

## SUFFRAGETTES PUT TORCH TO GRAND STAND Structure on Ayr Race Course Destroyed, Caus- ing Loss of \$15,000. PROVINCES ARE PANICSTRICKEN Special Bodies of Police Patrols and Gamekeepers at Historic Places.

[Canadian Press.]  
London, April 5.—A suffrage "fire" was captured this morning, causing a loss of \$15,000. This was attributed to the militant suffragettes. Several suffragette placards and a bundle of suffrage literature were found in the vicinity of the Ayr race course, leaving no doubt in the minds of the authorities as to who was responsible for the fire.  
A considerable number of window-breaking and telegraph and telephone cutting outrages were committed during the night by militants in various parts of the country.  
The bomb and arson campaign threatened by the "wild women" has caused intense alarm in the provinces, especially at historic places like Chatsworth and Blenheim, where special patrols of police and gamekeepers have been placed on duty day and night.

## WEST LONDONERS STILL SORE OVER PROJECT'S DEFEAT Hoped For Victory If Break- water Was Introduced With Sewers. Not Believed Necessities Will Be Voted on Before Electrification.

The action of the Legislature in throwing out the clause in the city of London bill providing for the inclusion of \$75,000 for the West London breakwater in the storm sewer bylaw, remains a sore point with West Londoners especially.  
The supporters of the breakwater scheme, who number practically the whole population of West London, believe that the hope of constructing an adequate sewer-wall depends upon the action of the people at large. They felt that if the breakwater scheme could be included in the storm sewer system, it would stand a better chance of being carried.  
The supporters of the storm sewer bylaw are faced with opposition in some quarters, felt that if the united support of West London could be secured for the undertaking it would be more certain of a majority.  
Unless the bylaws are coupled it is felt by the supporters of both schemes that there is a possibility of both being defeated. They think a meeting of all persons interested in storm sewers and the breakwater should be called in order to arrive at a definite campaign of education for both proposed measures.  
A Long Delay.  
There is much resentment over the long delay in submitting both measures. It is believed that Mr. Chipman's report on storm sewers could have been had at least two months ago, but that all money bylaws are being held over at Mr. Beck's instigation until the electrification scheme is disposed of one way or the other. The promoters of the electrification project fear that if the storm sewer and breakwater bylaws were submitted before or at the same time as the electrification bylaw, the ratepayers would be more disposed to vote for necessities in preference to luxuries.

## Scutari's Defender Will Fight to Finish

Belgrade, Serbia, April 5.—No confirmation has been received here of the report that the Turkish fortress of Scutari had fallen to the Montenegrin and Serbian besiegers.  
The allied armies outside the city summoned the Turkish commander to surrender so as to avoid further needless bloodshed, but the Ottoman commander replied that he intended to fight to the last extremity. The bombardment was thereupon resumed, and a general assault by the Montenegrin and Serbian troops was ordered.

## LAST picture of J. Pierpont Morgan. He is the man in the gray fedora hat, and had just stepped off the steamer at Naples. A few days later he expired.



## ENGLAND WORRIES OVER THE MENACE FROM THE SKIES Political Interest Has Shifted From Domestic to European Situation. Lloyd George Has Not Lost Prestige by Marconi Probe Says T. P. O'Connor.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser By T. P. O'Connor, M. P.]  
London, April 5.—Political interest shifted this week from the domestic to the foreign affairs. All of Europe has been held up by little Montenegro and the diplomats again have begun to shiver lest the small cloud on the horizon should lead to a general outbreak of the European thunderclouds. So far the people still hold hopes for the settlement of this small outstanding difficulty, as the powers seem disposed to ignore the violent popular passions of every country and determined to act together in the interest of general peace.  
Peril From the Air.  
One curious result of this terrible Balkan war is that instead of leading to a general conflagration, up to the present, the relations between the powers have become friendlier, especially between England and Germany. All the same there is much underground disturbance in consequence of the tremendous increase of armaments, and the English are especially concerned with the growth of the German aeroplane fleets, and loud voices call for a vast expenditure of money by the English war and naval departments to confront this new peril to England's fleet. In the meantime Chancellor Lloyd George is faced with the difficult problem of finding the many millions needed for the Secretary Winston Churchill's immense increase on naval expenditure, and everybody asks uneasily what new taxes Lloyd George will have to demand. The general supposition is that the new taxation will mainly consist of the addition of another penny to the income tax, which is still the easiest method of raising money.  
The Wireless Probe.  
The Marconi Wireless scandal still runs on, but it has lost much of its original interest, and the force of the panic which the first revelation of the investments in the American Marconi Company by Postmaster-General Isaacs and Lloyd George created among the Liberals, now has entirely passed away. Though grave indiscretion may be continued on Page Fifteen.

## COSTS HOTEL KEEPER \$20 FOR BREACH OF LAW Refilled Bottles With Whiskey That Was Under Proof.

A fine of \$20 was imposed this morning on P. J. McEvoy, proprietor of the Windsor Hotel, who pleaded guilty to the charge laid by Inspector Galpin of refilling whiskey bottles bearing the label of Hiram Walker. Under test the whiskey did not come up to the strength of the original product.  
The Farnell-Dean Steam Baking Company, B. F. Brighton and James Ruddy all pleaded guilty to the charge of selling bread which was under the weight prescribed in the city's bread bylaw. A fine of \$5 and costs was imposed in each case. The charge was laid by Inspector McCallum, following seizures made by him one day this week.  
William Turner, charged with using abusive and threatening language towards his father, behaved so strangely in court that the magistrate remanded him for a week, during which time he will be examined as to his sanity.

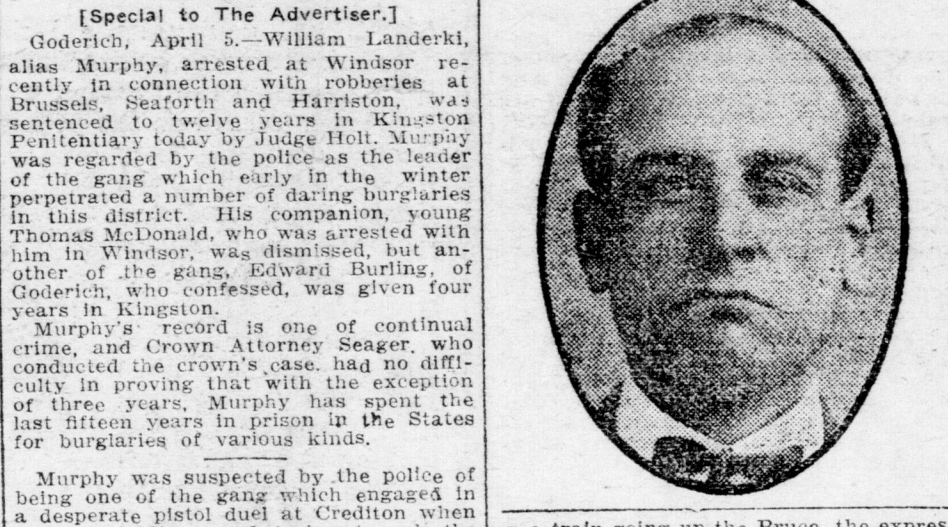
## NORMAN E. MACK WAS ONCE NEWSIE ON RAILWAY HERE Former West Williams Boy Rose From Obscurity to Eminence. Now Becomes Ambassador to Austria-Hungary for the United States.

From a news agent on trains running out of London to the post of United States ambassador to Austria-Hungary, tells the story of the rise of Norman E. Mack, born on the twelfth concession of West Williams.  
Mr. Mack, who is editor and owner of the Buffalo Times, has for years been prominent in the Democratic politics of New York State.  
After he left his parents' home many years ago he came to London and secured a position as a news agent. He is remembered by several of the old-time news agents who worked with him and they still have a warm admiration for him.  
After several years he left his run out of London and located in Buffalo. He became interested in the news agency business and finally acquired an interest in the Times, subsequently becoming its owner.  
Battled for Honors.  
For years there has been a sturdy warfare between Mack and the famous "Fingey" Connors, owner of the Courier. For years Connors was chairman of the Democratic state committee, but after years of effort Mack ousted him, and subsequently became secretary of the Democratic national committee during the last presidential campaign.  
Reward for Services.  
His reward for services to his party is appointment to one of the most important ambassadorships.  
Some months ago Mr. Mack returned to West Williams to bury his mother.  
Many of his old schoolmates in West Williams have heard from him at different times, and they have been gratified to hear of his preference for so important a position.

**THE WEATHER.**  
TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.  
Forecasts.  
Toronto, April 5—8 a.m.  
Today—Strong west to northwest winds; local snow flurries, but mostly fair and cool.  
Sunday—Decreasing winds; fair and cool.  
Temperatures.  
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:  
Stations. High. Low. Weather.  
LONDON ..... 42 37 Fair  
Victoria ..... 60 42 Cloudy  
Calgary ..... 54 32 Cloudy  
Winnipeg ..... 42 28 Cloudy  
Toronto ..... 55 34 Cloudy  
Ottawa ..... 34 30 Cloudy  
Montreal ..... 38 36 Cloudy  
Quebec ..... 32 30 Snow  
Weather Notes.  
Pressure is quite high over the Central portions of the continent and lowest in the Ottawa Valley and in British Columbia.  
The weather remains fair in the Western Provinces. Elsewhere in Canada it has been very unsettled.

## TWELVE YEARS IN KINGSTON FOR BURGLAR AT GODERICH

Strong Case Was Presented  
Against William Landerki,  
Alias Murphy.  
[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Goderich, April 5.—William Landerki, alias Murphy, arrested at Windsor, recently in connection with robberies at Brussels, Seaforth and Harriston, was sentenced to twelve years in Kingston Penitentiary today by Judge Holt. Murphy was regarded by the police as the leader of the gang which early in the winter perpetrated a number of daring burglaries in this district. His companion, young Thomas McDonald, who was arrested with him in Windsor, was dismissed as an abettor of the gang. Edward Burling, of Goderich, who confessed, was given four years in Kingston.  
Murphy's record is one of continual crime, and Crown Attorney Seager, who conducted the crown's case, had no difficulty in proving that with the exception of three years, Murphy has spent the last fifteen years in prison in the States for burglaries of various kinds.  
Murphy was suspected by the police of being one of the gang which engaged in a desperate pistol duel at Crediton when they were discovered trying to rob the postoffice runs. He was arrested on the excellent work of Mr. B. S. Murray, of this city, that Murphy and McDonald were captured at Windsor, valuable furs of a robbery of a parcel of goods



W. LANDERKI, sent to Kingston for twelve years for burglary.

## COUNTY JAIL SOLVES HIGH COST OF LIVING Prisoners Are Fed at Average of 7.63 Cents Per Day.

The high cost of living seems to be successfully solved at the county jail. Governor Carter's report for the quarter-year just ended shows that it cost just 7.63 cents per day to feed the prisoners. With medical attention this average runs up to 8.23 cents per day, which is considered a most economical amount in these days of high prices.  
The amount of provisions consumed at the jail during the past quarter is as follows: 2,681 pounds of bread, 870 pounds of oatmeal, 17 1/2 bushels potatoes, 51 gallons molasses, 333 pounds shank meat, 655 pounds neck meat, 26 barrel salt, 20 pounds barley, 1 1/2 peck onions, 2 pecks of carrots, 2 1/2 bushels of fish, 2 1/2 pounds of pepper and 45 cents' worth of pressed beef. Tea, butter, sugar, milk and tobacco were also given to the prisoners.  
Although the amount of 7.63 cents a day seems small, Governor Carter states that good meals can be supplied for this amount and the prisoners are delighted with the fare served.

## I thinks London Has Need of Zoo Upon Banks of Thames

A zoological garden for the city of London, situated at Springbank Park, would be a splendid idea, in the opinion of Mr. John Moulton, clerk of the London police court. Many other cities have them, he points out, and they are a source of interest and pleasure to the citizens, especially the children.  
It need not be a large one at first, he says, but some prominent citizens could donate a few animals to form a nucleus for a large collection which could be added to from time to time.  
A zoological garden would soon become a source of pride to the city, and he would like to see steps taken to further the idea.

## Thos. Davis Becomes Collector of Inland Revenue in London

Today's issue of the Canada Gazette contains official notice of the removal of Thomas Alexander, collector of inland revenue in this city, to Windsor, where he is to become district inspector.  
Thomas G. Davis, deputy collector in this city, is to be promoted to the collectorship.  
John E. Cow, district inspector at Windsor, is to become inspector at Kingston.

## Skunks May Drive Boats From River Latest Complaint

Devotees of boating on the Thames River who were alarmed at the proposal to tear down the Springbank dam, fearing that the boating would be spoiled, have now another obstacle to face, or rather to get around.  
Two local skunking enthusiasts are contemplating the establishment of a skunk farm on the banks of the river near Wonderland. They have already staked out the grounds and are engaged in erecting a shack, in which they intend to "back it" this summer, while looking after their furry pets. The intention is to add to the menagerie raccoons and foxes if the first project is a success, and if the raccoons and foxes can be induced to live with the skunks.

## HAYWOOD DISMISSED Held Not Guilty of Causing Disorderly Scenes at Paterson.

Paterson, N. J., April 5.—Wm. D. Haywood, organizer for the Industrial Workers of the World, was discharged from custody today after a hearing of charges of disorderly conduct and causing unlawful assemblage, in connection with the silk mill workers' strike.  
Adolph Lessig, arrested with Haywood, also was discharged. The court held that no intent to commit crime had been shown. Amid scenes of riotous demonstration on the part of several thousand strikers, the two men were escorted to a hall for a mass meeting.

## EDITOR MATTHEWS CHARGES SLINK VEAL IS SOLD IN CITY

Refers to Annual Collection in Country of Calves Unfit for  
Consumption Consigned for the Tables of  
London Citizens.

The Nissour Nudger, conducted by ex-Ald. Matthews at Evelyn, makes the charge that slink veal is being collected in the country for use on the tables of London.  
The statement is contained in a paragraph printed in the last issue of The Nudger as follows:  
"The slink collectors are on the warpath again gathering food for the tables of the citizens of London."  
M. H. O. interviewed.  
Dr. Hutchinson, under whose jurisdiction the inspection of meats sold in London, had been no slink veal sold in London.  
"Slink veal is the flesh of calves that are killed when they are a few days old, and they are not fit for food," said the doctor. "If we should catch anyone offering this kind of meat for sale we will make an example of them."  
"There should be a law passed making it a crime to sell veal that is less than six weeks old. At present there is no such law in Ontario. It may be that these calves are being secured in Mr. Matthews' district and shipped to other points. We will keep a close watch on what is offered."  
Councils Investigation.  
A citizen who noticed the item in Mr. Matthews' paper stated that an investigation should be made, and that the editor should be called to give any facts he might have that would lead to the conviction of anyone who could be charged with offering food unfit for consumption.

## FALLS MAY SEE CLASH OVER THE VACCINATING Many People Will Refuse to Submit to Health Officer's Orders.

[Canadian Press.]  
Niagara Falls, Ont., April 5.—Following the compulsory vaccination order issued by the provincial health department, doctors started this morning to vaccinate the residents of No. 1 ward. All who have not been vaccinated by their own physicians must call at the schools and submit to the operation. By Tuesday night the physicians expect to have vaccinated the entire population. There is a possibility of trouble between them. There are fully 250 school children who have not been vaccinated, and many people say they will refuse to submit. If necessary they will leave town.  
The American authorities have become alarmed over the spread of the disease, and there was talk of refusing people from the Canadian side admittance to the States across the international bridge. Dr. Logan, the new health officer, is handling things with a firm hand, and in every case where people refuse to have their arms scraped a prosecution will follow.

## Old Papers Bring \$1,000 for Aid of New Preventorium

It is estimated that when the full returns of the paper campaign, conducted by the Women's Sanatorium Aid Society on Friday in the interests of the Byron Preventorium, are known, the weight of the paper collected will total 100 tons, and that the weight of the same will net approximately \$1,000.  
Through The Advertiser the ladies of the society desire to thank those who contributed.

## Not Ready to Utilize Waterpower This Year

General Manager Glanville stated today that it was probable that the plan to pump water to the reservoir off peak load hours, and run it down through a sluice to develop power during peak load hours, would be abandoned for this year.  
"We have a large amount of construction on hand for the present year," he stated. "It does not seem likely that we will be able to go ahead with this plan at present. But it will be taken up at a later date."

## STRIKE RIOTS CONTINUE AT THE AUBURN, N. Y., PLANTS

Howling Mob Pelt Strike  
Breaking Machinists With  
Stones.  
[Canadian Press.]  
Auburn, N. Y., April 5.—Rioting continued this morning at the International Harvester mill, when machinists were attacked. Police and National Guardsmen in details escorted the machinists to the plant under a rain of stones, but nobody was seriously hurt. The strikers succeeded in driving home many of the machinists. The 300 howling men were held back of the dead line west of the New York Central tracks on Cottage street, and only those workmen who approached the plant from the east succeeded in getting inside. Peace was restored in an hour, and all is now quiet.  
At the Columbian plant, where four were shot yesterday, everything was quiet. The National Guard has full control of the big works, which have shut down completely.

## LABOR SCORES WHITNEY FOR DELAYING WORKMEN'S BILL

He Promised Compensation Act in 1908 and Astounds Union  
Leaders by Again Declaring Nothing Can Be  
Done Until Next Year.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Parliament Buildings, Toronto, April 4.—We were simply astounded to hear Sir James Whitney that there was practically no likelihood of a workmen's compensation bill being passed this session," declared a prominent Labor leader to your correspondent today.  
"Since the Prime Minister's announcement I have heard a number of workmen talking with great interest and animation about the subject, and without an exception they condemn Whitney for the threatened delay. It was in 1908 that the legislation was a first promised, and here is 1913 with nothing done in the House, and according to the Premier nothing to be done until next year!"  
From every source come similar stories of discontent. This week the Toronto Trades and Labor Council, through its legislative committee, scored the Government for its delay, and the current issue of the Industrial Banner, the official Labor paper, declares that the "testing time" has come and that "it's up to Sir James Whitney and his Government."  
Allan Studholme, Labor member for East Hamilton, and N. W. Rowell, the Liberal leader, have both expressed their willingness, their anxiety, to have the session continued until an adequate compensation bill is brought in, considered fully and made law. They recognize that the matter is a vital one for the workmen of the whole Province. It is no mere theory. The lack of a workmen's compensation act is causing trouble and hardship to men and their wives and families to an extent not appreciated by the general public.

## TEMPERANCE PEOPLE WILL PUT WHITNEY OUT OF BUSINESS Former London Pastor Says Premier Must Do Something Soon or Fall. Tillsburg Prohibition Associa- tion Strongly In Favor of Taking Local Option Vote.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Tillsburg, April 5.—At the annual meeting of the South Oxford Prohibition Association held in the Avondale Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon the question of asking for a vote on local option was discussed and strongly favored. It was decided to discuss the matter with some other bodies before taking definite action.  
Officers were elected as follows:  
Hon. President—Jos. Gibson, Ingersoll.  
President—W. H. Klipp, Delmer.  
First Vice-President—H. C. Buchner, Tillsburg.  
Second Vice-President—W. Collyer, Ingersoll.  
Third Vice-President—J. C. Shaw, Norwich.  
Secretary—Jas. S. Cuthbert, Ingersoll.  
Treasurer—T. W. Waters, Ingersoll.  
District Chairman.  
Ingersoll—R. Seldon.  
Tillsburg—B. Robson.  
Derham—Frank Harris, Mount Elgin.  
West Oxford—Harley Mayberry.  
South Norwich—Eugene Russell, Tillsburg.  
North Norwich—T. L. Dunkin.  
North Oxford—G. A. Tren.  
Norwich—Jas. McKnight.  
Otterville—J. W. Fish.  
W. C. T. U. County—Mrs. Frank Mitchell, Mount Elgin.  
Ingersoll—Mrs. Edna Bowes.  
Verschoyle—Mr. Arthur Bell.  
Tillsburg—Mrs. T. T. Brown.  
Norwich—Mrs. H. Van Valkenburg.  
Salford—Mrs. W. K. Newton.  
R. T. of T., Ingersoll—Fred Bowm.  
Norwich—Smith Cornell.  
Tillsburg—H. Weatherwax.  
At a meeting held in the evening, Rev. G. W. Dewey, of Blenheim, formerly pastor of the Empire Avenue Church, London, spoke on local option.  
Turn Whitney Out.  
Touching on the political action of the two parties, Mr. Dewey stated that the temperance people had turned Mr. Bess out, and he would like to whisper, if Sir James Whitney did not soon change his policy he, too, would be turned out as sure as the sun shines. The present generation, in spite of the difficulties, owed it to themselves and succeeding generations to do all they could to drive out the liquor traffic. Speaking for himself alone, Mr. Dewey said that in a local option contest the temperance forces would have the intricate and ingenuity of forces that were marshalled by the devil. He could not feel that he was marching under the generalship of Jesus Christ if he were not on the side of local option.  
Apathetic Forces.  
Apathy and indifference of the so-called temperance forces would also militate against the carrying of local option. The three-fifths clause and the enemies of local option were not the things that defeated the by-law, so much as the apathy and indifference of so-called temperance advocates. Public meetings, thought the speaker, had ceased to carry as much weight as it was thought. A failure to house visitation and personal canvass would assure success sooner than such meeting. Thorough organization was necessary to success in carrying a local option measure.  
The speaker devoted some time to showing the material advantages in living under local option. He gave a number of instances in West Toronto, where businessmen had increased their business. In his own town of Blenheim, there was not a businessman who had not profited by the passing of the local option. Socially it was also an advantage and intellectually, politically and in other ways it would elevate personal life. Much of the degradation in political and intellectual life was due to the liquor traffic.  
In conclusion Mr. Dewey advised that the temperance forces should not draw back because of the difficulties to be faced.

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home resumed the debate on fair wages and an eight-hour day. The other members sat about the House in groups chatting together, and apparently paying no attention to what the Labor member had to say. For over an hour, while the member for East Hamilton was speaking, there was barely a quorum in the House, and at one time only nineteen members could be counted. When the Premier got through with the paper, he passed it along to Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education, thinking perhaps it might be useful when the school readers are revised. Despite the evidences of an unsympathetic audience, the Labor member pluckily continued, appealing to the Government to see if something could not be done along the lines of the old age pension scheme of Great Britain. "Horses are pensioned when they grow old, why not men?" he asked. "The Government would rather see them arrested and vagabond and thrown into jail," he added. There should be work for the older men and at a living wage. It was the business of the Government to provide work in need of work and for old men who are your brother's keeper," he concluded.

