

## TWENTY THOUSAND VACCINATED AT WINDSOR

### Veterans Appoint Committee To Probe Member's Death

#### THOUSANDS VACCINATED TO PUT CHECK ON EPIDEMIC

Health Authorities in Border Cities Adopt Drastic Precautionary Measures.

#### NOW UNDER CONTROL

Essex County Municipalities Have Ordered All School Children Vaccinated.

Canadian Press Despatch. Windsor, Feb. 26.—Although one more death, that of Merilda Meloche, 29, was reported within the past 24 hours, few new cases of smallpox have been reported in the border cities.

Public schools of Windsor will be kept open, but rigid precautions will be taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The board of education has engaged three extra nurses one to be stationed in the Collegiate Institute and others in Prince Edward and Assumption schools.

Those who wish to attend community concerts or other social gatherings at night must present vaccination certificates. It is estimated that in the neighborhood of 20,000 persons have been vaccinated in the border cities and suburbs today. The board of health at Essex had ordered all school children to be vaccinated. This is merely a precaution as there are no cases in the town. No cases of smallpox have been found in Windsor schools, although Frank Allen, 9, a pupil of Prince Edward School, succumbed to diphtheria. He was sent home Feb. 16, and the room he attended was Please See Page 2, Column 4.

#### COUNTY COUNCILLORS ATTEND CONVENTION

More Than Half of Middlesex Council Go to "Good Roads" Gathering.

The importance of the Ontario Good Roads convention being held in Toronto this week, is evidenced by the fact that over half the members of the Middlesex County council are in attendance.

Members of the board of road directors who were asked to make the trip are: Warren C. C. Henry, Metcalfe; J. N. Sullivan, Adelaide Township; R. T. Rye, Biddulph Township; A. L. McDougall, Carleton Place; W. Calvert, Dorchester; D. Gordon, Delaware; B. Galbraith, Ekfrid; T. G. Turnbull, Lobo; A. C. Hodges, London Township; F. J. James, Moss; D. Lewis, McGillicray; Hugh Jones, Missouri; W. S. Laidlaw, Westminster; Wm. Ross, East Williams; A. MacPherson, Glencoe and Thos. Elliott, West Williams.

#### SOCIAL GATHERING IN BELMONT CHURCH

Agricultural Short Course Students To Hold Banquet at End of Lectures.

The Belmont short course in agriculture conducted since last November under the direction of the Middlesex branch of the department of agriculture will come to a conclusion Friday night with a banquet in the basement of the Methodist Church at Belmont.

The short course has been attended by over 50 students, and has been a wonderful success. W. R. Graham of the poultry department, O. A. C. Guelph, will be the special speaker at the banquet, which will be presided over by John Farrell.

#### Newsy Bits From Today's Classified Ads.

- Modern apartment to let.
- Girl for housework wanted.
- Oak desk for sale.
- Comfortable rooms to let.
- Brooch lost.
- Agents wanted.



HON. A. B. COPP, secretary of the government, is not going to resign from the government. Moreover, he has no present desire for either a judicial or senatorial appointment. Mr. Copp, who returned from New Brunswick this morning, denied absolutely rumors of his retirement from the government, which were circulated following a conference between him and Premier Bennett of New Brunswick and other prominent Liberals of that province on Saturday last.

#### BUSINESS OUTLOOK GROWS FAVORABLE

Five Assignments, However, Were Made in London Last Month.

Although five assignments were made in London during the month, the industrial future is brighter at this moment than it has been in three years, Edward W. Cairns, manager of Bradstreet here, believes. "It seems peculiar," Mr. Cairns said, "that a record number of failures should be recorded at a period when everything is fairly optimistic, but the explanation is not difficult to find. When rock bottom was reached by industry concerns remained open for long periods in the hope that before the inevitable date of closing something would turn up. That depressing period is now at an end, but those who suffered severely will continue making assignments for an indefinite time."

The only failure of importance was that of the Clark Machinery Company, 564 Bathurst street. The other four were relatively small concerns. This year will undoubtedly prove to be much better than any of the preceding three," Mr. Cairns said. "There is a feeling of optimism not noticeable for many months. Spring trade will take on a new impetus and commerce will get off to a flying start this year, if indications are correct."

#### COUNTRY PATIENTS FILL THE HOSPITAL

Doctors From Rural Districts Say Grippe and "Flu" Very Prevalent.

Winter maladies are apparently more prevalent in country districts than in the city, according to several physicians practicing in rural districts, who were at Victoria Hospital today.

One doctor reported that in almost every farm house within a radius of several miles of his home a patient is suffering from some form of winter illness, such as flu or pneumonia. The severity of the winter is given as the cause for the prevalence of the illnesses. Victoria Hospital has been filled to capacity for the past month, but the majority of the patients are from the country. No one variety of illness predominates at the hospital, the majority of patients suffering from influenza or grippe.

#### LEAKY WATER MAIN WILL BE TRANSFERRED

Pipe Which Caused C. N. R. Washout To Be Moved in Spring.

As soon as the weather permits the 10-inch main which by a leak caused a portion of the railway embankment near the Coves to wash away on Saturday, will be removed and placed under the bridge about 100 yards distant from its present location. Referring to the matter this morning, Mr. Buchanan stated that the pipe, which ran under the embankment from side to side, was in too difficult a position to move at present, but that when the frost was out of the ground the work would be done.

#### DELORME'S SISTER NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE COURT

Evidence as to Raoul's Will Is Given When Trial Resumed.

#### POLICY PRODUCED

Insurance Man Testifies as to Time and Amount of Policy Issued.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, Feb. 26.—Despite her energetic protests that she had emigrated at home to take, Rosa Delorme, full sister of Abba Delorme, was not allowed to leave the court room when recess was taken this morning in the trial of the priest on a charge of murdering his half-brother, Raoul, on Jan. 6, 1922. Rosa was in the middle of her testimony as a crown witness at the time. She was accommodated with a private room by the sheriff.

At the opening Jules Lalonde, clerk in the office of Adrien Belanger, notary, was examined as to the date the abbe deposited Raoul's will with the firm. Mr. Lalonde said it was more than a month before the young man was murdered. To Alban Germain, for the defence, Mr. Lalonde said he could not swear whether the will was deposited in September, November or December, 1921. The will was in a sealed envelope when Father Delorme handed it to him.

Signed Raoul's Will. Dr. M. A. Renaud, who practices medicine at Bouchette, Quebec, testified to having signed Raoul's will. This was, he believed, around February 3, 1921, in the Ottawa General Hospital, in the presence of Raoul, who was in bed. He was asked to do so by Rev. Father Rheume, at that time head of Ottawa College, who Raoul was attending. He met the accused in the corridor. Raoul read the will to him in a low voice, but he did not recall that he understood it properly. The incident took place in the morning, just before Raoul was operated on for appendicitis.

To Mr. Germain, the doctor said he was not in a position to say whether he acted as witness on February 5, 6, 7 or 8, but as far as his memory went it was on the morning that young man was operated on. Mr. Calder then announced the crown would admit that the operation on Raoul took place February 7, 1921, according to the hospital register. This would save the calling of the sister who kept the record. Mr. Germain accepted the statement.

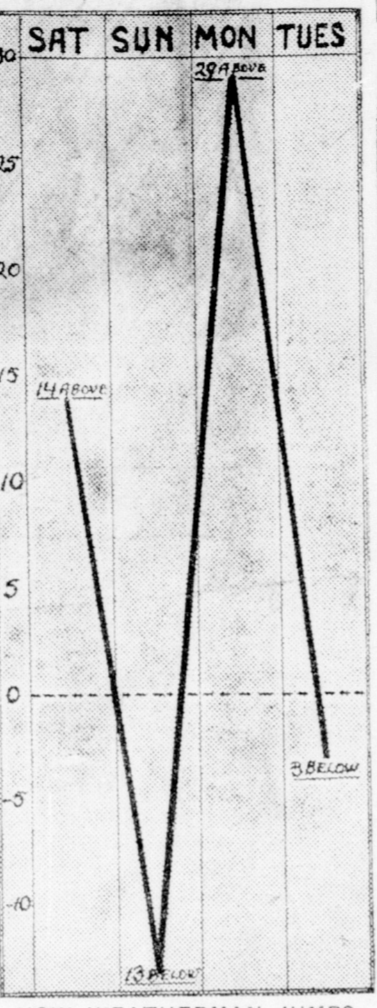
Call Insurance Man. Mr. Calder said Manager Rheume would appear tomorrow to complete the crown's testimony regarding the signing of the will. Orlan Blau, of the local superior court, produced the original copy of spring in the air all morning.

#### Preliminary Drive Ended; Real Race Now Underway



RUSSEL PREETER. Mr. Preeter was one of the first to enroll in The Advertiser contest, and from the start he has not missed a day in securing new and renewal subscriptions. Mr. Preeter bids fair to become a strong contestant for the major prize in his district. All Zurich stands behind him.

STEAMER ARRIVALS. Westphalia, New York, from Hamburg. Columbia, New York, from Glasgow.



HOW WEATHERMAN JUMPS. The Weatherman has been a very uncertain gentleman since Saturday. On Saturday he thought 14 degrees above zero was all right. A few hours later he shot down 27 degrees to 13 below zero—the coldest weather in four years. Then he changed his mind suddenly and climbed 42 degrees on Monday to 29 above zero. Monday night he had another lapse and drifted down again to 6 below zero. At 8 o'clock in the morning things stood at 3 below zero, as shown above. The next move will probably be a thundersnow.

