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CITY SEEKS 10,000 TONS OF COAL ABROAD

2 Deaths Mar Peace Parleys In U.S. Rail Strike

MANY HURT IN DISORDERS OF PAST 24 HOURS

Ottawa Orders 9,000 Tons of Welsh Coal To Alleviate Fuel Crisis.

MINERS BATTLE GUARDS Hostilities Feature Taking Over of Mines by State of Indiana.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Developments in the railroad strike situation were today confined to speculation as to what the next peace move would be, and reports of violence at various points during the last 24 hours.

Union officials here are awaiting word from President Harding with regard to their message accepting his proposals for ending the walkout. Railroad executives and strike leaders still maintained their attitudes on the question of seniority, the railroads insisting that the rights of men who stayed at work and new men be respected, and union chiefs holding out for restoration of rights to strikers.

Two deaths resulted from violence, one in Edgemont, South Dakota, where a switchman of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy was shot, and the other in Chicago, where a carman employed in the Illinois Central shops was beaten to death.

A spokesman in the Illinois Central shops in Chicago was beaten into insubordination because he refused to join the strikers.

Shot Through Groin.

At Waco, Texas, a guard in the Missouri, Kansas and Texas shops was shot through the groin during an argument with a fireman.

A Union Pacific trainmaster was seized on the main street of Las Vegas, New Mexico, taken several miles into the desert and given a coat of tar and excelsior.

At the same time, four women attacked the wife of a Union Pacific roundhouse foreman as she was carrying dinner to her husband. She was beaten severely.

Two men were injured and half a dozen windows in a passenger coach were broken when a crowd of men stoned the Illinois Central train at New Orleans, La.

At Birmingham, Ala., two white men and two negro women were wounded in a clash between non-union workers and striking shopmen of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railroad. Police reports said the white men and one of the negro women were shot. One of the men was seriously wounded.

ORDERS WELSH COAL.

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—An order for 9,000 tons of Welsh coal, to relieve the immediate demands in the city, were placed yesterday afternoon by the special committee of local coal merchants handling the fuel situation.

Of this order, 4,000 tons already have been shipped and the remaining 5,000 tons will be shipped immediately. Negotiations are being made for larger quantities of coal, but it was necessary to take steps to relieve the immediate shortage. Although the price of the coal has not yet been determined, it is expected that the retail price will be under \$20 a ton.

WAR ON GUARDSMEN.

Saunton, Ind., Aug. 4.—First hostilities in connection with the taking over of mines by the state occurred today when National Guardsmen on duty were fired upon from ambush. The fire was returned by the Guards, and later the firing was taken up over the entire area. Automatic rifles were brought into action by the troops, and the firing continued for more than an hour.

LATE SPORTING NEWS

CANADIAN OARSMAN IN FINALS.

Philadelphia, August 4.—Hilton A. Belyea, of the St. John, N. B., Amateur Rowing Club, won the first heat for association senior single shells on the Schuylkill River today in the regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, being held here.

LATE NEWS BULLETINS.

BODY OF YOUNG LAD FOUND NEAR GUELPH.

Guelph, Aug. 4.—The body of a young lad named Jardine was found in the river just above Goldie's dam shortly before noon today. He had been missing all night and the finding of his cap near the side of the river gave rise to the suspicion that he was drowned.

It is supposed he had been walking along the river gathering wild flowers and fruit, and fell in.

UNION HEADS MEET IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Representatives of the six striking shopcraft unions on the Southern Railway will meet in Washington tomorrow, with H. W. Miller, vice-president, in charge of operations on the system, to consider proposals for settlement of the strike on the basis suggested by President Harding to the executives of all the railroads.

CHINESE TYPHOON CAUSES MANY DEATHS.

Hong Kong, Aug. 4.—Word was received here today of a typhoon that on August 2 did considerable damage at the port of Swatow, about 250 miles northeast of Hong Kong. Mortality among the Chinese was heavy.

Two British coasting steamers were stranded because of the tides.

Baby Boy Scalds to Death In Water of Own Bath

STRATFORD, Aug. 4.—While amusing a kitten about the house today little James William Scott, 3-year-old son of James Scott, Mitchell, fell into a tub of hot water, which had been drawn for his bath, and was so badly scalded that death followed some hours later.

The father of the child had placed the tub containing the hot water on the floor and had gone into the adjoining room to get some cold water. When he returned he found the child in the tub of hot water.

300 IRREGULARS FLEE IRISH CITY

Abandon Intentions of Combatting Free State Army On Banks of Suir.

Ulster Bank Wrecked by Mine Set From Armored Car.

Dublin, Aug. 4.—Irish irregulars have apparently abandoned whatever intentions they had of making a stand on the banks of the River Suir. National troops entered Carrick-on-Suir yesterday, the 300 irregulars who had occupied the town fleeing across the hills toward Dungarvan. Before the evacuation they destroyed all the Suir bridges. The soldiers in the town had been ordered to follow the government troops but they refused to do so.

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The German reply to the Poincare ultimatum has not arrived in Paris, but official circles believe it will merely be another refusal and will delay the imposition of the penalties.

FIND MISSING BOY IN RAILWAY CITY

Children's Aid Officials Will Return Clifford Almas to London.

Successfully avoiding the authorities who were searching for him for six days, Clifford Almas, 10-year-old ward of the Children's Aid Society, who ran away from the Thomas Alway Hall Home here last Saturday afternoon, was finally captured by officials of the Children's Aid Society of St. Thomas in that city on Thursday afternoon.

Owing to the fact that the young wanderer formerly resided in St. Thomas, it was thought that he had journeyed to the Railway City after his disappearance from here, and the authorities of that place were notified to watch for him.

No details are available at the local office of the Children's Aid Society as to how Clifford Almas traveled to St. Thomas, or where he put in the six days of his absence.

Inspector W. E. Kelly of the society reports that the lad possesses unusual intelligence for his age. Mr. Kelly left London for St. Thomas on Friday morning, and will bring the boy back to the shelter.

REFUSE NON-UNION MEN SHAVE, LOSE LICENSES

Waycross, Ga., Aug. 4.—Mayor Cowart of Waycross has revoked the license of two barber shops where barbers had refused to shave non-union men employed at the Atlantic Coast Line shops. When the shops continued to operate, the proprietors and barbers were served with subpoenas to appear in recorder's court to answer charges of doing business without a license.

GERMANS HASTE TO STOP FRANCE SEIZING MONEY

Bankers Transfer Deposits in U. S. to Holland and Switzerland.

ANTICIPATE PENALTIES

Paris, Aug. 4.—German banks within the last 48 hours have transferred to Holland and Switzerland between 60,000,000 and 70,000,000 French francs, which had been on deposit in United States and other foreign banks in Paris, the Associated Press learned this afternoon.

The money was hurriedly withdrawn, it is understood, in anticipation of its being seized by the French government as part of the penalties to be imposed upon Germany for her refusal to pay the £2,000,000 installment due on debts contracted before the war with France.

Premier Poincare will carefully keep secret his proposed solution of the reparations problem until he outlines it at the opening session of the London conference next week. It was asserted in official circles here that the French policy had been decided today.

Premier Lloyd George's decision to make public his plan before the meeting, it was said.

The French premier will leave for London at noon Sunday, accompanied by Finance Minister Lasteyre, Count Peretti de Rocca, director of political affairs in the foreign office, Secretary Massigli of the ambassadors' conference, and M. Camerlynck, interpreter of the supreme council. The finance minister will be accompanied by M. Tannery and Margerie, financial experts.

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REPORTS TRAFFIC THROUGH SMO GREATLY INCREASED

Records Also Show Falling Off In Coal Shipments Through Welland Canal.

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—(By Canadian Press).—Traffic for June through the Canadian and American locks at Sault Ste. Marie increased 140 per cent over May, due mainly to iron ore shipments increasing from 1,379,850 tons to 6,617,660 tons, while grain shipments dropped off about 50 per cent. Bituminous coal shipments continued light, and anthracite coal stopped altogether. Compared with June, 1921, grain and ore shipments were considerably heavier, but these gains were offset by reduction in coal, making little change in the aggregate.

Welland Canal traffic showed a decrease from June, 1921, of 11 per cent, due to decreases in coal and corn shipments. Rye and oil also decreased, while wheat and oats showed increases. From opening of navigation to June 30 wheat shipments amounted to 11,980,000 bushels, as against 8,820,000 in the same period in 1921, and bituminous coal amounted to 94,324 tons, as against 252,610 tons last year.

Severely Injured While Cranking Car

JAMES SNOWDEN, of 411 Hamilton road, while cranking a motor truck on which he had forgotten to release the gear, was run over and suffered severe injuries to his back at number 30 Ridout street south about 11 o'clock Friday morning.

Snowden was removed to Victoria Hospital by the ambulance as soon as the accident occurred. The truck itself ran until it struck the Ridout street bridge.

MITCHELL RESIDENT IS FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

Stratford, Aug. 4.—William Pepper, a well-known resident of Mitchell, was found dead in bed early this morning by his wife. Deceased, who was a retired farmer, was in his 66th year, and was well-known in the community. He had been in his usual good health all day and retired about midnight. A large family survives.

ESTABLISH CADET CAMP AT CONNAUGHT RANGES

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—It has been decided to establish a cadet camp at Connaught ranges for the D. R. A. It will be separated from the camp of all other competitors, and the commandant will be Lieutenant G. H. Gillespie of Kingston. He will look after the comfort of the youthful sharpshooters, and will be the medium through which all dealings with the D. R. A. will be carried on.

British Labor Gives Benediction To War Debt Cancellation Note

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The Labor party has given its official benediction to the Earl of Balfour's war debt note. This was done last night through Arthur Henderson, secretary of the party, who, in a speech at Heywood, said:

"The only satisfactory method of relieving Europe from an intolerable burden and removing and sterilizing the uncertainty due to financial embarrassment is to arrange an all-round cancellation of mutual indebtedness. We welcome, therefore, the note issued by Lord Balfour. It is a great step forward in the right direction, and indicates, I believe, a sincere effort by the government, to solve the difficulties in which Europe finds herself.

"It means sanity at last is resuming its proper place in the common affairs of international life. It is a recognition of the stern fact that a general settlement of the problem of mutual indebtedness would be of more value to mankind than any gains accruing even from the most successful enforcement of legal obligations."

William Tite Would Imprison Sunday Workers

THINKS FINES TOO LIGHT.

ANY person who works on Sunday should be subject to a stiff fine and imprisonment as well.

This is the substance of a resolution calling for a strict enforcement of the Lord's Day act, which will be submitted by the London delegates to the Dominion Trades Congress at Montreal two weeks hence.

The labor men admit that there is such a thing as the Lord's Day act, but maintain that the same excites but little attention. "Now and again an employer is brought into police court and subjected to a small fine, and that is the end of it," explains William Tite, who with John McGuire, president of the Trades and Labor Council, will attend the Montreal session.

"If there was a law compelling a fine and imprisonment as well," Delegate Tite continued, "for the one who would accept employment, it would certainly tend toward a stricter adherence to the law."

SAYS FEDERAL TAX BURDENS WORKER

Grant Says Equity of Taxation Is Goal of Authorities.

While he approves of the recent federal income tax amendment, which increased the exemption of married men to \$300 for every child, City Assessment Commissioner Grant declares that it will mean a greater burden for the workingman, whose income does not exceed \$2,000 per year.

"Equity of taxation is the goal of the authorities," commented Mr. Grant, "and in making an exemption of \$300 for every child, it helps the married man whose income is already exempted up to \$2,000. However, the poor man who does not make \$2,000 a year is in the hole, and must bear a greater burden because of this exemption which must be made up."

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2 DIE IN FASCIST FIGHTING IN ITALY

Rome, Aug. 4.—Two persons were killed and several hundred wounded in the fighting between Fascists and Communists at Bari in connection with the general strike, according to the latest reports received here. The troops used armored cars to put down the disturbance.

There was fighting nearly all of Wednesday night in Genoa between Fascists and Arditi. The number of casualties is not known. After restoring order, troops occupied the headquarters of the Arditi, where they found explosives, bombs and revolvers and arrested forty persons.

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TITE APPOINTED TO PROVINCIAL SERVICE BODY

Hon. Walter Rollo Announces Establishment of Employment Council.

TO RECOMMEND POLICY

Hamilton, Aug. 4.—Hon. W. Rollo announces the establishment of the provincial employment service council, comprising representatives of employers and employees, and other bodies, the personnel of which is as follows:

Professor Gilbert Jackson (chairman), Toronto; George Cander, Toronto; Archie Charles Manbert, lumberman, Ottawa; William Henry Shapley, Toronto; Robert Francis Fitzpatrick, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, Toronto; employers' representatives: John William Doggett, secretary of the Toronto Building Trades Council; John Alfred Pope Haydon, M.C., editor of the Canadian Congress Journal, Ottawa; William Tite, Machinists' Union, London; employees' representatives: Mrs. Rose Hodgson, Dundas, representing the women's industry; Donald Alex Cameron, Toronto, representing the banking interests; William Charles Good, M.P., Paris, Ont., representing agriculture; Hugh McLeod, Toronto, and William Dwight Sharpe, Brampton, representing the returned soldiers.

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Book Warm Cell Early In County Jail

INDICATIONS are that there will be a number of colder places this winter than the Middlesex County jail.

By reason of the foresight exhibited earlier in the year by John Stuart, county clerk, coal was poured into the jail bins, sufficient, it is believed, to last throughout the cold spell.

A continued coal strike holds little fear for the jail officials, and all guests will have no cause to complain, it is promised.

JUSTICE ASLEEP AS POLICE ERR?

Office Listed Against P. C. Monahan Struck Off Court Records.

Official Declares Possibility of Constable Alleging Municipal Business.

Are members of the city police department exempt from all liability for alleged breaches of the motor-vehicle laws? is a question being asked by many citizens today.

Early this week county authorities announced that the name of Police Constable G. Monahan had been removed from the roll of constables by them as the owner of a machine parked on the highway near Springbank Park with the lights out, contrary to regulations, intimating incidentally that the officer had settled the bill out of court.

Constable Being Fined.

The following day, however, P. C. Monahan issued a public statement, denying that he had been fined, that he had been the owner of a car, or was in any manner whatever implicated in the affair.

Questioned Friday morning, a member of the county police squad, Constable William Field, assured The Advertiser that while P. C. Monahan's name had been noted, the same had since been struck from the list.

"Why was this done?" he was questioned.

"Because the chances were 'the constable replied, 'that if he was brought into this court he would be able to prove that he was on official police business.'"

Constable Field evinced the further opinion, nevertheless, that in the event that the machine in question was actually the policeman's, and had an accident occurred by some person crashing into it as it stood without lights on the highway, the officer or the municipality of London would have been responsible for damages or possible loss of life.

"Is it the custom for the authorities to turn to Page 3, Column 3."

FAIL TO NAME DATE FOR VOTE ON U.S. TARIFF BILL

Democratic Senators Object to Limitation of Debate Until Certain Sections Disposed Of.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The attempt to fix, by unanimous consent, a date for a final vote on the administration tariff bill, appeared to have been indefinitely abandoned today, but private negotiations were under way looking to at least some curtailment of discussion.

Some Republicans believed these might lead to results, but certain Democratic senators were understood to object to limitation of debate until after the sections of the bill dealing with duties on sugar and hides had been disposed of.

Senator Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, in upsetting plans of Republican and Democratic leaders yesterday for a final vote on the bill on Aug. 15, explained that he could not consent to any arrangement under which important amendments might be acted upon without discussion.

FALLING POLES CRUSH WORKMAN

Harry Huncherick, of 515 Ottawa avenue, was severely injured Friday while working around a carload of poles in the Grand Trunk railroad yards. Several poles rolling off the car caught Huncherick and crushed him. He was removed at once to Victoria Hospital, where his condition is reported to be improving.

The victim was attended by Dr. F. R. Clez.

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This recommendation will be laid before the city council next Tuesday night, along with figures to be prepared by City Clerk S. Baker, representing the actual minimum price that such coal can be delivered to London homes. Other details to be worked out will include the method of distributing this anthracite following delivery here.

In his opening remarks to the conference, Mayor Cameron Wilson, who presided, pointed out the crisis which must be faced by the members because the miners' strike in the United States threatens to create a shortage of coal here this winter. He declared that, in his opinion, the problem of supplying coal to Canadians "is more or less a national affair, but it has been left apparently to the municipalities, and it is up to us."

Must Protect Public.

Continuing, his worship said: "The city has no desire to go into the coal business, but we feel that the public must have an adequate supply of coal and protected prices."

"The directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be glad to help," said E. S. Little.

"The question is too much for me," said John M. Daly, coal dealer, when the conference asked his opinion of the outcome of the coal situation with regard to a supply for London. "My opinion on this thing is not worth two cents. I am very loath to offer any suggestion either way. We are quite satisfied that every man in the city will do his best."

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FEARS HARDSHIP OF FUEL CRISIS PERILS PUBLIC

Coal Dealers Doubt U. S. Deliveries Possible Before December.

WASHINGTON MOVES TO AVERT TIE-UP OF FREIGHT ON LAKES BY STRIKE OF UNION SEAMEN

Executives of International Union Agree To Withhold Order For Walkout While Department of Labor Seeks To Find Solution of Wage Differences.

DETROIT, Aug. 3.—Federal intervention today averted a strike of union vessel men on the Great Lakes, the district executive committee of the International Seamen's Union, voting to withhold the strike order until the department of labor had made an effort to adjust the wage differences which caused the strike movement.

WITHDRAW APPLICATION.

MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—The sub-committee of the executive board of United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees and Railway Shop Laborers, made the following announcement from headquarters here today:

"Representatives of employees in the maintenance of way and bridge-building departments of Canadian railways have today reached an agreement with Canadian railway executives, including the National, Canadian, Pacific, Grand Trunk and Temiskaming and Northern Ontario, acting through the Railway Association of Canada, under which negotiations will be continued in regard to reduction in rates of pay made effective July 16.

"As a consequence of this understanding, the employees' representatives have withdrawn their application made to the minister of labor for the establishment of a board of conciliation and investigation."

The announcement continues that the interim agreement under which wages have been reduced since July 16 fully protects the interests of the employees until such time as definite agreement can be entered into.

"It is generally recognized by Canadian railway employees that for economic reasons which in the interests of the employees as much as in the interests of the railways, must be taken into consideration, the rates paid on competing railways in the United States largely influenced the rates paid in Canada. At the present time in the United States the reduced rates are in effect, but in view of the protests of the employees, new hearings are about to be instituted before the United States Railway Labor Board.

"In the agreement which was proposed by the Canadian railways, and has now been accepted by the employees' representatives, it is provided that the reduced rates will be allowed to remain in effect without prejudice pending further consideration and negotiation between representatives of the United States affecting similar classes of employees as to enable the parties to conclude a definite agreement, it being further agreed that, except as may be otherwise mutually arranged, any rates of pay finally agreed upon will be effective from July 16, 1922, and the railways will make adjustments accordingly.

"The interim agreement protects fully the interests of the employees until such time as definite agreement can be entered into, which is all that could be expected from extensive proceedings before a board of conciliation.