Mr. Studholme's bill was practically the same as the one introduced at a previous session. It provided that eight hours should constitute a legal day's work, that workmen should be paid for overtime, that no workmen should receive less than twenty cents per hour, and fifty cents for overtime, that no person under eighteen years should be permitted to work more than eight hours a day, and that men working on Government contracts should receive fair wages. The bill, however, did not affect farm servants or domestics or persons working for their parents.

**HAMILTON POLACK ADMITS KILLING**

**Bayko Found Guilty of Manslaughter and Sentenced To Ten Years.**

**DUE TO DRUNKEN BRAWL**

Declares He Did Not Know at Time He Had Killed Fellow-Countryman.

Hamilton, April 4.—Wasil Bayko was this morning placed on trial on the charge of murdering Casimir Lienkiewitz on Feb. 19. The jury was composed wholly of farmers. N. C. Gwyn, K.C., acted as crown prosecutor, and M. Nesbitt represented the prisoner. At 8:30 p.m. the verdict of manslaughter was returned and Bayko was sentenced by Mr. Justice Middleton to ten years' imprisonment.

Most of the evidence had to be given through interpreter Yarosh. Michael Bablak and both the prisoner and the murdered man were drunk at 8 o'clock the night the crime was committed. Several boarders at the Bayko home gave similar testimony.

Constables told how they found the prisoner asleep on the morning the death of Lienkiewitz was discovered. His wife was unconscious. Bayko said to Sergeant Bettles: "First time that man came into my room, I say nothing, next time I kill." A little babe was found in Mrs. Bayko's arms.

**Admits Killing.** The prisoner went on the stand and admitted killing Lienkiewitz. He said he killed Lienkiewitz on account of his wife. He said that on the night of the crime each boarder contributed ten cents, and bought fifty cents' worth of whiskey. Afterwards he and Lienkiewitz were drunk. He went to the kitchen about midnight, and when he came back found his wife holding her hand to her head and the man on the couch. He struck the man with an axe and dragged the body to the yard. He said he did not know he had killed Lienkiewitz; he thought he had killed Steve Korzun, another boarder. He said he had previously threatened to leave his wife. He was suspicious of her. Asked why he did not give the alarm when he noticed blood on his wife's head, he said he was too drunk. He said his wife told him that Casimir struck her.

**Due to Liquor.** In his charge, Mr. Justice Middleton said the prisoner was guilty of either manslaughter or murder. The crime was the result of a drunken brawl. Our law was not unwritten. It was laid down in black and white. A verdict of manslaughter might be returned if the jury found the deed committed under provocation. Because the man said he did not intend to kill was not enough to reduce the charge to manslaughter. It looked to him to be the result of a man being fuddled. It was difficult to understand the ways of foreigners, but it was for the jury to see justice done.

The jury went out at 6 o'clock and returned at 8:30 with the verdict of manslaughter. Bayko was sentenced to ten years by Mr. Justice Middleton.

**Premier Pays No Attention.** Sir James was engaged in a perusal of a newspaper when Mr. Allan Stud-

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**SAYS INSPECTION OF BANKS SHOULD BE GOVT. OBLIGATION**

Joseph Henderson intimates That Finance Minister Has Not Gone Far Enough.

Ottawa, April 4.—The banking and commerce committee heard two witnesses today, and then adjourned till Tuesday next. They were Geoffrey Clarkson, curator of the Farmers' Bank, and Vice-President Joseph Henderson, of the Bank of Toronto.

Mr. Henderson has a silvery voice, with a pronounced English accent, and more than held his own under the somewhat long and desultory examination to which he was subjected. He spoke frankly from the banker's standpoint, utterly pooh-poohing many of the proposed restrictions upon the banks, but at the same time he showed himself more progressive in some respects than Finance Minister White. Indeed, he favored a much more sweeping and comprehensive inspection and audit than was contemplated by Mr. White, when he drafted the present bill.

Mr. Nickle, of Kingston, asked with some asperity if Government inspectors were to enter banks, like bloodhounds, but Mr. Henderson, nowise disconcerted, said they should certainly bring their intelligence with them, and insist upon a full disclosure of the condition of the bank.

**Reactionary Views.** Other views expressed by Mr. Henderson appeared somewhat reactionary. He more than intimated that the banking business was the same as any other business and that it was none of the public's concern how it was conducted. Thus he opposed any restriction upon the amount of money to be loaned to a director or to any other individual or single concern. Neither did he believe that the board of directors should be required to consult the shareholders about investments.

He believed that the inspectors or auditor to be named or approved by the Government should have power to pass upon investments and to order accounts to be closed or curtailed, but he did not believe in an appeal to the Finance Minister where the general manager of the bank and the auditor disagreed. In his opinion the minister's judgment would not be as good as the manager's.

**Demand for Inspection.** This subject, Mr. Henderson intimated, didn't greatly concern the Bank of Toronto, which was already inspected daily by a competent staff of experts. An additional inspection, he said, did no harm and it would meet a general demand for some action on the part of the Government to prevent failures like that of the Ontario Bank, the Farmers' Bank, the Sovereign Bank, etc.

Mr. Henderson did not believe in placing any statutory limit upon the interest rate to be charged by the banks. No law of this kind was enforced anywhere except in the United States. The German banks, he said, charged 8 per cent.

Mr. Henderson frankly stated that he knew from the start that W. R. Travers was an unfit person to be general manager of the Farmers' Bank but he did not feel called upon to say this to anyone.

The shareholders of a bank certainly should be allowed to select their own officers.

Hon. Mr. White sarcastically observed it was scarcely to be expected that any bank would be organized for the purpose of making some particular person general manager.

"On the contrary," Mr. Henderson replied, "I know of four banks which were organized by some man who wished to make money selling stock and by managing the concern." He mentioned the Farmers' Bank and the Monarch Bank, but not the other two he had in mind.

**Doomed by Mismanagement.** Mr. Geoffrey Clarkson, of Toronto, liquidator of the Farmers' and Sovereign Banks, testifying before the Commons banking and commerce committee today, gave the opinion that even if the Farmers' Bank had been inspected by a competent firm of auditors it would not have been prevented from failure, but the condition of the bank would have become known and much of the loss thus prevented. The failure was really due to a bad loan. He believed the bank was insolvent before it started, and would have failed anyway through mismanagement. The depositors' only hope was the Keeley mine.

Speaking of audits under the new act he said that where doubt arose as to the value of assets the higher officers of a bank should be compelled to make a statutory declaration as to the character of securities. If the finance department were to supervise loans they might as well manage the banks outright. In his opinion failures nearly always resulted from irregularities in the head office.

**STRONG PLEA FOR LABOR BY LIBERAL LEADER IN THE LEGISLATURE**

**Mr. Rowell Asks That Commission Be Appointed to Look Into the Eight-Hour Day Problem, But Whitney Refuses, and Ignores Studholme Address.**

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, April 4.—An important proposal was made by Mr. Rowell in the Legislature this afternoon with reference to the eight-hour day and minimum wage bill of Mr. Allan Studholme (East Hamilton). The debate on the second reading was continued, and after the Prime Minister had asked the House to reject the proposal, Mr. Rowell in a clear and logical address asked the Government to have a commission appointed to go into the whole matter and report at the next session of the House. An amendment to this effect was moved but the Prime Minister came back again with the six months' hoist. The debate was finally adjourned until next week.

**Important Proposal.** Mr. Rowell pointed out that the proposals in the bill were important. The whole question was engaging attention in other countries, and in Great Britain this was accomplished by direct legislation. But with regard to the minimum wage the British practice had been to establish trade boards on which employer and employee sat side by side and fixed the wage.

"I have an abiding confidence that in the last analysis the interests of the employers and employee are identical, and that which is best for the employer in the long run will be best for the employee. It should be possible to work out a bill which would not be unduly embarrassing in the sense of hampering industry but at the same time would make a substantial improvement in the conditions of the workingmen."

**Whitney "Knocks" Studholme.** Sir James Whitney thought the Labor member was courting "clap net" admiration. In his two days' speech Mr. Studholme had not even attempted to analyse the bill and show that the provisions were necessary. He objected to the use of the term "permitted" as being un-British. With reference to the clause that "a man dare not receive less than forty cents an hour overtime," Sir James said, "It means that a lot of elderly men, like myself, may fall by the wayside in order that men like the hon. gentleman may get some cheap admiration."

Captain Machin (Kenora), explained that he seconded the bill to give Mr. Studholme an opportunity of discussing it in the House.

Mr. Sam Clarke (West Northumberland), thought Mr. Studholme had made many good points in support of his bill. The whole situation resolved itself into two points: whether the wage earner was not giving more hours than were good for his health, and secondly, that of the minimum wage. He was entirely in sympathy with the plan.

**Premier Pays No Attention.** Sir James was engaged in a perusal of a newspaper when Mr. Allan Stud-

the worker, but he was not able to say what they should be. The House had already recognized the principle of regulating the hours of labor in shops and factories and mines in Great Britain. This was accomplished by direct legislation. But with regard to the minimum wage the British practice had been to establish trade boards on which employer and employee sat side by side and fixed the wage.

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Sultan and his brother chiefs are going to club in with us in forming a knickerbocker squadron and placing it at Mr. Churchill's disposal.

LONDONERS RESPOND TO CALL OF CHARITY AND FLOCK TO BALL. Decorations Used Recently For Masonic Ball Remained Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dowling, Mr. J. C. Duffield, Mr. Frank Edy, Miss Emery, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Edge, Miss Hazel Edson (Vassar College).

ELIMINATION OF CLAUSE CAUSES DISSATISFACTION. London and Western Ontario Motor Club Discusses the City's Roads.

Finch Fashens, Limited. Public notice is hereby given that under the first part of Chapter 78 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as 'The Companies Act,' letters patent have been issued under the seal of the Secretary of State of Canada, bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1913.

THE CITY OF LONDON BILL. The private bills committee of the Legislature strained at a gnat and swallowed a camel.

THE "WORST" IS THE LEAST. "The worst is over," says a European dispatch. "Russia and Austria have agreed to demobilize each 30,000 troops on the border."

WRONG ABOVE THE EARS. Owner of Car—Why did you leave your last place? Chauffeur—The guy I worked for went crazy.

Returns Not in Yet But Goody Amount Is Expected to Result. That Londoners, without exception respond freely to the call of charity was again evidenced last night by the large attendance at the charity ball held under the auspices of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire.

It does not take long for discordant notes to come to the surface over the action of the Legislature in dropping out certain clauses from the city of London bill.

At the meeting of London Western Ontario Motor Club in the Tecumseh House on Friday evening, several of the members voiced their displeasure that estimates for the storm sewers had not been included in the bill.

Sealed Tenders are called for by the Board of Water Commissioners, to be opened May 1, 1913, on the following supplies:

A DIFFERENCE OF PRINCIPLE. There is a tendency shown in some quarters to view the difference between the Borden and Laurier naval policies as one of method merely.

POOR BUSINESSMAN. The retailer who thinks it unnecessary to charge up a salary for himself, and who is only netting \$1,000 a year out of his business, is really a poor business man.

THE RIGHT KIND OF JOB. Try to get a job so important that you will say you have handed in your resignation if you get fired.

AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY. The Daughters of the Empire expressed themselves as being especially anxious to have the Shriners' decorations, and deeply appreciate the kindness of that organization in allowing them to remain intact.

ALLEGED YOUTHFUL BURGLAR ON TRIAL. Youngster Suspected of Victoria Hospital Robbery in Court at Windsor. A 15-year-old boy of this city, who is suspected of being concerned in the theft of \$125 from the office of Victoria Hospital recently, is on trial today at Windsor for burglarizing three stores in this city.

PAARTIES ROUTED. Hong Kong, China, April 5. — In a sharp encounter with a band of pirates on the West River today a force of Chinese soldiers and customs officers shot one and captured six pirates. The remainder of the band fled. An immense quantity of loot was uncovered.

SALES. AUCTION SALE. Monday, April 7. At 82 Dundas street, West London, Contents of parlor, dining-room, bedrooms and kitchen. Sale at 2 o'clock.

THE FARM LABOR PROBLEM. This question, the most important one facing the Ontario farmer, is discussed in a practical way by Mr. Walter James Brown in the current number of the University Magazine.

SAVED BY POVERTY. Poverty has saved the life of many a young fellow who had bought himself a shotgun or a sailboat if he only had had the money.

DEFINING A GRAFTER. A grafter is a man who lives by the sweat of another man's brow.

THOSE PRESENT. The stewards were: Messrs. Rev. St. R. Heakes, Col. Macdonell, Col. Smith, Major Becher, Capt. Wright, Owen Hodgins, B. Biggar, R. Arkell, R. B. Blandford, J. R. Fisher, Mr. Hume, C. Hunt, N. Hogan, Capt. Moore, Dr. Wm. Howden, N. Johnson, J. S. Labatt, L. L. Lyle, W. R. Meredith, J. Stanley Meredith, G. Pearson and Dr. H. R. Smith.

ARE THEY BETTER? The Australian Premier and Lord Denman, the governor-general of the Commonwealth, have again emphasized their opinion that separate navies are better than one. Are they both separatists?

NO. 15 TWO-THIRD VOTE TAKE NOTICE. That the council of the Corporation of London has resolved to construct a bituminous-top macadam pavement on Ribot street, from Elmwood avenue to south street line of the old avenue.

SALES. AUCTION SALE. TUESDAY, APRIL 8. At 1:30 p.m., at 219 Hill street, Contents of three bedrooms, parlor, dining-room and kitchen, also nearly new upright piano. Terms cash.

MISUNDERSTOOD. "How did you find your bed?" asked the landlady of the new lodger.

ZERO IN OCCUPATIONS. "But don't your friend do anything at all?" "Oh, yes, he worries."

A VALUABLE MAN. Merchant (to detective)—Some fellow has been representing himself as a collector of ours. He's been taking in more money than any two of the men we have and I want him collared as quickly as possible.

THE METCALFE AGENCIES, 216 Old Masonic Temple, 216 Old Masonic Temple, 216 Old Masonic Temple.

Does Mayor Seek Higher Honor if Major Steps Down? Mayor Graham evidently has his eye on a seat in the Dominion Parliament, to succeed Major Beattie, who will probably retire at next election.

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Billie Burke's Advice Is For Women Not to Worry. Other Topics For Women.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Work of Local Societies Affiliated With L. C. W. Katherine Leslie's Chat.

It Is the Woman Who Worries Who Grows Old Rapidly, Says Billie Burke

We are all looking for the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. The pot of gold that is offered by correct and common-sense beautifying is clearness of complexion and longer life.

Beauty of form and face and mental gifts are all treasures God gives, and we are responsible for the use thereof.

Most of us are born with perfect form and feature of face, but by abuse and ignorance we lose these precious gifts.

The woman who over-indulges her appetite—not the natural appetite, as nature is ever rational, but the cultivated appetite—permits her form to develop unsightly lines.

Circulation of the blood is the keynote of life which will unlock the door to eternal youth. So the first step to consider is how to improve.

There is still no such thing as standing still. Life is perpetual motion. So let us move onward and upward, not backward.

In the past, old age—or, I should say, advancing years—meant indulging one's likes and dislikes and making the whole family and the world at large conform to them as much as one's influence would permit.

Result: A wrinkled, shrivelled, appearance, which made a woman look years older than she was.

In this day of illumination and progression, advancing years mean a rounding out of ideas and character, living and letting others live, endeavoring to profit by the experience of others.

Result: Cheerfulness and a more youthful expression and carriage.

Beat in mind, the great fact, acknowledged by all, that crinkiness and trying to make everybody else see from one's own point of view has for long ages heralded the advance of years, and one will hesitate to wave a flag with the date of one's birth thereon.

Thank goodness, telling one's age has gone out of fashion and the world is beginning to accept us at our face value.



Common-sense beautifying is making the wise woman look 10 to 20 years younger, even in daylight.

Anger degenerates fermentation and poisons are thrown through the system that destroy and tear down.

KATHERINE LESLIE'S HOME CHAT

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS.



An expert in fashions has made a clever summary of the principal points in fashions for the incoming spring and summer, and the points are so valuable that we shall do well to keep them in mind during the next few weeks.



Keep a box of cedar dust in the kitchen. If any disagreeable smell arises from cooking, put a little of the dust on the hot part of the range, and the scent given out will purify the air immediately.

SOCIETIES AFFILIATED WITH THE LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN WORK TO A GOOD PURPOSE

Brief Resume of Work of Various Bodies Which Help to Comprise L. C. of W.—A Meeting Next Week.

On Friday afternoon next, April 11, a meeting of all the societies affiliated with the Local Council of Women will be held in the Normal School for the purpose of discussing the proposed agenda for the annual meeting of the National Council of Women to be held in Montreal in May and also to receive reports of the work done by the various societies which form a part of the Local Council.

The Affiliated Societies. The societies affiliated with the Local Council work for various objects—some to stimulate educational and patriotic interest, others look after the children of the city, others the welfare of young women, and a fourth-class is concerned with the care of the sick and needy.

The work of the Children's Aid Society and the Protestant Orphan's Home in looking after destitute and orphan children is well known. They, especially the former society, accomplish much not only in the city but throughout parts of Western Ontario as well.

The value of the Women's Canadian Club has been proved many times since its organization by the excellent speakers which have addressed the members from time to time on subjects of vital interest.

The Women Teachers' Guild also works along educational lines, its specialty being to conduct a series of public lectures once or twice a year at which some qualified speaker discusses matters of literature or art.

To turn to another type of these affiliated societies, the Aberdeen Association is an excellent example of what can be accomplished in a quiet way.

For years the members have met monthly after month, gathered together interesting literature, and expressed it to lonely homes in the Western Provinces, to lumber and mining camps, to isolated fishermen along the coasts of Canada, and many have been the letters of gratitude received from numerous points to which reading matter is sent.

The work of the King's Daughters of London is usually directed in two ways—to assist the poor of the district and to undertake some missionary obligation. Although there are only three

branches of this order in the city, they are doing excellent work, and especially in the winter months are instrumental in relieving no small amount of suffering and want.

Three Institutions. Three institutions are controlled by the Women's Christian Association—the Home for Incurables, the Aged People's Home, and the Infant Shelter, and the executive ability shown by the board in managing these homes is indeed commendable.

Other Societies. Other bodies associated with the Local Council of Women are the Mothers' Union of Memorial Church, Convalescent Home, Ladies Auxiliary to Y. M. C. A., Victorian Order of Nurses, Alma Daughters, Nurses' Alumni, and the Women's Sanatorium Aid.

The object of this latter organization is, of course, to assist the Alexandra Sanatorium at Byron in every way possible.

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The work of the Y. W. C. A., their work is probably too well known to require much comment. Their aims are primarily for the welfare and protection of young women, especially those working away from home.

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WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

INWOOD

[Special to The Advertiser.] Inwood, April 4.—The Women's Institute met yesterday in the McLevey Hall. Papers were given by Mrs. Brown and Miss Switzer on "How To Be Careful When House-cleaning" and an Easter essay by Mrs. Thompson.

FLORENCE

[Special to The Advertiser.] Florence, April 5.—The regular meeting of the Women's Institute has been postponed until next Wednesday, as the condition of the roads would not allow a large number in the vicinity to get in.

KOMOKA

[Special to The Advertiser.] Komoka, April 5.—The regular monthly meeting of the Komoka Women's Institute will be held at Fairview, the home of Mrs. Arch Campbell, Thursday afternoon, April 10, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY A year of activity and success awaits you, and the things which you undertake, after careful thought, will prosper.

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"The Eternal Feminine."

Dear Miss Grey: Having been an interested reader of your column, I thought I would like to ask you a few questions, which I hope you will answer as soon as possible. 1. Is it suitable to wear a blue serge sailor dress at ball parties? I expect to go to one next Friday night, and would like to know before that time. 2. What kind of a dress would you advise me to get for summer? I can only afford one for best. 3. What are the most fashionable colors and cloth for spring and summer? 4. Will big hats be in style? 5. Hoping I have not tired you with my questions, I am, BONNY JEAN.

Finds Life Monotonous.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a young girl of 18 1/2 years, and am working at home in the house, but find it so uninteresting and monotonous, and I feel I must get out and do something else. 1. Do you think it would be profitable to be a stenographer? 2. Is it necessary to know shorthand to be so? I should on the other hand like very much to be a secretary. 3. Do you think that if I took up the study of languages, say French, German and Italian (I have a fair knowledge of French), there would be any chance or likelihood for me to obtain a position as a travelling companion to a lady? 4. What are the duties of a lady's companion? If you have any suggestion to offer me I should be more than glad, and also if you can help me on the above questions. Sincerely, THANKING YOU, PERPLEXED.

EARLY RHUBARB FOR YOUR TABLE

If you had a backyard garden last summer, you probably had rhubarb, which in the ordinary course of outdoor growth ripened about the time when rhubarb was a drug on the market and to be had for little more than the asking. This season you can have your rhubarb early, when it will be really appreciated. All you have to do is to dig up a clump or two the first day a thaw comes. Plenty of soil should be clinging to the clump. Place it on the cellar floor and water it occasionally. Light is not needed, for the stalks will grow finely in the dark, but the warmer the cellar the faster they will grow. Long before the outdoor rhubarb is ready for pie or sauce you will have cellar stalks awaiting the knife.

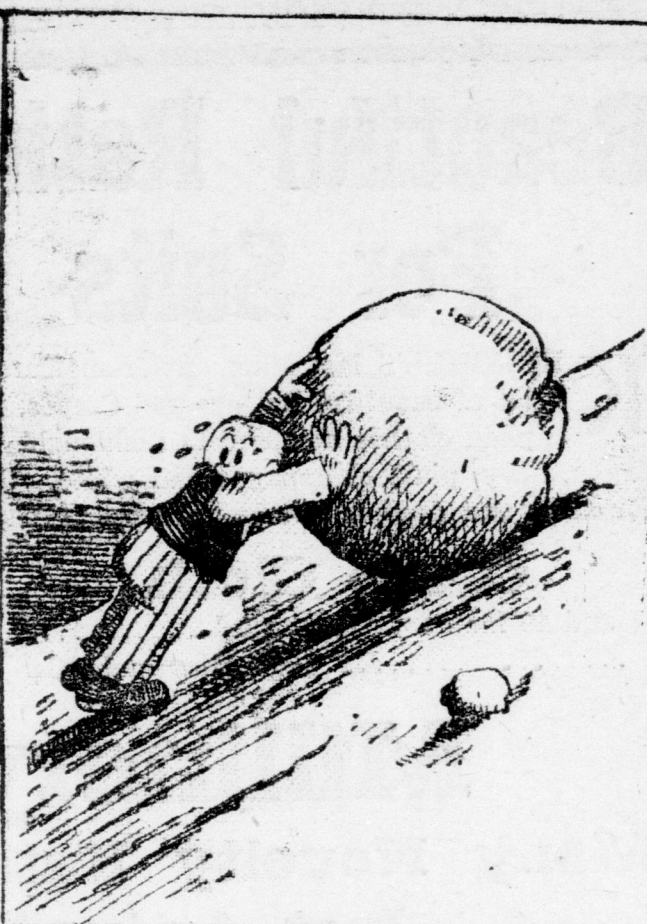
ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

A Rolling Stone Is Worth Two in the Bush

By "Bud" Fisher



LONDON HOCKEY PLAYERS WILL GET DIAMOND RINGS

Meeting Will Be Held Next Week and It Is Stated on Good Authority That Club Will Make Presentation to Players—Statement Will Be Issued by the Management.