#### MERCURY ROMPS IN VARIED HEIGHTS

The Temperature Falls to Six Degrees Below Zero This Morning.

Mistakes have become a habit with weather forecasters of late, and yesterday was not an exception. The official weather bureau, known by reputation as the most reliable prophet in existence, said today would be comparatively mild with lowering temperatures last night. Frozen milk bottles this morning testified to the fallacy of believing forecasters. The mercury sank to six below early this morning and rose to sixteen above near noon hour. For the first time in weeks, however, a burning sun came out, and this, experts allege, is the first symptom of spring. In fact, there was a distinct tang of spring in the air all morning.

#### LUDENDORFF UNRUFFLED AS TREASON CHARGE READ

Former Field Marshal and Nine Associates Placed on Trial Today.

#### HEARING IN SECRET

Strenuous Measures Taken by German Authorities To Prevent Outbreak.

Associated Press Despatch. Munich, Bavaria, Feb. 26.—The sanguinary events of last November became again a topic of intense public interest today with the opening of the trial of former Field Marshal Ludendorff and his nine associates for their parts in the attempt to overthrow the government.

While provisions for the press have been made in the military academy, where the trial is being held, the most important of the testimony will be taken behind closed doors, and the public sittings are not expected to develop much in addition to the facts already published. The proceedings are expected to consume but a few days.

The Nationalist "putsch" was extremely short-lived. The prisoners each have separate rooms in the military academy which is used as a temporary court house, and the authorities are said to have taken strenuous measures in an effort to break the strike and keep the prisoners in good condition for appearance in court. They were offered pretzels, cheese sauerkraut, rye bread, wieners, beer and other things for which Bavaria is famous, but drank the beer only and declined to partake of the food.

Hitler to Testify. The proceedings today are expected to be devoted chiefly to the preliminaries of the trial and hearing Hitler give testimony in his own behalf.

General Ludendorff appeared in court today in a civilian suit of dark material and wearing the iron cross of the first class. He was perhaps the coolest and most collected among the defendants. The only one of the accused who appeared in uniform was Lieut. Wagner, who is an active officer in the Reichswehr. General Ludendorff, who has been at liberty, shook hands with Hitler when they met in the defendants' lobby. Please See Page 2, Column 3.

#### COUNTY SAVES MONEY IN HEATING OFFICES

Middlesex Officials Install Steam Heating Plant in Registry Office.

The cost of heating the county registry office, which has been as high as \$62 a month, will be reduced to \$20 a month and possibly less as the result of a consultation at the county buildings by a committee of the county council. It was decided to link up the registry office with the court house heating system and thereby reduce expenses to the minimum. The contract was let to the Wright, Teale Company. The office has been heated by one large base burner stove and by means of small electric heaters. The hydro bill for one month was \$45 and a ton of coal was also used. This meant an expenditure of \$62 on the part of the county, and it was far too much in the opinion of all concerned. The matter came before the county council at the January session and changes were authorized, should the committee deem fit.

#### HOUSE VOTES INCREASE IN ESTATE TAXES

Change Is Bitterly Opposed by Republican Organization Leaders.

Associated Press Despatch. Washington, Feb. 25.—An increase in the estate or inheritance taxes was voted today by the house in amending the revenue bill for 1918. The change, proposed by Representative Ramseyer, Republican, of Iowa, was bitterly opposed by Republican organization leaders. The vote was 139 to 110, most of the Democrats joining Republican insurgents in support of the amendment which raises the maximum rate from 25 to 40 per cent.

#### Western Ontario Responds To Alberta Coal Petition And Hundreds Are Signing

Five New Points Report Splendid Progress Being Made in Work.

#### BOARDS OF TRADE AID

Enthusiastic Reports From All Sections Received—Splendid Co-operation Given.

Woodstock, Ingersoll, Petrolia, Owen Sound and Deception are among the latest Ontario points to report progress of the Alberta coal petition. In Woodstock and Ingersoll the petition has received the support of the Sentinel-Review's staff correspondent reports an enthusiastic reception of the idea.

Signed forms are now coming back to the advertiser offices and every day the pile of signatures is growing. From present indications London alone will send several thousand names of citizens demanding action.

Special to The Advertiser. Petrolia, Feb. 25.—Ready response marks the signing of The Advertiser's Alberta coal petition which has been endorsed by the local town. Several assistance and everyone is loud in praise of the great work which The Advertiser is doing in bringing this important matter to the attention of the premier of Canada.

Special to The Advertiser. Deception, Ont., Feb. 25.—Everyone is signing the petition for Alberta coal. One man who signed comes from Calgary. He said the petition is a most effective plan to promote the welfare of both provinces. Passengers on a snow-blocked train here a few nights ago all signed the petition.

#### OTTAWA TO PROBE BANK'S CONDITION

Will Conduct Investigation Into Status During Years of War.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Feb. 25.—The personnel of the commission which will investigate the failure of the Home Bank has not been decided. By an order-in-council issued today, the government rules that under the Public Inquiries Act a probe will be conducted into the status of the Home Bank in 1915, 1916 and 1918, when the minister of finance is said to have failed to recognize representations made to him by responsible citizens concerning the financial standing of the bank.

Representations have been made by depositors' claim that if the government of the day had availed itself of its right to search into the conduct of the bank in 1915, 1916 or 1918 continued operations as a chartered bank probably would have been forbidden. They contend that suspension then would have resulted in a winding-up with very little loss to depositors. On the assumption that the government of the day refrained from questioning the solvency of the Home Bank because such interference would have undermined public confidence during the war time, the shareholders claim that the country as a whole should bear the loss.

#### FIRE IN A COAL YARD CAUSES \$2,000 DAMAGE

Blaze in Motor Room of Chantler Bros. Destroys Valuable Property.

Fire causing damage estimated at \$2,000 broke out in the Chantler Brothers Coal Company premises, 263 Bathurst street, shortly before 10 o'clock this morning. The origin of the fire is unknown. A portion of the motor room where a rotary saw cuts wood was badly damaged, the motor which drives the saw being almost a complete loss. This part of the building is removed from the main section and consequently the fire gained rapid headway before an alarm was sent to the central fire hall. The alarm was received at 10 o'clock and two lines of hose were laid. The fire was extinguished in half an hour.

COMMISSIONER LAMB, of the Salvation Army who refused a knighthood offered by the British parliament in recognition of his services to the Empire.

#### QUESTION REASONS SICK MAN KEPT OUT

G.W.V.A. Selects Committee to Investigate Alleged Refusal at Victoria Hospital.

#### BUILDING CROWDED

Authorities State Bed Was Not Available at Time of Request.

An investigation into the death of Thomas M. Edwards will be undertaken by a committee of members of the G. W. V. A., chosen at an executive meeting held last night in the G. W. V. A. "Dugout." The investigation will be to determine why Edwards, a member of the G. W. V. A. and the 142nd Battalion, could not be taken in at Victoria Hospital a week ago when he was on the point of death. He was, when admission was refused him at Victoria Hospital, taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he died the following day of pneumonia.

The committee appointed at a secret meeting of the executive last night, will likely demand that an investigation be undertaken by the city council. According to hospital authorities, Thomas Edwards was refused admission to the hospital because no accommodations were available. The hospital has been filled to capacity for the past month, and it has been impossible to secure rooms for a patient upon short notice. Efforts were made by members of the hospital staff to secure a room for Mr. Edwards when application was made and when it was found it was impossible to accommodate the dying man, his family and George Turner, secretary of the G. W. V. A., were notified, and advised to have the patient removed to St. Joseph's Hospital.

#### BOARD OF HEALTH TO CONTROL NURSES

But Premier Ferguson Says He Will Effect Change "Smoothly."

Special to The Advertiser By a Staff Reporter. Toronto, Feb. 26.—While the government proposes to place board of education nurses under the direct control of the board of health, Premier Ferguson gave assurance today that it is the intention of his department to effect this change smoothly and without dissension in either the education or health boards.

The premier insists that there shall be complete co-operation between the two bodies, and assures that there shall be no attempt whatever to ride roughshod over the board of education authorities, who evidently feel at the moment that the option should remain with them. "Everything will be done smoothly," the premier stated, "and we expect that the two departments will work together in their various communities."

The premier referred to a communication at hand today from Mr. Hugh Stevenson, the former member for London, expressing satisfaction with the government's stand in this direction and explaining that he had always held that opinion. "I certainly think if we have to pay so much on this account, we should be able to get a change to secure the contract. The city engineer could tender and if successful it would mean that many of London's citizens would be able to get work. It would be a good move on the part of the government to call for tenders in this way and allow the work done by the municipalities that pay, if at all possible."

#### MAYOR APPROVES PLAN TO LOWER ROAD COSTS

Thinks Cities Should Be Allowed To Tender For Highway Maintenance.

That the city of London should tender on road construction and be given an equal chance with other firms and individuals is the opinion of Mayor George Wenige. The mayor went on record as favoring this following the announcement of the charges for road construction levied against the city by the government.

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LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 29; lowest, -1. The official temperatures for the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 16; lowest, -6. Barometric Reading. Monday—3 p.m.—29.61. Today—29.55.

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TO COMMEMORATE PAARDEBURG

PUBLIC IS INVITED TO CELEBRATION OF PAARDEBURG

R. C. R. Troops Will Troop Colors at Armories Tomorrow Morning.

WILL PLACE WREATHS

An invitation for the public to attend the special celebration commemorating the battle of Paardeburg on its 24th anniversary has been extended by Lieut.-Col. their D.S.O., officer commanding the Royal Canadian Regiment here.