BLAST TOMB ON MOUNTAIN TOP

Friends of Dr. Alexander Bell To Carry Out Family Wishes.

Funeral Ceremony To Be Marked With Rustic Simplicity.

BADDECK, C. B., Aug. 3.—Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, whose 75 years of life and service to mankind, as inventor, scientist and benefactor, ended yesterday morning, will be laid to rest tomorrow evening on the summit of Beinn Bhreagh Mountain with a simple, almost rustic ceremony. The services will take place just before sunset, commencing at 5 o'clock, Atlantic standard time.

A coffin of rugged hard pine, lined with airplane linen, and having handles of hand-forged iron, will envelop the body of the kindly old man of genius, and in it he will be laid in a tomb blasted out of solid Cape Breton rock.

By Mrs. Bell's wish, the coffin was made in the inventor's own workshop, and by the laboratory staff which through many years built the structures which have been the basis of his research and experiments. A short funeral service will be conducted at Dr. Bell's house, with only members of the immediate household present. Chopin's Funeral March will be played, after which verses from the 18th Psalm will be read by the officiating clergyman, Rev. John MacKinnon of Greenwood Presbyterian Church, Baddeck. Miss Jean MacDonell of Port Hastings, a Nova Scotia singer whose voice Dr. Bell had loved to hear in his lifetime, will sing.

Then the casket will be borne out from the old home on the shoulders of the workmen of the estate to one of the inventors' own carriages. His own coachman will take the remains on their last drive, up the mountain road that winds through the forest to the mountain top, the highest point in Eastern Nova Scotia. The friends of the dead man will gather at the tomb and join in well-known hymns. Longfellow's Psalm of Life, long a favorite with Dr. and Mrs. Bell, will be read, and the first verse of Robert Louis Stevenson's Requiem sung. These will be followed by the Lord's Prayer and the Benediction, after which the remains of Dr. Bell will be laid in their rock-hewn tomb.

Day's Strike Doings

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—The first meeting of the conciliation board appointed to investigate the wage dispute between the Canadian railway companies and their shophmen will be held in Ottawa Tuesday at 11 a.m. It was announced by Alexander Smith, chairman of the board, this afternoon.

PORT ARTHUR, Aug. 3.—Strike of United States Great Lakes seamen, as predicted in dispatches from Detroit today, would have no immediate effect on traffic at the Canadian head of the lakes, said a shipping man here today, but undoubtedly would if it continued for any length of time.

Coal traffic, which usually commences at a pretty lively rate at this time of the year, is pretty well at a standstill because of the strike in the mines, and the grain trade has not yet assumed its full proportions.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—E. J. Manion of St. Louis, president of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, has sent letters to the heads of the twelve railroad unions now on strike, suggesting a meeting to discuss the growing tendency to involve their men in the shophmen's strike, it was learned here today.

DENY GUILT IN MACAROW CASE

Defense Counsel Declare Evidence Does Not Justify Charge Against Banker.

Crown Closes Upon Completion of Evidence of Sir H. Montague Allen.

MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—Argument for the defense opened here this afternoon before Chief Justice Dugas, in the hearing of the charge against D. C. Macarow, former general manager of the Merchants Bank of Canada, of having made false statements in the October, 1921, return of the bank to the government.

Ex-Judge Bazin laid before the court the contention that "however crushing the evidence may be, it does not justify the charge against the accused." Quoting section 153 of the bank act, under which the charge is brought, he claimed that the law punished first he who makes a return containing false statements; second, he who issues such a report with intent to defraud, and third, the president, vice-president or officer who negligently signs the report. He pointed out further that the report must be signed by three persons, of whom the chief accountant is one.

Had Signed Report. Ex-Judge Bazin declared that in the proof adduced in court, there was not a single word to sustain the charges contained in the indictment against Macarow. The only proof against the report, while the evidence showed that the bank report was prepared by Chief Accountant Muir of the Merchants Bank, aided by an employee, and was delivered to Mr. Macarow for signature.

Counsel's deduction from this was therefore that Mr. Macarow did not fall under that part of Section 153 which concerns the making of a false return, but which makes it an offense to negligently sign a report with false statements in it. He wondered on what the prosecution could base such a charge unless signing a report was equivalent to making a report. He concluded that the only person who could be prosecuted for making a report willfully false would be Chief Accountant Muir.

Ex-Judge Bazin was still speaking when the court adjourned until tomorrow.

The case of the crown against D. C. Macarow was declared closed this afternoon upon completion of evidence by Sir H. Montague Allen, former president of the bank.

BIGGS WILL STICK BY ROAD PROGRAM

ST. THOMAS, Aug. 3.—Hon. F. C. Biggs, at the official opening of the newly-paved road between Sandy Mount Hill and Talbotville yesterday, expressed himself as perfectly content to stand or fall in public office on the success or failure of the road program. Speaking of policies, he said: "Once you adopt one, you think a good one, stick to it; don't pussyfoot around. If the people don't like it, they have the ballot to put you out."

Suspend Phone Service Today As Tribute To Bell.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The American Telephone and Telegraph Company announced today that every one of its 13,000,000 telephones in the United States and Canada would cease service for one minute at 6:25 p.m., eastern standard time, tomorrow, when the body of Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, would be lowered into the grave he selected on the crest of Beinn Bhreagh Mountain, Nova Scotia.

IRISH REGULARS ROUT REBELS IN ATTACK BY SEA

Stage Sensational Coup, Endangering Irregulars' Left Flank From Rear.

TAKE ENEMY BY SURPRISE

Free Staters' Force Immediate Evacuation of Kerry County.

DUBLIN, Aug. 3.—National army troops landed from the sea today in the vicinity of Fenit, County Kerry, taking the Irregulars by surprise. An attempt to frustrate the debarcation failed.

By this coup on the part of the Free Staters, the Irregulars' left flank is taken in the rear. This sensational move was carried out by a large body of Free Staters, who are now a very short distance from Tralee, endangering the whole of the Irregulars' left flank.

The Irregulars are retreating from Limerick, and now find themselves with National troops in the rear as well as in front. A large part of County Kerry will be evacuated by the Irregulars immediately.

Drive Towards Clonmel.

The operations of the Nationals in South Limerick is proceeding favorably. They are driving the Irregulars towards Clonmel. The rapidity with which position after position is evacuated by the Nationals shows a disinclination on their part to make a determined stand, although the country is admirably suited to defensive tactics.

Reports received here state that De Valera favors a decisive battle. The rank and file, however, have fallen in spirit, believing that the only result from such a battle would be rout. It is confirmed that the Nationals captured Cashel this morning. Official and other reports relate a number of engagements and attempts on the part of the Irregulars to regain the lost positions, one of which was a Patrick's Well, near Limerick. On Tuesday, when a number of Nationals were taken prisoner by a superior body of Irregulars, the majority of the prisoners later escaped with their arms. Four of the Irregulars were killed and many other casualties resulted.

Fall Back Southward. Overnight reports were that the Irregulars in general were falling back toward the south and south-west.

In Dublin disorders are continuing. Last night three bombs were flung at Red Cross bearers conveying wounded men to hospital, but were not seriously damaged, but three civilians were wounded. An ambulance in another quarter was fired upon during the night.

SEIZE NEWSPAPERS.

BELFAST, Aug. 3.—The Belfast police this morning seized all English and Dublin newspapers arriving here for examination, paying special attention to the Dublin newspapers, one of which has been taken advantage of the Belfast printers' strike to flood the city with special editions.

The seizure is believed to be due to the fact that the Dublin papers yesterday attacked Justice Andrews for ordering whippings in cases of republicans found with weapons.

FEAR NORTHCLIFFE GROWING WEAKER

LONDON, Eng., Aug. 3.—The condition of Viscount Northcliffe is less satisfactory, it was announced this evening. His weakness has increased during the past few days.

It is supposed that his heart affection began in an insidious manner some months ago and was the result of a lowered resistance largely caused through strain and overwork.

BRITAIN TO BUILD 500 AIRPLANES

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Premier Lloyd George announced in the House of Commons that the government had decided to adopt a recommendation of the air ministry to provide 500 aeroplanes for home defense at a cost of £2,000,000.

HAZELTON PLANT ENGINEERS STRIKE

HAZELTON, Pa., Aug. 3.—All hoisting engineers and firemen at the plants of the Jeddah Highland Coal Company had walked out today. The union headquarters announced, after it had directed the maintenance men at the Hazlehigh colliery of the Jeddah Company to quit as a protest against shipment of stored coal to market.

MYSTERY PAIR WILL WED AT PORT STANLEY

Principals in Civic Holiday Ceremony To Receive Beautiful Presents.

PLAN FIREWORKS DISPLAY

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Monday next, London's civic holiday, will be marked by a unique and interesting event at Port Stanley, on Invererie Heights, when the mystery couple, about whom there has been a tremendous amount of guessing the past few weeks, will be wedded amidst banks of the choicest flowers.

The ceremony is scheduled to take place at 4 o'clock, and it will be entirely respectful and decorous. Special music, the feature of which will be the well-known Lohengrin wedding march, will be rendered by the famous R. C. R. band of London, under the direction of that master of the baton, Captain Ryan, who is even better known in musical circles overseas than he is in Canada.

The groom is a stalwart, handsome lad and the bride is a winsome girl worthy of the mate she has selected for life. Almost everybody in London, St. Thomas and the western district have an idea that they know who the couple are, but not until the bride and groom stand before the altar will they know whether their guess is right or wrong.

Will Receive Presents. Amongst the presents the young couple will receive are a magnificent oak dining-room suite, including table, six chairs, and a beautiful mirror-back buffet; an electric range, mantel clock, and other articles of furniture, in addition to supplies of milk, bread, dry-cleaning services, etc. The bride's complete bridal attire, the groom's suit, the wedding ring, the motor cars in which they are to be conveyed to the park, and thence from the park to the L. & P. S. Cafeteria, where even the wedding breakfast is supplied, are also given free to the mystery couple.

Those who saw a mystery couple wedded on Invererie Heights last year were enthusiastic in their praises of the manner in which the event was carried out, and this year even greater care is being taken to see that the ceremony shall be respectful and dignified in every way.

The usual sports program for civic holiday is also being carried out this year. As shown above, there are events for everybody to compete in, and an abundance of magnificent prizes. The baby show will be better than ever before, and there will be a championship sweepstakes, in which the people will decide by their applause the winner.

Provide Concerts. Band concerts afternoon and night by the R. C. R. band are also on the program, and the day will be brought to a close by a dazzling display of fireworks at night, and a carnival on the board walk. There will be plenty of confetti and a generally good time for all.

An especially fine bill has been engaged for the L. & P. S. free movies on the beach, when "Isobel of Trail's End," a film feature of surpassing interest, will be shown. There will also be a community sing-song, in which the audience will take part, and all the latest song hits, as well as a number of old heart songs, will be sung.

If you want to know the very latest in popular songs, attend the sing-songs at the free movies on the beach.

The L. & P. S. is providing a special fast train service for the day, so that people may go to and from the lakeside every hour, and the usual cheap summer fares will be in vogue.

PRESS AGREEMENT FOR FINAL U. S. TARIFF VOTE

Leaders on Both Sides Hope Fight Will Be Ended By August 19.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—An effort to obtain an unanimous consent agreement for final vote this month on the administration tariff bill was the first order of business today in the Senate.

Leaders on both sides were hopeful that the now 105 days' old fight could be ended not later than August 19.

In accordance with an agreement reached yesterday with representatives of the majority and minority, Senator Simmons (Democrat, North Carolina) was to renew his offer for a final vote on August 19 and Chairman McCumber, of the finance committee, was to counter with a proposition that the date be made Aug. 17. The Senate would then decide as between these dates or upon some other date.

FOREST FIRES ON
COAST CONTINUE

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Aug. 3.—Reports from the district between Burns' Lake and Terrace, where serious forest fires are burning, are meagre today. The small settlement of Topley was destroyed, but the residents managed to escape with most of their belongings.

Large crews are fighting the fires. Warm weather prevails, and there are no indications of rain.

EXPLOSION VICTIM
DIES FROM BURNS

BESSIKER, Alta., Aug. 3.—Throwing coal, which contained some kind of explosive, on the kitchen fire, Mrs. Gross, wife of Henry Gross, farmer, living three miles east of here, was so severely burned yesterday that she died within a few hours.

The stove was blown to pieces, and the small house in which the family lived was completely wrecked.

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TOURISTS LAUD LONDON CAMP

Autoists From Over All Continents Take Advantage of City's Facilities.

Scenic Beauties of Locality Add to Enjoyment of Outing.

"Windsor to the Falls" via London, where a stop-over is made at the American's glimpse of Canada, when he packs up a frying pan and a tent and strikes out north on his vacation in his car.

Because it is a natural half-way stop between the border points of Niagara and Windsor, the tourist camp outside London is coming to enjoy a unique reputation. There, any night during the present month, can be found travelers from far and wide points in the United States, from Chicago, plans in Michigan, Los Angeles, and some "from Missouri," who don't have to be shown after they pass the night at Windsor and what kind of a reception Canada is giving her visitors.

Patronage of the pretty spot varies from day to day. Some days there will be ten or more camping outfits, and other days only one or two. Thursday night, for example, two cars had turned in for the night. The first belonged to A. G. Smith, of 6601 Rhodes street, Chicago. He and his wife had left Chicago early Wednesday morning, spending Wednesday night at a tourist's camp at Kalamazoo, the nearest one west of "Wonderland Camp."

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were delighted with the spot, and said, "This is great," ejaculated Mr. Smith descending from behind the wheel, where he had sat all day, and stretching himself, "this is the best place we have struck yet."

The couple were on their way to Niagara, the other terminal of the trip through Canada, which most of the tourists take.

The other car at the park carried a family of six from Portland, Michigan. While mother set the table, father and son got out the tent, one of which was attached to the side of the car. In fifteen minutes after stopping at the park they had everything set for the night. Friday, they stated, they would move on to Hamilton, and from there, like the other family, would go to the Falls.

Each tourist carries a little stove, and when the darkness comes, places looks like an orchard with charcoal burners in it.

Everything has a good time around the camp fire at night, and the open air makes one sleep well. Then in the early morning tents are folded, and the parties, like the Arabs, silently steal away—the degree of silence depending on what makes his car is. It's as Mrs. Smith said: "This morning it is fine, but you get awfully dirty."

Magistrate Dismisses Case Against H. L. Pratt

Says No Reason for Laying Charge of Fraud Against Hotel Guest.

On information laid by Jerry Collins, manager of the Brunswick Hotel, H. L. Pratt appeared in police court Friday morning charged with fraud. Collins testified that one week ago last Tuesday night Pratt, who had been staying at the hotel for some time and who owed a bill there, came in drunk.

"I told him I wanted the money," Collins told the court. "We had an argument, and he asked what my right was to ask a man of his standing for money." He said he was worth \$10,000. I said he wasn't worth 10 cents to me. Then he said he wouldn't pay the money, so on the advice of the crown I had him arrested Wednesday morning."

Deputy Magistrate, after hearing Collins' evidence, dismissed the case, ordering the complainant to pay the costs, and ruling that because Pratt had said he wouldn't pay his bill that was no reason for his being arrested under a fraud charge.

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Town Topics.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The wicked flee when no man pursueth; but the righteous are bold as a lion.—Proverbs 28:1.

THRICE armed is he that hath his quarrel just.—Shakespeare.

TOMORROW'S DOINGS.

SATURDAY—13th Battalion Association holds picnic at Port Stanley. Empire Brass Company picnics at Port Stanley. Transportation commission meets at city hall.

CITY CLERK S. BAKER is in Galt Friday, where he is scheduled to deliver an address to members of the Kiwanis Club of that municipality.

INSPECTING HORSES and cattle Friday morning at the Westminster Hospital, George Tustin, officer for the London Humane Society reports that everything is in order.

SEVENTEEN BUILDING permits have been issued by Inspector A. M. Piper this month for construction work in London. The majority of the permits cover small expenditures, the total sum involved being \$12,580.

SETTING UP A RECORD for the city, two weeks have passed without a case of scarlet fever or diphtheria being reported to the board of health. Medical Officer Downham, who expressed Friday morning his confidence in the city's freedom of communicable diseases would continue indefinitely.

A. R. DOUGLAS, acting crown attorney, announced Friday that in all probability he will supervise the work of that department until Sept. 1, when J. C. Elliott, recently appointed to that position, will assume formal control. The latter, it is reported, is leaving for a month's holiday.

PIANO AND VOCAL pupils of Theodore Gross recently gave a very creditable program in his new studio in the Imperial Bank building. Madeleine Prestwick, May Saville, Dorothy Owen, Helen Flowers, A. D. Duncan, Allan Steeles, Mary Owen, Cecil Hyatt, Nelson Andrews, Audrey Carter, Allan Penn, Harold Chapman, Norman Vane and Leonard Colford.

THE GRAVEL PIT at Komoka, from which gravel is supplied to all points in the London division of the Grand Trunk Railway, has been opened, local officials stated this morning. The pit is opened for a short period each year, it was pointed out, and during that time the gravel needs for every railroad center in the division is filled.

AFTER HAVING claimed the attention of the Middlesex county court for several weeks, the civil action, Vaughan vs. Reason, has at last been concluded. His Honor Judge Talbot Macbeth announcing that he is handing down a decision favorable to the complainant. Frank Curran appeared for the latter, while J. M. McEvoy, K.C., handled the case for the defendant.

"CLEAN UP" work on sewer systems of West London and Pine Lawn districts must be completed before he commences a comprehensive survey of city storm sewers, with a view to reporting defects, City Engineer H. A. Brazier announced Friday morning. Mr. Brazier is instructed to make this survey by No. 2 committee of the city council, in session last Tuesday night.

POLICE EXPLODE ALIBI OF ALLEGED AUTO SPEEDER

Accused Disavows Knowledge of Car But Later Admits Ownership.

It is the firm belief of Squire W. H. Chittick, as expressed in Middlesex County police court Friday that, at last he has exploded one of the many "hole-proof" speeding alibis that confront him with increasing frequency these days. "We summoned a certain King street businessman quite recently," he explained, "for speeding at Springbank Park, and he telephoned me immediately that he did not own the car in question. We made further investigation, following which the defendant acknowledged that he did own the car at one time. "I suppose he is one of those citizens who goes to church three times on Sunday and is regarded as a model of virtue. He appears here next week for trial, however."

HAMILTON ENTRIES. First, purse, \$1,200, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, foaled in Canada, 6 furlongs—Bantler 27, Affection 105, Foxglove 100, Tiger Empress 100, Kickey 104, 114, Islander 104, Melba Policy 102, Lady Heart 100, Resarf 112.

Second, purse \$1,200, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Max Gold 94, Joseph Brant 96, Thorny Way 98, Cleverian 106, St. Quentin 107, Wrath 112, Clansman 112.

Third, purse \$1,500, August Steeplechase, 4-year-olds and up, 2 miles—Lieut. Seas 149, Alim Coffroth 136, St. Paul 156, Ammunition 146, Aired Clover 132, Gap Kap 130.