Although the London Hockey Club management have little to say about the matter other than that they will hold a meeting next week to discuss it, it is stated on good authority that the players of the intermediate team will be presented with diamond rings. Many Bills Were Out. The management claim that owing to the fact that many of the bills were out and that several other important matters needed arranging, the club has been delayed in showing recognition of the services rendered by the team this past season. The fact that Borland and Walden left for the west the day after the players returned from Toronto also delayed matters. One Wants Motorcycle. While it is not likely that all the players will be presented with rings, those who do not want them will be presented with something more useful. One of the players is reported to have said that he would trade his diamond ring for a motorcycle, if the management would stand for it, as he has been intending to purchase a motorcycle for some time past. In his case, it is likely he will get the motorcycle.

All Will Be Satisfied. A couple more players have also intimated that they would like something more useful than a diamond ring. However, it is likely that the hockey management will show their appreciation of the work done by the boys this season in a way that will satisfy them all. Toronto Game Brought Big Sum. The club will meet next Wednesday and all the business matters dealing with the season will be closed up. A check for \$405, London's share of the gate receipts of the final game at Toronto, was forwarded to the club at the first of the week by Secretary Hewitt, of the O. H. A. The London club made more out of the Toronto game than any other game this season. The special trains netted the management a couple of hundred dollars. Club Will Issue Statement. One who is in close touch with the club management stated yesterday that a statement of the season's receipts and expenditures would be made out and given to the press for publication following the meeting next week.

JESS WILLARD IS UNDER DOCTOR'S CARE

Went Under Operation For Growth in His Nose, and Will Not Enter Ring For a Month. San Francisco, April 4.—For the remainder of this week and the better part of next week, Jess Willard, the heavy-weight, will pay daily visits to the doctor. He was operated on yesterday for the removal of a growth from his nose and will not be able to fight for a month or so.

CHICAGO CUBS GET TRAINER NAMED CASEY

"Doc" Semmons Had To Go After Landing on Johnny Evers' Countenance. [Canadian Press.] Chicago, April 5.—Harold Casey is to be the new trainer of the Chicago Nationals, succeeding "Doc" Semmons, who gave Manager Johnny Evers his resignation and a blow on the jaw yesterday. Casey's name led the list of applicants for the position and he will be given a tryout at once.

JACK LESTER MATCHED TO MEET KAUFMAN

Two Will Fight Four-Round Bout About April 11. San Francisco, April 4.—Jack Lester, who was to have met "Gunboat" Smith, will step into the ring on April 11 for the first time since his return from Australia, with Al Kaufman for his opponent in a four-round bout. Lester was anxious for a longer go, but as his first desire is to make a showing, he took what he could get.

GIBBONS AND BROWN MAY ARRANGE BOUT

St. Paul, Minn., April 4.—Negotiations are on between Mike Gibbons, welterweight champion, and "Knock-out" Brown, of Chicago, for a battle, a challenge having been received today by the St. Paul boxer. The fight, if arranged, will take place in Los Angeles, the date to be selected later. Brown is said to have agreed to fight at 155 pounds.



"BRAINIEST CUB PLAYER," TINKER HAS JOB FEW ENVY—BOSS OF CINCY.

It was Frank Chance who characterized Shortstop Joe Tinker, now manager of the Cincinnati National League Club, as the brainiest Cub player, to distinguish him from "the brains of the infield," as Charlie Murphy or someone else dubbed Johnny Evers. It may be accepted that Chance modestly left himself out of consideration when picking out the brains. Tinker's present position is, unenviable. As manager of the Reds he succeeds a long list of failures. He may succeed, with the accent on the "may," if he does he will prove the rule by being the exception. As the very least, he deserves a Carnegie medal for his bravery in accepting the position.

BANK CLERKS TO PLAY BALL

Bankers' Baseball League Was Organized in the City Yesterday. OFFICERS WERE ELECTED

As a result of a meeting held in the Huron and Erie office yesterday afternoon the Bankers' Baseball League was organized and plans made to draw up a schedule and make other arrangements for the coming season. Has Been Planned Some Time. For some time past a bankers' baseball league has been favorably discussed in the local banks, there being plenty of material for a four-team organization. The matter was brought to a head yesterday when the meeting was called and the following officers elected: The Officers. President—Ed G. Reid. Secretary—J. A. McNiven. Treasurer—J. A. McNiven. The league will play its games at Queen's Park in the afternoon, the contests starting about 5 o'clock. The next meeting has been called for April 9.

BOSTON DOVES WON IN NINTH INNING

Walter Johnson Held Them to One Hit, Recruit Pitcher Blew Up in the Final Session. Washington, April 4.—The Boston Nationals defeated the Washington American Leaguers here today, 8 to 7. Walter Johnson pitched the first half of the game and had Boston at his mercy, only one hit being made off his delivery. He was relieved by a recruit from Kansas City named Gallia. The latter held his own until the ninth inning, when he went to pieces and the Bostonians pounded out their eight runs, just enough to win. There were no features. R. H. E. Wash. . . 2 0 2 0 2 0 0 0 0—7 10 2 Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 8—8 4 Hess, Brown, James and Rariden; Johnson, Gallia and Ainsmith and Williams, Empire—Handboe, Time—1:55.

MACK'S MEN MAKE IT THREE STRAIGH

Doin's Aggregation Could Not Hold the Slugging Athletics. Philadelphia, Pa., April 4.—The Athletics won today's game from the Phillies by a score of 9 to 3. With the score tied Doin called upon Earl Moore to keep the Athletics from adding to their string, but he was not able to fill the job. After the Athletics got three runs, Moore was yanked, and Marshall started in the eighth. The Athletics hammered Marshall for three runs, but it was not necessary for Doin to find another twirler, as the game was over. Mayer started the game for the Phillies, allowing the Athletics to get three runs in the initial inning. Mack's men got 14 hits off the pitching staff of Doin, while the best the Phillies could do off Wyckoff and Plank, who relieved him, was six. Plank, usually a slow starter in the early season, appears to be in mid-season form. He fanned the side in the eighth. The score: R. H. E. Nationals . . . 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0—3 5 1 Americans . . . 3 0 0 0 0 3 0 \*—9 14 0 Mayer, Moore, Marshall and Doin in the first; Wyckoff, Plank and Thomas, Empires—Connolly and Klem.

TWIN CITIES' TEAM GOES TO WINONA, MINN.

Port Arthur and Fort William Quits Northern League. [Canadian Press.] Auburn, N. Y., April 5.—Chairman H. Farrell, of the national board of arbitration of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues today gave out the following notices of changes in minor league baseball: The franchises and players of the Port Arthur-Fort William club in the Northern League have been transferred to Winona, Minn. The Minneapolis, Kansas, franchise in the Kansas State League has been transferred to Clay Centre. The Chester and Reading franchise and players in the Tri-State League have been declared forfeited to the Tri-State League.

ST. THOMAS CLUB LOOKS TO BE STRONGER THIS YEAR

Manager Ort Has Signed Up Several New Men Who Will Greatly Strengthen the Saints—Mike Maurer May Sign Up With Team Before Season Opens.

St. Thomas, April 4.—In a letter to President C. O. Stanley, of the Saints, received today, Manager Ort reports the signing of a catcher by the name of George W. Kirby, hailing from Plymouth, Mich. He is a big fellow, 22 years of age, and has played professional ball for two years. Mike Maurer Changes His Mind. Mike Maurer, the former Detroit Tiger and South Michigan Leaguer, has changed his mind about signing a St. Thomas contract, and now contends that he will pass up professional ball for this season. Providing he again changes his mind, Ort has his word for it that the Saints will be the team with which he will play. As it is still fairly cold, Maurer's determination to remain out of the game may waver when it gets good and warm and the dust begins to blow. Ort was greatly disappointed over his failure to land Maurer, as he was banking strongly on the young left hander to fill the shoes of Jacobson, providing the veteran southpaw does not report for duty. Fourteen Signed Up. Fourteen men have already signed their 1913 contracts: Catchers Powers, Kirby and Kiefel; Pitchers Baker, Golden and Macumber; Infielders Ollerholz, Killingsworth, Loos and the manager himself, and Outfielders Kopp, Kustur, Shiley and Sweeney. This leaves Clement, Howick, Jacobson, Fergie and Wright yet to sign. It will be seen that numbered prominent among the holdouts are the backstop, the star pitcher, and the star slugger, Howick and Jacobson, three of the best pitchers in the league last season. Clement has given his word that he will be back, while Howick has everything to gain by signing his contract. Last season Harry was only given fair remuneration for his services and the club, recognizing the fact that his services were worth far more and would be this year, gave him a big boost in salary. This does not suit Howick, however, and he thinks he is worth another big jolt in his wages. Jacobson May Not Be Back. Nothing much has been heard of Jacobson excepting a few stray postal cards he has sent to a few of his friends in the city. In these epistles he says he will return to the fold, but the club have as yet heard nothing official from him. Jake was paid a magnificent salary last season, in fact one too magnificent for the financial condition of this club and accordingly this season the figures on his contract were shaved considerably of that magnitude with which they were graced last season. Jacobson is no spring chicken and unlike the other young players, he cannot look forward to a brilliant career on the diamond as he has had his day, and for this reason it makes very little difference to him whether he plays or not. Fergie a Holdout. Fergie's difference with the club is only a minor one, and he, like Howick, would be foolish not to get in the game next season. Everyone is acquainted with Eddie Wright's case, and if they aren't it is the fault of Edward, who by the way is now a full-fledged citizen of Oxnard, California. Bogus!

Marquard Helped Giants to Win This Richmond Team Swamped by McGuire's Men by Score of Nineteen to Five. Richmond, W. Va., April 4.—After encountering the first bath-room since leaving Mobile it is quite natural the Giants should have appeared greatly refreshed this afternoon, although that is no good excuse for doing what they did to the Richmond club of the Virginia League. The final score of the exhibition game today was 19 to 5. Further argument is practically useless. Marquard took advantage of the opportunity to demonstrate the possibilities of his slow ball. The team Freuchenman is gradually coming to form and he is no doubt with the Virginia delegation. He was finally succeeded by Al Demaree, who was equally effective. A young man by the name of FRAIN occupied the box for Richmond and he spent most of the afternoon either hitting the Giants' batsmen or letting them hit him. Altogether Mr. FRAIN's time was well occupied. The Giants now have on to Baltimore, and then to Washington. The score by Innings: Richmond 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 3—5 12 11 New York 5 2 5 0 0 3 3 1 \*—19 15 3 FRAIN and Mace; Marquard, Demaree and Meyers and Wilson.

CANADIAN LEAGUE GOSSIP

Brantford Expositor: Brantford's latest recruit, Chedelaine, of New Bedford, is given a good send-off by players in that section, and from advance information, Coose, Donovan, Clearmont and the other twirlers of the Red Sox will have to work hard to beat him out for a job. The Brantford team will stand pat on all positions but catchers, pitchers and shortstop. Lamond is still out, and the club has gone ahead on the assumption that he will stay out. The three new catchers signed will be cut to the two showing the most class. Hamilton Herald: Advice from Baltimore state that Billy Rose, of last year's Hamilton Canadian League team, has been let out by Baltimore. This seems surprising not because of him being let go, but because of the fact that his release came so early. Rose was taken along with the regulars a few days ago, and it looked as if he would receive a thorough tryout. However, the announcement must be official. Rose told Lee in a letter received recently by the Hamilton manager that in the event of his not making good with Baltimore he would quit baseball. Whether he intends to carry out his decision remains to be seen. Despite this, it is confidently expected that he will again wear a Hamilton uniform. Listen to this from Guelph: When Shaughnessy, of Ottawa, picks St. Thomas and London as the two teams to beat in the Canadian League this year, he must have been dreaming. How about the Maple Leafs and that Brantford outfit? It is not expected Hamilton or Berlin will cut much of a figure.

OTTAWA CLUB SIGNS TORONTO YOUNGSTER

Joe O'Hara, a Promising Young Outfielder, Will Try Out For Sailor Burke's Position. Ottawa, April 4.—The Ottawa Baseball Club has signed Outfielder Joe O'Hara, of Toronto, a member of the champion Wellington team. He was recommended by officers of the Toronto Ball Club as one of the most promising around Toronto. He will be taken to the training camp and groomed for Frank Burke's place in the outfield. It is not yet decided where the Ottawa will train. The Fort Wayne park is under fifteen feet of water, and they may return to Chatham. Frank Shaughnessy received a letter from Fort Wayne today explaining that the opening of the Central League schedule for April 23 would probably be postponed owing to the floods. For a time it was doubtful if the Central League would be able to operate at all this season. The Ottawa are trading Pitcher Draper to Richmond, of the Virginia League, for a fast outfielder. They

Who's Who in Baseball

Daily Bulletin of Major League Players. and their confidence was fully justified. The real contest in this event was between Armor and Merry Lad, and the Tennessee colt won out. A newcomer, Florida, cleverly guided by Troxler, led the 2-year-olds, beating out Sonny Boy, who was considered the best of those known in the bunch. Troxler was also atop the winner of the second event, and it was the general opinion that nothing short of a fall could prevent the Simons' colt from taking the race, as he was far and away better than any other entry. The summary: First race, purse \$300, 2-year-olds, selling, 4 furlongs—1 Florida, 2 Sonny Boy, 3 Edna Leska. Time: 1:49 2-5. Second race, purse \$300, speed purse, conditions, 3-year-olds and up, 8 furlongs—1 Palanquin, 2 Votes, 3 Cogs. Time: 1:13 1-5. Third race, purse \$300, 3-year-olds, selling, 5 1/2 furlongs—1 Coeur d'Alene, 2 Arcon, 3 Pretty Molly. Time: 1:48 2-5. Fourth race, purse \$400, Jockey Club purse, conditions, 3-year-olds and up, 7 furlongs—1 Cherryvalla, 2 Armor, 3 Merry Lad. Time: 1:28 2-5. Fifth race, purse \$300, 2-year-olds and up, selling, 5 1/2 furlongs—1 Martre, 2 Rye Straw, 3 Chemipo. Time: 1:15 4-5. Sixth race, purse \$300, 4-year-olds and up, selling, 1 mile and 70 yards—1 Cheer Up, 2 Ragman, 3 Floral Hag. Time: 1:48 2-5.

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JOHNNY EVERS.

DETROIT TIGERS WON AGAIN AT CHATTANOOGA

Excellent Pitching by Troy and Lake Responsible for the Victory.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 4.—Without ever threatening the safety of "Kid" Eberfeldt's boundary walls, the Tigers this afternoon managed to put salt on the tail of the eagle of victory and coax that bird to fold her plumes on their banner. Which is simply an unnecessarily verbose method of saying that they whipped Chattanooga 4 to 0 and did it with very little hitting. It speaks volumes for the sort of pitching Jennings is getting to recite the fact that the Lookouts made but one run in the last 36 innings played against the Tigers. They pushed over a tally in the seventh inning on Tuesday, were shut out Wednesday, registered again in the opening round of Thursday's joust and received a final set of blanks today. Thus there were 18 consecutive sessions in which none of the home club denied the rubber. Bob Troy and Joe Lake collaborated in the application of today's coat of whotevash. Troy was rather the better of the two, as he faced only 18 men in six innings and the only hit made off him was a pop fly that four men could have caught if each of them had not been convinced that one of the others would attend to the task.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, ETC.

GIANTS HAVE GREAT RECORD

Norfolk, Va., April 4.—The Giants haven't been beaten yet, and all of their victories, except the one at Knoxville, have been over minor league teams, who do not lose all their games to the big leaguers by a good deal. Here is the complete list of exhibition games played and won by the Giants regulars: Dallas 7 to 0, Austin 11 to 2, San Antonio 5 to 2, Waco 13 to 1, Galveston 8 to 1, Houston 3 to 0 and 3 to 2, Beaumont 6 to 0 and 5 to 2, New Orleans 6 to 5, Mobile 3 to 0 and 10 to 1, Birmingham 6 to 5, Maryville 9 to 1, Norfolk 10 to 4. The Giants have made 104 runs, to opponents' 26. Charles Herzog, the peerless third baseman of the Giants, and the best in the big league, while very confident that the Giants will win the pennant, nevertheless sees some very hard rows that the team will have to hoe because of the exigencies of the schedule this season. On every trip west that the Giants make they either play in Chicago and immediately afterwards in Pittsburgh, or vice-versa.

UNCERTAIN OUTLOOK FOR ABBIE'S TEAM

St. Catharines Has Not Yet Decided on Professional Baseball Owing to Lack of Grandstand. St. Catharines, April 4.—Until it is definitely known as to whether the city will at once begin work on a proposed new grand stand for the lacrosse grounds now owned by the municipality, the proposed transplanting here of Abbie Johnson's professional baseball team from the New York and Pennsylvania League cannot be decided, but the Niagara District League will definitely be continued, notwithstanding their prospects for a better article of the same here than ever before. The residence rule has been abolished and there will be absolutely no restriction placed upon any of the clubs in regard to players.

RED SOX PLAYERS ARE HIGHLY VALUED

Life Insurance Policies Amounting to \$100,000 Taken Out on Four of Them. Boston, April 4.—Life insurance policies aggregating \$100,000 have been taken out on four of the Red Sox players in favor of the Boston American League club. Joe Wood, Hugh Bedient, Willie Speaker and Larry Gardner have each been insured for \$25,000.

Marlboro Results

Marlboro, April 4.—The races today resulted as follows: First race, 2-year-olds, purse \$300, about 4 furlongs—1 Old Jordan, Time 1:21 1/2; 2 Little Rebel, 3 Rummage, Time 1:21 4/5. Second race, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$300, selling, 4 1/2 furlongs—1 Bryn, 2 Carroll, 3 Boss, Time 1:57 1/5. Third race, 3-year-olds and up,

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If Ty Cobb Gets That \$15,000 Salary He Wants, Peevishness Will Become a New Baseball Disease, With the Game's Stars Acute Sufferers.

Umpire Billy Evans, who has been writing for The Advertiser for the last two years, is the only man in baseball who really writes his own stories. Most of the players writers never write a line, but turn the work over to newspaper men, being content to see their names in print and to get the money. Evans was a sporting writer before he was an umpire, and has ALWAYS WRITTEN EVERY THING APPEARING UNDER HIS NAME. When Ban Johnson, president of the American League, ordered players to stop fake newspaper writing he said, "Evans has always written his own stories. He started before he was earning so much money as now. If Evans is requested to quit the money will be made up in some other way." Editor.

BY BILLY EVANS. Umpire the American League.

IF Ty Cobb gets that \$15,000 salary he wants, peevishness will become a new baseball disease, with the game's stars acute sufferers. The owners will be compelled to "come across."

Cobb has undoubtedly decided that he is worth to the Detroit club and has given his ultimatum. He is not only a great ball player but a good business man. Without him the Detroit club would be far from the attraction it is. Whether the public like Cobb or not, crowds go to the ball grounds to see him in action.

There are other players on the Detroit team, however, and like Ty Cobb they are after an advance in salary. IF as reported all are denied an advance that the club may meet the demands of Cobb, then Hugh Jennings will have a strenuous time this summer. No doubt every ball player wants Ty to get what he asks, but there isn't a Tiger player who can be led to believe that he should sacrifice his own increase to make it possible for the club to meet Cobb's demand.

The players want Ty to "get his," but they also want their own. I hardly think so wise an owner as Frank Nevin would adopt this sort of a policy, which would certainly prove detrimental.

Incidentally, the stars on other teams, who are working for five or six thousand, are sure to be dissatisfied if Cobb is paid the fabulous figure quoted—and everyone of them will believe he gets it (whether he does or not) if Cobb appears in a Detroit uniform.



Ty Cobb.

CITY SOCCER LEAGUE WILL MEET MONDAY

Several Important Matters Are To Be Discussed at Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the City Soccer League will be held on Monday evening in McClary's dining-hall on York street, the discussion of suitable grounds for the W. F. A. team, and other matters having to be discussed. The football clubs held a smoker at McClary's last evening, a large number of players and enthusiasts turning out. Quite an enjoyable program was given, and those present were well pleased with the evening.