At 11:45 tomorrow morning the R. C. R. troops in their full dress uniforms, the standard used in this ceremony is that given the second special service battalion, R. C. R., by King Edward VII. on their return from South Africa to Canada. Brig-Gen. King, O. C. No. 1, will inspect the regiment, after which it will be marched to the soldiers' monument at Victoria Park.

When the troops march to the park several wreaths will be laid at the foot of the soldiers' monument by patriotic societies in the city.

DEPUTY GRAND MASTER VISITS ASHLAR LODGE

Ashlar Lodge, No. 610, of Byron, was the recipient last night of a visit from the district deputy grand master of London district, Rt. Wor. Bro. Thomas Martin of Denfield. Wor. Master Merion and his officers performed degree work and were warmly commended for its excellence.

Ashlar Lodge is the youngest in the district, but has attained remarkable growth since its inception. Short addresses were given by Deputy Grand Master Martin, Rt. Wor. Bros. Noble, Wallace and Wor. Bros. Smith and Love.

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ATTEND CONVENTION. School Trustees A. N. Udy, Rev. Quintin Warner and Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt and Inspector G. A. Wheelie left for the annual convention of the Urban School Trustees Association. Several matters of interest locally will be discussed during the meetings, which will close until Friday.

FOUND—A DIAMOND WRIST WATCH AND CLUSTER DIAMOND RING The wrist watch is 13k white gold with diamonds in the bezel, looks as if it were worth \$150. The ring has 12 blue white diamonds, total weighing over 1 carat; looks like \$250. They are a find because the watch costs only \$65 and the ring \$115. Selling for an estate, by John A. Nash, My Jeweler, London and Windsor. "Where you will eventually buy."—Advt.

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GENERAL LUDENDORFF, former German war lord, is on trial in Munich this week, charged with treason in connection with the Bavarian "putsch" of last November.

TARIFF EXTENSION URGED BY BOARD

Hamilton Controllers Want a Greater Protection For Industries.

Canadian Press Dispatch. Hamilton, Feb. 25.—The Hamilton board of control this afternoon adopted a resolution urging the federal government to provide greater tariff protection for industries. Special reference was made to the fact that owing to outside competition a large Hamilton concern, the Libby Owens Sheet Glass Company, had been forced to close down.

The resolution was drafted following reports of the industrial commissioner. The resolution also sets forth that during the past three years "industrial conditions have been such that many large and important industries have been forced to close their doors, while others have been so badly crippled that they are now operating on short time or with greatly reduced staffs and are threatened with total extinction, chiefly because of depreciated foreign currencies.

DOMINIONS ARE BUYING FEWER BRITISH BOOTS Nearly 8,000,000 Pairs of Decrease in Shipments in Ten Years.

Associated Press Dispatch. London, Feb. 26.—While the value of the British export of boots last year was the same as in 1913, the number of pairs of boots exported in 1923 decreased 8,000,000, compared with the number exported in 1913, according to a statement made by the president of the Northampton Boot Manufacturers' Association at the association's annual meeting today. He said he doubted whether it was possible to regain the lost trade.

The dominions refused to have British-made boots, the president said, and a minister of the Australian government had told him that if a 40 per cent tariff was not sufficient to keep out British boots, 50 per cent would be imposed, Canada was clamoring for an increased tariff, he added, and in the present state of European exchange an increase in the British boot exports was very unlikely.

LUDENDORFF CALM AS TRIAL PROCEEDS

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dock before the opening of court, and held brief conversation. Hitler showed plainly the strain of the excitement he was laboring under, while General Ludendorff apparently was not ruffled in the least.

No Excitement Apparent. No excitement is apparent in the city, although the road leading to the military academy is blocked by barbed wire and armed patrols, the police hold up everyone and demand that passes be shown.

After General Ludendorff's arrival the president of the court read the extremely lengthy indictment, the reading lasting an hour and a half. All the defendants, with the exception of one, are charged with high treason. The exception is Lieut. Furnet, accused of aiding the others.

DELORME'S SISTER HELD IN COURTROOM

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Raoul's \$25,000 life insurance policy, dated January 1, 1922.

OLLAR-BONE BROKEN. Special to The Advertiser. Teeswater, Feb. 25.—Mrs. S. E. Jeffrey fell during the ladies' race at the carnival and sustained a broken collar-bone.

THE "HOTEL BIRRELL" IS NO RITZ-CARLTON

Anyone Going Merely For a Night's Rest Is Out of Luck.

SERVICE BELOW PAR While Salvation Army Hostel Is Quarantined, "Down-and-Outers" Are Lost.

The police station is not a popular abode for "down-and-outers," who have to resort to the benevolence of public institutions for a night's lodging. According to Salvation Army officials, since their industrial home has been placed in quarantine for measles, and they can offer no place of sleep for the night, they suggest the police station as the best possible "rooms for the night" to those who plead no home and no friends.

For the past week the Salvation Army have been unable to take in refugees, and although they supply applicants with food, they send them to the police station to spend a night's rest. This plan has not met with the approval of the Salvation Army habitues who claim the police station is not a comfortable place to spend the night. They confined a comfortable bed is not offered them and they sink to the level of prisoners.

THOUSANDS SUBMIT TO BEING VACCINATED

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thoroughly disinfected. No other diphtheria cases developed. Arrangements for free vaccination have been made by the medical health officer of Tecumseh and Sandwich East. No cases of smallpox have been discovered in the past week. The American authorities are expected to place a quarantine restriction on Canadians entering the United States at Detroit. Certificates of vaccination must be presented.

DOCTORS AT FERRY. Associated Press Dispatch. Detroit, Feb. 25.—Eight physicians and six nurses are to be stationed on the ferry docks here to meet arrivals from the Ontario border cities where a mild epidemic of smallpox is prevalent. All persons landing here who cannot show a certificate indicating they have been vaccinated within the last seven days will be asked to submit an inoculation or be refused admittance. This plan was announced today by Dr. Henry F. Vaughan, city health commissioner, to protect the residents of Detroit from contracting the disease. A booth will be established on the docks, Dr. Vaughan said.

VACCINATION URGED. Special to The Advertiser. Toronto, Feb. 25.—"We want to impress upon the public the importance of vaccination against smallpox," said Dr. Charles J. Hastings, medical officer of health today, in announcing that the department was arranging for the opening of public vaccination stations, where the applicants may undergo the operation.

The first of these will be opened at St. Lawrence Hall the day after tomorrow, and others will be opened later. Dr. Hastings said.

Dr. W. S. McCullough, provincial health officer, said he would further reports on the smallpox situation in Windsor and vicinity since yesterday morning. A deputation of medical health officers from the border cities will confer with Dr. McCullough today.

FAIL TO CONFIRM REPORT VALCARTIER CAMP SALE

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—No confirmation was available here tonight of the statement originating in Quebec that the federal government intends to sell Valcartier Camp to the Quebec provincial government. It is believed that some preliminary negotiations have occurred with this end in view, but nothing could be learned about them here tonight.

PRES. OBREGON ORDERS OPENING OF MANZANILLO

Mexico City, Feb. 25.—Manzanillo will be opened to international traffic next Thursday under instructions given by President Obregon to the ministry of communication. Replies are being actively made on the Colima railway line from both ends.

Gen. Joaquin Amaro, chief of operations in dividing the military operations from Guadaluajara. He is sending forward eight military trains under command of Gen. Eulogio Ortiz and Enrique Leon. These forces are believed to have joined the troops of Gen. Lazaro Cardenas at Ciudad Guzman.

FIFTH BIG FIRE IN 48 HOURS BREAKS OUT AT ROCHESTER

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Spectacular burning of the Theatre office building on Main street west this afternoon made a total of five big fires in this city within the last 48 hours. The total loss caused by the fire is estimated at \$215,000.



WINSTON CHURCHILL

Church News TALBOT STREET SERVICES.

The special evangelistic services at Talbot Street Baptist Church are being continued for a fifth week. In view of this, other evening meetings of the congregations are not being held. The services continue to meet with splendid success.

ALL SAINTS' A. Y. P. A.

The interesting program given at last night's meeting of the A. Y. P. A. of All Saints' Church last night had as its chief feature an illustrated address on the Highlands of Scotland given by the president, Tom Boyie. A sing-song of Scottish songs was an appropriate accompaniment. The members are planning to entertain the A. Y. P. A. from Thamesford at their meeting next Monday.

ASKIN ST. LEAGUE.

Mr. Dan McArthur of the postoffice gave an illustrated address on "Postal Service" at the meeting of the Askin Street Methodist Church Epworth League last night. Dr. Le Roy Hiles, the president, was chairman of the occasion.

FIRST METHODIST LEAGUE.

Resolved: Canadian immigration (Saxons) was the subject of the debate at the meeting of the First Methodist Church Young People's Society at the regular meeting of the latter last night. The resolution was given to the members of the society by Mr. McTavish and Mr. Black of First Methodist Church. Mr. Young and Mr. McKenzie represented Haje Street. The judges were Rev. L. W. Reid, Mr. McArthur and Mr. Scott. During the evening several selections were given by the orchestra of First Methodist Church Sunday School, and at the conclusion, refreshments were served.

ENTERTAINMENT AT WESTMINSTER.