Fourth, purse \$5,000, added, Hamilton Cup, 4-year-olds and up, 2 miles—Bantler 27, Affection 105, Foxglove 100, Kickey 104, 114, Islander 104, Melba Policy 102, Lady Heart 100, Resarf 112.

Fifth, purse \$1,200, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Colando 94, Camouflage 113, Xabize 95, Fusee 97, Xabize 95, Fusee 97, Xabize 95, Fusee 97.

Sixth, purse \$1,200, selling, 3-year-olds and up, mile and an eighth on turf—Lucky Girl 103, Leta 107, Dotta's 109, King Trojan 113, Xsmart 104, Tornado 109, Edith Loane 106, Sailor 108, Kenilsh Boy 109, Neapolitan 105, Arrow Point 107.

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Weather cloudy; track fast.

DISAGREE OVER SPEEDING CASE

County Constables Unable To Determine Position On Road.

Counsel Alleges Car Could Not Travel Speed Claimed.

Studies in arithmetic, geography and the higher mathematics featured in the Middlesex county "speeders" court Friday morning, with Squire W. H. Chittick presiding.

Incidentally another perplexing problem remains to be solved by the judges who sit in the city hall. Constable William Field or one of his assistants, Robert Clifford.

Shaver Took the Time. During his testimony in the case of speeding preferred against Guy Lombardo, Constable Clifford declared to Howard Cluff, counsel for the defense, that "he and County Constable Alex. Shaver were standing on the side of the highway near the Wellington road and Brick street, when the defendant's car passed, and Shaver took the time. He couldn't just state definitely where Clifford was standing."

The next witness, Clifford, stated without hesitation that, to the best of his recollection he was sitting in the rear seat of a Ford car with Constable Field when he took the number, while he believed that Constable Shaver was standing out on the running board with the stopwatch.

Squire Chittick adjourned the case until Tuesday next at 10:30 a.m., when it is expected that Constable Shaver will be in attendance for prosecution. Although no defense has as yet been presented, it is known that an effort will be made to prove that it would have been impossible for the machine in question to travel 34 miles, as charged, by reason of a broken piston rod.

Could Not Remember Make. Cross-examined by Attorney Cluff, Constable Field replied that he could not remember what was the make of the alleged car in question. Neither could he recognize the occupants.

He maintained stoutly that the car traveled one-sixteenth of a mile in six and one-half seconds. After a lively debate with the counsel, he volunteered to "figure out the exact speed. 'You figure it out, too,' Squire Chittick cautioned Attorney Cluff. Then followed several minutes' silence, during which nothing could be heard in court but the scratching of pens as the principals in the case juggled with rows of numerals. Both compared figures.

"Where do you get 16 times 6?" questioned Attorney Cluff. "Just like you would get 10 times 10," retorted the constable.

"That's no answer," parried the attorney, "you might have it 4 times 4, but it would not be correct."

More Than 34 Miles. After considerable argument, both parties concluded that the alleged speed was slightly more than 34 miles an hour. During the discussion in answer to a question from the squire, one of the constables explained that they had not bothered with any cars not traveling at least 30 miles an hour.

Replying to the defence, Constable Field stated that he journeyed out on the road to observe cars "just when he felt inclined." In this instance, there had been numerous complaints, he added.

After the first witness, all other witnesses were ordered out of court at the request of the defence, following a sharp tilt as to the proper court procedure, with Squire Chittick participating.

Justice Asleep As Police Err?

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to strike such names from your list without further question when you discover that the alleged offenders are members of the police department," the constable was further questioned.

"Not always. It all depends," was the latter's somewhat vague reply. Appears Before Court.

Rarely a day passes but that an alleged offender of the motor vehicle laws appears before Squire W. H. Chittick in the Middlesex county police court to answer charges that while speeding, or speeding or the like, he either does not own a car or was in Toronto, Windsor or Sarnia, or elsewhere at the time of the alleged offence, and usually submits what appears to be "air-tight" evidence to that effect.

Squire Chittick and county constables contend that many mistakes in the numbers of the licenses are noted after their list has been sent to the provincial department of public highways before any summonses are issued.

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SEEK VANCOUVER CASHIER. Vancouver, Aug. 4.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of J. H. Jessop, cashier in the office of the police court clerk in Vancouver, in connection with the disappearance of \$5,400 of the office funds.

Boasts of "Day's Catch" Too Near River's Bank and Gets a Wetting

Taking into consideration the well-known adage, that pride goeth before a fall, it might be wise for the followers of that famous gentleman, Isaac Walton, to move away from the banks of the river before they commence to speak of their dexterous exploits, with the hook and line. Arthur Muscel, a visitor in the city from Buffalo, found this out to his own discomfort on a fishing trip to the north branch of the Thames. The day had been, to a certain degree, successful, and Mr. Muscel modestly drew the attention of his fishing partner, Mr. James Sanders, a London man, to the string of bass which was dangling in the cool waters of the Thames from the bank beside him. But his over-eagerness to display his prowess was the cause of our hero's downfall. The natural force of gravity, which, although doubted by scientists, asserted itself, and Mr. Muscel plunged forward into the river, upsetting his equanimity as well as seriously upsetting the fish.

SISKIND CASE IS AGAIN ADJOURNED

Attorney for Defendant Will Continue Argument of Insufficient Evidence.

Commenced at the Middlesex County court house Thursday morning, the appeal by Mrs. Sadie Siskind against a recent \$1,000 fine for an alleged breach of the Ontario temperance act, was continued again Friday, with His Honor Judge Talbot Macbeth presiding.

A further adjournment was ordered at noon Monday morning next, when Norman Newton, attorney for the defendant, will continue his argument that there was insufficient evidence to warrant a conviction by Police Magistrate A. M. H. Graydon.

While Attorney Newton's trial, there is not definitely known as yet whether Judge Macbeth will rule to that effect. Acting Crown Attorney A. R. Douglas is conducting the case for the prosecution.

Mrs. Siskind, who was charged with selling liquor to government "spotters" from Toronto, on \$1,000 bail, the amount of her fine.

WARNS TRUSTEES ON NEW SCHOOL

City Treasurer Avers Each Board Member Open to Civil Action.

If the members of the board of education are not alarmed by the prospects of a civil action in the courts, let them go ahead, as suggested by Trustee J. B. Wright, halt all negotiations with the city council, and build a new public school in Southeast London, and then hand the bill to the latter for payment.

This is the opinion expressed on Friday by James Bell, city treasurer, who warns the school trustees that such drastic action at this time would only precipitate civil action against each one of them for the payment of the bill.

The city council would promptly decline to settle the bill, the squire treasurer opined, "and then the contractors would have but one alternative, sue the school board. I venture to say that the school trustees would never get the school started in any event. What contractor would be fool enough to undertake a proposition under such circumstances, when the question of pay hung in the balance?"

Trustee Bell pointed out that the school trustees could not obtain the necessary cash without the co-operation of the city council.

ROBERT POULTON AGAIN REMANDED BY MACBETH

Second Charge of Bicycle Theft Is Made by Sarnia Police.

Appearing again Friday morning before His Honor Judge Talbot Macbeth for sentence, Robert Poulton, convicted of the theft of a watch and other valuables from the Byron Sanatorium, was remanded again until Wednesday next.

The city police have lodged a second charge against the prisoner, at the instigation of the Sarnia authorities, who seek action for the alleged theft of a bicycle from a resident of that community.

Poulton admits using the wheel in question, but has explained that it was hopelessly smashed in a collision with an automobile at Point Edward. He claims that he collected the pieces and gave them away.

With the expectation that the prisoner's counsel may be able to settle the cost of the damaged wheel, estimated about \$15, Judge Macbeth directs further adjournment of the first case.

LANGFORD KNOWS NOTHING OF HIGH SCHOOL FLOORS

Non-Committal Attitude of Architect on Inspection of Building Maintained.

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CANNOT COMPEL TRACK REMOVAL

Ald. Ashton Claims City Has No Power Over Street Railway.

Asserts Essential That Municipality Take Over Road.

That the city of London cannot compel the London Street Railway Company to remove its tracks from the streets at the expiration of the franchise, is the declaration of Ald. John Ashton, chairman of No. 2 committee of the city council, who asserts that bylaws prevent such action.

He further states that unless the city notifies the company that the road will be taken over one year before the expiration of the franchise, it will automatically extend five years, according to the bylaw. "They must notify the company that the city is taking over the road one year ahead of the expiration of the franchise," Ald. Ashton declared Friday morning. "If the London street railway tracks were taken up, we could build a new road, as Ald. Judd suggests, but how are you going to build two tracks. Therefore, it is no use making them take the road out."

The London Street Railway Company situation is like the board of education debentures, all advertising and talk," continued the Ward 3 representative. "The people are suffering all the time, and are entitled to good service, but they will never get it so long as there is quarrelling."

"The London Street Railway Company has got the city beaten. We know that, because they have beaten the city every time that they have tried it. If the city wants paving done, and the London street railway wants it, it ought to be done instead of keeping men out of work. It will take a lot of jangling on the part of the aldermen to get these men a day's pay."

"They are idle all summer and winter. They cannot pay their taxes. I would like to see this thing settled up. The city has got to take the London street railway over. "City Engineer Brazier admits that this must be done, after looking over the clauses of the bylaws," concluded Ald. Ashton.

THINK TARIFF BILL WILL BE PASSED

Washington, Aug. 4.—(By Canadian Press).—With formal agreement for a senate vote on the tariff bill in sight, speculation is rife on when the bill will go into effect.

Passage of the bill in the senate in August is declared by Republican leaders to mean it will become law about October. They say a month should suffice to bring about an agreement on the measure as between the two houses.

Many observers continue to believe the bill will be held over until after the November elections, and some even say it will be killed completely in conference. The best informed opinion, however, takes the view that it will become law early in October.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Belvedere, Trieste, Palonia, Copenhagen; President Harding, Bremen.

HAMBURG, July 31.—Vauban, New York.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 1.—Heilig Olav, New York.

SOUTHAMPTON, Aug. 1.—Oropesa, New York.

BREMEN, Aug. 1.—Susquehanna, New York.

PLYMOUTH, Aug. 2.—Resolute, New York.

SASKATCHEWAN HOUSE IS CALLED SUDDENLY

Regina, Aug. 4.—An emergency meeting of the Saskatchewan government last night, followed receipt of information from Ottawa that James Stewart and F. W. Riddell had declined to act as chairman and vice-chairman of the wheat board. Premier Dunning announced that as a result of this meeting, a telegram was sent to the federal government asking that Messrs. Stewart and Riddell be urged to reconsider their decision.

Farmers of this province look upon acceptance as a national duty, and would not have the same faith in a less able and well-known chairman and vice-chairman," the telegram stated.

TACHÉREAU TO GO ON STUMP. Quebec, Aug. 4.—Premier Tachéreau last night, on hearing that J. C. Langlois had been nominated by the Conservatives in Labelle County, said that he was going to speak in the county during the campaign for the by-election.

TO DISCUSS DARDANELLES. London, England, Aug. 4.—Fethi Bey, minister of interior in Turkish Nationalist government, has arrived here for the announced purpose of making proposals concerning the status of the Dardanelles and Thrace.

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BORDER CITIES OLD BOYS IN LONDON TO ORGANIZE

Windsor Old Boys in the city of London will meet in the Tecumseh House, Friday night, Aug. 4, to organize for the Border Cities Old Boys' Reunion. Organization work will be in charge of Fred Bailey.

Non-Appearance of Currie Delays Paving

ALTHOUGH he was expected to arrive in London Friday to confer with members of the city council on the policy of the London Street Railway regarding paving of track allowances on city streets, Charles Currie, president of the above company, had not left Cleveland early Friday. Manager C. B. King, of the London Street Railway Company, reported Friday afternoon that President Currie had not reached London, but was expected to be here in time for a conference Saturday. Meanwhile paving of Hamilton road and Dundas streets east is held up until the company announces its plans.

KIWANIS LUNCH AT SAGE'S FARM

Members Line Up At Cook House For Camp Rations.

The keen and unflagging interest of Kiwanians in their youngsters at the Ki-Y camp at Sage's farm was strongly evinced by the number who attended the luncheon meeting there Friday.

"Gee, how many more's coming?" was the exclamation of more than one youngster who watched them arriving, but the preparations which had been made were amply sufficient to do justice to the crowd, and the Kiwanians lined up camp-fashion with a cup and a plate at the cook-house door to receive their rations.

Few men, more closely, touched with the work amongst underprivileged boys could have been chosen to address the meeting than Owen Dawson, secretary-treasurer of the Shawbridge Boys' Farm at Quebec.

Emphasizing strongly the value of the touch of personal friendship in the work amongst boys, Mr. Dawson made manifest the untold good done by men who lived up faithfully to the ideal of big brotherhood in their association, with an assistance of the underprivileged boy.

He spoke with heartfelt thanks of the bounty of Kiwanians toward the nation's boys from Shawbridge, who are the hands of the club at the summer camp.

The thanks of the club were extended to General King for his generous assistance toward easing work of the camp, and his generous offer of a fifteen-dollar prize for the boys.

Cecil Shorten, of the Shawbridge Boys' Farm, for the day, and Kiwanians Paul Quick and Ken Murray carried home the prizes of the day.

Interesting information conveyed in the address of the president, Kiwanian Arthur Ford, was the fact that 113 boys were at present enrolled at the camp, and since the commencement 138 had been registered.

PLAN MERGER OF LOEW'S. Hamilton, Aug. 4.—A meeting of the shareholders of Loew's and Pathe's Theatres here has been called at Toronto Aug. 18 to approve of a scheme to amalgamate and to operate under one management.

DECLARE PUBLIC HOLIDAY AT INGERSOLL FOR PICNIC

Special to London Advertiser.

INGERSOLL, Aug. 3.—In compliance with a largely signed petition, Mayor McCarthy has proclaimed Wednesday, Aug. 9, a public holiday to give all citizens an opportunity to attend the union Sunday school excursion.

The outing will be held at Port Stanley. In previous years the union excursion has always been the largest to leave this town.

CANADA NEEDS 5 JUNIOR TRADE COMMISSIONERS

Civil Service Department Notices London Chamber of Commerce of Vacancies.

Five positions as junior trade commissioners are open in the Canadian commercial intelligence department. The Chamber of Commerce has been notified of the vacancies by a circular letter, stating that the information concerning the positions can be obtained from the secretary of the civil service commission.

The initial salary during the first months of training at Ottawa is \$1,500. When trained the incumbent is promoted to a position as assistant trade commissioner in some foreign country, with a salary of \$1,920, and a living allowance which varies between \$500 and \$2,000.

The next promotion is to that of trade commissioner, which position carries with it a salary of \$3,000 and a living allowance.

Obituaries

ARTHUR ELLY.

The death took place in Westminster Hospital of Arthur Elly, 35 years old, a resident of the village of Thamesford. Elly was a war veteran, serving during the war as a sergeant-major in the Canadian expeditionary forces.

The funeral will be held from his home in Thamesford Sunday afternoon.

RAIL WORKERS TO MEET FRIDAY

Will Air Views On Latest Developments of Railway Situation.

1,000 Members Await News of Conciliation Board Negotiations.

Friday night the members of the Federated Shop Crafts employed on the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railways in this city will assemble and air their views on the latest developments in the Canadian railway situation.

Between 900 and 1,000 members of the union in this district are waiting anxiously for news of negotiations between the conciliation board, appointed by the minister of labor, of which Alexander Smith is chairman, and the representative of the Federated Shop Crafts.

Canadian government officials are concentrating themselves, it is said, on being able to put off the rail strike in Canada. The havoc and bloodshed, which has accompanied the walkout in the United States, has influenced the Canadian railroad heads, government officials, and union leaders to such an extent that they are ready to do anything in their power to ward off a possible strike in this country.

Already millions of dollars have been lost across the border in wages, freight and inefficient service, and Dominion magnates are fully aware that a walk-out in Canada, with economic conditions as they are at present, would be a blow from which the country would take some time to recover.

However, notwithstanding all these facts, the shophen employed on the Canadian lines are determined that they will not accept the wage cut put into effect by the Canadian Railways Association, and if a strike is the only means they have left to protect their rights, union officials declare that a nation-wide walkout is inevitable.

Joseph Corbett, general chairman of the Grand Trunk carmen in Canada, is at present in Montreal, acting in the interests of the men, and is not expected to return to the city before the conciliation board has met the union officials. The first meeting of the board is scheduled for Tuesday, August 8.

INAUGURATE NEW BUCKFAST ABBEY

London, England, Aug. 4.—(Canadian Press Cable).—Catholics from all parts of the United Kingdom attended the inauguration today at Buckfast Abbey, Devonshire. The abbey was rebuilt solely by Benedictine monks upon the ruins of the pre-reformation foundations. Abbot Venier told how work commenced 29 years ago with one sovereign and an old horse cart. The result, he said, was largely

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Trained Nurse Advises Use Of Alkaline Salts, and Tells Why Ordinary Salines Fail.

By ALICE LANDELS, Certified Nurse.

Contrary to common belief such drastic purgatives as Epsom, Rochelle, or other "morning salts" and powders are generally used have practically no effect upon the liver. They produce a strong aperient action by passing straight through to the lower bowel immediately, and pushing out the important intestinal juices, thus storing up future trouble, as anyone who has tried them knows. When the saline water is not absorbed or assimilated by the stomach or intestines at all, it, of course, cannot reach the liver, and this accounts for so many of my patients saying ordinary salts proved worthless for their liver disorders. I do not advise the "pill habit" as a last resort, for, if a few small pills are given, they are enough to affect the entire contents of the intestines, they must be strong enough to produce an exceedingly harmful reaction.

My invariable advice to chronic constipation sufferers is to drink two or three times during the day (not before breakfast) a tumbler of water in which has been dissolved a teaspoonful of Alkali Salts. Any chemist can supply a few ounces of this at small cost, or easily get it for you, and it will clear out a clogged liver or regulate the bile flow more quickly than anything I know of, this being on account of the extreme rapidity with which it is absorbed. This water is pleasant to drink, has no salty taste, and you cannot drink too much of it. I have never noticed any but excellent after-effects, and results have always proved permanent.—Adv.

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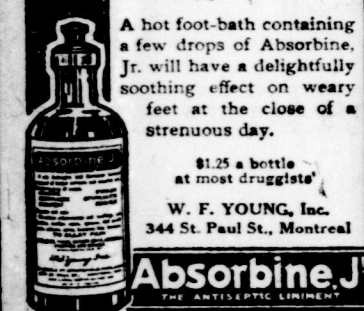
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ONE KILLED IN AUTO CRASH. REGINA, Sask., Aug. 3.—In an automobile collision which occurred at Willow Bunch, Sask., yesterday, Miss Fritz, of Willow Bunch, was killed and three children injured.

PASS TESTS OF LOWER SCHOOL

Pupils of St. Angela's College Stand High At Annual Examinations.

Results As Announced Show Credits Obtained by Each Student.

Results of the Lower School examinations held for the pupils of St. Angela's College, London, last June, were announced today. In the list each candidate is named with the subjects in which she was successful in passing.

The successful were: Teima Bardawill—Grammar, history, geography, physiology, arithmetic, art (honors), botany, zoology. Margaret Cook—Grammar, history, geography, physiology, art (honors), zoology.