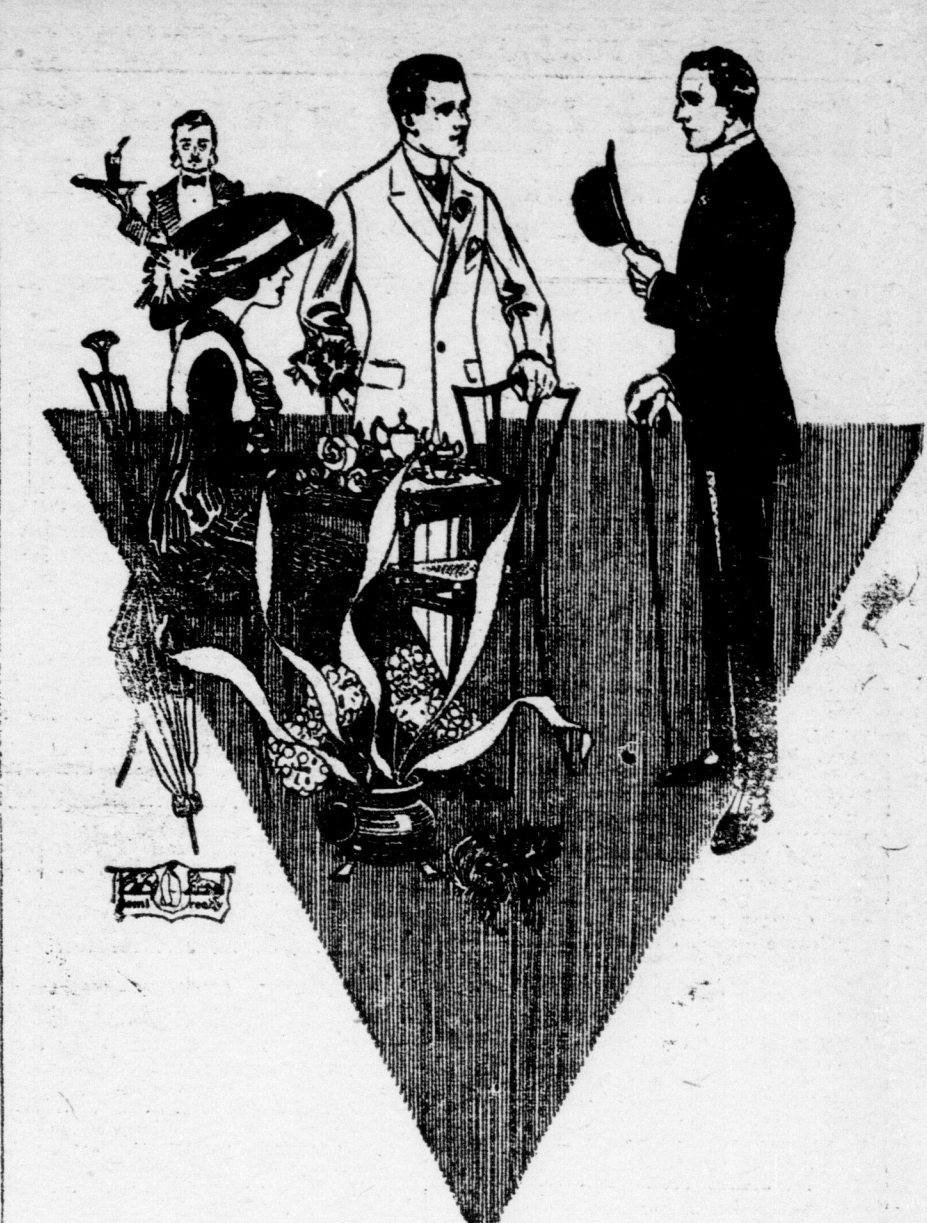
NEW FEDERAL LEAGUE WILL OPEN IN MAY

That is If Covington, Ky., Will Form Part of Circuit.

Indianapolis, April 5.—At the close of a six-hour session magnates of the Federal Baseball League last night announced that the organization will open its season in May if Covington, Ky., carries out its agreement and become a part of the circuit. St. Louis, Indianapolis, Pittsburgh, Chicago and Cleveland were represented at the meeting, which was adjourned until today, when a schedule probably will be adopted and arrangements made for another town to replace Covington, in case that place fails to get a franchise.

HORSE TALK

One of the latest additions to the Murphy stable is the trotter, Peter the Gay, 2:18 1/2. John D. King is racing secretary at Goshen. John is a great story-teller and a good fellow. Davis James is going to ship from California to Indianapolis, where he trained two years ago. The announcement of the stakes for the New York grand circuit meeting is awaited with interest. Entries to the Cleveland grand circuit meeting closed yesterday, being the first of the season. Stranger, 2:16 1/4, and Sandy Milstren, 2:18 1/2, a couple of western horses, have been bought by C. W. Lash, a Detroit trainer. Geers will do his final training at North Randall this year. It is announced, shipping there late in May. J. R. Trimble, of Pittsburg, who has bought the pacer, Ward Dillon, 2:10 1/4; formerly kept a hotel at Mount Clemens. Frazeewood, 2:05 1/4, will be trained by Will Fleming, who rode in front last season with the big train, Joe Fletcher II. The Patchen Wilkes Farm crop of yearlings is said to total 117, and all of them and a few more by Peter the Great. Mr. Billings is going into futurity racing all right as he has named nine mares in the events which close this evening. The Metropolitan circuit of half-mile tracks in and close to New York state is giving \$50,000 for the eleven weeks of racing this year. Mike McDavitt is going to try and race his recent Michigan purchase, Rex Heart, without the hobbles, reminding us of old dogs and new tricks. Among the Mackenzie horses that will be raced by Geers are Joe Patchen II, Vernon McKinney, Zombak, Frank Perry and three green things. The fat 3-year-old stallion, Doshia, 2:17 1/2, will be trained at Dover by A. E. Martin, the deal to send him to Andrews has been agreed on. "Knapsack" McCarthy, Tom Nolan, Earl Pittman, R. H. Clark, William Mayberry, and others are going to do their training at the Empire track. Godsmith Maid won more money than any trotter, pacer or runner in history. She won the first \$100,000 event in the world at the Empire track, during which her winnings reached \$200,000. "Sixties" as Ray Brown is known through the Michigan circuit where he has driven many of George Cash's horses, has become assistant trainer for Murphy. There is talk of a separation between Stokes and Ed. Willis, but it hardly seems possible. What a great turf class is an absolutely true story of the life and observations of the colored trainer, would be. Buffalo will have the honor this year of staging the first \$100,000 event in the big circuit, the meeting being third on



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GREATERT LONDON SECTION OF THE London Advertiser A DEPARTMENT FOR THE NEWS OF LONDON'S THRIVING INDUSTRIAL AND RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS.

Tomorrow's Weather—Fair and Cool. LONDON, ONTARIO, SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1913. Sun Rises Tomorrow, 5:51; Sets, 6:51.

No Alarm System For New Districts For Some Time

Chief Aithen Says It Will Cost About \$20,000, and That It Will Take Some Time To Erect—Residents Are Alarmed, As They Have Practically No Fire Protection.

Residents of the new districts are wondering when the city is going to start work on the erection of a fire alarm system in their sections of the city. The fire at the Evans Hotel last Sunday night, which completely destroyed the hotel and two houses, has frightened the residents of that section, who claim that the same things would happen to their homes if a fire should break out in them.

NO EXPRESS DELIVERY FOR NEW DISTRICTS

Dispute As To Boundaries Between City and Companies Has Not Been Settled.

Although the express companies of the city promised the residents of the newly-annexed districts that they would establish branch delivery offices in each of the sections, nothing has been done towards the establishment of the offices yet.

CAN'T GET TELEPHONES IN THE NEW DISTRICTS

Residents Have Applied, But Company and City Have Not Reached Agreement.

Rates similar to those enjoyed in the city were granted to residents of the recently annexed suburbs by the Bell Telephone Company on the 1st of April, but a number of people who wish to have telephones placed in their homes claim that they cannot do so until the city and company arrive at some agreement.

WORK ON FACTORY IS BEING PUSHED AHEAD

Expected That Contractors Will Be Able to Start Concrete Work Next Week.

Work on the excavations for the McCormick factory in East London is being pushed ahead rapidly, and it is expected that the contractors will be ready some time next week to start work on the concrete foundations.

DENIES THE RUMOR

It was rumored about East London this morning that work on the excavation for the new Leonard factory had been started, but at the factory this was denied.

HARPER-FOX.

Miss Elsie Fox, daughter of Mr. William Fox, of Nelson street, was united in marriage Thursday afternoon at 2:30, at the parsonage of the Dundas Centre Methodist Church, to Mr. Edward Harper, of this city. Rev. Dr. Manning performed the ceremony.

GUYMER-WAKELING.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's brother, Geo. A. Guymer, 899 Queen's avenue, on Thursday afternoon by Rev. Dr. Manning when Miss Emma Guymer was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest Wakeling. Miss Elsie Guymer acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Campbell Wakeling assisted the groom.

A New Feature REAL ESTATE IS SELLING RAPIDLY ALL OVER THE CITY

Thirty-Five Lots Have Been Sold Off One Tract Purchased Some Time Ago.

CHURCH ADDITION IS NEARING COMPLETION

New Room Being Added to Gospel Hall to Accommodate Increasing Congregation.

APPEAL FOR HELP SENT FROM DAYTON

Local Agency of Firm There Authorized to Receive Donations.

CAN'T GET TELEPHONES IN THE NEW DISTRICTS

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PRESENT APPEAL FOR CURFEW REGULATION

Delegation Waits Upon the Finance Committee of the City Council.

TWO INAUGURAL SERMONS TO BE PREACHED IN CITY

Two pastors will preach inaugural sermons in the new city of East London.

THE FLOOD FIGURES

Cumberland and Wabash Dropping and Mississippi Going Up.

RESIDENTS ANXIOUS ABOUT DROP LETTER PRIVILEGES

Think Postal Officials Should Give Them Some Satisfaction.

HOLDS SOCIAL

Friends and acquaintances to the number of forty, gathered at the home of Mrs. H. Bennett, Ontario street, Friday evening to attend an informal social evening.

FREEMAN-WHITING.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Matthew's Church this afternoon at 2:30 by Rev. E. Appleyard, when Miss Clara Whiting, daughter of Mr. Edward Whiting, florist, of Trafalgar street, was united in marriage to Mr. John Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Freeman, of Florence street.

MEETING WITH SUCCESS

Committee Collecting for Hodgkinson Family is Doing Well.

WILL ADDRESS MEETING.

Rev. T. H. Mitchell, of New St. James', will give an address at a mass meeting of the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Sunday School and their friends in the church on Sunday afternoon.

ARTICLES FOR SALE. PRIVATE SALE OF FINEST-FOOT WALNUT dining-table, quartered oak buffet, several doors and windows. Apply 238 Piccadilly street.

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Financial and Commercial

TODAY'S LOCAL MARKET PROMISES TO BE BIG

Much Activity With Many Vendors and a Lively Demand.

Despite the condition of the roads there was a fair-sized market this morning. By 9 o'clock there was a fair attendance of both buyers and sellers and they still kept coming.

Eggs on the square are being sold for 19 cents a dozen, while the women in the Dairy Hall were charging from 20 to 22 cents. Dairy Hall prices for butter were 30 cents a pound and on the square it could be obtained for a couple of cents lower.

Dressed hogs retail at from \$12.50 to \$12.75. Prices for the porkers are varying very little. Beef is selling from \$9 to \$11 per cwt. Veal is slow at 19 to 12 cents. Lamb is somewhat scarce at present although the market is expected to get easier very soon. Prices for lamb are from 14 to 16 cents per pound. Spring lambs are selling \$6 to \$8 each.

Potatoes are \$1.00 a bag, and apples from 50 to 65 cents a bag. Wheat, per cwt., \$1.53 to \$1.58. Oats, per cwt., 1.02 to 1.12. Barley, per cwt., 1.05 to 1.10.

Wheat, per bushel, 95 to 95. Oats, per bushel, 30 1/2 to 30. Corn, per bushel, 30 to 30.

Vegetables. Potatoes, bag, wholesale, 35 to 40. Potatoes, bag, retail, 1.00 to 1.05. Parsnips, per bu., 40 to 45. Turnips, per bu., 30 to 35. Beans, per bu., 45 to 50. Onions, per bu., 45 to 50. Cabbages, per doz., 25 to 30. Carrots, per bu., 40 to 45. Parsley, per doz., 40 to 45. Green onions, per doz., 40 to 45. Rhubarb, per doz., 1.00 to 1.05. Watercress, per doz., 1.00 to 1.05. Radishes, per doz., 35 to 40.

Fruits. Apples, per bu., 50 to 65. Apples, per bag, 30 to 40. Apples, per ton, 11.00 to 12.00. Hay, per ton, 11.00 to 12.00. Straw, per ton, 8.00 to 9.00.

Dairy Produce. Butter, rolls, per lb., 23 to 29. Butter, fancy, retail, 29 to 35. Butter, store lots, lb., 25 to 27. Butter, creamery, lb., 21 1/2 to 23. Butter, cracked, lb., 20 to 22. Eggs, daily hall price, 20 to 22. Eggs, crate, wholesale, 19 to 21. Honey, strained, lb., 1.20 to 1.30. Honey, sections, doz., 2.20 to 2.40. Maple syrup, gallon, 1.40 to 1.50.

Live Stock. Milch cows, each, 50.00 to 70.00. Fat cows, cwt., 5.50 to 6.50. Small pigs, 28 shares, 10.00 to 10.00. Select hogs, cwt., 9.25 to 9.25.

Poultry, Alive. Chickens, per lb., 15 to 15. Ducks, per lb., 13 to 13. Turkeys, per lb., 13 to 14. Old hens, per lb., 13 to 14.

Poultry, Dressed. Chickens, per pair, 1.50 to 1.75. Chickens, lb, wholesale, 19 to 20. Old owl, per lb., 16 to 18. Ducks, per lb., 1.60 to 2.00. Turkeys, per pair, 2.20 to 2.30.

Butchers' Meats. Lamb, per lb., 14 to 16. Dressed hogs, choice, 12.50 to 13.50. Veal, per cwt., 10.00 to 10.50. Beef, young, cwt., 10.00 to 10.50. Beef, cows, cwt., 8.00 to 8.50. Mutton, per cwt., 12.00 to 13.00. Pork, quarter, lb., 12 to 15.

Hides, Wool, etc. Cow hides, No. 1, lb., 10 to 11. Cow hides, No. 2, lb., 10 to 10. Cow hides, No. 3, lb., 12 to 13. Wool, unwashed, lb., 12 to 13. Wool, washed, lb., 19 to 20. Catskins, per lb., 13 to 15.

For Other Markets See Page 3

PRODUCE. [Special to H. C. Becker.] WINDSOR, April 5.—Close—Wheat, 90 1/2; May, 90 1/2. MINNEAPOLIS, April 5.—Close—Wheat—May, 90 1/2.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. [Special to H. C. Becker.] CHICAGO, April 5.—Close. Wheat—Open High Low Close. July 91 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2.

LIVE STOCK. [Special to H. C. Becker.] CHICAGO, April 5.—Close. Receipts, 250 head; steady. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active, \$1.25 to \$1.50.

NEW YORK. [Special to H. C. Becker.] NEW YORK, April 5.—Cotton prices up to 2:30 p.m.: May, 12 1/2; October, 13 1/2.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. [Special to The Advertiser.] TORONTO, April 5.—Morning. 1913. Bessie L. T. and P., 97 1/2. H. C. Packers, com., 156. H. C. Packers, pfd., 156. Bell Telephone Co., 140.

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CRITICIZES POLICEMEN'S CLOTHES.

"What are you driving at now?" asked the incontinently citizen as he bumped into his friend, the daily agitator, at the clock corner day before yesterday.

"Yes, what's wrong with him?" "Why, his clothes, they are so ill-fitting, his shirt, he has grown quite stout since he went on the force."

"But his collar is three sizes too large and his outer coat hangs with a short neck and his coat buttons out in the back, and is too tight around the shoulders."

"Well, what are we to do about it?" "Why, we'll go in and ask Bruce New to open a subscription list to buy new uniforms for the poor policeman. If that fails off our old friend Hiderow, they'll be in a bad way."

"And Mayor Graham, who is well versed in gent's furnishings, ought to be a member." "Gentlemen, gentlemen" said one of the objects that had evoked the discussion. He had just crossed over.

"If I had years upon my hands And not a thing to occupy them I'd hire stenographers in bands And in this mighty task I'd try them; And maybe with the flight of time (Wherever time may take its flight to), I'd write to those in every clime Whom I have promised I would write to.

And then, if any time were left, I'd take my volume of addresses Of which I've never been bereft Through all life's many strains and stresses. I'd scan its pages, one and all, With names of great folk and of small on, And dutifully go and call On all the folks I've said I'd call on.

Then, if I had eternity To utilize—and were content to—I'd spend the ages given me In reading books I've always meant to.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES. Notable signs of the times are these sayings: "The real problems of the near future are labor problems," says Mr. Bonar Law, the Unionist leader.

CAPT. OATES LOST FEET FROM FROST BITE

When He Wandered Away From Scott's Tent Was on His Stumps.

[Canadian Press.] London, April 5.—Capt. Lawrence Oates, of the Inniskilling Dragoons, Evans, of the Inniskilling Dragoons, who died with Capt. Robert F. Scott both his feet from frostbite before he stumbled out of the camp to his death on the stumps of his legs, according to a letter to Capt. Watson, the agent of the Imperial Service Guild at Wellington, New Zealand, who says he makes the report on the authority of Commander Evans.

BUILDING INSPECTOR IN PUBLICITY ROOMS

Frank Hughes Will Answer Enquiries in Absence of Industrial Commissioners.

Building Inspector A. M. Piper moved into the office on Hyde Row, Old City Hall, made vacant by the recent resignation of J. Grant Henderson, commissioner public, following the going west of that department in the past, a large crop of new industries is expected, and Mr. Piper is right on the spot to issue building permits for all the new factories that are certain to locate here.

U.S. GOVT. TAKES UP THE EMERSON CASE

Embassy in London Instructed to Investigate Michigan Suffragette's Illness.

[Canadian Press.] London, April 5.—Mrs. Emerson, of Jackson, Mich., has been in a close campaign to have her daughter Zelle, who is said to be ill in prison, released. She has been formerly examined by a physician of her own choosing.

REAL ESTATE OWNERS MEET.

At the regular meeting of the Real Estate Owners' Association held Friday night, the following resolutions dealing with the incinerator and the comfort station were adopted: Resolved—That in the opinion of this association that it will be in the best interests of the citizens to spend no more money on the incinerator and station further than a brass or stone plate to be placed thereon with the following inscription cut in bold letters, "Wright's Folly," or one of the supreme blunders of 1912 council.

LOCAL NEWS

For Dayton Sufferers.—Mayor Graham this afternoon received from the Parnell-Dean Steam Baking Co. a check for \$50 towards the relief of the Dayton food sufferers.

Burial of Robert Pincombe.—The remains of Robert Pincombe, the Delawarean pioneer, were interred at 2:30 p.m. at St. Paul's Church, Toronto, by Rev. Mr. Leigh conducted the memorial services in Christ Church.

Not the Same Howell.—"Honey Boy" Howell wishes it understood that he is not the Howell who was assaulted by Edward Johnston Thursday night following a row in a pool room. The case was aired in the police court on Friday.

Discovered a Fire.—A policeman passing the factory of John McNece & Co. about two o'clock this morning notified the fire department, and a man was sent to investigate. He found a fire of pine-wood in the stove.

Reorganize Boy Scouts.—A meeting will be held in Cronyn Hall Wednesday evening next for the purpose of reorganization of the Boy Scout movement in this city. Notices to all interested in the Boy Scout movement have been sent out, and all local people interested in the movement in this city are asked to attend the meeting.

THE DOMINION BANK

Some of the largest accounts in our Savings Department were started in a modest way. An account can be opened with one dollar or more.

BY BERTON BRALEY—



To All IMPATIENT FANS

Ye baseball lovers alle take hearte, Ye season opens April Ninth; 'Tis then ye big league contests starte, Ye season opens April Ninth; 'Most two weeks more ye needs must grope Amid ye masse of "winter dope," But cheere ye up, be gladd, take hope, Ye season opens April Ninth.

What if ye grounds be deepe with snow? Ye season opens April Ninth; What if ye mercury be low? Ye season opens April Ninth; Ye pitcher's curve, ye rooters' cheer, Ye crack of bat against ye sphere, Full soone again they will be here, Ye season opens April Ninth.

There will be a baptismal service, and in the evening a communion service and reception of new members. On Monday the pastor will be in the "Ladies' Parlor" from 3 o'clock to receive the gifts of the congregation for church purposes, and at 8:30 there will be a thanksgiving service, and at 9 o'clock a social hour. The Ladies' Aid will serve refreshments in the afternoon and evening, and music will be rendered by the choir and others.

Sanatorium Aid Officers.—A mistake was made in the list of the members of the Ladies' Sanatorium Aid of the London Health Association, which appeared in the report of the annual meeting of the association held on Wednesday last. The following is a complete list of those elected: Mesdames George Robinson, Adam Beck, John Stevely, (Dr.) Zeigler, (Dr.) Eccles, (Senator) Cogey, E. G. Rumball, T. H. Furdon, B. C. McCann, Herley Brown, Arthur Smith, (Dr.) Bolton, (Dr.) C. T. Campbell, Lady Gibbons, J. C. Fiddl, T. H. Baker, H. S. Blackburn, Hume Cronyn, and Misses McGarvey and S. Graydon.

Has Reached His 87th Year.—The Hamilton Spectator of Friday contains the following reference to Adam Brown, postmaster of that city, the father of Mrs. E. B. Smith, who is celebrating his 87th anniversary of his birth. Mr. Brown is still in the enjoyment of all his faculties, and is more active than many men who are many years his junior in age, and able to be at his office and look after his work daily. His friends will wish for him many years of health and happiness.

Second Anniversary.—Tomorrow St. Paul's Baptist Church will celebrate the second anniversary of its pastor's settlement. In the morning

Advertisement for The Dominion Bank, including contact information and services offered.

Advertisement for To All Impatient Fans, featuring a cartoon illustration and text about baseball season.

Advertisement for North Branch Ice Co., listing prices for various ice products.

Advertisement for Charles A. Stoneham & Co., specialists in Cobalt Mining Stocks.

Advertisement for W. E. Cushing, located at 371 Wharfedale, West London.

Advertisement for The London Look, a publication from Canada.

Advertisement for the new Washington Irving High School in New York, highlighting its unique features.





MUSIC and DRAMA

The Grand's Attractions.

Today, matinee and night—Marks Stock Company. Monday, April 7—"Robin Hood."

Excellent Shows Coming. The coming week will be an important one in theatrical affairs.

Summer Stock at the Grand. Before going on his world tour Mr. A. J. Small signed a contract with the Stanley Stock Company to play a summer season at the Grand, opening on May 19.



MYRTLE MAE WILLIAMS, with "Uncle Tom's Cabin," at the Grand twice next Saturday.

This week completing arrangements for the opening, and the company is present in New York rehearsing and organizing.

Return Engagement of "Robin Hood." No daughter of any soil has ever held a loiter place at the grand opera in Paris than Bessie Abbott, who is taking the first plunge in the realm of light opera this season.

the role of Maid Marian in the revival of "Robin Hood," which comes to the Grand Monday evening. She has been the queen of song of Paris for so long that it would seem that no princess would ever be given her its warmest adulations.

Madame Nazimova in "Bella Donna." It is doubtful if there is on the American stage an actress who can handle great emotional roles with the skillfulness of that distinguished Russian actress, Madame Nazimova.

Return Engagement of "Robin Hood." No daughter of any soil has ever held a loiter place at the grand opera in Paris than Bessie Abbott, who is taking the first plunge in the realm of light opera this season.