Under the direction of Robert Liddle, junior ladies of the Y. M. C. A. and the A. Y. P. A. of St. James' Church provided a splendid entertainment for the patients at Westminster Hospital last night. Gordon Butler directed the Y. M. C. A. members in an exhibition of calisthenics and other stunts which formed the program of the early part of the evening. Later, there was a dance with music by the hospital orchestra under the leadership of Miss Green. Refreshments between dances by Miss Lulu Somerville were enjoyed enthusiastically each time. The A. Y. P. A. was represented by about 40 members.

HYATT AVENUE LEAGUE.

Members of Hyatt Avenue Epworth League held an enjoyable to-bogganing party at Chelsea Green last night. Later they returned to the Sunday School where refreshments were served. In the direction of Miss Zetta Chown, convener of the social committee.

ROBINSON MEMORIAL LEAGUE.

The Epworth League of Robinson Memorial Methodist Church, at their regular meeting last night, passed a strong resolution opposing the right enforcement of the present Ontario temperance act and expressing the firm conviction that a referendum at the present time was unnecessary. The action came as the result of an address delivered by Mrs. W. H. Paddell, president of the local branch of the W. C. T. U. Other items on the evening's program were solos by Messrs. Abrams and Bradley.

WELLINGTON STREET LEAGUE.

Mr. C. S. Way was the speaker at last night's meeting of the Wellington Street Young People's League. Mr. Way gave an splendid address on the topic: "Community Interests and Industries." Arthur Wright was in charge of the meeting.

LACK OF THE GOSPEL.

All members present entered into the discussion of the topic at last night's meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Church of Christ, Disciples. The subject was: "Half the World in Need of the Gospel. What Shall We Do?" Five papers were given on present conditions in China, India, Japan, Africa, Latin-America, and a strong paper also on the immigrant foreigners in Canada.

MAITLAND STREET B. Y. P. U. An illustrated lecture on the development of self-supporting industries in India formed the chief feature of an interesting program given at last night's meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union of Maitland Street Church.

LONDON TRUSTEES VISITING GUELPH AND KITCHENER

Members of Board of Education Are Pleased With the Guelph Collegiate.

GATHER NEW IDEAS

Special to The Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent.

Kitchener, Feb. 26.—Members of London's board of education arrived in this city at noon today on a tour of inspection of high schools in order that concrete ideas may be obtained before proceeding definitely with two new colleges in the Forest City.

The party, consisting of Chairman Bryden Campbell, Dr. A. J. Grant, Principal E. A. Miller and Schools Architect L. E. Carrothers, spent the morning in Guelph inspecting the new collegiate in that city. This afternoon they visited the new Kitchener-Waterloo building. Speaking of the Guelph collegiate, Mr. Miller stated that the general impression made on the party was good. The building is located on 4 1/2 acres of ground and is of red brick, containing some 29 classrooms, in addition to science and art rooms. Two small gymnasiums, a large auditorium with a capacity of 2,000, and a swimming pool complete the structure. Referring to the pool, Mr. Miller stated that it was too bad that the builders had cramped the gymnasium space for the pool.

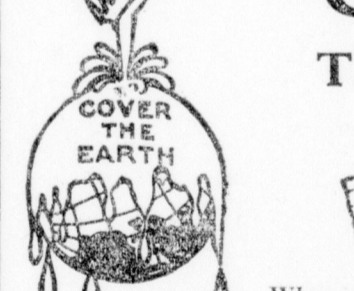
Referring to the art room, the visitor stated that, in his opinion, it was one of the best-equipped in the province, if not the best. The science rooms also were well equipped, and all rooms well lighted. Several ideas were assimilated by the visitors at Guelph, where the cost of the building was \$365,000.

At the local school the visitors found a structure containing a total of 39 rooms, built at a total cost of \$460,000. The visitors would not commit themselves before leaving for London, but expressed admiration of the new school.

SALVATIONISTS IN U. S. DISCUSS SECESSION

Associated Press Dispatch. New York, Feb. 25.—Secession of the United States branch of the Salvation Army from the parent organization in England today was seen by officers of the army as a possible result of the recent action in London of Gen. Bramwell Booth in approving orders calling upon officers to quit secret societies to which they belong and prohibiting them from making such affiliations in the future. It was declared by some officers that a large number of their comrades in this country were members of secret organizations, and that compliance with the orders from London eventually would lead to secession or complete paralysis of the United States branch.

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CHARLES MITTON ISSUES WRIT AGAINST COMPANY

Buchner and Ramsay have issued a county court writ on behalf of Charles Mitton of Windsor against the London Motors, Limited, for refusal of an agreement to take shares in the defendant company and for payment to the plaintiff of all money paid on account of the shares, with interest.

RIGNEY NOT YET READY. Kingston, Feb. 25.—Crown-Attorney Rigney is not yet ready to go on with the case against the Queen's University masked students who assaulted and kidnapped F. B. Pense, newspaper reporter, last week. The summons have not yet issued.

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# JUDGMENT RESERVED IN APPEALS OF TWO STORES

## MUNICIPAL BOARD HEARS APPEALS AGAINST TAXES

Members of Board Will Inspect Smallman & Ingram's and Kingsmill's.

### DESCRIBE BUSINESS

Can the Smallman & Ingram and T. F. Kingsmill stores be classed as departmental stores? The city of London claims they are, while Major Gordon Ingram and T. F. Kingsmill say they aren't. Judgment was reserved on the question this morning by Vice-Chairman A. B. Ingram and Commissioner J. A. Ellis of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, who heard the appeal of the city against the decision of Judge Macbeth, who held the businesses could not be termed under the heading of departmental stores.

At the conclusion of evidence and arguments at 1 o'clock, Mr. Ingram and Mr. Ellis stated they would like to look through the stores themselves on a tour was arranged for 2 o'clock with another session of the court scheduled for 3 o'clock. Secretary Wm. C. Coe, a former Londoner, accompanied the members of the board as secretary.

A decision in favor of the city would mean about \$7,000 additional taxes. Assessment Commissioner Harry Bennett stated. The assessment act on which the city's case is based, states that every person carrying on a business of a departmental store or retail business in more than five branches, where the assessed value is more than \$20,000, is liable to an assessment of 50 per cent of the value of the premises occupied, otherwise the assessment is but 25 per cent.

Two Branches. T. F. Kingsmill submitted his business was of two branches only, drygoods and furniture. He was upheld in his contention by Ed Newton, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association, and by Donald McCrimmon, wholesaler. Harry Nixon, supervisor of the Toronto assessment department, did not agree with the contents of previous witnesses, and classed Mr. Kingsmill's premises as a departmental store.

A. R. Douglas appeared for Mr. Kingsmill, and J. C. Elliott, K. C., for Smallman & Ingram. Mr. Ingram, in the witness box, stated the store offerings were divided into about 50 sections, principally stock-taking and book-keeping control. The store had not previously been assessed as a departmental store, he declared. Mr. Ingram, questioned by Mr. Elliott, said the business was divided into three departments, drygoods, furniture and candy.

Mr. Nixon, called by T. G. Meredith, who acted for the city in both cases, told of visiting the Smallman store, and of the various articles found for sale. He would call it a departmental store, he declared, although the stock carried was not as large as that of Eaton's or Simpson's in Toronto.

Separate Department. Questioned by Mr. Elliott, Mr. Nixon stated that one electric stove or electric appliances would be an indication of a separate department. In summing up, counsel for Smallman & Ingram declared there was no evidence whatever as to the store being classed as departmental. One toy wouldn't make a department, neither would one stove. If that were the case every country store would be a department store. He submitted that hardware could not be called a branch of the business unless the stock carried could be separated favorably to that carried by a regular hardware merchant. Seventy per cent of the stock carried by Smallman's could be classed as drygoods, Mr. Elliott declared.

Appeals against city assessment by Messrs. C. S. Hyman and J. W. Coe will be heard by the court this afternoon.

**POLICE UNIFORMS WILL BE CHOSEN IN GOOD TIME**

The police commission has yet to decide on contracts for police uniforms for the year. The commission met Monday afternoon in the office of Chief Birrell, but came to no decision in the matter, the chief stated today.

"There is nothing to give out for publication," declared the chief.

**BOARD WILL MEET.**

The Federal Pensioners' Board will hold a session in the county buildings Wednesday to hear all appeals and grievances regarding soldiers' pensions in this district. It was learned at the courthouse today.

## PUPILS DEBATE ON QUESTION OF DEATH SENTENCE

Affirmative Wins on Debate, "Capital Punishment Should Be Abolished."

### CONTEST IS KEEN

Girls of Commercial Form 3A of the Technical School, arguing that capital punishment should be abolished in Canada, defeated their opponents of Form 5A of the boys' Technical class, in a debate held at the Institute of Musical Art last night. Miss Ruth Break and Miss Kathleen Ashton spoke for the affirmative. "Resolved, that capital punishment should be abolished." Hugh Cameron and Paul Dawson argued for the negative.

The judges, who found their task of choice a difficult one, included Miss Balfour, C. W. Hone and Miss Louis York.

The pros and cons of the question which is of considerable interest to Londoners at the present on account of the three murder trials which recently took place in this city, were argued at length. Judging from the quality of the debate both teams had spent a great deal of time in preparation, and no argument either for or against the question was missed.

The winners of the debate advanced the argument that hanging was a brutal means of execution, and that when a life was taken in this manner the community and the country at large became equally as guilty as the prisoner. They were attempting to punish. In their opinion the executioners themselves, by taking a life, were guilty of murder.