Rita Doyle—Grammar (honors), history, geography, arithmetic, art (honors), botany, zoology.

Kathleen Durkin—Grammar (honors), history, geography, physiology, arithmetic (honors), art, botany, zoology.

Kathleen Frances—Grammar, history, geography, art, botany.

Antoinette Gilles—Grammar (honors), history, geography, physiology, arithmetic (honors), art, botany, zoology.

Audrey Harding—Grammar, history, geography, arithmetic (honors), art (honors), botany, zoology.

Frances Hayes—Grammar (honors), history, geography, physiology, arithmetic (honors), art, botany, zoology.

Anna Kinsella—Grammar, history, geography, arithmetic (honors), art (honors), botany, zoology.

Genevieve Lawless—History, geography, arithmetic (honors), art, Helen Long—History, geography, arithmetic, art, botany.

Mary McDougall—Grammar (honors), history, geography, physiology, arithmetic (honors), art (honors), botany (honors), zoology, (honors).

Mary McGinnis—Grammar, history, geography, arithmetic, art, botany, zoology (honors).

Geraldine McKeever—Grammar (honors), history, geography, physiology, arithmetic (honors), botany (honors), zoology.

Viola Mihm—Grammar (honors), history, geography, arithmetic, art, botany, zoology.

Margaret Moir—Grammar (honors), history, geography, physiology, arithmetic (honors), art, botany (honors), zoology (honors).

Margaret Moralee—Grammar (honors), history, geography, arithmetic, art (honors).

Winifred Reeves—Grammar (honors), history, geography, arithmetic, art (honors), botany, zoology.

Ruth White—History, geography, art, botany (honors), zoology.

Audrey Woolway—History, geography, art (honors), zoology.

Anna Beccera—Grammar (honors), history, geography (honors), botany.

May Blay—Grammar.

Phyllis Boyce—Grammar, geography (honors), botany.

Marjorie Cook—Grammar (honors), geography.

Marjorie Coyne—Grammar, history, geography.

Angela Flaherty—Grammar (honors), history, geography (honors), botany (honors).

Angela Fordell—Grammar (honors), history, geography.

Thelma Harkitt—Grammar, history, geography (honors), botany.

Genevieve Kiley—Geography, botany.

Margaret Kinsella—Grammar, history, geography (honors), botany.

Mary Kunder—Grammar (honors), history, geography (honors).

Kathleen McIsaac—Grammar, botany.

Marie McNorgan—Grammar (honors), history, geography (honors), botany.

Eva Murphy—Grammar, geography (honors), botany.

Nancy Murphy—Geography.

Pauline O'Hara—Grammar, history, geography, botany.

Margaret O'Reilly—Grammar (honors), geography.

Madeline Orndorff—Grammar, history, geography (honors).

Dolly Pethick—History, geography, Hildegarde Pierre—History, geography.

Josephine Quigley—Grammar, history, geography (honors), botany.

Marie Quirk—Grammar (honors), history, geography (honors), botany.

Anita Sanderson—Grammar, history, geography, botany.

Iola Smith—Grammar, geography (honors), botany.

Agnes Walsh—Grammar, botany.

Agnes Watson—Grammar, geography.

Hilda Wiegand—Geography (honors), botany.

PLAN REORGANIZATION OF FORESTRY ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Judson Clark Commences Survey of General Methods of Department.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—Dr. Judson Clark, forestry expert, of Vancouver, and formerly of the University of Toronto, had a preliminary conference with the Ontario Cabinet today concerning the reorganization of the forestry administration of the province.

Following the conference, Dr. Clark, a man of national-wide reputation in his profession, commenced a survey of the general methods of the department of lands and forests. A general conference with the cabinet will be resumed on Monday and will probably last for four or five days.

INCREASE HYDRO RATES. ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 3.—Although no order has yet been made for an increase of hydro rates in this city, there is a possibility of a slight increase in some classes, according to a statement today by Manager P. B. Yates of the local system.

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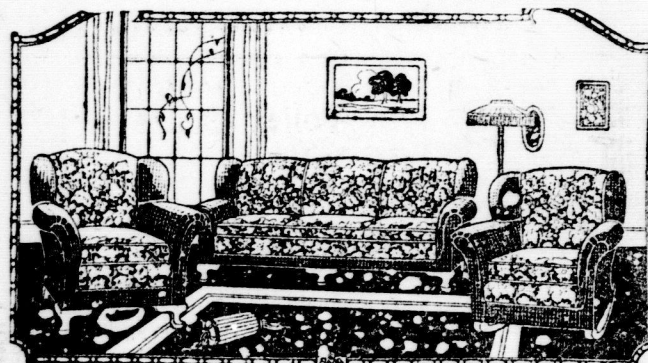


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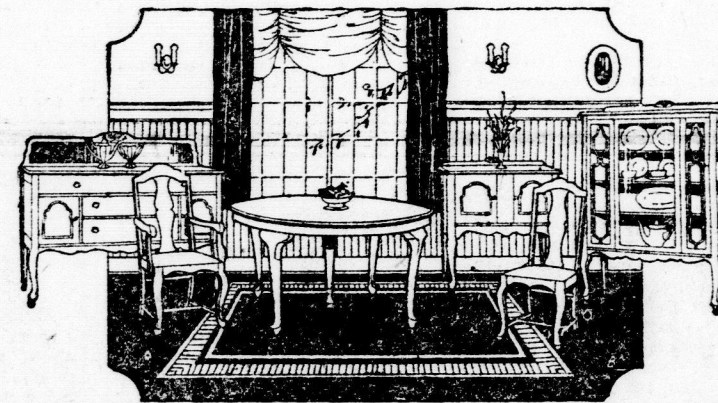
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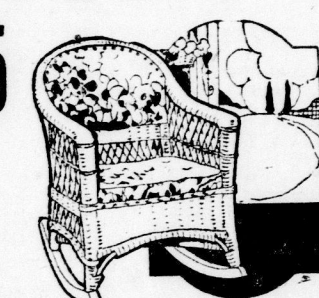
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END CUT PLEA

Arguments Before St.
is Board Against Re-
duction in Wages.

Size Objects To Im-
prove Classification of
Freight Carmen.

France Determined To Force Berlin To Pay May Invade Ruhr District

PARIS, Aug. 3.—France plans to invade Germany and seize and operate the coal and iron mines in the Ruhr basin if the Berlin government refuses to pay war debts and private claims.

Industries, now in the hands of Stinnes, Thyssen and Krupp, all multi-millionaires, will be operated by France until all obligations are met, the French press, outlining Premier Poincaré's plan of coercion, announced today.

course for freight carmen. Why had it not been observed?

Mr. Downs replied that the company had never considered it necessary, although he claimed the officials had conferred with the carmen's representatives and offered to introduce an apprentice with every carman, but that the representatives had insisted on an apprentice and a helper to each carman, and so no agreement had been reached.

System Never Tried.

"The reason the apprenticeship system among the carmen has never been a success or never considered necessary by the railway companies, is because the system has never been introduced," asserted Mr. Size.

Mr. Size, in upholding the apprenticeship system, referred to the war measures introduced when workers known as "improvers," who had no apprenticeship training, were retained by the company. There was a tendency on the part of the companies to continue this practice, and it should be discontinued, he insisted. The apprenticeship system should be fully developed in order to provide plenty of skilled mechanics at all times.

May Be Live Issue.

The question was submitted to Mr. Size by Mr. McEvoy as to what would arise here if the conciliation board upheld the wage reduction ruling of the United States Labor Board and the men went out on strike.

Mr. Size replied that the company would no doubt endeavor to fill the positions vacated by the strikers with men who could not be classed as efficient workers, and the equipment of the company would suffer, and the safety rules would be violated to the danger of the general public. Railway companies in the United States are already violating the interstate commerce rules in reference to safety measures, he alleged.

Mr. Flynn wished to know if Mr. Size included the M. C. R. in his category. Mr. Size replied that he said railways, and did not particularize.

"That's not an issue here, is it?" asked Mr. McEvoy.

"It's not an issue here now, but it may be soon, and if it is it will be a real live issue!" retorted Mr. Size.

THINK HAMILTON EPIDEMIC HALTED

HAMILTON, Aug. 3.—No new cases of infantile paralysis were reported to the health department today, and the authorities expressed the hope that the outbreak had been checked.

AID MUNICIPAL FUEL BOARDS

Plan To Be Followed by
Federal Government, Hon.
W. C. Kennedy Declares.

Ontario and Dominion
Premiers Hold Coal Con-
ference At Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 3.—(By Canadian Press.)—"We are attending to it, that is all," was the reply tonight made by Hon. W. C. Kennedy, minister of railways and chairman of the central fuel advisory committee, when asked whether the government had any further statement to make to its policy regarding the fuel situation.

The committee was in session this evening, and steps were taken towards carrying out the desire of the Dominion authorities to assist provinces and municipalities in securing supplies of coal through the regular channels.

It is the desire of the Dominion government, as already intimated that the initiative as to getting coal should be taken by the local authorities in each municipality, and that full use should be made of the ordinary channels of trade.

DRURY MEETS KING.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—Premier Drury returned from Ottawa today where he had a conference with Premier King with special reference to the coal situation and the course to be followed by the federal government in dealing with the problem.

The premier stated that the premier stated that he had gathered a great deal of information which will prove of material assistance to the Ontario government.

The premier said it was not the intention of the Ontario government to enter the coal business. He did not believe there would be any necessity for the government to create such a department.

A private conference of the Ontario Cabinet and representatives of the various coal concerns in Toronto will be held in the premier's office tomorrow afternoon, when the whole matter will be discussed. Representatives of the city will also be invited to take part in the conference.

TWO KILLED BY MANITOBA BLAST

BRANDON, Man., Aug. 3.—Two men were killed and two injured late this morning near Rocanville, west of here, while working a clay pit where dynamite was being used. Details of the accident are lacking.

The dead are: E. Mundy of Virden, Man., and Fred Hutchings of Winnipeg.

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ZONOX Digestone for weak stomachs; helps digestion and aids in assim- ilation of the food; a splen- did medicine. Small size 45c Large size 89c	Nature's Remedy Tablets For disorders of the stomach and bowels. Reg. 25c size 15c Reg. 50c size 29c Reg. \$1.00 size 57c Today and Saturday.	Ingram's Toilet Articles At special bargain prices. Lip Stick, reg. 25c 14c Calla Cream (liquid face powder), reg. 50c 34c Rouge (all shades), reg. 50c 34c Face Powder, reg. 50c 34c Milkweed Cream, reg. 50c 34c Today and Saturday.	ZONOX Kreo-Koff For summer colds and coughs—will relieve that husky, sore throat. Small size 45c Large size 89c
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Gin Pills for the Kidneys. Regular 50c	29c	Lifebuoy Soap, With other purchases 2 Cakes	15c
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Grant's Vitamin Yeast Tablets, Reg. \$1.00, 77c	Beecham's Pills, for the liver, 17c	Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, Reg. 50c, 32c	Dr. Smyth's Famous Corn Remedy, 35c	Special bargains in Toilet Soaps Vinolia Lemon Soap 2 cakes 25c Jergen's Peroxide Bath 3 cakes 25c Infant's Delight Soap 3 cakes 25c Zonox Glycerine Soap 4 cakes 29c Vinolia Boracic Acid and Cold Cream Soap 2 cakes 35c Colgate's Coleo Soap 2 cakes 25c Milkweed Cream Soap 19c Jergen's Large Bath Tablets 2 for 25c Today and Saturday.	5 dozen pairs All Gum Rubber Bathing Shoes Three colors; sizes 4 to 7. Regular \$2.00 pair. Today and Saturday, \$1.49	Abbey's SALT Flushes the system. Take it in the morning. Regular 75c, Today and Saturday, 47c	ANSKO CAMERAS ANSKO FILMS PRINTING AND DEVELOPING.	Special Bargains in Cigars Imperial Panetelas and Sir Haig 5 for 25c Ola, Mona, 5 Days From Havana and Dolly Varden 4 for 25c Jap. Santa Clara, David Harum, Ovido, Congress 6 for 49c Bachelor 5 for 49c Today and Saturday.	Pape's Diapiesin Tablets, 49c	Danderine for the Hair. Reg. 35c, 24c Reg. 60c, 44c Reg. \$1, 74c	Ironized Yeast Tablets, Reg. \$1.00, 69c	Tanol Calomel Tablets, 44c
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Kellogg's Asthma Powder, Reg. 25c, 19c Reg. \$1.79c		Phenolax Wafers, the Children's laxative, 22c	Bromo Seltzer. Reg. 25c, 19c		Blaud's Laxative Iron Pills. Reg. 25c. Two bottles 25c

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White Canvas Mary Jane, 1 1/2" 2"	\$1.69
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Dongola Kid Two-Button Slippers, turn soles, imitation tip	\$2.98
Patent Collie Sandals, kid lined, Cuban heels	\$3.98
Gunmetal Wide-Strap and Buckle Slippers, flapper style	\$3.98
Gunmetal Lace Oxfords, imitation wing tip, military heels	\$2.98
Dongola Kid Lace Oxfords, military heels, medium toe	\$2.69
Vici Kid Lace Oxfords, kid wing tips, low heels, walking soles	\$3.49
Brown Brown Kid Lace Oxfords, flexible soles, EE width	\$3.49
Brown Side-Calf Lace Oxfords, fancy stitching, Cuban heels	\$2.98, \$3.49
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Brown Calf Brogue Oxford, Good- year welt, mannish heels	\$5.98
Brown Side-Calf Two-Strap Slippers, military heels, perforated tip	\$2.98
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Two-Tone Golf Oxfords, soft toes, rubber soles	\$6.49
Black Kid Oxfords, medium round toes, Goodyear welts	\$5.98
Brown Side-Calf Lace Boots, wing tips, rubber heels	\$3.98
Mahogany Calf Lace Boots, English shape, Nollin soles, Good- year welt	\$4.98
Havana Brown Calf Bluchers, No. 1 grade, medium, round toe, Goodyear welt	\$6.49
Black Box Calf Bluchers, round-toe shape, kid lined through- out	\$3.98

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London, Ont., Friday, Aug. 4.

New Alignments.

THE time between sessions at Ottawa has been fairly well filled with political rumors. If all of these were fulfilled the chances are that the only man sitting in his old and accustomed place when the House next meets would be the Speaker.

The Conservative party has been shuffled up by the rumor-spreaders. They are to come out on a straight old party platform, and divide the country into two parts, protectionist and free traders, and on this stand are to appeal to Liberals with protectionist leanings to come over and help them.

The Liberals and Progressives have also been put into one camp by the newspaper stories, with Hon. T. A. CREECH standing to one side with a benevolent blessing on the fusion.

As far as the Liberal party is concerned there always has been a difference of opinion in matters of tariff. There has always been room in that party for men who hold views that do not exactly parallel. It is this freedom of thought that has always been the source of strength to Liberalism, and once it is taken away much of the strength will have departed.

This fact was never more apparent than in the last session of the Dominion Parliament. PREMIER KING had in his following a wide variety of thought on matters of tariff and other lines of policy. At the outset critics were unanimous in their verdict that it would be impossible for him to carry on and secure the support of his own party, let alone attracting votes from the Progressive party. But the thing was done, and by the end of the session it was demonstrated that the premier was in command of the situation, and that he had not been guilty of making concessions to any one faction at the expense of the other.

It does not seem possible that there should be any wholesale alignment between the Progressives and the Liberals. The Progressives at Ottawa in the last session represented western thought almost in its entirety. They were there to secure what they could that would be in the interests of the grain growers of Western Canada, and it must be admitted that they presented their case well and often. The Progressives from Ontario had a different battle to fight. In many instances it was very easy for them to find their sympathies going out to the policy advocated by the King government.

The western Progressive thinks and talks in terms of world markets, in terms of cheaper means of production, and to him the importance of the home market is not such a big problem as it is to the Progressive from Ontario. This same condition will exist when the House meets again, and it would be a matter of no surprise were some of the Progressives to support the King government in matters of tariff and general policy. It is difficult to see where a wholesale fusion would work out, and there is nothing to indicate that the Progressives desire such a thing.

What the Conservatives do or do not do in matters of new policy claims makes not a very great deal of difference to the Liberal party.

Fight the Disease.

SEVERAL Ontario cities are having outbreaks of infantile paralysis, a dreaded disease, more so because it attacks young children.

Medical men say one of the best ways to fight the disease is to clean up the premises, and do away with places that attract and breed flies.

This can be done if citizens will do it.

It is not asking much—it is asking little in the way of individual effort or expense.

Watch the place where garbage is kept, and see that nothing in the way of refuse has a chance to decay.

Positive cleanliness is a great weapon to swing on the head of any epidemic.

London Realty Sales.

PROPERTY transfers in the city of London during the month of July reached a total of 136, and the aggregate of considerations involved was \$424,198. These figures have been taken from the records of the city registry.

Aside from the fact that almost one-half million dollars is involved in real estate deals consummated in London last month, the total considerations almost double those of July, 1921. In the latter period 121 sales were made, involving a total of \$248,463.

That the figures of this year surpass those for the same month in 1921 indicates that more money changed hands in London last July on the real estate market. However, a most significant feature of the report this year is the fact that few of the deals registered were big ones, the largest consideration for any one piece of property during the month being \$28,000.

In fact, there were only five property transfers in July, in London, which involved a purchase price in excess of \$10,000. The majority of the sales were for amounts ranging from one thousand to five thousand dollars. All of which means that

OIL FOR TROUBLED WATERS



there were many average sales of real estate in the city during the month, as it takes several five thousand and dollar deals to aggregate \$424,198.

When real estate is booming in any municipality, it augurs well for the prosperity of the citizens. Brisk sales in land and buildings where high considerations are not quoted indicates that many homes are changing hands. The mere fact that these homes are passing on to new owners means that they are in demand, and the need would not be present if a financial slump were prevalent.

With homes in demand in London there cannot very well be any sign of financial distress among the workmen who constitute the backbone of the Forest City. If industries were halted, and factories closed down in this city, there would undoubtedly be many homes offered for sale, but few purchased.

Fortunately, London, according to reports for the month of July, possesses that happy combination necessary to stimulate interest in the real estate market, namely: numerous residential properties purchased. These property sales prove that the real estate boom in London is daily gaining momentum.

So long as it continues, and may it do so indefinitely, the city will prosper, and the vast majority of home builders will continue to live here in contentment.

Healthy Sentiment.

ARE governments able to go ahead and do what they wish to the same extent as in former years? The *Kitchener Record* thinks not and submits the following evidence to back up its belief:

"Last year, PREMIER DUFFY found himself unable to pass his Lake of the Woods control bill. There was a majority of the members of the Legislature against it and the bill was dropped."

"Last session, Mr. GRAHAM, minister of militia, found it impossible to get the Liberal members to consent to his proposed militia estimates and amended them accordingly."

"Mr. MOTHERWELL, minister of agriculture, was forced by the members to yield on the question of oleomargarine."

"In England, the minister of agriculture was strongly opposed to the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle and said so in the House. Yet the latter voted strongly against the embargo, and the minister will have to bring in legislation which is contrary to his own views."