BESSIE ABBOTT, with the "Robin Hood" Company, which returns to London again on Monday evening next.

is practically identical with that she had with her during her successful New York engagement, Charles Frohman presents Madame Nazimova in "Bella Donna" at the Grand, Tuesday evening, seats on sale.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin." The Martin revival of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will appear at the Grand next Saturday, matinee and night.

On Thursday evening, April 7, Marie Dressler, assisted by Jefferson D. Angelo and a specially-selected company of entertainers, will be the attraction at the Grand.

Henry Miller and Company. Henry Miller will make his first appearance in "The Rainbow" at the Grand on Friday, April 25.

The Delightful Musical Show. "The Quaker Girl," which is on Monday, April 28, is said to be the very prettiest and pleasiest show of its kind ever produced in this country.

JOHNSTON---HAULTS. Pretty Wedding at Bride's Home in West Nisourri. [Special to The Advertiser.] Kintore, April 5.

At 2:30 p.m. Miss Vera Stevenson commenced to play the Wedding March, and the bride, leaning upon the arm of her father, Paris, but it is so simple, clean and bright that it is something unique in musical comedy.

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SMALLPOX OUTBREAK AT NIAGARA FALLS. Churches, Schools and Theatres Closed by Special Order of Health Board.

Niagara Falls, April 5.—Every effort is being made by the local board of health to stamp out smallpox.

CLINTON WILL HAVE STRONG W. F. A. TEAM. Meeting Was Held Recently and Officers Were Elected.

G. O. GOETZ DEAD. Brilliant Young Barrister Had Been Ill For Several Months.

NEEDED \$6,500. Only One Vote Against Money Billay at Warton.

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INWOOD. Inwood, April 5.—S. H. Palmer, of St. Thomas, made a business trip to Inwood yesterday.

CLANDEBOYE. Clandeboye, April 5.—Mr. Ward Hodgins has engaged Mr. John Sturges for a year, and Mr. Hodgins is moving into the house formerly occupied by his brother.

LAMBETH. Lambeth, April 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, of Clandeboye, are visitors with Mr. Park, of Chatham, visited friends here.

APPIN. Appin, April 5.—Miss Wilson has returned to London.

MELROSE. Melrose, April 5.—Miss Gertie Quarrle, of Delaware, is visiting with friends here.

THAMESVILLE. Thamesville, April 5.—The Women's Institute members are getting up a play, which will be given at Chatham, visited friends here.

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LAXATIVE FOR OLD PEOPLE—"CASCARETS"

What Glasses Are to Weak Eyes—Cascarets Are to Weak Bowels.

Most old people must give to the bowels some regular help, else they suffer from constipation. The condition is perfectly natural. It is just as natural as it is for old people to walk slowly. For ages to have so elastic as youth. The muscles are less elastic. And the bowels are muscles. So all old people need Cascarets. One might as well refuse to aid weak eyes with glasses as to neglect this gentle aid to weak bowels. The bowels must be kept active. This is important at all ages, but never so much as at fifty.

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THE Marlborough Blenheim ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. APRIL. The most attractive month of Atlantic's Great Spring Season is this year free from the Easter interruption, and is consequently particularly attractive.

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HUMANE SOCIETY FINDS PAST YEAR MARKED BY SUCCESS

Recent Story of Suffering of Injured Horse Brings Subscriptions.

Aims and Objects of Organization Being Splendidly Accomplished.

Inspector Adam McGuire, of the Humane Society, presented his report at the meeting held in the board of trade rooms on Friday afternoon. Lieut.-Col. Garshore, the president, presiding, with the newly-appointed secretary, Rev. S. R. Heakes, acting in his official position for the first time.

From the tone of the inspector's report, the aims and objects of the society are being accomplished in an efficient manner, and are keeping Officer McGuire fairly busy. In discussion which followed, many of the members stated that they knew that ignorance existed among citizens as to whom to inform when a case of cruelty arose. They wish it stated that Inspector McGuire is the man to be informed and that his phone number is 1187.

Many Private Subscriptions. Secretary Heakes reported a number of private subscriptions had been received by him since Jan. 29, and all had been dealt with as the seriousness of the case warranted. The majority of the cases were horses, while the remainder were confined to the canine class.

Street Drinking Fountains. It was pointed out that the water had not as yet been turned on in the street drinking fountains. A motion was passed requesting the secretary to communicate with the city council in this matter, and petition for the installation of extra fountains, and in addition have regular and proper sanitary inspection of these drinking places.

Would Mark Vehicles. Secretary Heakes will also write to the city council in the matter of requesting legislation to have all vehicles marked in a manner so that they may be easily identified if any misdemeanor is connected with them. Another matter Mr. Heakes will inquire about is the request to have the annual grant of \$100 turned directly over to the society this year. Last year through misunderstanding another society received their grant, although arrangements for its transfer are now being made.

Treasurer Mr. C. A. Whitman reported that there was a balance of \$125 in the bank. He desired that measures be taken to increase the society's purse.

FLORENCE.

Florence, April 5.—Miss Winnie Dobbyn has returned home after spending four months with friends at the coast. Miss Mabel Brock attended the wedding of Miss Norma Smith, of Chatham, to Mr. Stuart recently.

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HYDRO COMMISSION BLAMED FOR DEATH OF HERMAN POCOCK

Coroner's Jury Places Responsibility For Recent Electro-cution Here.

Employee Had Been Warned by Janitor About Broken Wire.

"That the deceased, Herman Pocock, was accidentally electrocuted in St. Peter's schoolyard on Sunday, March 30. This jury, from the evidence, places the responsibility on the hydro-electric commissioners, whose employees erected the transformer hydro-electric pole in the schoolyard, and failed to properly secure the guy-wire; and further neglected to replace the wire when down. The jurors recommend the removal of the said pole from the schoolyard forthwith."

WILL BUY PULMOMETER FOR HYDRO DEPARTMENT

Water Commissioners Believe Instrument Would Save Electro-cution Victims.

The board of water commissioners Friday authorized General Manager Glaubitz to purchase a pulmometer at a cost of \$25 or thereabouts for use in rescuing persons rendered unconscious by electric shocks. Dr. H. A. Stevenson stated that death does not directly result from an electric shock, and that in the great majority of cases of death in this manner the victims could be revived by artificial respiration.

Lineman's Evidence.

Charles Alfred, a lineman in the employ of the hydro commission, testified to having cut the wire when summoned by telephones on the night of the accident. He also gave considerable expert evidence as to the probable cause of the accident. He ascended the pole immediately after the accident, but could find no place where the wire was unprotected. He admitted that the heavy voltage (2,200 volts) might have jumped through the insulation on account of the wires being wet, and because the boy was standing in a damp spot on the cement walk. The pole had been placed in the yard by his orders about a year ago. There were no transformer poles in any other school yard in the city to his knowledge.

Janitor Notifies Him.

Albert Sweetzer, a meter-reader in the employ of the water commission, admitted being told by the janitor of the school on the evening previous to the accident that the wire was hanging down. He was asked, according to his own evidence, to notify a lineman, if he happened to see one. The janitor, James Rockwood, in evidence, claimed that Sweetzer told him that he was about to get in touch with the electrical department, and promised to notify them that the wire was down. This evidence was corroborated by James Connolly, the janitor of St. Peter's Hall, who was present when the conversation took place.

Publicity Discussed at Middlesex Committee Meeting on Friday

The committee appointed to conduct the Middlesex publicity campaign is advancing in its work and have taken steps to advertise the county in a paper said to have an old country circulation. A half-page of space in this journal has been ordered for it, to run for a period of 17 weeks.

Old Country Preachers.

Mr. Scammell declared that ministers living in the old country parishes were the best agents to have interested in Canada. He stated that when any parishioners decided to emigrate, they always consulted the minister before fully making up their minds and generally followed his advice in the matter. Mr. Scammell, therefore, advocated getting the Middlesex pamphlets as much as possible into the hands of ministers in the old country, and he believed that Middlesex would receive a fair representation.

Need Settlers in Middlesex.

Mr. John Riggs, Dominion immigration agent, declared that the main thing was to induce settlers to come to Middlesex. He knew that there were thousands and thousands who were coming to every week, but where they settled was a mystery. Mr. Riggs stated that a welcoming hand and accommodation was lacking in this country. Several cities and counties had immigration homes and agents ready to receive the new arrivals, but this was lacking in London district.

Mr. George Smith favored the emigrants from Yorkshire and the north of England, who, he declared, were thrifty farmers and made good settlers. He stated that the northern portion of England and around the Scottish borders had scarcely been tapped as yet for settlers.

TO EXCLUDE CHILDREN UNDER FIVE YEARS

Number One Committee of Board of Education Recommends Plan.

Number one committee of the board of education decided Friday to recommend to the board that principals of the public schools, where sufficient accommodation is not available, be empowered to admit only pupils 5 years of age and over. This measure it is believed will relieve the congestion of the kindergartens and will obviate the necessity of holding afternoon kindergarten classes in the public schools generally, as has been found necessary in St. George's and Chesley avenue schools.

It is unlikely that the rule will be enforced longer than the present term, as ampler accommodation will follow the additions to several of the schools to be built this summer. George S. Gibbons, Sheriff Cameron and A. T. Taylor, of the London Playgrounds Association, were present. Mr. Gibbons stated that the association would equip the playgrounds and supervise them during the summer vacation, if the school board would direct their supervision during the school year. This was satisfactory to the committee. During the school terms the Playgrounds Association will place their equipment in the schoolyards, but in the summer only two playgrounds, Queen's Park and Thames Park will be open.

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First Annual Ball of Oddfellows Meets With Great Success

London Oddfellows held their first annual military ball in the Dominion Savings Building, Richmond street, on Friday evening. About seventy couples were present and participated in the program. The ballroom was suitably decorated with flags and bunting.

DO YOU BELIEVE ALL THAT YOU SEE? LOOK AT THESE PICTURES.

Did you ever think a person lied because they told something about a thing you both saw—but which you didn't see as he told it? Be careful about doing that sort of thing. You might not have seen what you thought you saw.

Which one of these figures has bow-legs and which knock-knees? Easy to see that the knees of the one on the right incline towards each other, while the other gentleman carries his legs on a gentle outward curve.

Easy, is it? Well, it so happens that neither of them is knock-kneed or bow-legged. In fact, the legs of both of them are perfectly straight. Take a ruler and prove it. It's just simply a case of the eyes being deceived. An optical illusion and a very common one.

There are a lot of things like that. No two persons see the same thing alike, and when a thing is made with intent to deceive, as this was, it would take an expert to discover the deception.

Actors take advantage of this fact in their make-up on the stage, and dressmakers are known to use it. For instance, a short, stout woman wearing a dress with horizontal stripes will look still shorter and fatter, and a tall, thin woman wearing a dress with perpendicular stripes will look taller and thinner.

Cumfy-Cut advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman in a dress and text describing the benefits of the vests for dainty figures. The text includes: 'Cumfy-Cut Vests for Dainty Figures', 'The shaping of Cumfy-Cut Vests is so beautifully done that the vest conforms to every line of the figure like a glove.', and 'These features alone establish the supremacy of Cumfy-Cut Vests, but when you learn that the straps cannot possibly slip from the shoulders you will fully appreciate the necessity of asking your dealer for Cumfy-Cut Vests.'

J. R. Moodie & Sons Limited advertisement for pianos. Text includes: 'NOW Is the Time to Get That PIANO', 'Louis XV. Style 80', and 'Empress Avenue Mission Band Gives Concert Thursday'.

Sherlock-Manning Piano Co. advertisement. Text includes: 'SHERLOCK-MANNING 20TH CENTURY', 'Canada's Biggest Piano Value', and 'Sherlock-Manning Piano Co. LONDON (No Street Address Necessary) CANADA.'

Embroidery and rolling ladder advertisement. Text includes: 'EMBRO. Embroidery', 'ROLLING BEATS CARRYING LADDER.', and 'MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GAINST IN CONVIN. HOW TO CONQUER RHEUMATISM AT YOUR OWN HOME'.

### TWO HUNDRED NEW HOUSES ARE BADLY NEEDED IN SARNIA

#### Dozens of Incoming Workmen Are Unable to Find Homes to Rent—Available Land Is Being Held by Owners For Rise.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, April 5.—It is estimated by the board of trade that Sarnia needs at the very least 200 more new houses. The number of mechanics and other hands coming in, and who will come later on, is and will be far in excess of the housing accommodation. There are any number of vacant lots in town that are held by the owners for an increase in value, and many think they should either be disposed of at a reasonable figure to people who want to build or erect dwellings themselves upon the lots and sell the houses to newcomers wanting homes at reasonable terms. An effort will be made by the board of trade with the co-operation of the council to induce the street railway company to extend their line so as to embrace the east end of the town, which is at present practically isolated from the business district. This part of the town is a thickly populated residential district, and has many valuable factory sites as well, and to open it up by a street car line would lessen the needless extension of the town to the southward along the river bank.

### LOST HIS TICKET AND KNOWS NO ENGLISH

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, April 5.—Put off a westbound train yesterday because he had no ticket, a Russian Pole is wandering around the Tunnel depot waiting until the general passenger agent in Montreal furnishes him with the necessary transportation. The foreigner who landed in Canada from the old country several days ago, had his pockets picked while on the train, his money and ticket both being filched. When he arrived at the tunnel here, he was put off by the American immigration inspectors as he could not pass through the States without a ticket. The Canadian immigration officers have wired Grand Trunk headquarters in Montreal to forward another ticket for the man, and by today he will be on his way again.

### BLOCKADE OF MONTENEGRO HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED

[Canadian Press.] Cetinje, Montenegro, April 5.—The blockade of the Montenegrin seaport of Antivari was definitely established today, when eight foreign warships representing the European powers formed a semi-circular bar before the harbor. The fleet is composed of three Austrian, two Italian, one British, one German, and one French warships.

### MASONS WERE HERE BEFORE LONDON WAS

Brethren Used to Meet in Ingersoll According to Ancient Minuties. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, April 5.—At a gathering held in connection with the 10th anniversary of King Hiram Masonic Lodge here last evening, the minutes of the first meeting held away from Ingersoll, in 1893, were read. It was shown that the members in those days used to make long journeys from the district, where London now is, from St. Thomas, and even from near Brantford, to attend the regular sessions. During the evening the brethren listened with no small interest to the recollections of Wor. Bro. James Campbell, who has the honor of being the oldest living past master of King Hiram Lodge. During the evening refreshments were served, and all spent a most enjoyable time. On the local market today there was fine lot of maple syrup, which sold readily at \$1.25 per gallon. The board of education met last evening, and with Public School Inspector E. A. Patterson, and Architect Taylor, of Brantford, went into the question of changing the heating and ventilation at the local school. The Ingersoll Town Football League was reorganized at a meeting last night at which there were over sixty enthusiasts. Officers were elected as follows: Honorary presidents, J. A. Coulter, and J. B. Colbridge, and Chas. L. Bailey, president, S. A. Gibson, first vice-president, James Grievie, second vice, Dr. R. A. Williams, third vice, W. E. Munzer, secretary, Charles Rogers, manager, committee, captains of the various teams. There will be four teams in the league, Noxon, Noxon-Caledonias, Ellis Furniture Company and the John Morrow Screw Company. At a meeting to be held on Thursday evening the schedule will be drawn up.

### Ladies of Church of St. John Banquet Men of Congregation

On Friday evening the ladies of the Church of St. John the Evangelist tendered the men of the congregation a complimentary banquet, and a large number were present to partake of the bountiful hospitality. Mr. H. B. Archer, president of the men's club, presided, and introduced as the guest of the evening Rev. C. E. Jenkins, rector of Clinton. Mr. Jenkins gave a most eloquent address on "The Adaptation of the Church to the Spirit of the Age." He clearly showed that it was the church's duty to endeavor to work in line with its members, in standing a number of world movements which should be studied and acted upon. He gave it as his opinion that the church was made for man, and not man for the church, and when that was realized a different character would be taken on by the two elements. The Men's Club Quartette—Messrs. Gilmour, Hettling, Ellis and Flory—rendered several well selected songs, and Mr. Harold Ellis and Mr. Marlett gave solos. Rev. Canon Craig and Sheriff Cameron introduced the subject of the recently formed Men's Club Federation, and no doubt some action will be taken along this line by the men of St. John's. During the course of the evening, Mr. H. B. Archer, Mr. C. E. Edwards and Judge Edward Elliott mentioned some necessary improvements to the church building which the ladies have in hand, and a voluntary subscription was immediately started, with the result that over \$100 was handed over to start the work. After votes of thanks to the ladies and others who had combined to make the evening one of the greatest successes in the history of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, "God Save the King" was sung with much enthusiasm.

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### FALSE ALARMS

Police Are Keeping Close Watch on Suspected Party. [Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, April 5.—Another false alarm of fire was turned in at noon today. This is becoming a common occurrence again, despite the reward offered last year for any information that would lead to the perpetrator. At that time a false alarm a day was about the average, but after the notice of the reward was offered, the practice died out, only to start again within the last three weeks. If the offender is discovered, he will be given a long enough term in prison. The authorities are trying their best to locate the guilty party, and one local man is said to be under suspicion.

### ARRANGE CONFERENCE OVER FARMERS' BANK

Delegation, Headed by Rev. George Gilmour, Will Meet Minister of Finance. [Canadian Press.] Toronto, April 5.—Rev. George Gilmour, of Fingal, Ont., has arranged on behalf of the shareholders of the defunct Farmers' Bank of Toronto, has arranged for a conference with the minister of finance, to be held in the near future, when the Government will be asked to grant some relief to the depositors and shareholders. They take the ground that had it not been for the dismal failure in which thousands of people are impoverished in the world, there would have been no revision of the bank act, and as all of the people of Canada are benefited by the revision, the country should be willing to compensate those who lost.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RALIFIES ALL REPORTS

Western Fair Will Present \$2,000 Additional Prize Money This Year. The proposed increase of \$2,000 in the prize list of the Western Fair was approved by the executive committee which met Friday afternoon. The reports of the various committees were discussed and the changes made by them in the prize lists were ratified. It was thought better to do this than to undertake to pay freight for exhibitors bringing exhibits from a distance, as has been tried at Ottawa. It was pointed out that the exhibitors, notably the cattlemen, would rather benefit by the increased prize list than by the payment of freight. No Government Increase. Communications were read from Hon. James S. Duff, relative to the increased grant asked by the Western Fair Board. He pointed out that the Government could not increase the grant unless it was shown that there was a need for new buildings. Secretary Hunt will forward to him plans for the new 60-foot addition to the Main Building. The plans, in an unfinished state, were exhibited at the meeting. The addition to the present building is to extend 60 feet from the southwestern corner of the present building.

### Automatic Signal For Distressed Ships

[Canadian Press.] London, April 5.—A system of transmitting wireless signals from a ship in distress, invented by Raymond Phillips, was demonstrated in London today. It is intended to insure the receipt of such signals independently of a wireless operator. The ship in distress sends out a signal consisting of a continuous train of flashes from the intermittent Morse code. This signal is picked up by a receiver which automatically in the receiving ship, which work an electrical bell, and thus draw the attention of the operator. Should the receiving apparatus be engaged, the continuous train will cut out the Morse signals. The system is intended to be operative within a radius of twenty or thirty miles, but it has not yet been applied to actual service at sea.

### "Missing" Girls Have Arrived

[Canadian Press.] Chicago, April 5.—The twenty "missing" Scandinavian girls reported to have been lured from their train by a "white slaver" disguised as a brakeman near Pittsburg several days ago, arrived safely at their destinations, it is announced. The immigrant train was delayed by a flood for forty hours near Newcastle, Pa. The train was traced through to Chicago yesterday.

### PITTSBURG FATALITY.

Pittsburg, April 5.—Three men were burned to death and two others probably fatally injured in an explosion at the Home Road steel works of the United States Steel Corporation this morning.

### WHITEWASH FOR NATIVE TORTURERS

#### Consuls Probing Rubber Country Horrors Handicapped by Officials.

#### EVERYTHING SEEMS O.K. Difficulties Were Placed In Path of Commission Seeking to Get at Truth.

[Canadian Press.] New York, April 5.—A London cable says: The report of George B. Michell, British consul at Iquitos, Peru, on his tour of the Putumayo district, which was made in conjunction with American Consul Miller, is issued today, and does not, for reasons plainly indicated, even yet let the full light of day on the torturous and ill-fated region. From the outset difficulties were placed in the path of the consuls. Despite their desire to travel alone as much as possible to make independent observations, the consuls were joined at the mouth of the Putumayo River by Rey De Castro, Peruvian consul at Manaos, and Senior J. C. Arana, the latter's brother-in-law, and other officials, who subjected them to the shadowing process throughout the tour. Plenty of Whitewash. Mr. Michell says he certainly saw no evil or barbarities during his journey, but that even if he were going on it would have been impossible to know of them, "with the exception of a three days' march we were never free from the company of a large party of officials and agents of the company, whose constant efforts to put forward the best of everything and expatiate on the satisfactory conditions of the natives, the generous paternal treatment by the Peruvians, and the good relations existing between the Indians and white men were so evident as to become quite wearisome. Castro seemed bent on spreading the whitewash with a lavish hand." Whenever the consuls tried to talk privately to the Indians, employees of the Peruvian Amazon Company, who knew the language, would approach, and the people would immediately cease to be communicative. Consul Michell's general conclusions are thus summed up: "No evidence of cruelties now being perpetrated came to our notice. The policy of the company under Senator Tison's management has been changed for the better, the dispositions of the Government for securing justice and good treatment have hitherto been entirely inadequate, and the new arrangements have not yet developed enough so that we are not able to judge of their results. Consequently the fate of the Indians lies almost wholly in the hands of a commercial concern, the future of which is very doubtful, and whose action may have to change with its fortunes. The present fairly satisfactory state of things will depend very largely upon the continuance of the policy of the company's present agents at La Chorra el Canto, and on the development and faithful application of the maintenance of the Government."

### ENGLAND WORRIES

Continued From Page One. be alleged against these two trained politicians for embarking in anything so susceptible to malignant distortion by their unscrupulous political opponents, everybody now acknowledges that the original charge of gross corruption has absolutely fallen to the ground, and the reaction already has set in. Lloyd George still holds undiminished his vast hold on the affections and confidence of the masses, and they now regard the whole thing as a foul conspiracy to drive Lloyd George from public life, and so rob them of the man most able and willing to lead them to further victories over the landlord and aristocratic privileges. Even the Unionists on the Marconi investigation committee speak much more mildly and except for one or two rancorous and irresponsible members of the Unionist rank and file, Lloyd George is now unassailed.