As a means of punishing people charged with a capital offence, the affirmative advanced the argument that a sentence of life imprisonment would offer a chance for reform and an opportunity to earn a livelihood and become a help to the community.

The man who would stoop to murder could under no possible circumstances aid the community, the negative replied. Scoldom, if ever, did a murderer entertain the thought of repentance, they declared. The possibility of escape should the prisoner be convicted of a life sentence in place of death, would fill the prisoner with continual hope of freedom, and he would make any possible sacrifice to shake off a prison confinement.

The debate was held under the auspices of the Literary Society of the Technical School.

At the conclusion of the debate the winners of the recent "Better English Contest" were knighted with the order of "Knights of Good English." Musical numbers were provided by Miss Stevens and Miss Nichols.

**SUNNY FRANCE COATED WITH SNOW AND ICE**

Grip of Winter Holds France Captive—Ties Up Means of Communication.

Associated Press Despatch.

Paris, Feb. 26.—Unusually wintry weather is being experienced at present throughout the south of Europe from the Pyrenees to the Alps. Communication by telephone between Paris and Marseilles and between Paris and Nice has been interrupted by storms. At Perpignan, France, the annual fetes were begun in a snowstorm and after the "battle of the flowers" had taken place the remainder of the program was postponed.

There have been heavy snowfalls in the region of Montpellier and one death from the extremely cold weather is reported. At Beziers the frost has done considerable damage to agriculture.

At Nîmes an old man was found frozen to death on the roadside.

Heavy falls of snow have occurred in the upper Var department and the mountains behind Nice are snow-covered.

**DECORATE OFFICE.**

General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the utilities commission was working under difficulties this morning, the decorators having taken charge of his office. Ladders and canvas covered the room, and the general manager found it necessary to move all his belongings into Mr. Hunt's office in order that the work might be done.



SEARCH FOR MISSING WOMAN. An international search is under way for Miss Margaret Boyd, shown above, social service worker, formerly of Owen Sound and Toronto, who disappeared mysteriously from Redondo Beach, California.

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"Charges have been made against my son which he denies, and I believe that the press and public of this country should have the fullest knowledge as to the truth or otherwise of these charges. Further than this I cannot say, except that I expect to see Sir Archibald MacDonell today, and I expect a letter from my son today or tomorrow."

**SENATE COMMITTEE EXAMINES TELEGRAMS**

Messages Sent From Washington to Fall and McLean Are Submitted as Evidence.

Associated Press Despatch.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Presented with a sheaf of telegrams sent from Washington to Albert B. Fall and Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, at Palm Beach, Fla., the senate oil committee suddenly went into executive session today to examine them. In ordering the hearing room cleared, Chairman Lenroot said that any of the telegrams found to be relevant to the inquiry would be read in public.

The telegrams were presented by the divisional superintendents of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies, and apparently numbered several score. Some of them contained hundreds of words.

**TROOPERS GIVEN WEEK IN CUSTODY**

Toronto Judge Avoids Imprisonment So That Medals May Be Retained.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 26.—One week in custody in the county jail, after which sentence will be suspended, was the penalty handed out this morning by Judge Denton to the seven troopers of the Royal Canadian Dragoons found guilty of assault on their comrade, William Bowen, on February 4.

The judge said that he did not consider the punishment meted out by the military authorities as sufficient.

"It seems to me that this affair presents features of extreme cruelty. You committed an act which for the British soldier was very un-British. No amount of provocation can possibly justify such treatment," said the judge.

In order to save the seven men from possible loss of their war medals and decorations, the judge purposely avoided giving them imprisonment and resorted to the expedient of keeping them a week in custody.

Col. R. H. Greer, K.C., defence counsel, objected that at the trial improper use had been made of references to the court martial evidence, but he did not press this point very vigorously and Crown Attorney Mr. Ruer reminded him: "You yourself said I did not transgress on this point."

The seven men were then led into the dock and, descending the stairs to the cells, they awaited their transportation to the jail.

The judge said the trial had served a useful two-fold purpose: he brought to light the facts of this discreditable affair and impressed on the soldiers that they are amenable to the law.

**AGED INDIANS TO FACE SENTENCE FOR STEALING**

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 26.—Joseph Beauvais, aged 80 years, and Alexis Montaur, aged 70, two Indians from the Troquois reservation at Caughnawaga, near here, must appear for sentence for stealing a wampum belt given to the Troquois as a peace offering by the Hurons in 1667, and valued by connoisseurs at from \$20,000 to \$25,000.

This action was handed down by three justices here yesterday, condemning a conviction obtained in the court of special sessions. The men had been giving themselves out as representing the Troquois tribe, and had received the belt from the parish priest of Caughnawaga after promising to return it next day. The belt has not yet been returned.

**MRS. L. SELFRIDGE DIES.**

London, Feb. 26.—Mrs. L. Selfridge, mother of Harry Gordon Selfridge, proprietor of London's department store, died this morning at the home of her son here.

## LONDON WOMEN GLADLY WELCOME MISS CARMICHAEL

President of National Council of Women Is Guest of London Clubs.

### WILL SPEAK TONIGHT

Not for a long time has so representative a gathering of London's women been called as that which sat about the luncheon table of the Local Council of Women at the Tecumseh House today at noon. About ninety women were present, representing twenty-five different organizations, all there to do honor to the president of the National Council of Women, Miss Carrie Carmichael.

Miss Carmichael, as president of the organization with which the majority of women's organizations of the country are affiliated, is in a way, the mother of all women's organizations. They are especially proud of her, since she was asked to represent the Dominion government at the International Labor Conference in Geneva. Although she came to London on the invitation of the Local Council of Women, it was at her own request that the invitation was sent. The National president is not so favoring the other cities of Canada, but on account of her close friendship with the late Mrs. H. A. Boomer of this city, she desired to visit the London council.

Mrs. John Ross, president of the London Local Council, who presided over the gathering, referred to the outstanding part which Miss Carmichael had taken in international affairs, and pointed to the fact that she was the first visit of a National president in an official capacity. A gracious tribute to the guest of honor in the form of a bouquet of flowers presented by Mrs. E. G. Gray, Mrs. Marshall, who was to have made the presentation. Mrs. Gordon Wright spoke briefly on behalf of the Local Council, warmly welcoming Miss Carmichael to the city.

Miss Carmichael addresses an open meeting of the Women's Canadian Club at the Normal School tonight, her subject being "Impressions of the Labor Conference at Geneva."

**Attending Luncheon.**

The following representative women were present at the luncheon: Hon. Mrs. Shuttleworth King, Mrs. Frank White, Mrs. George Wenige, Mrs. J. W. Fiddicombe, Mrs. Jeffrey Hale, Mrs. George Grier, Mrs. M. M. McLeod Stewart of Ottawa, Miss Doris Auden, Miss Beth Pennington, Mrs. C. H. Hill, Miss Ruth Bisset of Rangoon, India; representing the Local Council of Women, Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. Donald McLean, Mrs. Gordon Wright, Miss Macdonald, Mrs. A. J. Graham, Mrs. Alfred Drew, Mrs. Joseph Marshall, representing the citizenship committee, Mrs. A. T. Edwards, Mrs. T. C. Benson, Mrs. H. H. Winnett, Mrs. Tom Roberts, Mrs. Cross, Mrs. James Bisset of Rangoon, India; representing the Women's League, Mrs. Coffey, Mrs. Robert Burns, Mrs. S. M. Corcoran, Mrs. J. H. Greenway, Mrs. J. H. Hendry, Mrs. W. R. Waugh and Miss Robertson; Women's Canadian Club, Mrs. W. F. Hughes, Miss Susan Alexander, Mrs. Greenway, Mrs. W. B. Bendle, Mrs. John Loughton and Mrs. M. Logan; representing the Municipal Chapter, I. O. O. E., Mrs. J. H. Greenway, Mrs. C. E. Campbell and Mrs. Goshaw; representing 7th Regiment Chapter, Mrs. Frank Butler, Mrs. J. W. Smith and Mrs. Ralph Miller; representing Alma Daughters, Miss Stella Gunning, Mrs. A. D. Robertson and Mrs. Ead; representing Soldiers' Wives League, Mrs. J. E. Wylie; representing Lord Roberts Chapter, Mrs. E. H. Johnson, Mrs. Harriet Boomer Chapter, Mrs. W. H. Lane, Miss Elsie Wood; representing Women's Music Club, Mrs. B. C. Alexander, Henderson, Mrs. J. Murray; representing Women's Christian Association, Miss C. McIntosh; representing Red Cross Society, Mrs. C. H. Ziegler, Mrs. A. E. Cooper and Mrs. E. J. Jones; representing Victoria Nurses' Alumnae, Mrs. A. C. Joseph; representing Lord Kitchener Nursing Division, Miss Ella Davis, Mrs. Churcher and Miss Dodd; representing Victorian Order of Nurses, Mrs. Brymer; representing Union Mothers' Club, Mrs. W. A. Tanner, Mrs. Charles Turner, Mrs. McNeil and Mrs. E. S. Dewberry; representing Sanatorium, Mrs. B. C. McCann, Mrs. A. B. Greer; Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Nash and Mrs. J. H. Greenway; representing Y. W. C. A., Mrs. R. Dennis, Mrs. Thomas Rowe and Miss Morton; representing Women Teachers' Guild, Miss Marjorie Tolhurst.

**"GREAT."**

This word is the way in which pupils of Talbot Street School signify their approval of the new lantern recently purchased by the school, and for which every room has been wired. At present, only two rooms are suitable for its use owing to the lighting, but new blinds will be purchased for the others. Principal Welsh states that the pupils are enthusiastic about it, as any kind of picture, but new blinds will be purchased for the others.