"The representatives of the people in Parliament seem to be taking some of the real part in the government of the country, which is as it ought to be."

LITTLE 'TISERS

The evil men do lives after them. The inventor of the ukulele is dead.

Party of Toronto young people ran their car at 55 miles an hour. One dead, others injured. No comment.

Prices of figs are on the way up, because some dark room artist has found they are good in making home brew.

Our idea of a thrifty girl is one who eats so many fried potatoes for supper that she doesn't need to be fed on ice cream all evening.

We know what halting between two opinions means: Wanting a month's holidays, and knowing that you're lucky to have a job to stick to.

If you want something to do in your holidays, please write us the answer to this question: How many Russian rubles would it take to put six tons of anthracite in our cellar?

A man up in court in Los Angeles describes himself as a lawnmower because he makes his living running

a lawnmower. Up in this country we generally find people doing this sort of work called husbands.

They had a prize fight a few days ago, when BENNY LEONARD received \$121,755 for knocking daylight out of another pug, who did fairly also, in receiving \$82,500 for his punching. The dear general public is generous with its money, but don't they spend it foolishly!

The *Walkerton Telescope*, speaking of the welcome that town gives to tourists, says: "Come right in and make yourself at home. . . . We hope you will find your visit pleasant and profitable." And just to think, we've been looking around for some weeks for a place to go. We'll be up—meet us at the station!

A motorist was brought in a London court for speeding, and was able to show that his car was not assembled at the time the charge was laid. The case was dismissed. Perhaps the traffic cop works on the law of averages and reckoned it was about time for the car bearing that number to try and climb a tree.

"A New York broker whose bankruptcy is announced, has liabilities of \$35,000,000 and assets of \$16. He must have been a real genius to pile up such a showing of liabilities. He must have been doing business on his reputation." —*Woodstock Sentinel-Review*.

Not for a minute. He probably had adopted that excellent policy of doing business on some other person's money.

What a change the auto and truck have made to many lines of business. A harnessmaker, who has been in the same shop in the north end of Middlesex County for 25 years, recounts that when he first went there they had four or five men working all the time. Now there is just about enough to keep one man going. He says there are only three harness shops between Parkhill and Stratford.

Down at San Pedro a steam shovel dug up the bones of a man who had been buried there in 1542. He landed there and the Indians put a hole in him and then buried him deep. A few weeks since they loosened up the remains of an Assyrian king who had been put away by grieving subjects 4,000 years ago. They take mummies out of Egyptian tombs and cart them off for the world to look at. It seems as though this restless age simply can't let the patriarchs stay put.

The *Chesley Enterprise* sees in the FIELDING budget a well-aimed blow at the cigarette business. "By raising the excise tax on cigarettes from \$6 per thousands to \$7.50," says *The Enterprise*, "the number of coffin nails sold in the month of June was 96,000,000 fewer than in June last year. Evidently FIELDING, by one stroke of the pen, did more to cut down the use of cigarettes than many years' campaigning of the W. C. T. U. How much higher would FIELDING have to raise the excise tax to put the whole cigarette business on the hummer?"

The *Ottawa Citizen* says that credit is due to the government, particularly to Mr. LAPOINTE as minister of marine, for the saving of a million dollars or more in the repurchase of the Canadian ice-breaker, the *J. D. Hazen*. "The last government had actually awarded the contract for a new icebreaker to cost \$1,500,000, although the responsible authorities were quite well aware that the *Hazen*—sold to Russia during the war, but never delivered—could be bought back for \$400,000. Even the saving of \$1,000 of public money would have been commendable. But by saving \$1,000,000, sufficient to pay the salaries of the whole cabinet for several years, has been saved."

TO THE EDITOR

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—Could you furnish me with the following information through The London Advertiser?

1. How long does it take the train called the Flyer to come from New York to Chatham, and which route does she take? I think there is a guarantee to all passengers traveling by this train, in case she is late. I would like to know what this guarantee is.

2. Which are the seven largest cities in the world, and where does Detroit rank?

I will look through your columns for answers to above questions. I am, yours sincerely, E. KELLETT.

Wallaceburg.
No. 1. A through sleeper runs from New York to Chatham on the Wabash Railroad, by way of Buffalo and St. Thomas. The trains leave New York at 2 and 4:30 in the afternoon, and arrive at Chatham at 6:15 and 12:44 respectively. The time is 16 hours 18 minutes for the earlier train, and 18 hours and 14 minutes for the later one. Passengers are not guaranteed that the trains will reach their destinations on schedule time, but are guaranteed connections in case the trains are late.

No. 2. The seven largest cities in the world are London, New York, Paris, Chicago, Petrograd, Tokio and Berlin. Based on its population, according to the 1919 census, Detroit is ranked 21st.

Our Own Country

PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATION.

3.—What will be the membership of the House of Commons under the new census of 1921?

A.—The Canadian House of Commons will have 245 members under the redistribution required by the new census of 1921—increased of 10 over the previous number.

GOLD PRODUCTION.

Q.—Which province of Canada leads in gold production?

A.—Ontario leads the other provinces of Canada in gold production, the 1921 output of \$18,000,000 being 75 per cent of the total.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

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

AUGUST 4, 1897.

"Nothing's too good for the Irish and Port Stanley isn't big enough" was the expression of a well-known Irishman, and although this was but the utterance of a solitary individual it expressed the sentiments of 8,000 of the heights on old Erie's shores yesterday, where the annual picnic of the Irish Benevolent Society was held. The weather and a series of happy coincidences, coupled with the untiring efforts of Geo. C. Davis, P. Mulken, T. W. Scandrett, C. W. Davis, Arthur Huff, J. W. Roscoe, P. F. Boyle, J. Dromgole, Dr. Niven, B. C. McAnn, W. Brophy and an energetic executive staff, are credited with the success of the affair.

Following are the latest militia changes:

Seventh Regiment, London—To be surgeon-major, Surgeon-Lieut. John

DR. BISHOP'S ADVICE

FILLING THE LUNGS



shut indoors all day. Deep breathing is invaluable to them.

They should seize the chance whenever offered to step outdoors and snatch a dozen or so deep breaths. It is surprising to what an extent this simple exercise will offset hours indoors. Ordinarily only about one-tenth of the lung content is changed at each breath. In deep breathing, a much

NOAH'S POETRY

CORNS AND BUNIONS.

An inquirer writes to the query editor: "I am a 16-year-old girl, but troubled with bunions and corns. What shall I do?"

Ah, child. 'Tis well that at thy feet you take a long and careful squint, and write and see if we can't drop unto thy feet a useful hint. In good old days, what's past and gone, yes, gone where they can't now return, folks never blistered up their feet, nor did their corns heat up and burn.

For in them days they walked around and planked their feet upon the ground, and when they stepped it weren't no limp, but one substantial burst of sound.

But now these things are passed away, and boots has grown all long and tall, and in these things a person's hoofs they haven't got no chance at all.

And so we have ten hundred kinds of ointment, plaster and kill quick, to daub upon our corny feet, to take from them their ache and kick. Some day we may see these things change, in years to come if we're alive, when folks won't take a seven foot and crush it in a number five.

—NOAH.

READ YOUR CHARACTER

By Digby Phillips.

NO. 287—UNEARTHING THE CRITICS.

You can easily spot persons of a critical turn of mind through the application of graphology plus a little analysis. The reference, of course, is to persons of critical appreciation, not to professional fault-finders. These latter are merely irritable, opinionated people, in whose criticisms, always destructive, there is a large element of egotism and vanity. But your constructive critic, who has the ability to appreciate and differentiate as well as to spot faults and weaknesses, is a very different type of person.

In the first place he (or she) is always of the intuitive sort. The plodding reasoner rarely makes a good critic, though often he may be a good analyst of the material, practical, painstaking sort. The intuitive characteristic of mind is indicated by writing in which the letters in the same word are often not connected.

The words will be written often in two or more groups of letters. But the critic must be more than intuitive. He must have certain cultural qualifications, either natural or acquired. So you want to look in his writing both for the small formation of letters for the final "d" in which the down-stroke is omitted and the letter ends in an upstroke which curves to the left.

If your critic writes a vertical hand he is a careful as well as an intuitive thinker; if his writing slants forward he is quick and impulsive; if it slants backward he is what the Scots call "sanny."

Tomorrow—The Fault-Finders. Copyright, 1922, by Public Ledger Company.

LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY

TODAY'S word is — ORNITHORHYNCHUS.

It's pronounced—or-ni-tho-rin-kus, with accent slightly upon the second and more strongly upon the fourth syllable.

It means—a small animal with a bill resembling a duck's, webbed feet, dark fur and a broad, flattened tail, a native of southern and eastern Australia and Tasmania.

It comes from—a combination of Greek words meaning "bird" and "snout" or "beak."

It's used like this—"A fine specimen of ornithorhynchus has arrived at Vancouver from Australia, on its way to the London zoo."

R. J. YOUNG & CO.

Store Closed All Day Monday

THINGS FOR THE HOLIDAY!



\$15 Dark Voile Dresses

FOR

\$5.95

NOT PREVIOUSLY REDUCED—50 IN THE LOT

This is a purchase made specially for Saturday business. They are all new dark Voile Dresses; such colors as navy and white, black and white, brown and taupe, and worth up to \$15.00. All of them summer dresses. Get here early. They are real bargains.

Ladies' Silk Blouses, \$2.98

One whole table of these dainty Blouses, in Crepe de Chine Silk, Tricotee and Georgette, in over-blouse, pullover and open blouse styles; in shades of flesh, white, maize, sand, green, taupe, rose and black. Our regular price on these is up to \$7.00.

50c Bloomer, 25c

10 dozen in the lot. Women's Pink Bloomers, elastic top and bottoms; regular 50c, 35c, 3 for \$1

\$1.25 Hosiery, 98c

Pure silk drop stitch, in heather mixture patterns; shades of brown, green, etc. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Regular \$1.75, for 98c

\$1.00 Fancy Belts, 25c

Fancy Leather and Metal Belts, in all shades. Regular \$1.00, for 25c

Lisle Hose, 49c

10 dozen, in white, gray, brown and black; high spliced ankles, double heels and toes; seamless.

WOMEN'S SUMMER CORSETS, \$1.49

Bone filled and guaranteed not to rust; medium bust, long hips, with four hose supports. Our regular \$2.00 Corset. Saturday special \$1.49

Continuing Our Greatest Sale of

Men's Balbriggan Combinations

At Less Than Cost

A tremendous underprice purchase from Watson's. Don't miss this opportunity. The garments are balbriggan, porous-knit and spring needle.

\$1.19

Men's Outing Shirts

They come in reversible collar styles. Regular price, \$2.75. Holiday price \$1.89

All Wool Bathing Suits

Our regular \$5.50 line, and in the newest styles. A real holiday snap. \$3.75

Holeproof Hose For Men

Silk Hose (holeproof) in all popular shades. A special holiday price on these at 80c

\$1.50 MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

25 dozen of them in Chambrays and Drill Cloths, sizes 14 to 17; in Khaki, Indigo and Blue and Oxford Cloths. In our opinion just about the best value we've seen for years

98c

ALL PALM BEACH SUITS, HALF OFF

No reserve, men. Now is your chance for the August vacation. Well tailored, snappy looking garments at less than we can buy them wholesale.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

RICH IN VITAMINES

MADE IN CANADA

The importance of Vitamines in food is being recognized at the present time to a greater extent than ever before. It has been conclusively demonstrated that yeast is rich in this all important element. Many people have received great benefit physically simply by taking one, two or three Royal Yeast Cakes a day. Send name and address for free copy "Royal Yeast Cakes for Better Health."

E. W. GILLET COMPANY LIMITED
TORONTO, CANADA
WINNIPEG MONTREAL

SUMMON INCOME TAX DEFAULTERS

PORT ARTHUR, Aug. 3.—The prosecution of income tax defaulters is proceeding here, and upwards of 100 will be summoned within the next month.

The question of whether it is the intention of the Dominion government to send defaulters to jail on their inability to pay the \$50 is worrying court officials here.

Today a young farmer was convicted, but had no money to pay his fine, as he has been out of work. He was remanded, and an interpretation of the act will be obtained from Ottawa.

ALLOW CANADA TO TRADE WITH SOVIET RUSSIA

Diplomatic Overtures Result in Signing of Agreement in London.

RETAIN ALCOHOL EMBARGO

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Diplomatic correspondence which has passed between P. C. Larkin, Canadian high commissioner, the British foreign office and the Soviet government, Moscow, has resulted in the signing of a trade agreement between Russia and Britain, which will be immediately applicable to Canada.

This agreement involves not only trade relationship between the two countries, but gives facilities for restoring immediately postal, telegraph and wireless communications between Russia and Canada, thus assuring means of protection to Canadians traveling in Russia, and recognition of Canadian passports.

The agreement embodies Russia's pledge to cease from the dissemination of propaganda harmful to the British Empire, and gives each party the privilege of having resident agents in the respective countries. Canadians are now free to trade with Russia with certain minor restrictions, which is an embargo on the importation in Russia of alcohol.

A similar agreement has been in existence between Britain and Russia for over a year, but little business has been done hitherto because of the inability of the Russians to give what British traders regard as adequate security. Most of the trade so far has been done through the medium of jewels and valuables of different kinds which were forwarded from Russia to the Russian trade delegation in London, who in turn dispose of them and deposit the cash so obtained with the manufacturers whose goods they desire to purchase.

LOSES CLUB BAG.

Police received word Thursday afternoon that a Toronto woman had lost a black club bag on a Grand Trunk train between London and Listowel.

Her address is in an envelope in the pocket of a dress in the bag.

4 Sons of Farmer Lose Lives in Fire in Barn.

EDMONTON, Alta., Aug. 3.—Four sons of Luke Smith, a farmer of Glendhurst, sixteen miles northwest of Leduc, lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the barn in which they were sleeping, about midnight, Wednesday. The victims were: John, aged 15; Stanley, 14; Andrew, 10, and Peter, 8. A fifth son, Mike, aged 12, was the only one to escape. He tried to rouse his brothers, but they were stupefied by the smoke.

RESERVES ACTION AGAINST BUFFALO JITNEY DRIVERS

Judge to Follow Decision of Justice in Similar Case Tried in Albany.

BUFFALO, Aug. 3.—Decision in the International Railway Company's application for an order directing Mayor Schwab to show cause why he should not be compelled to force city licensed passenger-carrying automobiles off the streets was reserved today by Justice Pooley in supreme court.

The judge indicated, however, that he would follow the decision of Justice Hinman in a similar case tried in Albany during the street car strike there. This action against the operation of jitneys with the sanction of the public service commission was upheld by the appellate division.

SEPTEMBER OUTINGS.

The most beautiful month in the year in the "Highlands of Ontario" is September. One thousand to two thousand feet above the sea, the air is pure and invigorating. Good hotel accommodation at reasonable rates can be secured in the Muskoka Lakes district—the Lake of Bays region, Algonquin Park. Good fishing, canoeing, boating and outdoor sports. All these districts easy of access by the Grand Trunk Railway. Free illustrated descriptive literature and all information on application to any Grand Trunk ticket agent or C. E. Horning, district passenger agent, Toronto, Ont.—Advt.

FORGES NAME OF LIEUT.-GOVERNOR

Clever Swindler At Brantford Passes Several Bogus Checks Totalling \$925.

Special to London Advertiser. TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 3.—During the past week or so a clever forger, said to hail from Toronto, has passed several bogus checks on the Brantford branch of the Bank of Montreal. All the checks are signed with the name of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Harry Cockshutt, and are indorsed with the name "L. M. Murphy." The known loss amounts to \$925.

The story is confirmed by Lieut.

Governor Cockshutt, who is at Brantford. As far as he could recall, five checks in all were passed through the bank, and they were in \$75 and \$175 denominations. The checks bore the imprints of the Imperial, Sterling, Royal and Dominion Banks in Toronto.

The forgeries are so good that they passed the expert scrutiny of the bank employees without difficulty. Private detectives are working on the case, and they hope to have the forger by the heels in a short time.

CHOP PARTITION TO ENTER HOUSE

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—To effect an entrance into the home of Hubert C. Cooper, 272 Roncesvalles avenue, thieves chopped their way through a walled partition leading from the cellarway up into the kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper are holidaying at Honey Harbor, on the Georgian

Bay. Last night police officials found that the house had been ransacked, but were unable to ascertain if any valuables had been taken.

STRATFORD NINE ARE EASY FOR WOODSTOCK TEAM

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 3.—In the final schedule game in the Southern Ontario Baseball League the locals defeated the Stratford aggregation in a twilight affair by 4 to 1. The visitors presented a patched-up team, and the locals were never extended. Thompson worked four innings for the locals, allowing four hits. Charley Kelly breezed through the final three frames, allowing but one hit. The big fellow is in great shape just now, and showed barrels of speed.

Sloan was the slab artist for the Classics, and while defeated, pitched a nice game. He had six strike-outs in seven innings.

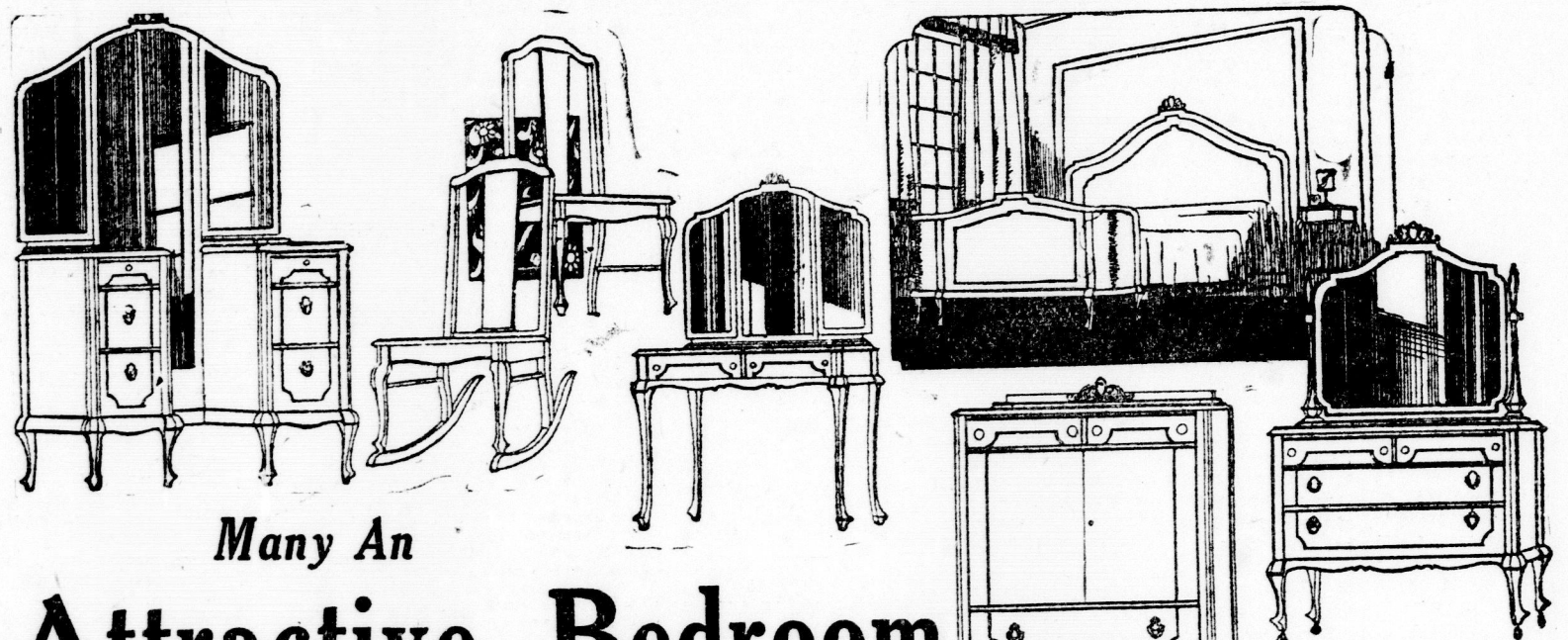
The summary: R.H.E. Woodstock.....1 5 2 Stratford.....4 7 1 Batteries—Sloan and Clifford; Thompson, Kelly and Henderson; Emphre-Kennedy and Edmunds.