### No Cabinet Disension.

All talk of dissensions among the members of the cabinet and the reputation of Lloyd George by his colleagues is absolutely unfounded. The Liberal feeling has entirely come round to his defence and instead of fearing public discussion of the whole affair in the House of Commons, the present intention of Premier Asquith is to force A. Bonar Law, Opposition leader, to raise such a debate. Altogether the present prospect is that the whole scandal will disappear in a few weeks, and never be mentioned again.

### Debate on Tariff.

The week has gone well for the Ministry. The debate on tariff revealed once more the irreconcilable differences of opinion among the Unionists, and their growing belief that the urging of protection will keep them that much longer out of office. Similarly there is a pause in all of their controversy over home rule, which is one of the many indications that public opinion in England is finally made up upon it. The Unionists made one attempt to revive the old controversy over the accidental collision between the Nationalists and Orangemen last year, but after a brief and lifeless debate, the Unionists shrank from going to a division. Similarly, the loud-mouthed appeal of the association in England to help the Unionists resort to armed resistance was not even noticed by most of the English papers, and the bluff now is discounted. The severe sentence imposed on Mrs. Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, meets with general approval, as everybody is exasperated by the senseless and brutal acts of violence by the mob, and this feeling is increased by the announcement of further outrages. Mr. Asquith encouraged his followers immensely by the announcement that the bill to abolish plural voting will be introduced next Tuesday. No grievance has been more heartily detested by the Liberals and no measure has been more ardently desired than this bill, and its introduction will help prevent that slackness of energy and attendance which is the only serious danger to the continued existence for several years of the Liberal Government. A movement under strong auspices also is being organized among the rank and file of the Liberals in the House of Commons to secure pledges of continued attendance all through the sittings till August so as to insure the triumph of home rule and other Liberal bills, and make assurance doubly sure against snap divisions.

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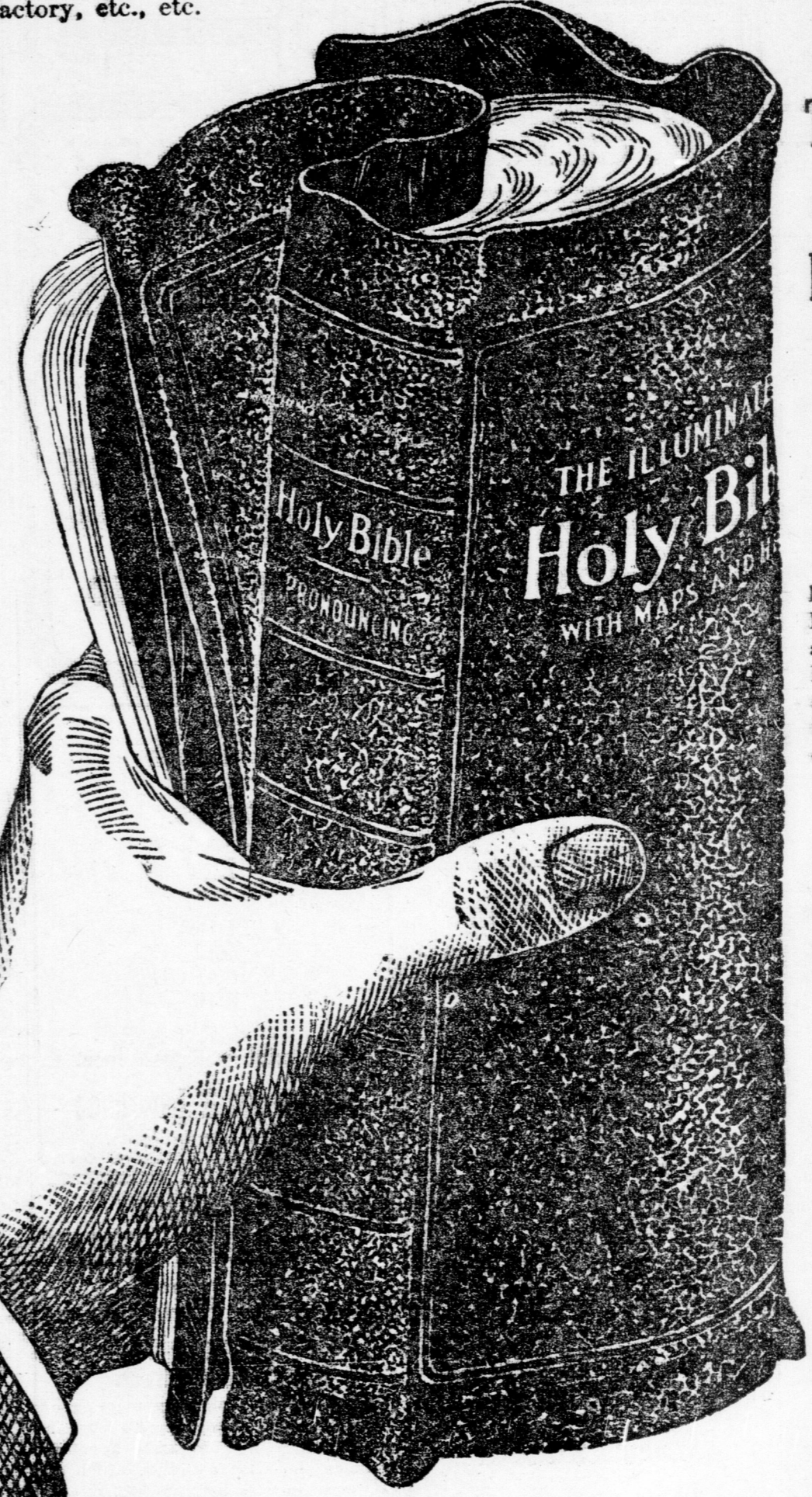
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### WAR INDEMNITY THE MAIN ISSUE

#### Balkan Allies Insist Upon It, While the Powers Oppose It.

### VICTORS WANT ISLES

Conditions Practically Repudiate Terms as a Basis of Mediation. [Canadian Press.] Sofia, Bulgaria, April 5.—The Bulgarian Government today sent to the powers its reply to the note sent to it. The reply which is that the allied Balkan nation accept the conditions of mediation proposed by the European powers subject, however, to reservations which practically repudiate the proposed terms. What Powers Proposed. The propositions of the powers were as follows: 1. The frontier of the Ottoman em-

pire in Europe shall start at Enos and following the course of the Maritza River and then that of the Ergena, shall end at Midia. All territories situated to the west of this line shall be ceded by Turkey to the allied states, with the exception of Albania, the delimitation of which shall be fixed by the powers. 2. The question of the Aegean Islands shall be settled by the powers. 3. Turkey shall abandon all claims to Crete. 4. The powers cannot favorably entertain the demand for indemnity, but they will admit the allies to participate in the discussion of the international commission in Paris for an equitable settlement of their participation in the Ottoman debt, and in the financial charges of the districts, to be handed over to them. Turkey is to be asked to take part in the labors of this commission. 5. The great powers declare at the same time that as soon as these bases are accepted hostilities shall cease.

### Boys Plead Guilty to Theft of Bicycles; Are Held by Police

Charged with the theft of three bicycles, two boys, James Weeks and Frederick Lysett, pleaded guilty in the police court this morning, and were remanded for a week in order that their relatives may be communicated with. Both boys claim Toronto as their home, having come there from England several years ago. Weeks has a married sister living on Pall Mall street in this city, and Lysett has relatives in Toronto. The police are endeavoring to communicate with them.

### Beat Their Way Here.

According to their story, the boys beat their way to London on a freight Thursday night. The first theft was committed about 10 o'clock the same evening, a bicycle being taken from in front of the G. N. W. telegraph office. The boys hid the wheel under the King street bridge, apparently intending to come for it in the morning, but some employees of the foundry saw it and took it in.

### HAMILTON MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

[Canadian Press.] Hamilton, April 5.—Adam Dietch, a foreigner, walking along the tracks at the junction of this morning, was struck and killed by a fast Grand Trunk passenger train. He was hurled several feet from the track. An inquest will be held.





Death of Lord Tredegar Last But One of Officers

Who Led in the Charge Of the Light Brigade

Vivid Description of the Immortal Event By the Deceased Peer—Parried the Russian Lance Pokes—His Enormous Wealth.

Godfrey Charles Morgan, Viscount Tredegar, was born at Ruperra Castle, Cardiff, on April 28, 1831, the second son of Sir Charles Morgan, Bart., a territorial magnate in South Wales. His mother was a granddaughter of the famous Admiral Lord Rodney. Young Morgan in due course went to Eton, and in 1850 joined the Seventeenth Lancers with the rank of cornet. As was not unusual in those purchase days, his promotion was rapid, seeing that he became lieutenant after a year's service, and obtained his captaincy in 1855, shortly before the death of his older brother, which made him heir to his father's great estates. Within a few months the order came for his regiment to proceed on active service to the Near East, and the Seventeenth Lancers were among the victors at the battle of Balaklava, where cavalry played but a secondary part, there being no pursuit after the victory. A few weeks later a peculiar statistical situation brought about the combat of Balaklava, and the Seventeenth Lancers took a prominent place in the memorial charge of the Light Brigade, with which the name will ever be associated. Captain Morgan came through the terrible affair unscathed, and afterwards took part in the battle of Inkermann and shared in the privations of the siege of Sevastopol. Lord Tredegar described the charge in a letter dated Balaklava, October 31, 1854. After describing the position of the forces just before the terrible slaughter, he went on:

"The Light Brigade at that time, in my opinion, was in a position from which, by a dashing manoeuvre from the right, we might have come down upon them (the Russian cavalry, who had advanced) with a splendid effect. It was missed, and very gallant it was to all of us. After this cavalry and infantry retired to nearly where they came from, with the exception of a few redoubts on which they rested their left, and took up a very strong position across a valley, with batteries on the hills on either side, and columns of infantry and about 3,000 cavalry in support, some on the left and some in the rear of the guns.

"We, the Light Brigade, were drawn up at the other end of the valley facing their position, distant about three-quarters of a mile, waiting, I had imagined, for orders to advance to our support, when suddenly an aide-de-camp (poor Nolan) galloped up with an order: 'The Light Brigade, with the Seventeenth and Thirteenth with advance, supported by the Eighth and Eleventh and Fourth.' Knowing the strength of their position and our want of proper support, I felt it was a critical moment, but, grasping our horses by the head, away we went. We had not gone many yards before we were under the fire of the first heavy battery on our left, the first shot of which killed poor Nolan, a splinter going right through his heart, and his horse carried him back to us. He was a dashing fellow, and with a smile on his face was riding about twenty yards in front of us.

"On we went, the pace increasing, amidst the thickest shower of shell, shot, grape, canister, and minie from front and flanks, horses and men dropping by scores every yard. The whistling and cracking of shells went beyond description. Under this we went for three-quarters of a mile, the enemy's guns firing in front of us till we were within a yard and a half of

Aged London Suffragist Sent to Jail for Making Speech



First picture to reach Canada of Mrs. Despard, oldest and most militant of English suffragists, addressing an audience in Trafalgar Square the day after the big window-smashing raid that followed the rejection of the suffrage bill. The photograph was taken especially for The Advertiser.

Stefansson Will Spend Years in Arctic Under the Auspices of the Govt. of Canada

The 'Discoverer of a Blonde Race of Eskimos—Object Is to Plant British Flag Over Half a Million Square Miles—Will Keep in Touch By Wireless With Stations.

Mr. Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the explorer, who in the course of five years' travel in the Arctic discovered a race of blonde Eskimos, lectured before the Royal Geographical Society, London, Eng., and he has arrangements to make in England in connection with his projected expedition at the cost of the Canadian Government to verify the existence of a supposed Arctic land half a million square miles in extent.

Mr. Reuter's representative, who travelled up-Channel with him, the explorer said: "The chief object of the new expedition is to explore this area by ship as far as possible in summer and by sledge in winter. If new land is discovered I hope to establish a base upon it, but if no new land is found we shall have our base at Land's End, on Prince Patrick Island. The extent of the area to be explored is over a million square miles, and it is situated roughly north of Western Canada and north of Alaska.

"The expedition will largely extend the borders of the British Empire. Accordingly, I am going out in June as the head of a British expedition. My scientific staff consists of ten men, and we shall start in June next in the whaler Karluk, whose captain is the well-known navigator Pedersen. The vessel will proceed east along the north coast of Alaska. If easterly winds prevail we shall find open water in the Beaufort Sea and should reach Herschel Island, at the mouth of the Mackenzie River, at the beginning of August. Thence we shall sail north as far as the ice permits. There is no means of telling how far this is possible, although we know that whaling vessels have been 200 miles without seeing ice. If, however, we have westerly instead of easterly winds, we may have difficulty in reaching the Mackenzie River, thus necessitating keeping close to the coast and having to forego exploration for a year. In this case we should establish a base as far northeast as possible. My intention is to send the vessel home each summer with news of our progress.

"We expect to be away on this expedition for four and a half years. It is no part of my program to go to the Pole. Some scientists hold that there is a vast area of undiscovered land in the unmapped portion of the Polar Sea, for it is impossible to explain the tidal phenomena on any other assumption, and the smallest area this region is put at 500,000 square miles. That may be one land or a dense archipelago.

"If this be so, what may be its value? It is impossible to say. During the last expedition I first published the fact that copper exists in large quantity in the Parry Islands. At present there are, of course, transportation and other difficulties in the way of development. You must remember, however, that in 1867 the American secretary of state was publicly denounced for spending six and a half million dollars of pub-

WONDERFUL NEW AIRSHIPS FOR THE BRITISH ARMY. EXTRAORDINARY TESTS

The Best Aeroplanes in the World, Says the British War Secretary—Biplanes Which Can Speed at 100 Miles an Hour.

In a speech of two hours' duration, Colonel Seely, British war secretary, reviewed the entire field of military progress.

Dealing with aviation, Col. Seely thanked the press for keeping continuous over British achievements. But he must not remove misapprehensions. On March 31 last year there were 14 officers (12 able to fly) and 182 men engaged on aviation. In May the Royal Flying Corps was started, which, excluding Yeomanry, now numbered 126 officers (123 able to fly), and 620 men. Of these 123 flying officers, 43 have passed the most exacting test in the world, another 32 have almost finished their special training, and the other 36 are "qualified," without having yet passed the special test.

The army requires "no large rigid dirigible balloons," or "Zeppelins." For the expeditionary force, designed to operate in Egypt and India—Col. Seely did not add Europe—the difficulties of transport and of supplying hydrogen would be insuperable. But there are three small dirigibles, and a fourth is building.

These dirigibles are "superior" to all other portable airships. They can rise more rapidly and fall without parting with hydrogen. Their speed is 45 miles an hour, and they can be carried on motor lorries.

Aeroplane Program. Apart from these four dirigibles, lighter-than-air aviation is left to the navy; and apart from hydroplanes, heavier-than-air aviation is reserved for the army. "They can sail a ship," said Colonel Seely. "We can drive a horse." The war office is building seven aeroplane squadrons. Of these, five squadrons are in being. A squadron is thus composed:

- Number. Three flights of five aeroplanes 15 Reserve ..... 3

Thus, the five squadrons consist of 90 aeroplanes, and provision is contemplated for a surplus of 35, making 125 in all. Today there are 101, as compared with 17 this time last year. By May 31 there will be 148.

On the basis of reckoning so many aeroplanes (like guns), to so many regiments, Great Britain is making four times the provision made for the German army.

Of the 101 aeroplanes now available, 70 are of the newest type, "far superior" to any other—in fact, "the best aeroplane in the world," Under Professor Glazebrook, of the National Physical Laboratory, secret

Australia's New Capital Is On a Beautiful Site

Lively Scene at the Christening—Sited in an Amphitheatre of Hills.

Australia's new capital, to be called Canberra, was christened recently by Lord and Lady Denman. It will not be ready for use for seven or eight years, and its completion will correspond with the coming of age of Australia as a Federation.

"There has, of course, been much searching of hearts and a good deal of sharp rivalry in settling on a spot which shall be to Australia what Ottawa is to the United States, the claims of Melbourne and Sydney were perhaps so nearly equal that it was wisely decided to recognize neither," says the Saturday Review.

"The site of the city is extraordinarily picturesque. It is situated in an amphitheatre of hills, for mountain ranges form the boundary of Federal territory on all sides. The scene was extremely animated. Hundreds of specially-invited guests, representing all the States, and all sections and communities of the Commonwealth, filled the grandstand, above which floated the Union Jack, the flag of the Commonwealth and the Australian flag. The Australian climate should encourage the appearance of genius in architecture, and signs of an increasing sense of architectural beauty have long been visible. The era of tin roofs was produced only by the need for economy and haste felt by young and extremely busy communities. For many years to come Canberra cannot expect to be a very populous city. The utmost population of the future inhabitants does not count upon more than 50,000 souls."

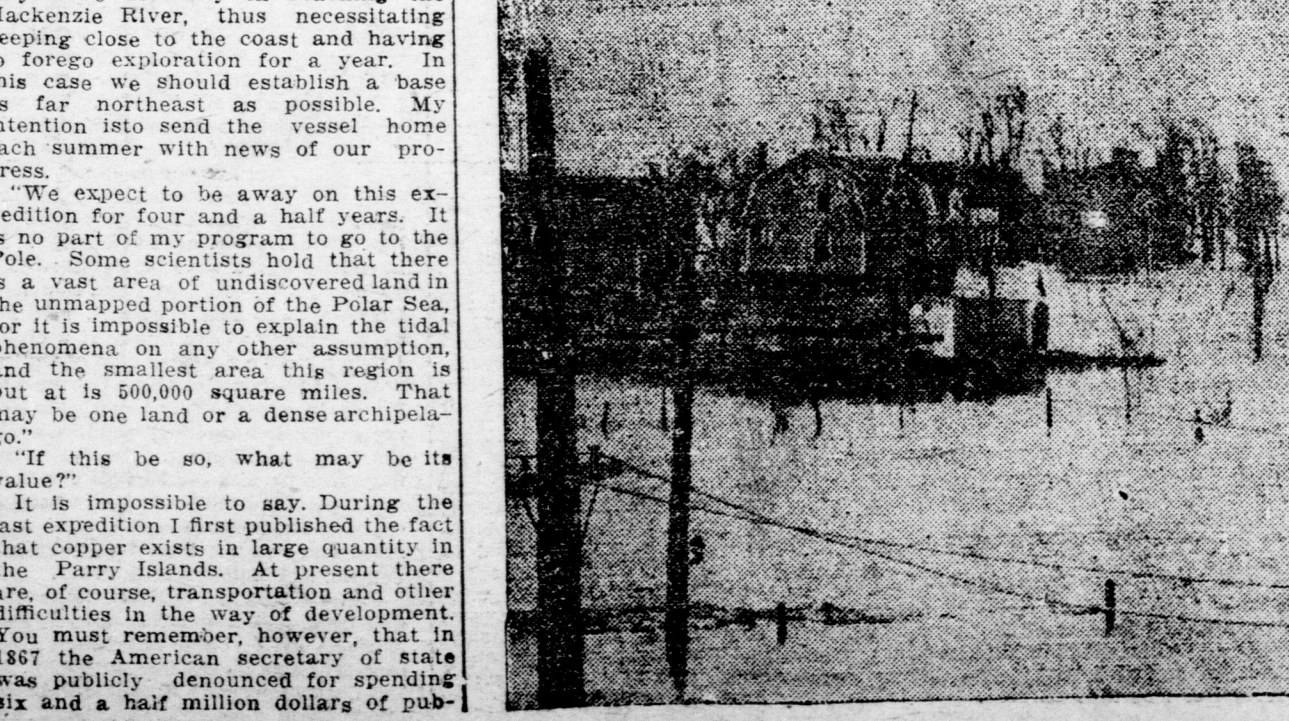
How German Cities Make Schemes For Town Planning

Municipalities Buy Great Tracts of Land and Reap the Increment of Value—How They Make New Streets and Provide Good Houses—Cities Own Abattoirs.

Count J. H. Von Bernstorff gives some very interesting details as to how German cities make schemes for town planning. Writing in the Twentieth Century Magazine, he says: "The first thing that will strike a foreigner in German cities is the number and variety of the functions which with for the benefit of citizens the public authority charges itself.

"Most town councils not only supply water, gas, and electric lighting and power, and make a good profit in relief of local expenditure, but also finance all the hospitals, treatment of phthisis, and all the schools, including colleges for advanced technical instruction. In most places the municipalities own and work the tramways, with very few fares and very high profits; they maintain fire stations with the most advanced apparatus; they have abattoirs regulated by veterinary science for the slaughter of animals for human food; in such cities as Cologne, Frankfurt, and Mannheim they manage enormous docks for the accommodation of fresh-water navigation; they maintain for the recreation of the citizens museums, picture galleries, parks, playgrounds, baths, bands of music, and even theatres.

FLOODED street in Montreal during the high water on the St. Lawrence River, which is now receding rapidly.



CAPE TO CAIRO TRIP AND WONDERS ON THE ROUTE

The Pyramids, Victoria Falls, Victoria Nyanza and Table Mountain—Cecil Rhodes' Dream.

"The traveller who climbs into the Cape-to-Cairo, Limited, at the Quay station in Alexandria," says E. A. Powell in 'The Last Frontier,' "can lean from the window of his compartment, as the train approaches Cairo and see the misty outlines of the Pyramids, those mysterious monuments of antiquity which were hoary with age when London was a cluster of mud huts and Paris was yet to be founded in the swamps behind the Seine; at Luxor he will pass beneath the shadow of ruined Thebes, a city beside which Athens and Rome are ludicrously modern; at Assuan he will catch sight of man; at Khartoum he can see the statue of Gordon seated on his bronze camel; at Entebbe his eyes will be dazzled by the shimmering waters of the Victoria Nyanza, the greatest of all fresh-water seas; at Ujiji he will see natives in German uniforms drilling on the spot where Stanley discovered Livingstone.

"He will hold his breath in awe as the train rolls over the Victoria Falls of the Zambesi, for there will be below him the mightiest cataract in the world. At Kimberley he will see the great pits in the earth which supply the women of the world with diamonds; in the outskirts of Johannesburg he will see the mountains of ore from which comes one-third of the gold supply of the world. At the End of 6,000 Miles. "And finally, when his train has at last come to a halt under the glass roof of the Victoria Terminal in Capetown, with close on six thousand miles of track behind him, the traveller, if he has any imagination and any appreciation in his soul, will make a little pilgrimage to

CHINESE ENTHUSIAST AGAINST OPIUM.