**GETTING READY.**

Once more some of the local schools are getting ready for a visit by out-of-town teachers. Victoria, River-side, Lord Roberts, St. George's and Ryerson are preparing for the visit of teachers, who will be in the city on Friday.

**AROUND THE SCHOOLS**

HAS ACCIDENT.

Miss Adams, one of the teachers at Victoria School, suffered a broken wrist last Saturday when she slipped on some ice. The accident necessitates her giving up, for the time being, her classes in basketball and folk dancing.

**AS USUAL.**

Under the direction of Miss Bessie Hardie, one of the teachers of Victoria School, the girls' weekly basketball class of that building will be held this afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock. Miss Hardie is replacing Miss Adams, who suffered a broken wrist, and according to Principal D. Knight, has proved herself extremely capable in handling both boys and girls, as she knows the game well and thereby gains the approval of the pupils.

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**CHURCH SESSION SEEKS A RULING**

Supreme Court Is Asked To Decide on Disposal of Stocks.

The session of New St. James' Presbyterian Church is applying to the supreme court for a ruling on certain stocks which they now hold in their possession, acquired as the result of a bequest from the \$50,000 estate of Thomas Kent some years ago. The will gives directions as to the disposition to be made of dividends from certain bank stock. The request for the ruling is to find out whether the session has power to sell these stocks, and also to determine, if the court rules against their power to sell, whether they, as a session, would be responsible as shareholders should the failure take place of the bank whose stocks they hold.

**ISSUES WRIT FOR \$500.**

I. E. Markle of London Township has issued a county court writ against Victoria Goulding of the same township, through W. C. Fitzgerald. The plaintiff is asking for \$500 and interest from January 31, 1923, with interest at 7 per cent. He claims the money was borrowed from the Home Bank and used in payment on a house by the defendant.

**QUEBEC BANK BUILDING IS DAMAGED BY FIRE**

Quebec, Feb. 26.—Damage estimated at \$200,000 was caused by a fire which broke out in the Union Bank building this morning in the heart of the business section of the city. The firemen succeeded in preventing the blaze from spreading.

## HOUDINI'S ASSISTANT SAYS MODERN SPIRITISM FRAUD

Johnston Carteret, Former Londoner, Tells of Work of Famous Conjuror.

### TELLS OF ADVENTURES

Fake Photography Is Explained and Friendship of Sir Conan Doyle Lost.

Modern spiritism is synonymous with quackery, Johnston Carteret, assistant to Houdini, the famous handcuff and trick artist, believes. Carteret took a room at the Tecumseh House last evening and left this morning for Toronto. He is making a brief tour of main Canadian cities pending an engagement in Detroit, where he says he will appear in a special performance conducted by Houdini.

Carteret, who is a young man, obviously of Scotch descent, worked in the McClary Manufacturing Company here several years ago. In 1916 he decided to become a conjurer, having been interested in that vocation for ten years, and so joined Houdini and his band. Since then he has had many diversified experiences in connection with spiritistic doings.

"Houdini has revealed flagrant instances of fraud," Mr. Carteret said to The Advertiser. "He was originally a confirmed unbeliever. I was with him on several of his adventures with mediums."

"Of course I think Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is a conscientious and sincere man, but he has been badly gulled. In one scene with Sir Arthur in England, Houdini, supposed invulnerable, proved that Doyle was a victim of miserable quacks who prey upon his faith and exact big rewards."

"I have photographs of Houdini talking to the spirit of Lincoln, George Washington and Conan Doyle himself. These photos are perfect fakes. Houdini made them to show the public how simple it is to get a picture of a so-called spirit by just a little trick photography."

Mr. Carteret added that when Houdini showed these photos to Conan Doyle he was complimented on his achievement. Then when the conjurer explained that they were fakes made by himself, Sir Arthur refused to have anything further to do with him. This was during the British writer's trip to America.

"Mr. Houdini makes no pretensions to abnormal talent," Carteret added. "He can apparently cut a human head in half and juggle human heads. This trick is far more subtle and baffling than the trick of producing ghosts. Yet he makes no claims to being gifted with supernatural powers."

On his return trip, Mr. Carteret declared, he would be visiting several friends in London and try to persuade them to attend the special performance given by Houdini in Detroit the latter part of the week.

**HARVESTERS SECURED WORK, SAYS SECRETARY**

William Lunn Declares Majority of English Found Employment in Canada.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 25.—Replying to questions in the House of Commons today, William Lunn, parliamentary secretary to the overseas trade department, said that only a few of the 12,000 who went to Canada from Great Britain for harvesting work had failed to find employment. About 700 who were found to be unfit for farm work were repatriated. It is understood that a certain number of others, although offered work, refused to accept it, but he was unaware of the reasons for their refusal. He stated that about 11,000 of the British harvesters remained in Canada.

Replying to another question, Mr. Lunn said it was the intention of the government to encourage overseas settlement so far as it is conducive to the advantage of the individual settler, and also to the advantage of the empire as a whole.

The overseas settlement committee is giving special consideration to the possibilities of family and group migration.

**SOVIET DELEGATION IS COMING TO CANADA**

Hon. P. C. Larkin Notifies That Russians Have Left England For Ottawa.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—The only official information in the hands of the federal government regarding the Soviet delegation to Canada was received some days ago by the department of trade and commerce, when Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian high commissioner in London, notified that he had met the Soviet delegation which was booked to sail on the Montclair. The department has received no information since then, and it is assumed that the delegation will arrive here very soon.

It is stated here that there are four in the official Soviet party and that they are here to endeavor to establish credits and to secure farm implements and railroad construction supplies. The party have been in London, where conferences were held on matters pertaining to the British-Russian trade.

**OFFICER'S ASSAILANT STILL EVADES CAPTURE**

Peter Tomac Believed To Be Headed For International Boundary.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Port Arthur, Feb. 25.—Peter Tomac, wanted by the police for wounding Police Sergeant Creasey, last Friday, was believed today, and it is generally believed that he is making his way towards the international boundary with the intention to cross into Minnesota, where he is said to have relatives.

**BEAL ANNOUNCES LOWER ESTIMATES FOR THE 'TECH'**

Says There Will Be Clearance of \$5,000 For This Year.

SURPLUS FROM 1923

Although Principal H. B. Beal of the Technical School will not make the figures public, it is believed that the surplus from 1923 for the Technical accounts will amount to more than \$7,000 as previously announced.

This morning Mr. Beal stated he did not wish the figures made public until after they had been presented to the vocational advisory committee which will meet next Monday night to consider the estimates for 1924. Neither would he divulge the estimates for this year, although he again declared they would be in the neighborhood of \$5,000, a decrease from last year of \$5,000 and from the tentative estimates of last November of \$7,000.

The surplus that will remain from 1923 will prove a larger factor in keeping the estimates so low, and Mr. Beal is in hopes that low as the figures will be this year, there may, by some means, be a surplus at the end of 1924.

This, however, is almost too much to expect," he stated. "By practicing rigid economy we have been able to acquire a surplus this year and we think we are helping the city considerably reducing our estimates by a low of those of 1923, which is no small matter when every other estimate submitted by the various bodies, has gone up."



H. C. WALLACE, secretary of agriculture, whose resignation from the Coolidge cabinet is reported to be impending. He is said to be at variance with the president over the administration's farm relief program.

**CHURCH SESSION SEEKS A RULING**

Supreme Court Is Asked To Decide on Disposal of Stocks.

The session of New St. James' Presbyterian Church is applying to the supreme court for a ruling on certain stocks which they now hold in their possession, acquired as the result of a bequest from the \$50,000 estate of Thomas Kent some years ago. The will gives directions as to the disposition to be made of dividends from certain bank stock. The request for the ruling is to find out whether the session has power to sell these stocks, and also to determine, if the court rules against their power to sell, whether they, as a session, would be responsible as shareholders should the failure take place of the bank whose stocks they hold.

**ISSUES WRIT FOR \$500.**

I. E. Markle of London Township has issued a county court writ against Victoria Goulding of the same township, through W. C. Fitzgerald. The plaintiff is asking for \$500 and interest from January 31, 1923, with interest at 7 per cent. He claims the money was borrowed from the Home Bank and used in payment on a house by the defendant.

**QUEBEC BANK BUILDING IS DAMAGED BY FIRE**

Quebec, Feb. 26.—Damage estimated at \$200,000 was caused by a fire which broke out in the Union Bank building this morning in the heart of the business section of the city. The firemen succeeded in preventing the blaze from spreading.

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Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup is sold and recommended by B. A. Mitchell, 114 Dundas street and Taylor's Drug Store, 309 Richmond street, half block south of Dundas in London; J. W. Craig in Dresden; E. M. Crosthwaite, St. Marys; W. A. McIntyre, St. Marys; John B. Warner, Alvington; and by leading druggists in every city and town.—Advt.



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Detroit Bars All Canadians Without Certificates To Protect City Against Smallpox—Epidemic of Virulent Disease Still Spreading At Border Points.

DEATH LIST AT WINDSOR REACHES SEVEN

Special to The Advertiser. Windsor, Feb. 25.—Beginning tomorrow morning, all Canadians will be forced to show vaccination certificates to gain admission into the city of Detroit, according to Detroit health authorities, who have the sanction of the Federal authorities in their action. This action has been taken as a result of the outbreak of black smallpox in places along the Canadian border. One death and several new cases were the toll taken today by the epidemic of smallpox which was caused by the persons affected attending the funeral of a plague victim. The death list now stands at seven. Miss Marie M. Meloche, 28 years old, died this afternoon at her residence, 735 Langlois avenue, Windsor. She had been ill seven days. Her brother is recovering from the disease.