If You Suffer from Constipation Read this Message Immediately!

About 90% of ills can be blamed on constipation—one of the greatest enemies of the human race! Pills and cathartics aggravate dangerous conditions in the delicate intestinal tract while affording but temporary relief! The great, natural cleanser is bran—KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and krumbled! If you eat bran regularly it will give relief permanently! Its work is wonderful! Physicians endorse the use of Kellogg's Bran for constipation because it is a desirable way of correcting constipation through food. Bran is nature's food—not a "remedy"! Do not think of Kellogg's Bran as you think of pills and cathartics which never can afford permanent relief! Pills and cathartics aggravate already dangerous conditions. Kellogg's Bran sweeps the bowels naturally, cleansing and purifying the intestinal tract without irritation or discomfort! Re-aid, too, that the regular use of Kellogg's Bran will clear up a pimply complexion and it will free the breath from disagreeable stomach odors. At least two tablespoonfuls should be eaten daily, and as much more as needed for relief of chronic cases. Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbled, is delicious served as a cereal, or it can be sprinkled over your favorite cereal, its nut-like flavor adding a delightful zest to breakfast! Kellogg's Bran is delicious in raisin bread, muffins, pancakes, gravies, etc. Start the family eating Kellogg's Bran tomorrow morning! Kellogg's will actually build up the kiddies into fine robust health! Your grocer has it. It's wrapped "WAX TITE."

Good Furniture News

That is it's good news; and it's news about good furniture. You'll see by reading some of it that we are giving you some exceptional values. All of the news isn't printed here though, you will find just as interesting values in other things throughout the store. We'd like to have you see them.



Many An Attractive Bedroom

Will Have Its Beginning Here

Reg. \$298 Two-Tone August \$198
Bedroom Gray
Suite Enamel Sale Price

A Six-Piece Suite—Dresser, Chiffonier, Dressing Table, Bed, Bench and Rocker—in a splendid design and made in one of our best Canadian factories. You must see this suite to really appreciate the value we are giving.

Reg. \$220 Canadian August \$150
Bedroom Birch
Suite Walnut Sale Price

Five Pieces—Dresser, Dressing Table, Bed, Bench and Rocker—a Malcolm & Hill production, who are known as makers of only high-grade furniture.

Reg. \$201 Ivory August \$150
Bedroom Enamel Sale Price
Suite

Four Pieces—Dresser, Chiffonier, Vanity Dressing Table and Bed. At our August sale price, this represents one of our features of this sale, as this Suite has only been on our show floor a few months.

\$12.50
Simmons Layer Felt
Mattress
All Sizes
\$8.45

\$5.75 Ironing Boards
\$2.95

White basswood, guaranteed not to warp, will not tip when in use. Complete with sleeve board.

Dressers

Many designs to select from, all good, in walnut, mahogany, ivory and oak finishes. Regular prices range from \$59.00 to \$66.00.

\$37.50

Club Terms

Special club terms—\$20.00 down and \$2.00 weekly.

THOMAS

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240 Dundas Street

Something Exceptionally Good
\$149.50
Bedroom Suite

Consisting of a Chiffonier, Large Dresser and Bed, in walnut finish. Our special price does not represent the regular price of two pieces, but there's just one to sell.

August \$99.75
Sale Price
THREE PIECES

THRIFT BASEMENT SPECIALS

NO PHONE OR C. O. D. ORDERS

English Lavender Toilet Soap, 5c cake, Special..... 3 for 10c	Lea's Sweet Pickles, Regular 23c..... 15c
Castle, Long Bar..... 15c	Libby's Tomato Catsup..... 24c
Rinso..... 3 for 23c	Early June Peas..... 15c
Puffed Wheat..... 14c	Dove Tomatoes..... 15c
Puffed Rice..... 16c	Pioneer Corn..... 10c
Sunlight, Surprise, Gold, Comfort, and P. & G. Soap..... 6 for 40c	Dove Plums..... 15c
Lux..... 10c	Dove Pears..... 20c
Pearline..... 9c	Canned Pineapples and Peaches..... 22c
S. B. Sauce..... 25c	Macaroni or Spaghetti..... 2 for 23c
Worcestershire Sauce..... 13c	Stuart Marmalade, 1-lb. glass jars..... 24c
Chili Sauce..... 34c	Betty's Marmalade, 4-lb. glass jars..... 63c
Large Jar Sweet Pickles..... 40c	McLaren's Olives, quart sealer..... 58c
Large Jar Sour Pickles..... 37c	McLaren's Olives, gallon sealer..... \$1.95
Shredded Wheat..... 2 for 23c	St. Williams Strawberry and Raspberry Pure Jam, 4-lb. pails..... 75c
Waxtite Cornflakes..... 9c	Banquet Tea, 49c lb; 2 pounds for..... 94c
Campbell's Soups..... 2 for 27c	Nectar Coffee, pound..... 55c
Sea Pearl and Neptune Sardines, regular 15c and 18c, 9c	
Brunswick Sardines, 4 for 23c	
Sockeye Red Salmon..... 25c	
Cascade Salmon..... 9c and 14c	
Jello, all flavors..... 3 for 29c	

CLIFF ROBINSON'S Quality Meats and Provisions

Here are week-end holiday bargains in meats that will mean real savings and yet give you quality of the best. Look them over and phone us or call.

VEAL SPECIALS	BEEF SPECIALS	Boneless Rolled Pot Roasts
Breasts Veal 10c lb.	Stew Beef 10c lb.	Beef 15c lb.
Stew Veal 10c lb.	Pot Roasts Beef ... 12 1/2c lb.	Round Steak Roasts, 25c lb.
Shoulder Veal 20c lb. (to Dress)	Oven Roasts Beef 15c lb.	Rump Roasts Beef ... 25c lb.

Look at This --- Fresh Pork Hocks 6c lb.
CHOICE SMOKED PICNIC HAMS 30c lb.
CHOICE MILD BREAKFAST BACON, sliced by machine 38c lb.

SPRING LAMB SPECIALS.	Shoulder Spring Lamb
Breasts Spring Lamb 20c lb.	Loins Spring Lamb 35c lb.
	Legs Spring Lamb 40c lb.

BARGAINS	Pork Hearts
Choice Pickled Hocks 6c lb.	Pork Liver 5c lb.
Beef Hearts 5c lb.	Mild Cured Corned Beef 15c lb.
	Large Country Sausage 2 lbs. for 25c

FRESH SHOULDER ROASTS PORK While they last, 25c lb.
FRESH MADE CREAMERY BUTTER, none delivered 37c lb.
New Cheese 25c lb. Bulk Cream Cheese 35c lb.
Old Cheese 35c lb. Peanut Butter 20c lb.

NEW POTATOES, PER PECK, 35 CENTS
FRESH SPARERIBS, PORK TENDERLOIN, SPRING CHICKEN, ETC.
FRESH GREEN GOODS, BULK OLIVES, BULK PICKLES.

Make This Bright, Sanitary Store Your Store.

CLIFF ROBINSON

PHONES 7111 and 7112. THREE CARS. 206 DUNDAS STREET.

SMOKE

SENATOR

CUT PLUG

Deliciously
Fragrant

15¢
a package

Also packed
in 1/2 lb. tins

WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

CALLS OWN PEOPLE TERRIBLE FIGHTERS

Irish Mother One of Many Newcomers Visited by Travelers' Aid.

"The Irish are such terrible fighters, they're not fit to govern themselves."

The speaker had a very marked brogue to betray the fact she had but recently arrived from the "old sod" of which she spoke so disparagingly. She was a rosy-cheeked woman, mother of a big family of "chilther" that had left home years ago for a new country, settled down and married, and set up household gods of their own. Finally, as times refused to get less troublous across the waters, they sent for the old mother to come out and spend the remainder of her days in Canada.

The Y. W. C. A. travelers' aid secretary found her one fine day recently, happy with the family of a loved son, delighted with London and all she had seen since landing.

During the past two months the two Y. W. C. A. travelers' aid, Mrs. Ella Parker and Mrs. John H. McEntee, have gone to call on 41 such newcomers from overseas by request of the travelers' aid at the port of entry. In addition, they have looked up many of the women and girls of various nationalities, in response to wires from aid secretaries in New York, Buffalo and many other points both in Canada and the United States. Of the 41 "old country" folks, only three or four were not located owing to wrong addresses. In one case there was no house at all at the address furnished.

"We have reported back," the local secretaries told the Women's Department of the Advertiser, "and if further follow-up work is required we will attend to it."

"Follow-up" work crowds the hours of work and is sometimes very strenuous in warm weather, carried on in connection with meeting trains all day long and incidental duties arising therefrom.

But, it is wonderfully interesting and fascinating, declare the secretaries, meeting so many new people with such different backgrounds, ideas and experiences in life. Again and again, they have been able to put stranger girls in touch with opportunities and friends.

Knew Just One Person.
One young girl, just a few weeks ago, was found engaged in household service in a desirable place. She had her work, she liked Canada, but she was very lonely. There was only one person she knew, the sister of the gardener, and she was rejoiced to find out the Y. W. C. A. was sufficiently interested to send a secretary to call on her, and that she might become associated with clubs and classes where she could meet congenial girls, some girls, who, like herself, had come from far-away England.

A typical request was received by secretary a few days ago, a wire asking her to meet an old lady obliged to stop over in London all night, in changing trains on her way to visit a small town. The grandma in the case was escorted to the downtown

Earned Money to Help S. C. H. Fund.

THE letter should have been photographed and reproduced in The Advertiser just as it appeared when Cynthia Grey opened it and drew with it out of the envelope a crisp dollar bill. The envelope itself first attracted attention, because it bore an extra stamp and the magic registration mark. The writing was in lead pencil, inclined to run down hill, the writing of a very young girl. And this is what it said:

Dear Miss Grey,
I am inclosing a mite for the S. C. H. fund. Half of it I earned myself. I. N. A.
Isn't it a pleasure to number among the friends of the Cynthia Grey Mail-Box and the Sick Children's Hospital such an industrious, unselfish little girl?

What is her real name? It would never do to tell, because she has insisted upon being known by the pen-name "I. N. A." The family list knows the secret. Because the name is written there.

Y. W. C. A., where a comfortable room and warm welcome awaited her. In the morning she started off on the last lap of her journey, waving back at the secretary as if she were a member of her family, or, at least, a very old friend.

One morning there was a telegram announcing the arrival of an Italian mother and daughter unfamiliar with English. Going on duty at 8:30 o'clock, the secretary discovered the two must have reached town very early in the morning, arriving in St. Thomas on the M. C. R. and connecting with the London and Port Stanley road.

The only way of getting information was to wait till the train crew reached the city again and find out if they had carried two women answering the description given. The conductor not only remembered the pair, but had the address of the Italian woman on Dundas street to whom he had directed them. Travelers' Aid followed up the clue, only to learn that the couple had been sent still farther, to a house several blocks away, where the husband and father they had made the long trip to join was boarding. To the top of a high building, Travelers' Aid climbed, determined to "see the thing through," and be satisfied that all was right. When the door opened in response to her knock she found a little group, whose faces shone with happiness, a reunited family.

CONTINUE UNION SERVICES.
The union services of St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian Churches will be continued during the month of August, the only change being that the services in the morning will be held in St. Andrew's and the evening services at First Presbyterian Church. Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae, who has returned to town, will preach the next two Sundays, and the Rev. Dr. D. C. MacGregor the last two Sundays of the month.

Personals

Major Innes Carling was in Toronto this week, staying at the King Edward.

Mr. John M. Watt was a guest at the King Edward during a trip to Toronto this week.

Mrs. Ernest Evans of Burlington is visiting Mrs. W. V. Wilson, 375 St. James street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bone and two children, 23 Gunn street, are holidaying in Detroit.

Mrs. A. A. Langford and family are spending the month of August at the Apartments, Corunna.

Mrs. Victor and son Dewar of Omaha, Neb., are the guests of Miss Minnie Dewar, Victor street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm of Toronto were guests of Joseph Brown, 3 Horn street, for the Brown picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Templeman, Windsor avenue, have left on a two months' trip to Winnipeg and Victoria, B. C.

Miss Jessie A. Simpson, Queen's avenue, who is spending the summer at Port Stanley, was in town for a day or two this week.

Miss Pearl Morris of Brantford is a charming visitor in town, staying with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Parnell Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Near of St. Catharines attended the Brown picnic, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown, 3 Horn street.

Mrs. Clegg and her mother were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown at the Brown picnic at Springfield. Mrs. Clegg gave a very fine address.

Mrs. George McBride of Edmonton, formerly of this city, and son Jack, are visiting in the home of Mrs. A. G. Pearson, 27 Belgrave Place, South London.

Miss Margaret Coyne has returned after a five weeks' holiday spent in St. Thomas with her parents, Dr. J. H. Coyne and Mrs. Coyne, and in Parry Sound.

Dr. F. W. Hughes and Mrs. Hughes have returned home after a delightful motor trip to Cleveland, bringing with them Mrs. Barbara Spencer, who is the guest of Mrs. F. Lewis, 253 Oxford street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Snider and little daughter Miriam Anne, who have been the guests of Mrs. Snider's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cowan, have returned to their home in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. Bert Barr leaves Saturday to attend the meeting of Sovereign Great Priory of Knights Templar being held at Halifax next week. Mr. Barr is a past provincial grand prior of London district, and an elected member of the Grand Council.

Miss Marie Warburton, who has spent a delightful holiday in Montreal, Hamilton and Toronto, has returned home, bringing with her Miss Gertrude Melody of Hamilton, who accompanied her on her trip.

Rev. J. D. McCrae and Mrs. McCrae and wee daughter Mary of Almonte, who have been visiting Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae and Mrs. McCrae, have gone on to Strathroy to spend a couple of weeks with Mrs. McCrae's

mother, Mrs. McKellar. They will return to the city before going abroad.

A happy reunion was held when Mrs. J. Matheson and Mrs. W. Lewis of Winnipeg, and Mrs. William Matheson of Copper Cliff, New Ontario, met at the home of their sister-in-law, Mrs. James McIntosh, city, and spent an enjoyable visit together.

Mrs. Karl Ziegler and son Brooks, and Miss E. Ziegler of Kitchener, are visitors in town this week, staying with Mr. and Mrs. C. Ziegler, Waterloo street. Dr. and Mrs. Ziegler are motoring to Kitchener for the holiday week-end, their guests returning home with them.

Miss Frances Beatrice Taylor has left on a month's vacation. After spending the week-end with Miss Muriel Tucker at the summer home of Dean Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Springfield, she will go on to Toronto and Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bowen of Detroit, formerly of London, arrived here on Thursday from Montreal, where they have been visiting the past two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Bowen will return to Detroit on Sunday, accompanied by Misses Verna and Dorothy Bowen, who have been visiting in London and Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Atkinson and family of Detroit have motored here for a visit with Mrs. Atkinson's mother, Mrs. Parsons of 2 Wellington road. The wedding of the daughter, Misses Olive and Dorothy Merrett, who have returned after spending their vacation with them in Detroit.

Miss Allison Sutherland of Ottawa, who is a visitor in town this week, the guest of Miss Butler, English street, will spend a day or so in St. Marys, in the home of her brother, Mr. George Sutherland, before going to Toronto to join Dr. James Sutherland and Mrs. Sutherland, and Miss Elizabeth Sutherland of Ottawa, who are holidaying at Center Island.

Miss Glass of 81 Hayman Court has just received a letter from Dr. Harry Kerr from Beinn Bhreagh, N. S., saying how much better his cousin, Graham Bell, was, when the news came that Dr. Alexander Graham Bell had passed away. Dr. and Mrs. Harry Kerr are spending their holidays at Beinn Bhreagh. Mrs. Harry Kerr was Dorothy Glass, daughter of the late Chester Glass of New York.

A wedding of interest to a number of London friends took place on Tuesday in Uxby, Mich., when Mr. Roy Groshow, second son of Mrs. J. B. Groshow of this city was married to Miss Beniah Sarity. The young couple left on a honeymoon trip to Niagara, Buffalo and other points, after which they will make their home in Detroit, where Mr. Groshow has met with much success in business since returning from overseas service throughout the war. Mrs. Groshow and Miss Beniah Sarity were guests from London at the wedding.

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

WANTS TO HELP.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am a new-comer, but as I read your letters every night, I see where I can be a little help. Please send me T. I. P.'s address, as I have a few things I could send her for her little store. I will run along now. Hope I have not troubled you too much. I will sign myself WAX PLANT.

Welcome to our Corner, Wax Plant. Am glad it is to be the means of putting you in touch with a needy neighbor. Your letter has been so short, about all we have been able to find out about you is that you have a very kind heart and that your idea of making life worth while is to serve others. You like gardens, too, don't you? And I have an idea that as soon as you moved here you made up your mind to have shelves in your nearest window in winter time so flowers might bloom there and gladden those who passed by as well as the people that lived in the house. You must write and tell the Boxites if Cynthia is a good or bad guesser. T. I. P.'s address is on the way.

SENDS ADDRESS AT ONCE.

Dear Miss Grey,—I see in this morning's paper that you want the address of A Pitiful Case. I am sorry I was so careless. Well, I am just getting ready to go off on my holiday this afternoon, so I will make this poor woman answer you herself whenever she gets word. I am sure it will be a Godsend to her to get a little help. I will also write you in a day or so and send you my mite. Best wishes to all the Boxites, not forgetting your own dear self. L. H.

Thank you for answering by very first mail as requested. A big, interesting-looking box, sent in by Sunflower No. 2, has been re-addressed to A Pitiful Case, and three dollars sent in by a Boxite who didn't give her name, will also be on the way in a very few hours. Hope

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CLUB NEWS

What Women Are Accomplishing in London.

ASKIN STREET M. C.

An interesting meeting of Askin Street Senior Mission Circle was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. F. Kilbourne, Cove road, Mrs. Herbert Childs, president, in the chair. Mrs. Westcott gave a short talk on "Christian Stewardship" and Miss Gertrude Wilson gave a paper on the progress made by the missionary press in West China. Miss Hester Wilson gave a Bible reading, and solos by Miss Genevieve Mitten and Miss Beale Goodie were enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

WITH THE BRIDES

BUTCHER—MARSHALL.