Mr. W. S. Ridge, the editor of the Shanghai National Review, in a letter to the Nation, states emphatically China's attitude towards the opium trade.

"What I learned fully bore out advances from all parts of China received up to the moment of my leaving Shanghai," he writes. "The action of the officials in Anking, in burning seven chests of opium, Chinese property, shipped in a Chinese vessel, and stored in a Chinese hulk, is thoroughly typical of the spirit that increasingly animates people and officials alike on this question.

# "CLEAN OFF GLOBE AND START OVER RIGHT!" SAYS GREAT FLAMMARION

In a Wonderful Interview With Shepherd, the Most Famous Star-Gazer in All the World Declares We Are 100,000 Years Behind Mars, and That We Are Just Ridiculous Egotists Trying to Settle Problems With Cannons Instead of With Brains.

[BY WM. G. SHEPHERD.]

Paris, April 4.—"An outraged deity would wipe us off the surface of this earth, as a man cleans a dirty golf ball, and the universe wouldn't miss us, and I'm pretty sure it would be a good thing anyway to clean off all the life and all the institutions that human beings have created here, and start the whole thing over again!"



This is what Camille Flammarion, the most notable star gazer in all the world, thinks of this "Good Ship Earth!"

I have just returned from a long talk with this critic of the universe, and he denounces the whole place unreservedly.

"Our gibbets, our cruelty, our unjust governments, our greed, our pride and our vanities, all play the BIGGEST part in our lives!"

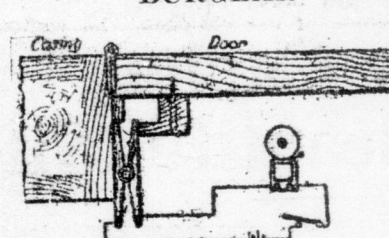
Our wars, with all their atrocities, certainly, have had MORE influence in the settlement of our problems than reason or logic!

Is it not possible that the only way to wipe all the blemishes from the face of the earth is to wipe off all humanity with it?"

It is an astonishing picture the great Flammarion drew for me—the earth whirling, uninhabited, through space, as it did before man came; the winds blowing, but no living thing feeling them; then life stirring again as it did before, probably as protoplasm; then, after hundreds of thousands or millions of years, man developing again—TO BE WHAT?

To be the same that man is today, with all the evil things that Flam-

## A CLOTHES-PIN BURGLAR ALARM



Making a burglar alarm with a patent-clothes pin and an electric bell would not occur to the average person, but the feat can be accomplished and a most effective and disturbing alarm it makes. The sketch shows how the thing is done better than an explanation in words. The tips of the clothes pins should be wound with insulating tape before the bare wires are wrapped around them. A switch should be provided else the alarm will ring every time the door is opened, whether by daytime or night.

MEREDITH.

As a memorial to George Meredith it is proposed to preserve some portion of Box Hill, where Meredith lived and died.

## REPLENISH YOUR BLOOD IN THE SPRING

Just now you are feeling "out of sorts"—not your usual self. Quite exhausted at times and cannot devote real energy to your work. Sleep does not rest you and you wake up feeling "all tired out." Perhaps rheumatism is flying through your muscles and joints, or may your skin be disfigured by rashes, boils or pimples. Headaches, twinges of neuralgia, fits of nervousness, irritability of temper and a disordered stomach often increase your discomfort in the spring.

The cause—winter has left its mark on you. These troubles are signs that your blood is poor and watery, that your nerves are exhausted. You must renew and enrich your blood at once and restore tone to your tired nerves, or there may be a complete breakdown. The most powerful remedy for these spring ailments in men, women and children is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, because these Pills cleanse bad blood and strengthen weak nerves.

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marion says he possesses?  
OR TO BE DIFFERENT AND BETTER?

Perhaps, it is suggested, the new man might be more like the beings on Mars.

"I have reason to believe," Flammarion told me, "that the beings who inhabit Mars are so far ahead of us in development that we could not understand their thoughts and principles any more than an ant or a bee or a dog can understand ours!"

"It is possible that, for the past 10,000 years, the inhabitants of Mars have been trying to communicate with us, and that their messages are reaching us, even now, by wireless, and that we are unable to understand or recognize them!"

"The day will surely come when we shall talk with Mars! There is no doubt of that!"

"But I'm afraid that, even if we could talk with Mars now, we wouldn't be able to grasp the thoughts of its inhabitants!"

"We don't know enough. Why, we've had the wireless only for a few years. Even now we don't know its limitations. The telescope is only 300 years old with us, and we haven't developed it to its full possibilities."

"I believe the people on Mars know a great deal about us, a great deal more than we know about them. Their civilization is perhaps 100,000 years or more ahead of ours."

Flammarion thinks some "outraged deity should wipe clean this globe of ours. The illustration shows how Will Dyson, greatest of all English cartoonists, conceives this happening. Note in the wonderful drawing he has made here the things of "civilization" which are the first to go—death-dealing cannon, fossilized kings, bewigged judges, and the horrible hangman's noose!

"Do you believe that God has anything to do with the progress of mankind?" I asked.

"You may call it God if you wish, but you are only naming the unknown power that placed this little atom, the earth, here in space among the millions of bigger atoms that we call planets."

"THIS POWER IS ALL THE GOD



I KNOW, AND I DON'T EVEN KNOW THAT POWER.

"AH I KNOW THAT THAT SPACE IS HERE and that the planets and solar systems whirl in this space."

"As for our personal, individual selves, what do we count for?"

"We are the tiniest atoms on this little speck which we call the earth."

There are other globes, sailing through tiny ball for developing life in its space, that would carry our earth on highest and most intelligent form? their sides like a football might carry a grain of sand!

"What egotists we are to believe that our little fleck is the only one on which intelligent beings dwell!"

"Why would the power that started this great system moving, select OUR

"Preposterous!"

physical science, and he was quite right in claiming that it is to Bacon, more than to any other man, that we are indebted for the same priceless boon. And so the mills of God keep on grinding. Bacon, the bribe-taker, is justly disgraced; and the work that he did for humanity, and in comparison with him all other men were obscure nobodies.

So to the note from the committee the Lord Chancellor replied that he was sick, and would not be able to attend the hearing. But the hearing was inevitable, and on April 19 the long roll of charges was read, and in comparison with him all other men were obscure nobodies.

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Lord Bacon's Downfall [Rev. T. B. Gregory in the New York American.]

Two hundred and ninety-two years ago—March 19, 1621—the most illustrious man in England, if not on all the earth, at that time, received a note from one of the committees of the House of Commons, requesting his presence at a hearing that had been arranged for between the Commons and the Lords.

The man receiving the note was Francis Bacon, Baron Verulam, Viscount St. Alban, Lord Keeper of the Seals, and Lord Chancellor of England. If ever a man was covered all over with "glory and honor" it was Bacon at the time he received that communication from the House of Commons. He stood at the summit, and in comparison with him all other men were obscure nobodies.

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30 Champagne St., Montreal, Quebec.—"I have a five-year-old boy who was suffering from what the doctor said was 'la gratale.' His body was all covered with running sores. The trouble started with pimples and opened up into sores. Of course scratching made it worse. The eruptions appeared on his face and disfigured him awfully. The boy could not sleep at night from the itching and pain. I made him cross and fretful. If I have tried one, I have tried fifty remedies without result. At last I got samples of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after using them two days I noticed a change. I then bought a full-sized cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment and I used to give the boy a hot bath daily using Cuticura Soap freely, and then applied the Cuticura Ointment. He had suffered three months with the horrible disease before I started to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and nine days after the boy was cured and has not been troubled since."

And yet we cannot afford to be too severe on Bacon. Readers of Macaulay will remember these words: "It has lengthened life; it has mitigated pain; it has increased the fertility of the soil; it has given new securities to the mariner; it has furnished new arms to the warrior; it has guided the thunderbolt innocently from heaven to earth; it has lighted up the night with the splendor of the day; it has extended the range of the human vision; it has multiplied the power of the human muscles; it has accelerated motion; it has annihilated distance; it has facilitated intercourse, correspondence, all friendly offices, all dispatch of business; it has enabled man to descend to the depths of the sea, to soar into the air, to penetrate securely into the noxious recesses of the earth; to traverse the land in cars which whirl along without horses, and the ocean in ships which run ten knots an hour against the wind."

Macaulay was, of course, speaking of

SETTLING DOWN AT OMAHA AFTER TERRIBLE TORNADO.



At Top—Temporary housekeeping at Omaha. Below—At Right, finding a new home after the tornado. At Left, Mayor Dahlman on the job.

and America will soon be celebrating, in appropriate and, I hope, fruitful ways, the keeping of the hundred years' peace between the two countries. But, after all, peace in one part of the world is of little value without a reign of peace established and secured for each member of the great family of nations. The world today is really one state, the several parts of which interchange goods and every kind of material and moral relationship. No important part of this true, though divided, world-country can long prosper if another important part suffers.

**Senseless Competition.**  
We, thank God, are out of the military mania, or rather we have escaped from tumbling in. But our trade will inevitably share in the great curtailment of capital for productive purposes which Germany, and France, and Russia, and Italy, and the Balkan States, and the United States, self-sufficing as they are, escape the effects of the general shortage of it. It is not possible, therefore, for the two more peaceful powers to help continental Europe out of the senseless struggle of this new competition. The end of which each competitor will be in precisely the same position of relative strength as before. For the reduction of armaments is no longer a pacifist raid. It is a remedy against proceedings which apply to a state of peace, but which only apply—as the precedent of 1813 shows—to a desperate state of war. It is a means—perhaps the only means—of the preservation of anything like the existing order in Europe.

**Anthony Trollope's Coming Centenary**  
[Manchester Guardian.]

Will the promised life of Anthony Trollope revive interest in the fiction of that writer? If it does not, perhaps the hundredth anniversary of his birth two years hence may do so, for it is improbable that people will continue to neglect to the extent they do a body of work that is still capable of yielding genuine literary pleasure. The truth is that Trollope's reputation suffered from the publication of his "Autobiography" shortly after his death, and has never quite recovered. Not that in that work there was anything to offend the moral susceptibilities of the most scrupulous reader. It told the story of a wretched, poverty-stricken boy raised by dint of hard work to the position of a prosperous and successful man, and the character it painted, if a little egotistical and warmly appreciative of its own works, was yet the character of a strong, independent man on ideal grounds. It seemed to teach the craft of novel-writing, both in respect of the motive and the method of its practice. The chief motive was money and the sole motive was industry.

**Dividends For War Lords.**  
Towards this sum there may be some small return here and there, but in the main it represents a direct diversion of human intellect into purely destructive channels. It is money, earned by peaceful law-abiding citizens and squandered by foolish bureaucrats, largely at the instance of the armament firms playing up to one another from one country to another. Every Dreadnought privately built means a six-figure profit to the firms employed, and so it is with the vast contracts which, for the benefit of a powerful body of enriched industrialists, are creating crises after crises in Europe. The question now arises: Are nations to be governed for the sake of the people who pay taxes and produce wealth, or are they to be run for the chief—indeed, the sole purpose—of producing high dividends for armament firms—whatever be the cost in human life, in financial credit, and in international bitterness?

**IS EUROPE DRIVING STRAIGHT TO SOCIALISM THROUGH THE FINANCIAL BURDEN OF MILITARISM?**

[H. W. Massingham, Editor Nation, London, Eng.]

As one reads the strange story of the load of taxation which the governments of Europe are preparing for the shoulders of "their" peoples, one is reminded of Tolstoy's impressive setting of the Christian text: "My yoke is easy and my burden is light."  
What, asked Tolstoy, is the burden which the world makes us bear compared with that which the Christian carries? On the one side, mental peace and few wants; on the other, disease, lusts, worries, jealousies, cares, all the fever and fret of our over-complicated life, all the anxieties and preoccupations of egoism. What, we may well ask our conscientious and militarists, do they think today of the yoke which they would fit on our necks, and which wretched Frenchmen and Germans and Russians are now preparing to adjust to their? They filled earth and heaven with their cries when the Chancellor of the Exchequer proposed superabundance of our national wealth for the sake of adding to our real strength—the health of its workers. How would they endure the new "benevolence" of Kaiser Wilhelm? It is no secret that the Chancellor of the Exchequer has had in reserve the super-tax on capital which German Junkerdom is now discussing at its leisure. But it has never come to that. Today England pays her way, and is doing something at least to improve her breed of men and women, while the German Government contemplates a fifty-million-sterling swoop on the capital value of her accumulated estate.

**A Tax on Labor.**  
Of course, a great deal of this enormous levy is going to come out of wages, which do not possess the powers of adjustment and recuperation that belong to capital. You cannot abstract such an enormous sum at one stroke from the capital fund without slacking down all the processes of industry. For this monstrous fine on productive work comes at the hour when much of the world's real capital will have to be devoted to repairing the ruin which war has wrought in South-Eastern Europe. Thus war breeds war. The territorial changes in the Balkans are supposed to have disturbed the balance of power of the governments—the balance of Power. (Not that any real "balance" is ever attained. The sum is always being added up afresh, and all

**ARMY AND NAVY OUTLAY OF SIX GREATEST POWERS INCREASES MORE THAN 50% SINCE BEFORE YEAR 1900**

Cost of Navies Has Doubled—Significant Figures—Debts Go Up \$773,000,000 Pounds Sterling in the Same Period.

London Daily News.—In view of the latest increases in armaments, our parliamentary correspondent has worked out an approximate comparison between the position in Europe today and the position in or about the year 1899, before the three great wars in South Africa, Manchuria, and the Balkans.

The figures (he writes) do not all refer to exactly the same years, and each country has its own way of presenting its accounts; but, broadly, we shall see what is the cost of from twelve to fourteen years of statesmanship as now conducted by the superior wisdom of the governing classes in Europe.

Let us begin with approximate military expenditure:

Country	Before 1900	Today
Great Britain	19	28
Germany	30½	41½
France	25½	36½
Russia	50½	53½
Austria-Hungary	12	15½
Italy	11	17

Army expenditure now is thus 47 millions or thereabouts higher than was when the century was drawing to a close.

Country	Before 1900	Today
Great Britain	23½	44
Germany	6	22½
France	11½	17
Russia	57½	115½
Austria-Hungary	1½	5½
Italy	5½	8½

Consider next the navies:

Country	Before 1900	Today
Great Britain	6	115½
Germany	8	22½
France	11½	17
Russia	57½	115½
Austria-Hungary	1½	5½
Italy	5½	8½

Crushing Debts.

Country	Before 1900	Today
Great Britain	634	683
Germany	105	270
France	1,200	1,301
Russia	715	957
Austria-Hungary	553	732
Italy	516	553

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**HOME RULE IN 1914.**  
Mr. John Redmond, M. P., has issued an appeal for funds, in which he says that "A home rule bill—the best ever offered to Ireland—has not only been drafted and introduced, but has emerged triumphantly from ten months of criticism, inside and outside Parliament, has passed through all its stages in the House of Commons by steadily increasing majorities, and under the operation of Parliament act, will, in May, 1914, at the latest, become law, in spite of anything the House of Lords can do."

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"Yes, I had to swear off." "Why?" "It was time. After getting safely into the house, I deliberately awoke my wife to ask her the name of the song I was humming. When a man gets that way it's time to quit."—Washington Herald.

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# A DAYTON, OHIO, FLOOD SCENE



Rescuing helpless women and children. A rowboat from the Dayton Y. M. C. A., manned by volunteers, with a load of persons who had been flood-bound on the roof of their residence in Sycamore street for 40 hours. Dr. Schram who led the rescuers, at the stern of the boat.

## Memories of Forster, Lamb, Browning, Carlyle

[From T. P. Weekly, London, Eng.]

With the exception of Dickens, no one loomed larger than John Forster in the London of his day. He knew everyone, wrote about most of them, made reputations and — paid the penalty. — Yes, Mr. Renton's "John Forster and His Friendship" (Chapman & Hall, 10s. 6d. net), will swing the pendulum in the right direction. Talking of Lamb, after he had just placed "sister Mary" at one of her periodical paroxysms of mad frenzy, as a mental patient at Walden House, Edmonton, he says: "I implore you to come and see me to keep me from drinking too much, as I did yesterday." Poor Lamb! may not be forgiven for the lapse? Who would dare throw a stone at this good, brave soul for giving way in a dark moment, with no man at his side to stay his hand or to speak the one word of friendly sympathy which would draw back the curtain and let in the light?

deduced to Browning by Macready, at once said to the former: "Did you see a little notice I wrote in the Examiner?" "Did you write that?" said Browning, with an expression of eager earnestness. From that moment the bond so created between them lasted until an unhappy difference drove them apart.

His affectionate regard for Forster is still further shown in another note. "Dear boy," he writes, "When I am more composed I shall hope to see you and Forster here. There is a world of yearning in such words as these. And yet poor Lamb, the hero, had his lighter moments. When in the vein, the natural man in him revelled in quip and jest; when, a veritable Lord of Misrule, he laughed and laughed with both his hands to his sides—until sadness gained its throne again, and all was dark and hopeless, even as before. He asks Forster for box-orders for the Olympic Theatre. He loved the playhouse, as Forster did. The failure of his farce, "Mr. H.", in no wise damped his dramatic ardor. In spite of his wit and love of the humorous, his taste inclined, evidently towards tragedy. A truly friendly soul, he took no interest in the disputes and misunderstandings of his neighbors or acquaintances. "I never," he said on one occasion to Forster, "trouble myself about other people's quarrels. I do not always understand my own."

When the well-graced actor leaves the stage and the last plaudits die away and we turn to go, it is not the player alone to whom we bid farewell. The curtain has fallen like a guillotine upon the pictured past, the vision has faded, the cloud-capped towers and gorgeous palaces have shrunk to the dimensions of a dream. There will come other falconers; but not for us. The light will still shine upon the morning hills, but our sun is sleeping to the west. The actor does not leave the stage alone. We, too, are going into retirement. The illusion that was once a rapture has become a memory that will be a noble memory in the case of Forster Robertson. It will be a memory of how great and elevating a thing the stage may be in the hands of one who approaches it with reverence and high purpose. There is much loose talking and thinking about the stage. There are good people who avoid it as though it were invested with some original and ineradicable sin. The old Puritan who like the anchorite regarded the senses as the enemy of the soul had a logical objection to the drama. He distrusted all aesthetic emotion and suppressed every sensuous appeal. He built himself a cell without windows to the world—with only a skylight through which he could contemplate eternity. He suppressed the stage, but he also suppressed art and literature and music and all carnal things. He had a complete philosophy—in its way a noble one. But the people who place the stage under a ban today have not that philosophy. They admit that the senses may be the vehicle of precious things—that Millet's "Sower" is worth many sermons, that the Ninth Symphony may soothe the soul, that a fine novel inspires to fine purpose. Only when they come to the stage do they say: "Away with the unclean thing." They are less wise than Luther who would not let the devil have all the good tunes. They say, "Let the devil have the stage; it belongs to him."

It was on the last day of 1835 that the first meeting between Browning and Forster took place at the "Blue Posts" Coach Office, in Holborn. Macready was entertaining a party of friends at his house at Elstree. It was arranged that all the guests should journey down from London in company. With the rest went Forster and Robert Browning, as yet strangers to each other. Forster, on being intro-

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awake hat. Although I was aware that this was his early morning habit for the moment his identity with Thomas Carlyle did not occur to me. When fairly abreast of him, he suddenly turned round and faced me. Then I knew him. There was ever something awe-inspiring in the intensity of Carlyle's gaze. His eyes seemed to burn into your very soul. It was so now. I stood like an idiot, open-mouthed.

Leading Question. I should as soon have thought of assaulting as of addressing him. Happily, I was spared anything of the kind, for the old man, reserved as he was to the point of moroseness—surlyness, his enemies called it—hastily flung a query at me. The tide was out, I may mention, the river being at its lowest. "Where goes it?" Where goes it? The very manner of his saying it, sharpened my wits, and I gathered, of course, that he referred to the stream, or what there was of it. "Smilingly I replied that it returned to the sea." "Right, sir, right!" he snapped out. Then relapsing into his meditative mood, he said softly, but impressively: "The great, great sea of God Almighty's goodness, and we are all returning that way. Don't forget that, sir! returning to the sea—the great illimitable sea!" With that, he abruptly turned away and moved across the roadway towards Cheyne Row. I saw him, and I saw him no more.

## CHARACTER STUDY OF MR. FORBES ROBERTSON A GREAT ACTOR AND A HIGH-SOULLED MAN

[By A. G. Gardiner, Editor Daily News, London, Eng.]

When the well-graced actor leaves the stage and the last plaudits die away and we turn to go, it is not the player alone to whom we bid farewell. The curtain has fallen like a guillotine upon the pictured past, the vision has faded, the cloud-capped towers and gorgeous palaces have shrunk to the dimensions of a dream. There will come other falconers; but not for us. The light will still shine upon the morning hills, but our sun is sleeping to the west. The actor does not leave the stage alone. We, too, are going into retirement. The illusion that was once a rapture has become a memory that will be a noble memory in the case of Forster Robertson. It will be a memory of how great and elevating a thing the stage may be in the hands of one who approaches it with reverence and high purpose. There is much loose talking and thinking about the stage. There are good people who avoid it as though it were invested with some original and ineradicable sin. The old Puritan who like the anchorite regarded the senses as the enemy of the soul had a logical objection to the drama. He distrusted all aesthetic emotion and suppressed every sensuous appeal. He built himself a cell without windows to the world—with only a skylight through which he could contemplate eternity. He suppressed the stage, but he also suppressed art and literature and music and all carnal things. He had a complete philosophy—in its way a noble one. But the people who place the stage under a ban today have not that philosophy. They admit that the senses may be the vehicle of precious things—that Millet's "Sower" is worth many sermons, that the Ninth Symphony may soothe the soul, that a fine novel inspires to fine purpose. Only when they come to the stage do they say: "Away with the unclean thing." They are less wise than Luther who would not let the devil have all the good tunes. They say, "Let the devil have the stage; it belongs to him."

as a poet, even as a politician, Irving's world in short was on one side of the footlights; Forbes Robertson's is on the other. He is a moralist before he is an actor, a spiritual influence more than an artistic satisfaction.