Seven Deaths. The first victim, Gordon Deneau, 54 years old, died at his home on 504 York avenue here two weeks ago. The other six succumbed to the disease within the past 36 hours, and Windsor today is face to face with a real epidemic. Scores of others are seriously ill.

Suffering from black smallpox, the most deadly of its kind, William Lavin, 45, 218 Parent avenue, Windsor, was taken to the Central Hotel, East Sandwich street, which has been commandeered for isolation hospital purposes. Vaccination of school children and factory workers was continued today. The work was suspended this afternoon when the supply of vaccine ran out.

Theatres, schools and public buildings will not be closed, Dr. F. Adams, medical health officer, said. At a special meeting of the board of education this evening it was decided to engage three extra teachers for work in the schools while the present situation exists, and it is believed that all of the 6,000 school children will have been vaccinated by Wednesday night.

Confer With Board. It was decided to place with the board of health the decision as to the schools remaining open as members of the board felt the health authorities were in the better position to judge. The majority of the members of the board of education are in favor of closing the schools as long as public meetings are being held or places of amusement allowed to remain open.

Several of the schools are used in the evenings as community centers, and the gyms are very generally used. The board decided that beginning on Tuesday evening vaccination certificates would be required from all those who wish to make use of school property during the evening hours, and that social officers will be placed at school doors to enforce the rule.

Dr. L. H. Hyttenrauch, medical officer of health for the board of education, this evening gave the board the history of the smallpox cases. He said it was not surprising that few physicians should have diagnosed the Deneau case as smallpox, because so few medical men in

SMALLPOX TYPE IS WORST KNOWN

Hon. Dr. Forbes Godfrey Will Not Quarantine Windsor District.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Feb. 23.—Hon. Dr. Forbes Godfrey, provincial minister of health, tonight confirmed the report from Windsor that the type of smallpox which is threatening the Border Cities is the most virulent known to medical science. "It's what is known as 'Bloody smatch,'" he said. Dr. Godfrey stated that twenty-six doctors were now engaged in vaccinating the residents of the district and that he believed a "thorough-going campaign in this respect would stop the spread of the epidemic. "The whole trouble is that the people won't be vaccinated," he added. "If they were vaccinated there would not be any smallpox." The minister stated that the government had no intention of quarantining the area affected. If the United States authorities wished to enforce a quarantine at the border, Ontario would have nothing to say, as such a step was quite legitimate.

CADET'S FATHER WANTS FULL INVESTIGATION

Major Arnold Arrives in Toronto On Way To Military College.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Feb. 25.—Major Arnold of Regina, father of Cadet Arnold of the Royal Military College, Kingston, who left that institution without leave, arrived in Toronto this afternoon, leaving an hour later for the eastern city.

Major Arnold is very serious over the situation in which his son is involved at the college, and is determined to back him up in every possible way. He concurs in the demand made by his son for a full investigation into the causes of his going away from the college, and will use every effort to have the events preceding the affair subject to the fullest scrutiny.

LAWYER RECOVERING. The condition of J. P. Moore, city lawyer, who has been confined to Victoria Hospital for the past two weeks, is reported showing marked improvement.

COMMITTEE WILL CONSIDER A CUT IN INCOME TAX

Passed On After Getting Second Reading in Provincial House.

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Ontario had any opportunity of coming in contact with the disease.

Think Peak Reached. The health authorities allege that the spread of the disease can be traced to this one case, and that fully 500 people were in contact with Deneau either during his illness or in the obsequies which followed his death. Dr. F. Adams, medical officer of health, declares that there will be more deaths, although many of the medical men feel that the peak of the trouble has been reached.

Every possible effort is being made by the authorities to control the spread of the disease and the public is giving hearty co-operation in every possible way. No quarantine of the city is anticipated immediately.

Dr. R. R. McClennahan of the provincial board of health, Toronto, arrived here Sunday afternoon and conferred with Dr. Adams, Windsor health officer, and city officials regarding what precautions are to be taken.

EXPECT END SOON.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—The Border Cities health authorities expect to stamp out their smallpox epidemic by the end of the week, Mayor Wilson of Windsor assured The Advertiser tonight. The mayor reached Toronto tonight to confer with provincial authorities respecting certain Windsor municipal undertakings still demanded by the sanction of the government. His presence here is not the result of the latest development at the border.

While despatches from Detroit and Windsor have to date carried the impression that a resident of the latter city or district first carried the germ of infection to Detroit, Mayor Wilson explains that the Windsor health department entertains an opposite view and they are more inclined to suspect that the Windsor outbreak has its origin across the river, where dozens of smallpox cases were noted during the last month, it is stated.

In fact, while Amherstburg is credited with the first case, it is believed that the point of contagion was in Detroit, and that Windsor visitors in Amherstburg carried it back to Windsor. The mayor is confident, however, that with the cooperation of the American authorities, the Border City officials will have dealt effectively with the problem before the close of the week at least.

VACCINATE CHILDREN.

Essex, Feb. 25.—Although there has been no cases of smallpox in the town the local authorities are taking no chances with an outbreak. In the case of Ralph Pinkerton, Colchester North farmer, there is no cause of worry, although the usual precaution was taken. Dr. A. W. Keane, medical health officer, has ordered that all school children must be vaccinated.

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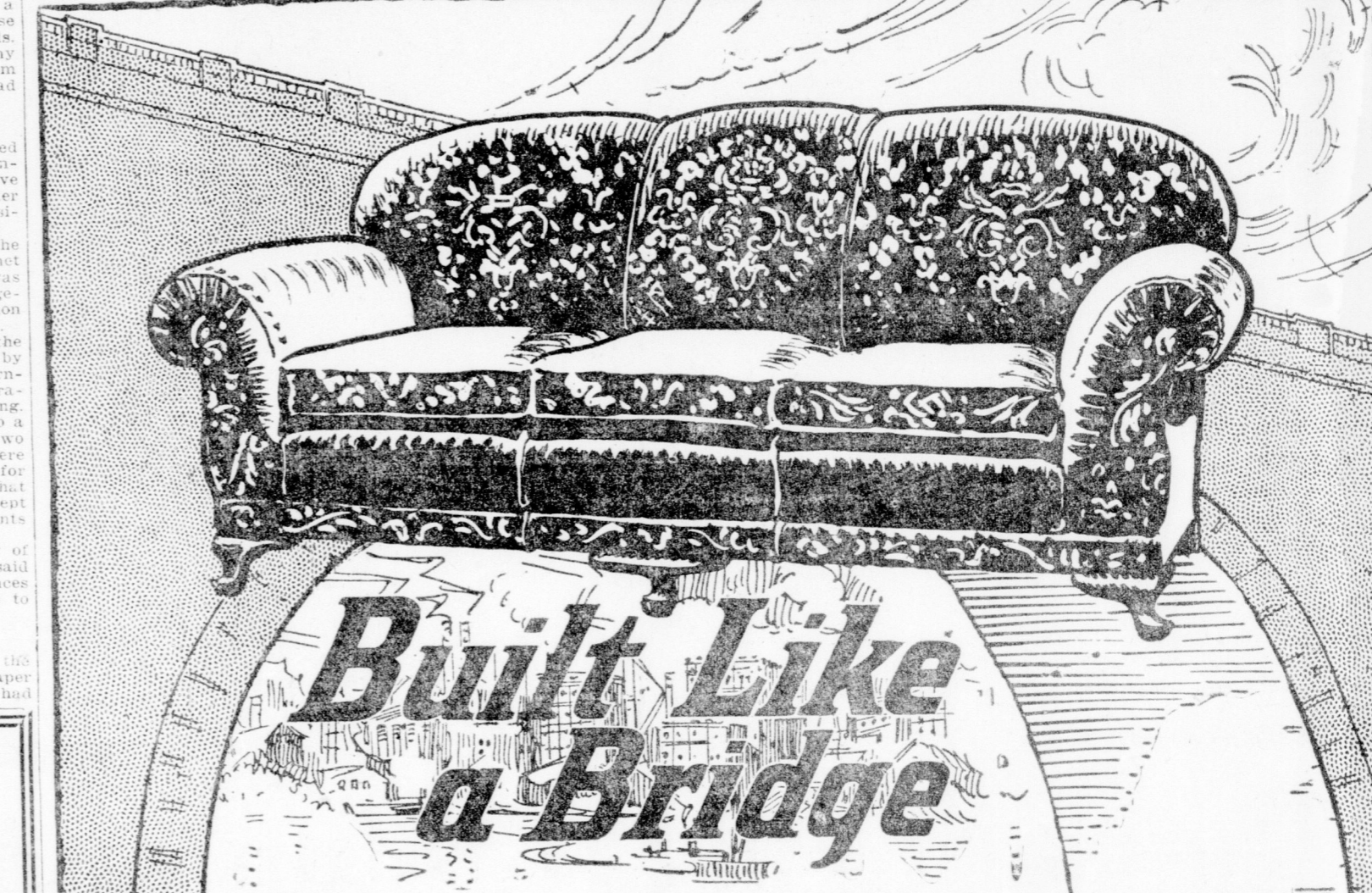
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revealed defalcations in government departments. The premier said that unfortunately there had been defalcations, and that several of the defendants had disappeared. Hon. W. E. Ransay contended that the House should get the information before the press. The premier said he thought the main facts of the newspaper story were well known, as the treasurer had mentioned these facts in his budget speech. F. C. McEwen, moving the second reading of his bill to raise the municipal income tax exemption from \$2,000 to \$2,500 for the householder, and from \$1,000 to \$1,250 for others, and increasing the exemption for each child from \$200 to \$300, said he was not trying to exempt the wealthy, but trying to arrange a more equitable taxation. Hon. Manning Doherty said that by increasing the exemption on moderate salaries he might be plac-