Tuesday, Aug. 1, at 11 o'clock, the wedding took place in the Methodist Church, St. Marys, of Pearl, youngest daughter of Mrs. W. H. Marshall, and Percy G. Butcher, youngest son of Mrs. Thomas E. Butcher. Rev. Dr. A. W. Knowles officiated. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. C. F. Marshall, wore white tulle with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of Sunburst roses. Miss Gertrude Brown, as bridesmaid, was gowned in pink Canton crepe and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas. Mr. Hunter Dickinson was best man. Mrs. C. F. Marshall presided at the organ, and during the signing of the register Mrs. George Myers, cousin of the bride, sang "O Promise Me." The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond and pearl lavalier, to the bridesmaid a pearl brooch, to the groomsmen a pearl tiepin.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the bride's home, sixty guests sitting down to the tempting wedding luncheon. Friends of the bride, Miss D. Evans, Miss Rhea Parsons and Miss Mary Logan, assisted the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Butcher left for Hamilton, Niagara Falls and Buffalo, the bride traveling in a dress of navy blue Canton crepe trimmed with Swiss embroidery, with hat to match.

On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Butcher will reside in St. Marys and will be home to their friends after Aug. 15.

HAMILTON—WOOD.

A quiet wedding took place Thursday morning in Croyny Memorial Church, when Dina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wood, Gilebe street, was married to Dr. R. J. Hamilton of Alisa Craig, Rev. F. Anderson officiating. The bride, who was unattended, wore a smart traveling suit of old rose homespun, with French hand-made blouse, and rose hat. The happy couple left for a trip down the Hudson, planning to remain in New York for some weeks, where Dr. Hamilton will take up special hospital work.

you have the happiest possible kind of a holiday. You have the satisfaction of knowing that, just before you started, you made less heavy the burden of another and found for her good friends. Have your address filed good Samaritan, as well as that of A Pitiful Case.

M. K.—Have forwarded address requested. Many thanks for offer to help Worried Mother No. 2. Thank you also for hospital mite.

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The RED HOUSE MYSTERY

by A. A. MILNE

BEGIN HERE TODAY.

The prospective visit of a new-door brother, who had been absent for fifteen years in Australia, was a far from pleasing prospect to MARK ABLETT, bachelor proprietor of The Red House. Mark and his constant companion, MATTHEW CAYLEY, remained in The Red House awaiting the arrival of the brother.

ROBERT, while the house-party guests were away playing golf. When Robert appeared, the parlor-maid, startled by his rough appearance, ushered him into Mark's office and went to inform her master. Mark was not in the garden, and when the maid returned to the house she heard the report of a revolver and then the sound of Cayley pounding on the locked office door and demanding admittance. This was the state of affairs when ANTHONY GILLINGHAM, a youthful gentleman adventurer, arrived.

GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER III. CAYLEY looked round suddenly at the voice. "Can I help?" said Anthony politely.

"Something's happened," said Cayley. He was breathing quickly. "I heard a shot. I was in the library. A loud bang. And the door's locked. He rattled the handle again, and shook it. 'Open the door!' he cried. 'I say, Mark, what is it? Open the door!'"

"But he must have locked the door on purpose," said Anthony. "So why should he open it just because you ask him to?"

Cayley turned to the door again. "We must break it in," he said, putting his shoulder to it. "Isn't there a window?"

"Window? Window?" "So much easier to break in a window," said Anthony with a smile. He looked very cool and collected, as he stood just inside the hall, leaning on his stick.

"Window—of course! What an idiot I am!"

He pushed past Anthony, and began running out into the drive. Anthony followed him. They ran along the front of the house, down a path to the left, and then to the left again over the grass. Cayley in front, the other close behind him. Suddenly Cayley looked over his shoulder and pulled up short.

"Here," he said. They had come to the windows of the locked room. French windows which opened on to the lawn at the back of the house. But now they were closed. Anthony couldn't help feeling a thrill of excitement as he followed Cayley's example, and put his face close up to the glass. But if there had been one shot, why should there not be two more?—at the careless fools who were pressing their noses against the panes, and asking for it.

"Can you see it?" said Cayley in a shaking voice. The next moment Anthony saw it. A man was lying on the floor at the far end of the room, his back toward them.

"Who is it?" said Anthony. "I don't know," the other whispered. "Well, we'd better go and see." He considered the windows for a moment. "I should think, if you put your weight into it, just where they join, they'll give all right."

Cayley put his weight into it. The window gave, and they went into the room. Cayley walked quickly to the body, and dropped on his knees by it. With an effort he put a hand on the shoulder and pulled it over.

"Oh, dear!" he murmured, and let the body go again. "Who is it?" said Anthony. "Robert Ablett."

"Oh!" said Anthony. "I thought his name was Mark."

"Yes, Mark Ablett lives here. Robert is his brother." He shuddered, and said: "I was afraid it was Mark."

"Was Mark in the room, too?" "Yes," said Cayley absently. Anthony had gone to the locked door, and was turning the handle. "I suppose he put the key in his pocket," he said, as he came back to the body again.

"Who?"

Anthony shrugged his shoulders. "Whoever did this," he said, pointing to the man on the floor. "Is he dead?"

"Help me," said Cayley simply. They turned the body on to its back, and Cayley looked at it. Robert Ablett had been shot between the eyes.

"Did you know him well?" said Anthony quietly. He meant, "Were you fond of him?"

"Hardly at all. Mark is the brother I know best. He hesitated, and then said: 'Perhaps I'd better get some water.'"

There was another door opposite to the locked one, which led, as Anthony was to discover for himself directly, into a passage from which opened two more rooms. Cayley stepped into the passage, and opened the door on the right. The door from the office, through which he had gone, remained open. The door at the end of the short passage was shut. Anthony, kneeling by the body, followed Cayley with his eyes, and after he had disappeared, kept his eyes on the blank wall of the passage, but he was not conscious of that at which he was looking, for his mind was with the other man, sympathizing with him.

Cayley came into the room again, murmured something, and knelt down to bathe the dead man's face. Then he placed the handkerchief over it.

They stood up and looked at each other. "If I can be of any help to you," said Anthony, "please let me."

"That's very kind of you. There will be things to do. But you mustn't let me trespass on your kindness."

"I came to see Beverly. He is an old friend of mine."

"He's out playing golf. He will be back directly."

"I will stay if I can be of any help."

"Please do. You see, there are women."

Anthony a timid little smile, pathetic in its big and self-reliant air. "Just your moral support, you know."

"Of course," Anthony smiled back at him, and said cheerfully, "Well, then, I'll begin by suggesting that you should ring up the police."

"The police? Y—yes." He looked doubtfully at the other. "I suppose they'll come."

Anthony spoke frankly. "Now, look here, Mr.—"

"Cayley. I'm Mark Ablett's cousin. I live with him."

"My name's Gillingham. I'm sorry, I ought to have told you before. Well, now, Mr. Cayley, we shall do any good by pretending. Here's a man been shot—well, somebody shot him."

Cayley shrugged his shoulders and went to the telephone.

"May I—look round a bit?" Anthony nodded toward the open door.

"Oh, do. Yes." He sat down and drew the telephone toward him. "You must make allowances for me, Mr. Gillingham. Of course, you're quite right, and I'm merely being stupid. He took off the receiver."

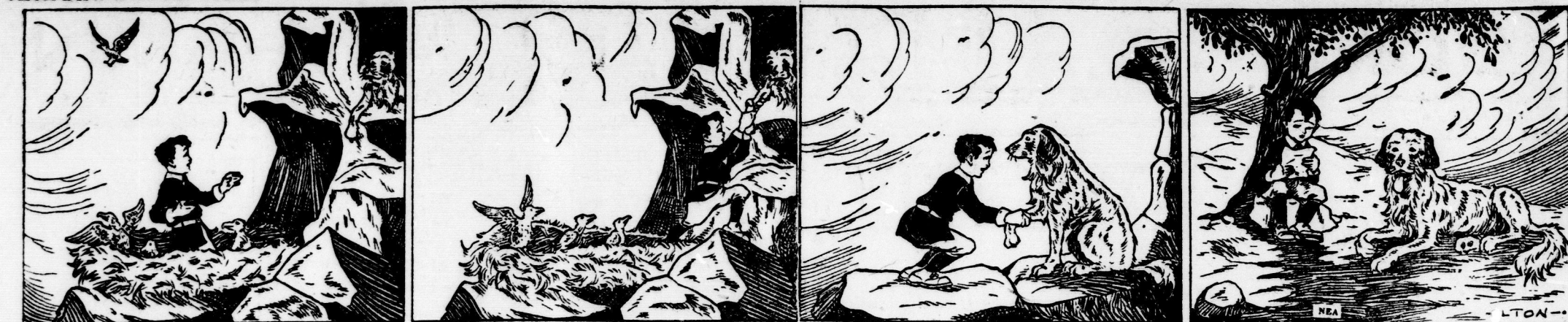
Let us suppose that, for the purpose of making a first acquaintance with this "office," we are coming into it from the hall, through the door which is now locked. As we stand just inside the door, the length of the room runs right and left. Across the breadth of the room (some fifteen feet), is that other door, by which Cayley went out and returned a few minutes ago. In the right-hand wall, thirty feet away from us, are the French windows. Crossing the room and going out by the opposite door, we come into a passage, from which two rooms lead.

The one on the right, into which Cayley went, is less than half the length of the office, a small, square room, which has evidently been used some time or other as a bedroom. The window faces the same way as the French windows in the next room.

The room on the other side of the bedroom is a bathroom. The three rooms together, in fact form a sort of private suite.

Anthony wandered into the bedroom. The window was open, and he looked out at the peaceful

JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES



FLIP WRITING UNTIL THE EAGLE HAD GONE, AND THEN BARKED TO ATTRACT JACK'S ATTENTION. THE LITTLE ADVENTURER WAS VERY GLAD THAT HIS FAITHFUL DOG HAD FOLLOWED HIM TO THE EAGLE'S NEST.

THE DOG KEPT SHAKING HIS PAW AT JACK UNTIL HE MADE HIS MASTER UNDERSTAND HIS PLAN. JACK THEN CAUGHT HOLD OF THE DOG'S PAW AND CLIMBED UP OVER THE JAGGED ROCKS TO SAFETY.

THERE WAS A HAPPY REUNION. JACK SHOOK HIS DOG'S PAW HEARTILY, THANKFUL FOR HIS LATEST ESCAPE. THEN THE TWO WALKED DOWN THE MOUNTAIN AND RESTED UNDER A TREE.

JACK THEN SOLVED THE MYSTERY OF WHY HIS MAP HAD NOT BEEN FOUND ON HIM IN CALAMITY CAVE. IT HAD BEEN EATEN TO FLIPS BY JACK. JACK STUDIED THE MAP AGAIN, CAREFULLY. THE TREASURE HUNT CONTINUES IN THE NEXT CHAPTER.

Look What They in Paris Do, Ladies' Ears Bared To View!

BY MARGARET ROHE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Oh, look who's here. The female ear is all exposed to view. From out its lair of ambush hair it has emerged anew. So long concealed when now revealed all naked and bare, it seems to shrink from public gaze and from the rush of air. Like captives taken from their cells, unused to light of day, the just-emancipated ears most likely feel that way and so to temper their release, on being liberated, they're quickly hung with ball and chain of earrings, heavily weighted.

'Twas Irene Castle brought the news of freedom of the ear. They turned them loose in Paris first. They'll soon be showing here. She wears hers flaunting in the breeze and prophesies this fall will be the era of the ear with ears worn out by all.

The national hairdressers here with her do not agree and Mr. Miller, who's their head, says ears will be covered. He thinks at first the ears may peep from out their nest of hair, but that they'll soon shrink in again and keep within their lair. He also says bobbed hair is doomed while Irene says "Not so." Abroad, she says, as many bobs as let their hair to grow.

But whether hair be long or bobbed, it must be peeled away to show the aural organs off exposed to light of day, if you would do as Paris says, which is the smartest way.

Short skirts revealed some tragedies—knock knees, bowlegs and such—and now exposure of the ears sure promises as much. For though

HOW DUCKBILL GOT JEALOUS

[By Olive Roberts Barton.]



MR. WAGGLETAIL DUCKBILL was out for a walk. He stopped every now and then to gobble up something to eat. Then he would go on again.

Mr. Duckbill was feeling fine and very happy. He even hummed a little tune:

"A frog he would a-wooling go, whether his Mammy would let him or no, Hi umpty larum a diddle oh!"

He stopped and ate a beetle. Then he went on and sang his song all over again.

"A frog he would a-wooling go," and so on.

This time he stopped and ate a mosquito. He hummed another line and stopped to eat a white grub.

He'd eaten a fuzzy worm, a bee, a rain-toad and a grasshopper when he spied a lovely white creature with a long neck away out on Lilly Pond. It swam gracefully about, spreading its wings and folding them again proudly.

"H'm!" said Mr. Duckbill, looking awhile and then gazing thoughtfully at his own reflection in the water. "I wonder why I have such a short neck, and no wings to speak of!"

Then he went on with his walk and his song.

By and by he saw a pony in a field waving his fine, long tail about to chase the flies away.

"H'm!" said Mr. Duckbill again. "What a fine tail! I wonder why I have such a nubby one!"

He went on with his walk again, and his song.

"Goodness! What a fine pair of legs that bird has! That must be Mr. Crane. I wonder why I have such ugly, short legs!"

This time he went on with his walk, but not his song.

"How do you do this fine morning?" said Dr. Snuffles, passing by.

"Rotten!" grumbled Mr. Duckbill. "I'm going home and go to bed!"

Jealousy, my dears, is the worst disease there is.

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WHEN the shades of night are falling fast the fashionable woman puts on a gown of this sort.

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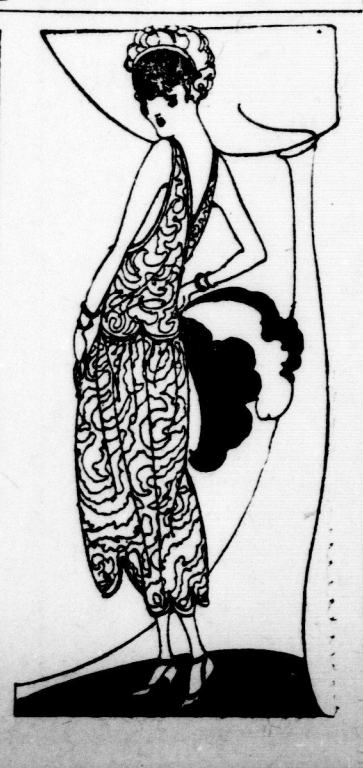
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Lighter than these and perhaps to be preferred for summer wear are the beautifully heavy crepes with all-over patterns of metal thread or colored silk embroidery. It is seldom that these gowns are trimmed at all—a brilliant and sophisticated simplicity is the aim of the season's evening fashions.

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ITH AMATEUR NINES

TAILORS WIN.
reene-Swift defeated Scott-McHale, 2 to 1, in a match played at the Oval. The match was a close one, with both teams showing excellent batting and bowling. The Tilers' victory was a significant one, as they are now leading the series.

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TOMLIN BLANKS BAY CITY PACK

Allows Them But Three Hits,
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HAMILTON, Aug. 3.—The Hamilton Baseball Club moved a step nearer the top of the heap today by blanking the Bay City Wolves, league leaders, 6 to 0. Bay City did not look good, while Hamilton played championship ball. Tomlin, late of the Buffalo International, occupied the mound for Bay City. He walked four men in a row, forcing a run, but a double-header will be staged Saturday against Bay City. Most of Hamilton's runs came in the second inning, when pitcher Heitzmann, form with a noticeable lack of discipline among themselves, and this is what has put them within striking distance of the leaders.

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SEAFORTH BOWLERS KEEP BOTH DOUBLES TROPHIES

Greatest Scotch Doubles Event in History of Club Closed.

SEAFORTH, Aug. 3.—At 2 o'clock this morning the greatest Scotch doubles event in the history of the Seaforth Bowling Club closed. The match was a close one, with both teams showing excellent batting and bowling. The Seaforth Bowling Club's victory was a significant one, as they are now leading the series.

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Aug. 17, Sept. 14, Oct. 12	Carmanla
*Aug. 31, Sept. 28, Oct. 26	Scythia
*Also sails from Boston Sept. 12	
N. Y. TO CHERBOURG AND SOUTHAMPTON.	
Aug. 22, Sept. 12	Aquitania
Aug. 8, Aug. 29, Sept. 19	Boracina
Aug. 15, Sept. 5, Sept. 26	Mauretania

FIRE MENACE G. T. P. BRIDGES

All Men Available Fighting
Forest Blaze in British
Columbia.

Light Rains in Burns Lake
District Only Hopeful
Sign.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Aug. 4.—The forest fire situation in Northern British Columbia continues critical. The entire Lakeview valley is on fire. Standing timber and isolated farmsteads are being destroyed, and a constant guard is necessary over Grand Trunk Pacific Railway bridges. At Ux, a fine stand of timber went up in smoke yesterday, and its owner, James Call, only saved his home by unremitted labor. The property of John Stewart, another Ux man, was destroyed. Along the Skeena every man available is in the fire fighting squads. At Williams Creek a bridge and a big camp are in the path of the flames, and superhuman efforts alone will save them. The provincial forestry department has a big gang near Remo, fighting a particularly bad blaze in the hills along the Semgitt river. The ground became so hot that men had to be taken to the hospital. Reports of light rains farther up the Burns Lake district are the only hopeful signs at present to the settlers in that district.

THOUSANDS FIGHT FIRES.
Spokane, Wash., Aug. 4.—From the Rocky Mountains in Montana, to the Columbia River in Washington, and up to one hundred miles from the Canadian border, thousands of men are fighting forest fires which, with nature apparently siding with them, have, according to Theodore Goodman, assistant state forester, rendered Washington virtually helpless before them. Calls for help are going unheeded in many instances, he said, with the fire wardens fighting the worst fires and leaving the others to burn themselves out.

One fire fighter on Poehl Creek, Idaho, was killed yesterday when a burning tree fell on him. The particularly hot, dry weather of the last two months, which recently had culminated in severe thunderstorms, has made the forest condition extremely critical. Lightning has started many more fires than the rain has checked, and in most inaccessible places. Many hundred acres of fine government or private stands of timber have been burned over or are on fire. Glacier National Park, the Blackfoot forest and the Kamikau forest are affected.

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Gotham Girls "Hike" 450 Miles In Autos In Less Than 4 Days

MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—A new hiking record for this year has been established by Harriet Levin and Thelma Bell, of New York City, who left New York last Saturday night with the intention of walking to Montreal and arrived at the Y. W. C. A. on Dorchester street last night.

The two girls said this morning that it was almost impossible to start walking along the roads between here and New York without being overwhelmed with invitations from motorists to accept a lift. In this way the hikers covered the four hundred and fifty-mile hike in less than four days.