The Artist. And yet the stage has rarely seen a more complete artistic endowment, whether of temperament or equipment. One may be forgiven in the case of an actor for dwelling on his physical traits, for they are a considerable source of the impression he creates. In the case of Forbes Robertson they are profoundly important. His presence brings with it a certain air of distinction and refinement, it suggests a world of chivalrous passion and romantic ideals. The face is of a large and significant—not one of those "large meaningless foreheads" of which Turgeneff speaks—the eyes grave, with that slight inequality of focus which suggests the forehead, the nose—bold and shapely, the lips delicate and close pressed, the chin—the weakest feature—firm, but inadequate to the scale of the face. It is a face immortalized in Rossetti's great picture, "Love Kissing Beatrice," in which Forbes Robertson, then an art student at the Royal Academy, represents Dante. For it was only an accident that made him an actor. He was born a painter, a child with his brothers and sister, one of whom, it is said, acted the part of the army of Macbeth, another the army of Macduff, with instructions to create an impression of numbers by rushing wildly from wing to wing, a device that worked admirably until they collided, and the poverty of the battlefield was revealed. But at Charterhouse, where he was a contemporary of Cyril Maude, his interest was not in acting but in art, which he adopted as his career. But one day, forty years ago, G. Wills was complaining to Forbes Robertson of the inactivity of the players in his "Mary Stuart." "Why not try Johnston?" asked the elder Robertson. The suggestion was acted on, never, however, wholly deserted. His first calling in which he achieved considerable success as his well-known picture of the church scene in "Macbeth" painted for Irving, witnesses.

Hamlet. To his arresting presence Mr. Forbes Robertson joins a golden voice, strange, shrill and flexible, and with a quality of sympathy that does not pass into maudlin sentiment on the one hand or hysterical excess on the other. It is the perfect instrument of a temperament both sensitive and reflective. This combination of feeling and thought in just balance is the quality that gives him his unique place on the stage. It is the quality that makes his "Hamlet" the most convincing presentation of that part, certainly in our time, possibly in the history of the English stage. The obscure psychology of the Dane places the actor in the range of the merely emotional actor who, under its phases, but cannot give it the unity that springs from a fundamental conception which makes all the parts in the play, as Hamlet's philosophy, conspicuously in this supreme act. Flashes of lightning are not enough to illumine so subtle and complex a spiritual landscape. Forbes Robertson triumphs in sensibilities and Hamlet's philosophy. Lamb denied philosophy to Hamlet. He saw in him only a power of excitement, as painfully vivid and as transient as the lightning's. "His sorrow is as wayward as his mirth; he lives in a world of imagination; his projects have little of the solid and consecutive architecture of the earth; his castles are of the clouds; and he sees shapes forming into pomp and beauty, and rejoices, or melting away and grieves, where the general eye sees nothing but the measureless rolling of vapors."

Actor as Influence. Now, Mr. Forbes Robertson has none of this superstitious legend. There is not a trick in his repertory. There is a study, of course, study which links him up with the classic tradition of English acting, and makes him exactly the foremost representative of that tradition, remote alike from the limelight school, which reduces the drama to the level of Dore, the "just-walk-around" school, which makes it the refuge of incompetents and the fresh and beautiful simplicity which the Granville Barkers have discovered for us in their Shakespearean revival. But his studied effects are not designed to mystify—they are the instrument less of an emotional than of an intellectual purpose. For, just as Irving was wholly an actor, there is a sense in which it might be said that Mr. Forbes Robertson is not an actor at all. The idea may be conveyed, perhaps, in this way: it would be difficult to conceive Irving in any other relation than that of the stage. You cannot think of him in the terms of any vocation except the actor's. Forbes Robertson is only incidentally a painter. You may think of him with propriety in a score of possible connections, as an artist, as a preacher,

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EDDGAR ALLEN POE.

The cottage in which Lincoln was born, and Thomas Jefferson's Monticello home, are to be preserved, and it is suggested that the Poe cottage at Fordham should be held as a literary monument. The little house in Kings-

bridge road, with shingled sides and shingled roof, was the home of Poe from 1845 to 1849. The cultured but nerve-strained race of the future is going to turn to such singers as Poe to seek heart-ease," says Professor Holliday.

It is fitting that Mr. Forbes Robertson should pay America the compliment of making his final farewell to the stage in the country which has been most responsive to his elevated appeal. That farewell is a shadow across the future. It should, as Mr. Bernard Shaw said in writing to the actor, be a "farewell to the country which he celebrated, not by a feast, but by a fast. When the curtain falls finally upon him it will not only close the career of a great actor; it will take from the stage a high-souled man. We shall not look upon his like again."



THE St. Lawrence in flood. Using boats in Montreal streets to get citizens from their homes.



Thomas Edison Worked in Canada on Grand Trunk

Held Position of Night Operator at Strathroy—Home Was in Port Huron and He Made Many Visits to Sarnia, Where He Is Known as "Al."

Thomas Alva Edison is a great man. His name is a byword in scientific circles all over the world, and he is most appropriately known as the wizard of electricity. It is needless to say anything more of the Edison of today. What he has done and what he is doing speaks for itself.

lacked the Yankee boys, and we were all badly licked. I myself got a black eye. That has always prejudiced me against that kind of ceremonial and folly. It is very likely, in the light of this anecdote, that much of Edison's indifference to the pomp and display accorded him on his recent trip abroad can be attributed to that little happening in Sarnia many years ago.

When I was a boy," says Edison, "the Prince of Wales, the late King Edward, came to Canada. Great preparations were made at Sarnia, the Canadian town opposite Port Huron. About every boy, including myself, went over to see the affair. The town was draped in flags most profusely, and carpets were laid on the cross-walks every place where the prince was to appear. A stand was built, raised above the general level, where the prince was to be received by the mayor. Seeing all these preparations, my idea of a prince was very high; but when he did arrive, I mistook the Duke of New-castle for him, the duke being a fine looking man. I soon saw that I was mistaken, and did not meet expectations. Several of us expressed our belief that a prince wasn't much, after all, and said that we were thoroughly whipped. For this one boy was disappointed. Soon the Canuck boys at-

Edison worked for some time in Canada, for the Grand Trunk, and was stationed at Stratford, a night operator, where his inventive genius was first displayed when he constructed a contrivance that would send in the required hourly report to the chief dispatcher's office during the night watches while he enjoyed the sleep of the innocent. It was not long after that an incident occurred with serious possibilities, which fortunately, however, did not mature, and it was this occurrence that drove Edison from Canada.

day operator slept, I started for it on foot. The night was dark, and I fell into a culvert and was knocked senseless. Summons to Headquarters. The balance of the story must be supplied from the biography. "Owing to the vigilance of the two engineers on the locomotives, who saw each other approaching on the single track, nothing more dreadful happened than a summons to the thoughtless operator to appear before the general manager at Toronto. On reaching the manager's office, his trial for neglect of duty was fortunately interrupted by the call of two Englishmen; and while their conversation proceeded, Edison slipped quietly out of the room, hurried to the Grand Trunk freight depot, found a conductor he knew taking out a freight train for Sarnia, and was not happy until the ferryboat from Sarnia had landed him once more on the Michigan shore. The Grand Trunk still owes Mr. Edison the wages due him at the time he retired from their services, but the claim has never been pressed.

Used Engine Whistle. Residents of Sarnia, or of any of the

towns along St. Clair River, are more or less familiar with the ice jams that during the winter often totally block this mighty stream of fresh water, isolating the Canadian and American sides from ferry service of any description. In this respect another paragraph from Messrs. Dyer and Martin will not be amiss: "The same winter of 1863-64, while at Port Huron, Edison had a further opportunity of displaying his ingenuity. An ice jam had broken the light telegraph cable laid in the bed of the river across to Sarnia, and thus communication was interrupted. The river is three-quarters of a mile wide, and could not be crossed on foot; nor could the cable be repaired. Edison at once suggested using the steam whistle of a locomotive, and by manipulating the valve converted the short and long outbursts of shrill sound into the Morse code. An operator on the Sarnia shore was quick enough to catch the significance of the strange whistling, and messages were thus sent in wireless fashion across the ice flows in the river."

Graphic Letter to Advertiser Describes Thrilling Escapes and Wild Scenes in Dayton

Mr. H. C. Treharne, a Yearly Visitor to London Gives a Vivid Picture of Flood Times in the Ohio City.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: Being a yearly visitor to London and acquainted with a number of its people, I thought perhaps a letter from this flood and fire ridden district might be interesting. The last five days have been the most exciting in Dayton's history, and the sad event of Tuesday, March 25, will be long remembered. On that morning, after days of continuous rainfall, the great Miami River had risen level with the top of the dikes and levees. The night before whistles had been sounded at intervals, and city officials had warned those in the district most liable to be flooded to remove their personal effects and families to higher ground. At that time no one entertained any serious thoughts of such a universal overflow. At 5 a.m. a newspaper put a flood extra, warning all to be on the alert, as back water from the sewers was already appearing in the lower districts. At 8 a.m. the uptown streets were well filled with sightseers, the levees were lined with them, and all over town knots of people gathered, discussing probable danger.

Work of Human Chain. We had been there only a few minutes when a big crowd of men and women washed down and lodged alongside of us. The wagon was packed with people, and seeing they were in danger of being washed farther, we formed a chain in the water and carried them in. We were there in the building all Tuesday night and Wednesday, when we were all taken out in boats Wednesday night. We had only some bread and water with us, and we were a hungry and wet-looking lot of people when we reached land. At night we lived in fear of fire. All over town we could see the glow and often the flames of these awful fires. Three or four blocks of the wholesale and manufacturing district burned to the water's edge. At several places frame houses were washed up in heaps of debris, caught fire, and burned the inmates.

Like Flight From Pompeii. A few minutes after 8 o'clock the unexpected happened. The entire river seemed to rise a few feet. It spilled over the levees on both sides and trickled down the streets. Most of the crowd ran for high ground, about a mile away, and yet a few remained on the streets. But in several minutes more the trickling down the street swelled until it filled the gutters, and then all at once it rose a foot, then two feet, and on it will it was three or four feet deep, and running like a millrace. Then the people did run. The main avenues of escape were a choked mass of fleeing motor cars, cars, wagons, animals and people. As they passed the store where we were busy at work salvaging goods, the scene reminded me of the flight from Pompeii, or some equally famous flight such as mentioned in history. The screaming of people, the honking of horns, rattling of wheels, and above all the steady thump of thousands of feet. It is an odd sound, the sound of a vast multitude running at once, and is not often heard. Seek Upper Stories. Already in the districts nearest the river the streets were cleared of humanity. All had climbed to upper

floors of buildings, and now the wreckage began to float. Automobiles, horses, and all manner of debris began to float down, and as they passed the buildings with plate-glass fronts one could hear the smash of the glass, and cries of dismay from the owners who were safe on upper floors. We worked at our store until we saw that we must go, and then we ran with all the rest. A friend and I started down East Fifth street for high land only about six blocks away. We had covered possibly two-thirds of the distance, and were then in water to our waists. We came to one cross street, where the current ran fearfully strong and carried down parts of a lumber yard. It was too risky to go farther, so we climbed a nearby fire escape and found safety on the third floor of a very stout brick building, where we would possibly 60 others in the same plight.

ers seemed to have been purposely hampered. The strong cross current prevented their reaching out any distance from shore. The cold numbed their fingers, and the great pile of debris all over the streets blocked passage with a boat. As an instance, we were only two blocks from land when rescued, and we had to transfer into three different boats, and even then at great danger, the water being from 12 to 15 feet deep.

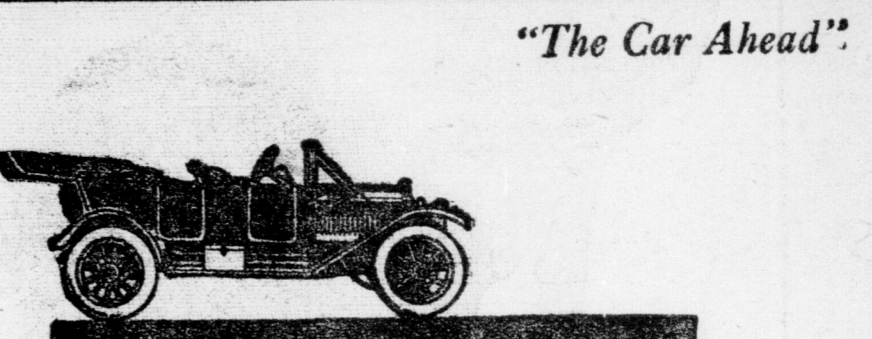
hero of the Hour. In such a time of trouble, some central executive agency for the distribution of food and shelter was needed, and the National Cash Register Company, with President Patterson as manager, stepped in and took command. Any Londoners who have visited this mammoth plant will realize how well they are able to cope with such an emergency. With his marvelous organization and system, President Patterson has proved the hero of the hour. Within six hours after the first rise of water, the carpenter shop of this plant was making relief boats at the rate of one a minute. At the same time their ten-story office building was being fitted up as a hospital and refuge for at least 5,000 homeless people. The thirty motor trucks of the company were scouring the country for food and clothing. The building was made the headquarters for all relief and rescue work, the militia, and all the various agencies of help and aid for the 60,000 homeless.

Autos Volunteered. The automobile has been of great use in this disaster. With all telephones, cars, trains and other means of transportation and communication handicapped or destroyed, the motor car has been of great value. Hundreds of private owners have donated their cars for days at a time. Money does not count now. Everything is gone down. At last the water has gone down, and everyone is working feverishly to restore light, water and sources of heat. When the flood came on it submerged the gas and electric plants and sewerage systems are torn out, and telephone cables broken and poles down. The downtown section is a most horrible sight. The store fronts are all washed out, and the stocks are either destroyed or carried away in the current. The property loss will mount up to at least \$50,000,000, counting everything. The lives lost will be less than a thousand, only a few hundred at the most.

Three Bridges Gone. However, three of the bridges are gone, the paint stores are all destroyed along with the wholesale houses. There is not a clothing store left unsoiled. In fact, every store in town of any consequence has suffered in part or in whole. The streets are littered with a conglomeration of junk (the most descriptive word I can apply)—pianos, motor cars, millinery, furniture, dead animals, everything and anything, all washed up in most disconsolate looking heaps. Silverware is to be found along with garbage. They tell me the inspectors of the 10 and 10 cent stores are simply beyond any description whatever. Imagine it for yourselves if you can. Nevertheless, this catastrophe will have a good result. We are all going to jump in and make this city more substantial and safer than before. If San Francisco and Galveston and Baltimore have been successfully rehabilitated and are still improving, so can we here do the same. Let me say this: that we haven't as yet given away our claim to being the Gem City of Ohio.

HOW GERMAN CITIES Continued From Page Seventeen. works and tramway depots, for hospitals and schools. "The city of Frankfurt, with the institutions under its control, possesses within its boundaries 12,800 acres of land, more than half of the entire area. Outside, the municipality owns 3,800 acres, making a total of 16,650 acres. Of this, 3,500 acres are covered with wood, which will probably be used for building purposes. The largest part of the timber is produced by the municipal forest. How to Deal With Small Plots. "You have seen how our streets are laid out, and how the necessary land is acquired. But a difficulty arises from the fact that most of the land outside German cities is not in the hands of great owners, but of small proprietors, and any of the plots of ground when acquired, would be unfit for building purposes, being too small or too narrow. It is, therefore, necessary to bring these small plots into a shape more suitable for building purposes, and this is done by redistribution. All the plots of ground belonging to different owners, situated in a given area, are united into one plot. Out of this plot is taken the land needed for streets and squares, and then the remainder is carved into suitable sites, and each land-owner receives a site corresponding in size to the area which he has handed over, less the area taken for streets. Buying for Streets. "In cases of redistribution the city acquires without payment the land required for streets. But in cases where the city has to give the land required for streets out of its own property, or to acquire land by purchase or expropriation, the law provides that the land-owners are obliged to repay the expense which the city has had in forming streets as soon as they begin to erect buildings on those streets. They have to pay for each site according to the length of its frontage. Besides this, they have to pay the cost of keeping the streets in repair during a certain number of years. In cases where public works are especially profitable to the land-owners of a certain district, the city has power to raise a special rate from these land-owners. "In this way the municipality secures its share of the profits which accrue to the land-owners by town extension. Vacant sites are rated not at the income they give, but on the capital value. Moreover, the unearned increment is fixed on a sliding scale, and people have to pay a certain percentage of the profit they have made by selling a building or a vacant site. Good Houses. "Now, with reference to the provision of good and healthy dwellings for the working classes. The building regulations of Frankfurt at a very early period forbade the erection of unhealthy houses, and during the period of industrial expansion no cellar dwellings or back-to-back houses—and it may be added, no stumps—could come into existence. The town is divided into three districts or zones. In the upper zone buildings with basements and two upper stories may be erected; in the middle zone houses with basements and three stories are permissible; but in the outer zone houses may not have more than two upper stories, and in small streets only one. "It is all the more necessary to provide plenty of open space because in many parts of Germany, and certainly in Frankfurt, people cannot afford to

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ever-increasing attention to the housing classes, and even the middle classes, are compelled to live in flats, because the price of land, and in consequence the cost of houses, is very high. "The cities are, therefore, devoting

Waters Rushed Down Great Continental Slope Into Mammoth Continental Gully When They Flooded Ohio and Indiana



Map of the United States showing the different elevations of the entire country, with special reference to the present flood sections. The dark shaded portions show the land less than 500 feet above sea level.

BY ALBERT FORD FERGUSON.

Written for The London Advertiser. What is the reason for the great flood that swept death and destruction before it in Ohio and Indiana?

Why is it that great walls of water annually hurl themselves through the Ohio Valley or the Mississippi Valley?

When the continent of North America was raised from the waters that covered the globe, the peaks of the Appalachian Mountains appeared first, then came parts of the Rockies, and then the central plain.

sea level at Bellefontaine, Ohio, and the slope is so rapid to the south that Cincinnati is only 600 feet above sea level. Between the two points is Dayton and Columbus. Water that falls on one side of this summit flows south to the gulf. Water falling a few feet away on the other side flows to the great lakes.

When the southern part of the country rose above water that section lying south of the Ohio slope to the west toward the Mississippi and to the south, as shown by the courses of the Ohio, Cumberland, Tennessee and Mississippi Rivers. The greatest slope was to the south.

This formation, therefore, left the central section in Indiana and Ohio, where the waves of the floods are today, the very lowest part of the central plain, and the slope from them ran straight south to the gulf in an almost unbroken line, forming a deep pressed basin wide at the top and

hardly possible that so much will be lost in this way, however, that there will not be enough left to flood the Mississippi and break over the levees.

It may find some side-track and more of it may be seeped up than we have estimated. Owing to the fact that much of the ice has gone from southern sections of the route it must follow, the ground there might be in a condition to receive more of it. But a further flood, not so disastrous, seems almost inevitable along the lower portions of the route it must follow, for the force of the water will not be able to spend itself over a wide area until after the narrow neck between the Ozarks and the Appalachians has been passed.

North of the Ohio-Indiana ridge, the same flood conditions prevail, but are not so severe because they drain directly into the great lakes and there are more channels provided for their drainage.

used your arteries and organs have become congested and you require the compensations required by this simple change of position. In a child (or in any person who has kept up the child's free movements, such as a tumbler or a trapeze performer) the compensations for holding the head down are just as good as any others he has. With most of us, dignity, or laziness, or preoccupation, or mere lack of thought, has resulted in keeping our heads so much higher than our feet that the blood pressure in time makes varicose veins in our legs, while our heads swim wildly and flush, our brains congest, and every sort of evil follows a more inversion of our ordinary position. I am not advocating that stout gentlemen should invert themselves and walk upon their hands down to their offices. I am merely trying to draw attention to the fact that the strain which habits, in this case the habit of walking erect, may put in the long run on one set of vessels, say in our heads, while leaving another set, say in our heads, to lose their compensations by disuse.

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the one-armed man injures or loses that arm he has none left to fall back on. If the blind man becomes deaf, he has no eyes to take the place of hearing. If the man with one kidney loses that, he is "put in." Another example of bodily compensation is seen when the chief blood vessel of a leg or arm, or an internal organ is so injured that it can no longer carry the blood. You may imagine the arm, or leg, or organ thus deprived of its nourishment, may wither and die. It is true this sometimes happens; especially if the injury or obstruction occurs suddenly at a time when the leg, or arm, or organ must struggle to keep supplied. But if the blood-vessel is shut off slowly, or if, by treatment, the part is supplied can be kept alive for a time, other blood-vessels, going to the part, and originally much too small to supply all the nutrition, expand, develop, and presently perform the duty of the obstructed vessel almost as well as that vessel did at its best.

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Smallpox. Question 28—It is compulsory for children in Great Britain to be vaccinated in their first year. Why not in Canada?

Among the monogermians who set a good example of activity to their juniors are Alfred Russell Wallace, the celebrated scientist, who lately observed his nineteenth birthday; and ex-Mayor Whitney, of Brooklyn, who is in his 95th year, and goes to his office every morning at 8 o'clock, exactly as he has been doing for three-quarters of a century.

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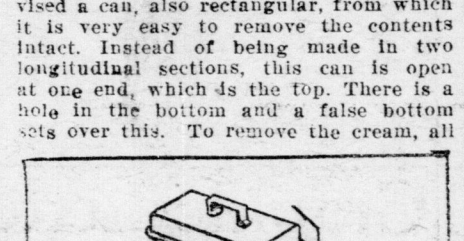
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and seventy-five times as many deaths as the vaccinated. To put it in another way: Had there been as many unvaccinated persons as there were vaccinated, the figures would have read thus: Total persons vaccinated, 3,005,578; cases, 8,178; deaths, 423. Total persons unvaccinated, 3,005,578; cases, 248,484; deaths, 14,869.

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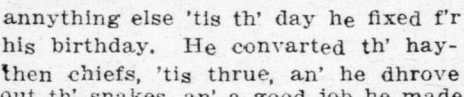


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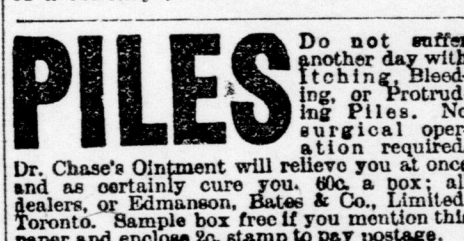
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Home means more than four walls and a roof. One thing is the year after year enjoyment of locks and hardware that are beautiful in themselves and appropriate to the style of your house.

PILES

Do not suffer another day with Itching, Bleeding, Painful Piles. No surgical operation required.

DON'T GROW BALD, YOUNG MAN!

Take Care of Your Hair While You Have Hair to Take Care Of. It's a safe ten to one bet that the young man who uses PARISIAN Sage as an occasional hair dressing will never grow bald.