

Miss E. Parsons, of 72 Rectory street, leaves for an extended trip to western points. She will also spend two weeks with her brother in Chicago.

Mr. Edward Peterson, of this city, spent the week-end with friends in Dutton.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Sold all over the world.

Too Late to Classify. PAINTERS WANTED. APPLY LEWIS Bros., 179 Mill street.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFFICE ON TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1913, AT 2 P.M. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FAVORABLE REPORT ON THE BILL FROM THE SENATE COMMITTEE, AND \$1,500 FOR SUCH A REPORT FROM THE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE. THE CHARGES WERE FIRST MADE PUBLIC BY GOVERNOR SULLIVAN.

The Senate reiterated Stillwell by a vote of 28 to 21 on April 15. Attorney-General Carmody thereafter placed the charges in the hands of District Attorney Whitman to lay before the grand jury. Before testifying in his own behalf before the grand jury Senator Stillwell signed a waiver of immunity. His testimony occupied the entire session of a day.

Funeral of George Scandrett. The funeral of George Taylor Scandrett, who died in Krossa, Switzerland, was held from the family residence to Woodland Cemetery this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Canon Tucker conducted the service at the house at 2:30. The pallbearers were William Dunfield, George Lewis, H. Stevely, R. Croden, Kenneth Ingram, Gordon Cooper, Roy Moore and Andrew Wieden.

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RETURNS FROM FLORIDA TO FIND HIS HOUSE TOPSY-TURVY

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He returned last week to find the house, which had been left in perfect order, in a state of chaos. In every room there were traces of the work of marauders. Furniture had been mislaid, and that not getting a response, evidence of having been occupied during the absence of its lawful tenants.

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