Tired of Living, He Buys a Grave, Discards His Teeth and Kills Self

MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—A man who is believed to be Charles Hans Hansen, of Cuvillier street, Hochelaga, bought a plot in a cemetery and ended his life last night by shooting himself through the head.

He committed the deed on the wharf opposite the Canada Cement Company's Longue Point plant, standing in such a position that his body was almost certain of falling in the water. Before he fired the fatal shot he took out his false teeth, removed his shoes and stockings and wrapped them all

RECOMMENDS CLOSING OF TWO GUELPH STREETS

Railway Board Reaches Decision Following Investigation of Crossing Accident.

GUELPH, Aug. 3.—As the result of an investigation carried on by the inspector acting on instructions from the board of railway commissioners for Canada in connection with an accident, which occurred at the G. T. R. crossing near the corner of Kent and Dublin streets, on July 3 last, when George Wilson, his son, Robert, and wife, and three children, while riding in a motor car were hit by a G. T. R. train, the railway board will recommend to the Guelph City Council that two streets, Dublin and York-shire, be closed at the railway crossing, and also that a subway be built at Glasgow street.

ALFRED YOUNG PASSES SUDDENLY AT BLENHEIM

Prominent Resident, 79 Years Old, Dies of Heart-Failure.

Special to London Advertiser. BLENHEIM, Aug. 3.—Alfred Young, one of the oldest residents of this town, passed away Monday evening at the age of 79 years. Mr. Young was milking when his son Grover noticed him drop over. He picked him up, carried him to the house, but he only lived a few minutes. Heart-failure is given as the cause of death.

He was a member of the Loyal Orange Lodge.

Mr. Young leaves besides his widow, five sons, Harry, Fred and Grover at home, Roy of Chatham, and Will, a traveler in United States. John Young of this town is a brother.

CARTRIDGES EXPLODE IN STRAFFORD INCINERATOR

Attendant, Burning Ammunition Mixed With Garbage, Has Narrow Escape.

Special to London Advertiser. STRAFFORD, Aug. 3.—A number of cartridges mixed up with garbage and thrown into the incinerator gave semblance of a miniature war here today. One No. 57 cartridge, half an inch in diameter, flew out through an open door, and missing William Scott, the attendant, who was standing nearby, by a narrow margin, imbedded itself in an ash can.

Other shells exploded inside the plant, and for a time the attendant believed he was in the midst of a small war.

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CITY SEEKS 10,000 TONS OF COAL

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coal business will do his best, as we always do, although we get abuse."

"We are used to that," commented Mayor Wilson.

"You can expect that in public life, but not in private life," replied Mr. Daly. "We feel that it will be settled in about three weeks. The strike will not last much longer. They are trying to get the railways in shape first."

"If we cannot get coal in the United States or Canada, it is advisable to try to get it somewhere else," asked the mayor.

"If the strike is settled in three or four weeks we will not get coal before Christmas," advised E. S. Little.

Will Recover Quickly.

The coal dealers replied that soft coal would "recover quickly" and that owing to the fact that the Canadian Retail Coal Association is a member of the national association, Canada is placed in the same category as a state across the border, and will receive a proportion of the United States coal on this basis after the strike is settled. They were of the unanimous opinion that in the event of the shortage it is the duty of the public to remain calm and permit the dealers, who understand the situation, to distribute their product.

The coal dealers' action of those citizens who insist on loading their cellars with coal during a shortage, while other citizens have none at all.

In reply to a query from J. J. Foote, as to what percentage of coal was now in London homes, Mr. Daly said he did not think one-quarter of the homes had obtained a winter's supply.

J. G. Orchard, coal merchant, advised that every order should be filled carefully, giving one ton of coal to each house, thereby averting a shortage due to large supplies going to any one home.

"Some of us took a gamble and got in coal. We will have to buy high priced coal from independent brokers this fall until the boats are supplied, as our wholesale brokers supply them. There is no doubt about that."

See Price Soaring

"The coal companies look after the boats first," advised Mr. Southcott, city coal dealer. "Therefore coal will be high priced until December or January."

"There are enough fair-minded dealers in London to see that there are no exorbitant prices, but fair profits," said J. J. Orchard.

"Which the public will not believe," added Mr. Daly. "There will be lots of soft coal if the people want to pay the price."

"I forgot to add that," said Mr. Orchard.

"We are willing to leave it to the coal dealers if they will guarantee coal this winter," declared Mayor Wilson. "If not it is up to the city."

"If you can get it go ahead and get it," advised Max Lerner, coal merchant. "What you can get we can get. This crisis will not be worse than that of 1917 and 1918. If the newspapers would urge the public to use their judgment it will come out all right, and there will be no panic. What the press, mayor and city council should do is urge the public to be patient and let the man who gets his bread and butter by it do the best he can."

"If the people come around with bags and baby buggies when they have coal, as has been done, there will be a panic," he continued. "We will not do that."

"It is all very well to say leave it to the dealers," observed A. H. J. Childs. "But how are you going to prevent overloading?"

"Let the dealers do it themselves," urged E. S. Little. "Let them have a big clearing house."

Can Get Welsh Coal.

"We can get Welsh steam coal, but we must buy more than 5,000 tons," said Mayor Wilson. "We can also get Welsh anthracite coal. Pea coal size is quoted at 47 shillings at Montreal, and anthracite four-inch coal is quoted at 64 shillings at London, E. O. Orchard."

"That will mean at least \$17 a ton here," said W. C. Southcott.

"It is \$13 a ton at Montreal," commented Mr. Daly. "and you have to unload the vessel and load the cars, in addition to paying freight. It will be some job."

"It will be some job," admitted the mayor, "but if we cannot get coal we must do something. Other cities have consulted coal dealers, and ordered a supply from Wales. We have got to provide coal unless we are assured that you can get it."

"Nobody can tell you what to do," replied Mr. Daly. "It is so unsettled."

Suggests Committee.

E. S. Little then suggested that a smaller committee be appointed to deal with the question, and his suggestion was accepted. The conference naming himself, Ald. Childs and John M. Daly. Mr. Little declared that the city could utilize the coal in city schools should the strike be settled, and Chester coal made available. The whole conference agreed that the best course is to order coal and work out details of distribution and price pending its delivery.

The presence of having bears bearing the coal from Wales bringing it up the lakes to Port Stanley was mentioned as a factor in reducing the price. The sub-committee appointed will meet again Tuesday to obtain data for presentation to the city council on Tuesday night, along with the recommendation that 10,000 tons of coal be ordered by the city.

The conference was presided over by Mayor Cameron Wilson, Ald. H. J. Childs, W. N. Manning, F. Harley, James Gray, John Bridge, C. R. May, E. S. Little, A. McLure, John W. W. J. G. Orchard, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, J. J. Foote, John Daly, Max Lerner, W. C. Southcott, and a representative of Hunt Bros.

CHATHAM ROTARIANS WILL ATTEND MEETING

Special to London Advertiser. CHATHAM, Aug. 3.—R. L. Stratton and A. A. McLeish of the Chatham Rotary Club will represent that body at the annual district conference of club presidents and secretaries of International Rotary in this district, and which will be held in Batavia, N. Y., on Aug. 11 and 12.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL SMALL OFFERING ON CITY MARKET

Majority of Farmers in District Busy With Oat Crop.

Friday's market was the smallest in some time, as the majority of farmers are busy with their oat crop, and have not the time to bring grain or produce to the city. It is also likely that Saturday morning market will be smaller than usual. On account of Monday being Civic Holiday, there will be no market.

Tomatoes continued to decline and sold at \$60¢ for 11-lb. baskets. Even at that price the demand was rather slow.

There was a poor market for potatoes on the market, and they sold at \$1.25 for 11-lb. baskets. The rain a few days ago hindered the digging of potatoes to a great extent, and they are not very plentiful.

There were a few baskets of cherries on the market, and they sold at \$1.25 for 11-lb. baskets. The demand was rather slow.

Apples were steady, with the demand not very strong. Only three loads of new hay were offered, they sold quickly at \$13.13 per ton.

No grain of any kind was offered. Eggs are extremely slow at 24¢ per dozen. Holsteins. Retail they are bringing 28¢ and 30¢.

Barley, per Cwt.
Barley, per Cwt. \$1.40 to \$1.56
Buckwheat, per Cwt. 1.40 to 1.50
Oats, new, per Cwt. 1.25 to 1.30
Oats, old, per Cwt. 1.00 to 1.10

Grain, per Bushel—
Wheat, per bushel 67 to 72
Oats, per bushel 50 to 55
Do, new, per bushel 51 to 58
Wheat, old, per bushel 20 to 28
Oats, old, per bushel 10 to 15

Hay, old, per ton 17.50 to 18.50
Hay, new, per ton 18.50 to 19.50
Straw, per ton 10.00 to 11.00

Fruit—
Apples, per bushel 75 to 80
Cherries, 11 qts. 1.25 to 1.35
Do 6 qts. 1.00 to 1.10
Gooseberries, box 25 to 30
Do 4-lb. basket 25 to 30
Do 11-lb. basket 1.00 to 1.10
Plums, 11 qts. 1.15 to 1.25
Do 6 qts. 1.00 to 1.10
Do 11-lb. basket 1.25 to 1.35
Raspberries, per box 20 to 25
Do 4-lb. basket 20 to 25
Thimbleberries, box 22 to 25

Beans, butter, 11 qts. 40 to 45
Beans, per doz. 40 to 45
Horse radish, each 5 to 10
Cabbages, each 5 to 10
Do, per doz. 50 to 60
Do, new, 50 to 60
Celery plants, box 25 to 30
Carrots, per doz. 35 to 40
Do, new, 35 to 40
Cucumbers, each 2 to 3
Do, per doz. 20 to 30
Do, new, 20 to 30
Lettuce, per bunch 10 to 15
Do, house, doz. 80 to 90
Do, green, doz. 80 to 90
Peas, per doz. 35 to 40
Do, new, 35 to 40
Peas, shelled, qt. 25 to 30
Do, pod, qt. 8 to 10
Do, new, 8 to 10
Radishes, per doz. 35 to 40
Rhubarb, per doz. 35 to 40
Tomatoes, per box 5 to 7
Do, 15 lbs. 50 to 60
Peppers, per doz. 25 to 30
Do, new, 25 to 30
Honey, 6-lb. pails 80 to 90
Do, strained, lb. 17 to 18
Do, 10-lb. pails 55 to 60
Honey, retail 27 to 30

Honey, 8-lb. pails 25 to 30
Do, comb, lb. 30 to 35
Do, 10-lb. pails 25 to 30
Butter, creamery, lb. 45 to 48
Do, dairy, lb. 45 to 48
Do, cream, lb. 35 to 38
Eggs, new-laid, doz. 30 to 35
Do, old, 25 to 30
Butter, creamery, lb. 40 to 45
Do, dairy, lb. 35 to 40
Do, cream, lb. 35 to 38
Eggs, doz. 30 to 35
Do, old, 25 to 30
Poultry, dressed, wholesale
Chickens, per lb. 30 to 35
Do, old, 25 to 30
Poultry, live
Chickens, per lb. 20 to 25
Do, old, 15 to 20
Ducks, per lb. 20 to 25
Geese, per lb. 18 to 20

Live Stock—
Hogs, per cwt. 12.50 to 13.00
Sows, fat, cwt. 9.00 to 9.50
Pigs, small, pair 10.00 to 11.00
Dressed, wholesale
Helfers and steers
800 to 1000 lbs. 11.00 to 12.00
Do 1000 to 1200 lbs. 10.00 to 11.00
Do 1200 to 1400 lbs. 9.00 to 10.00
Beef, hind, lb. 16 to 18
Do, front, lb. 15 to 16
Hogs, dressed, cwt. 19.00 to 20.00
Lamb, cwt. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 100 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 120 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 140 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 160 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 180 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
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Do, 860 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 880 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 900 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 920 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 940 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 960 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 980 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00
Do, 1000 lbs. 25.00 to 26.00

Wool, unwashed
Wool, unwashed, lb. 12 to 15
Do, fine, per lb. 18 to 18
Do, medium, lb. 15 to 15

PROVISIONS

Liverpool, Aug. 4.—Hams—Short cut, 122¢.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 111¢; Canadian, 108¢; short clear backs, 98¢; shoulders, 88¢.
Lard—Prime western, in tierces, cwt, 33¢; American refined, in pails, 28 lbs, 73¢; 6d.
Cheese—Canadian finest white, cwt, 58¢; do, colored, 87¢.

OILS
Liverpool, Aug. 4.—Turpentine Spirits 122¢.
Kerosene—No. 1, 44¢; No. 2, 1s 5d.
Rosin—Common, 14s 6d.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Butter—Unsalted; creamery, extra, 34¢; do, first, 29¢; 32¢.
Eggs—Unchanged; Receipts, 11,000 cases.

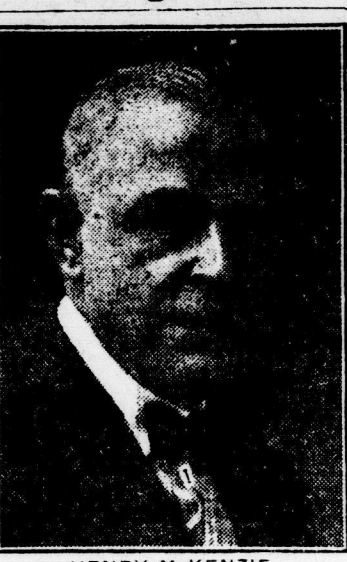
FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Toronto, Aug. 4.—White & Co. report the following wholesale selling prices of fruit and vegetables:
Cherries—Sours, 11 quarts, 75¢; 90¢; 150¢; 6 quarts, 75¢.
Gooseberries—Eleven quarts, \$1.25; 6 quarts, 75¢.
Currants—Black, 11 quarts, \$2.00; 6 quarts, 1.00; 11 quarts, \$1.25; 6 quarts, 75¢.
Plums—11 quarts, 40¢; 6 quarts, 30¢.
Peaches—Eleven quarts, 50¢; 6 quarts, 40¢.
Rhubarb—\$1.75; 2.25.
Apples—40¢; 50¢.
Lettuce—41¢.
Corn—Green, 20¢ per dozen.
Peppers—Green, 50¢.
Cabbage—41¢.
Turnips—First, 75¢; second, 40¢.
Peas—75¢.
Beans—30¢.

GRAIN
Liverpool, Aug. 4.—Wheat—Spot, No. 1 northern, 12s 6d; No. 3, 11s 7d; No. 2 hard winter, 11s 4d.
Do—Spot, American mixed, new, 8s 8d.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Wheat took a de-

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MR. HENRY MCKENZIE, formerly general manager for Cuddy Packing Company of Canada, manufacturers of Old Dutch Cleanser, soaps, etc., and latterly managing director of the Dominion Chocolate Company, has joined Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Limited, and is in charge of the sales of their chocolate department.

Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Limited, are large stockholders in the Loraine Chocolate Corporation, Limited, and control the sales of the Loraine products.

5 Steel of Can. pld. 90
27 Winnipeg Railway 37 1/2
100 Connaught 120
120 McIntyre 1765 1750 1750
Banks, etc.
117 Commercial 187 186 187
9 Standard 193 194
2 Union 135
2 National Trust 198

TORONTO MEN PURCHASE NEWSPAPER AT OSHAWA

Report Ontario Reformer, One of the Oldest Provincial Journals, Sold.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—Announcement is made today that the Ontario Reformer of Oshawa has been sold to Messrs. J. C. Ross and J. Ewart Mackay of Toronto, who take possession Sept. 1.

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7 ONLY STRIPE FLANNEL SUITS, in rose and white, green and white, gray and white, yellow and white. Regular \$18.75 to \$23.00, for **\$10.00**

12 ONLY FLANNEL AND JERSEY COMBINATION SUITS, plain and pleated skirts, Tuxedo and tailored coats. Regular \$18.50 to \$20.75, for **\$12.75**

14 ONLY RAJAH SILK SUITS, embroidered and tailored styles. Regular \$20.00 to \$25.00, for **\$10.85**

5 ONLY SILK COATS, in black, navy, brown and taupe shades, trimmed with fancy stitching and buttons:

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2 Dresses, regular \$10.50, for \$8.50
2 Dresses, regular \$14.50, for \$11.50
2 Dresses, regular \$15.75, for \$11.50
8 Dresses, regular \$17.50, for \$12.75
1 Dress, regular \$18.00, for \$13.00
17 Dresses, regular \$18.00 to \$19.00, for \$14.50
1 Dress, regular \$22.00, for \$15.50
2 Dresses, regular \$22.50, for \$16.50
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See Window Display.



Saturday—Fruit Bon-Bons, 56c lb.

100 lbs. assorted. While they last 56c lb.
Chocolate Bars and Creamy Toffee 6 for 25c
O'Henry Bar 10c, 3 for 25c

In the Linen Section

IRISH EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES, 79c EACH
Here's a particularly attractive special for Saturday, in superior quality linen finished slips, scalloped or hemstitched, with dainty embroidered ends, full size, 44-inch, 20 dozen in all, assorted designs. Special 79c each, 6 for \$4.50

IRISH EMBROIDERED BED SPREADS REDUCED
Balance of this season's numbers, some are slightly mused, lovely quality, linen finished spreads, in both double and single sizes; also a few English printed spreads in the lot. 14 only Embroidered Spreads, full 90 x 100 inches, for double beds, heavy linen finished cotton, embroidered in neat designs. Sale price, \$5.95 each
12 only, size 2 x 3 1/2 yards. Sale price \$4.95 each

8 only, English Printed Cretonne Spreads, in shades of blue and green color combinations, very pretty spreads, size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2, to clear at \$2.98 each
SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

STAPLES FOR SATURDAY SHOPPERS

BROCADE OILCLOTH SQUARES make a lovely cover for the kitchen table, save your linens and always use them; pretty patterns, blues, greens, browns, one and a half yards square \$1.00 each
FINE NAINSOOK, a pure, soft, white lingerie cotton, indeed a beautiful cotton is this nainsook, a value you will like for pretty undergarments, 36 inches 39c yard

Toilet Soaps

Vinolia Borate Cold Cream Soap 3 for 50c
Lifebuoy Soap 3 for 25c
Wright's Coal Tar Soap 3 for 45c
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap, large size, per cake 25c
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap, guest room size 10c cake
Fairy Soap 10c cake
Main Aisle.

FACTORY COTTON, another great sale here of good quality, fine weave, unbleached cotton; we will sell some hundreds of yards at price offered; don't miss it; for underwear, children's wear, pillow slips, aprons, etc. 15c yard, 7 yards for \$1.00

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14 TO 17
Summer Outing Shirts, in plain shades; woven madras, etc. All with soft double cuffs; many with collar to match. A bargain tomorrow. Sale price \$2.19

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chewan Parliament buildings at the head of the main companionway on board the Regina. The shield itself is of sterling silver, mounted on oak. The crest shows the royal crown—a sign of loyalty—while on the upper half of the shield is the buffalo—the former master of

the prairies; and on the lower half, in beaten gold, a sheaf of wheat, which represents the source from which the prosperity of Regina comes, and is symbolic of the city as being in the centre of the richest wheat-growing district of the Dominion.

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