ing a greater burden on the low-salaried or paid man because the loss in revenue would be made up on ordinary property taxation. Premier Ferguson said the bill if passed might deprive small municipalities of a considerable revenue, as in small towns and villages there were few people getting over \$2,500 salary. It might be confined to larger places, he said. However, he favored the exemption being increased on children. The bill went to the municipal committee. Ask Bounty On Iron. Hon. Charles McCrea in moving second reading for the iron ore bounty bill said there was no pig iron in Canada produced from Canadian ore. It was all brought from outside Canada. The object of the bill was to create production in Ontario of the raw material. Ontario had a tremendous tonnage of low grade iron ore. The bill followed the recommendations of a commission appointed by the iron industry. It was proposed to pay a bounty of one cent per unit on raw iron ore, the province paying one-half cent and the federal government one-half cent. If iron ore ran 60 per cent the bounty would mean 60 cents a ton. Canada, he said, would be in a bad state if the United States, to conserve its supply, placed an embargo on iron. He said that if this encouragement were given there were people prepared to spend millions in development. The federal government would be consulted in a few days. Hon. Mr. McCrea also got second reading for a bill making all mines taxes 3 per cent on profits above \$10,000. The House adjourned at 5 o'clock.

Archbishop Bans Knickerbockers Declares They Are Sign of Immodesty. Canadian Press Despatch. St. Boniface, Man., Feb. 25.—Knickerbockers for winter sports were forbidden for women and girls of the St. Boniface Archdiocese in a sermon delivered Sunday by His Grace Archbishop Beliveau from the pulpit of the St. Boniface Cathedral. The archbishop characterized the wearing of knickerbockers as "dangerous and immodest."

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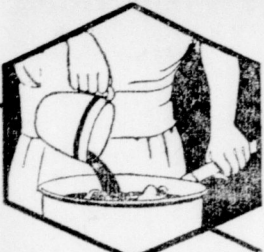
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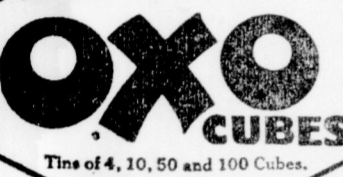


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### LONDON ARTISTS GAIN TRIBUTES IN LOCAL RECITAL

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#### ENCORES ARE MANY

Three London artists appeared before the Women's Music Club last night in the Central Collegiate auditorium, in a program which delighted the members. Miss Mildred Baker, brilliant young pianist, won the favor of her hearers almost at the first number and held them until the final note of the magnificent MacDowell Concerto in D Minor was played. A tribute to her playing came in the form of a beautiful bouquet of roses, as well as in incessant demands for encores.

Sharing the honors with her was Mrs. Frederick Schottel, whose soprano voice perhaps was never heard to better advantage than in the recitation and aria, "Ah, fors'è lui," from Verdi's "La Traviata." Miss Marjorie Thompson, the third artist of the evening, is a newcomer of the London concert stage. She made but one appearance last night, but her deep, rich and powerful contralto voice made its own happy impression on the audience in her rendition of "My Heart is Wary" from "Nadeshda" (Thomas).

The program which had been arranged by Mrs. S. H. McHardy-Smith and Mrs. A. D. Jordan was an interesting one and delightfully varied. During the playing of the concerto, Mrs. McHardy-Smith played the orchestral parts on a second piano, while A. D. Jordan acted as accompanist throughout the evening. The recital began with Mrs. Schottel's rendition of the recitation and aria from "La Traviata" and her other numbers, artistically sung, were "The Nightingale of France," a Catalan Folk Song by Schindler, "Carnations," a Spanish Folk Song, (Zambra-Gitana), "Look at Her Well," an Andalusian melody by Felipe Pedrell, "A Spirit Flower" (Campbell-Tipton), "A Birthday" (R. Huntington Woodman) and "Will of the Wisp" (Chas. G. Spross).

Miss Baker's numbers included Chopin's "Three Preludes" and the Etude No. 3 from Op. 10, Granados' "Valse de Concerto," the Schubert-Liszt "Du bist die Ruh" and the Liszt "Funeralia," all beautifully rendered showing technical skill as well as feeling and appreciation. The next concert in March is being arranged by Thomas Martin and will include numbers by Mrs. Harris Elliott, pianist, Miss Nancy Hoopes, violinist, and Miss Laura Kirkwood, pianist, and George Carpenter, tenor, of Brantford.

Mrs. C. R. Somerville presided over the concert last night.



S. B. PICKEN, who has joined the staff of the Canadian Advertising Agency, has had a wide and varied experience in advertising and merchandising.

### THIRTY THOUSAND FAGS WILL BURN IN INCINERATOR

Inspector Cecil Webbe To Burn Cigarettes Seized Last Fall.

#### TAKEN DURING RAID

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These smokes of American make were seized in a raid conducted by the inspector last fall. He put them up for sale at the rate of duty, but didn't get an order for them. Ottawa says the "cotton balls" must be destroyed, according to a communication received by the inspector, and it is expected that the aroma will even penetrate into Victoria Hospital. The inspector will stand by to see that all the smokes are destroyed, so that chances of "pinching" an odd packet are null and void.

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Street car service on the five lines which cross the level crossing of the C. N. R. at Richmond street was tied up for nearly 30 minutes last night, when a long freight eastward bound became stalled.

The cars formed long lines on both sides of the tracks and in a short time the number of cars southbound reached almost to the corner of Dundas and Richmond. Vainly the train crew sought to clear the crossing and an engine was brought from the yards and attached to the rear end in an effort to move the string. Congestion of traffic became so bad that the crew found it necessary to split their train into two sections. It was only then that the train was moved.

To Inspector Louch, stationed at Dundas and Richmond, fell the task of re-routing all the cars. This was accomplished in record time.

### REVISION COURT HEARS TWO APPEALS MONDAY

The court of revision, meeting at the city hall yesterday afternoon, transacted much business of a minor nature. Two appeals against business assessments were considered by the court, which promised due consideration. Members of the court present at the meeting were T. W. Scudret, Albert Murphy, Sheriff Donald Graham, and Assessment Commissioner Harry Bennett.

### ALBERTA COAL

Here is the text of The Advertiser's petition for action in the Alberta coal situation. The petition is addressed to the premier of Canada and is being circulated throughout Ontario and Alberta.

Below is a list of over fifty points in London where you may sign the petition. Blank forms will be supplied at once by The Advertiser upon request.

"The petition of the undersigned citizens of Canada humbly sheweth: WHEREAS, the Province of Ontario is to a great extent dependent upon the United States of America for an adequate supply of coal for both industrial and domestic purposes, and, WHEREAS, Canada has in the Province of Alberta an immense supply of coal which has been pronounced suitable for the requirements of the Province of Ontario, and, WHEREAS, the chief obstacle to the use by the people of Ontario of this supply is said to be the cost of transportation, and, WHEREAS, it is in the vital interest of the citizens of Ontario and Alberta and of national development, that a plan be devised whereby Alberta's supply of coal may be made available for Ontario's demand, and pray that you cause to be appointed a commission of competent men who are wholly independent of railway companies or railway organizations, thoroughly to consider and report upon the situation, having in mind the necessity of permitting the Canadian National Railways to function according to commercial necessities, free from political influence, and so your petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray."

#### WHERE TO SIGN THE PETITION.

Here are the places in London where you may sign the petition: The Public Library, Tecumseh House, Beaudre Hotel, Grigg House, Iroquois Hotel, Huron and Erie Mortgage Corporation offices at Richmond street and in Market Square; Bank of Montreal offices at Richmond street and Queen's avenue; Market Square; 270 Dundas; 608 Dundas; London and Western Trust Co., Richmond street; Bank of Nova Scotia, Richmond street; Bank of Commerce, Dundas and Richmond; Bank of Toronto offices at King and Richmond, Talbot and Dundas; 263 Dundas and 608 Dundas; Molsons Bank offices on Dundas and in Market Square; Royal Bank of Canada on Richmond street; Dominion Bank of Canada at Richmond and Dundas; Ontario Loan and Investment Co., on Dundas; People's Loan and Savings, Richmond street, and the London Loan and Savings Co., Dundas and Clarence.

Orth, Limited, men's clothing, Dundas street; Ontario Furniture Co., Dundas street; Flynn's Cigar Store, Dundas and Richmond streets; Standard Drug Stores at 252 Dundas, 344 Richmond, 158 Dundas and 564 Dundas; D. E. Plewes, 85 Wellington; Hathaway's, 22 Adelaide; Chesley Green, Ralph's, 233 Hamilton road; Layton's, 1938 Trafalgar; O'Donnell's Egerton street; Travers, 553 Quebec; Slaters, 607 Maitland; Miss Gye, William and Oxford streets; J. Williams, 302 Ridout; Mrs. Marsh, 706 Dundas; Miss Bobington, 191 Stanley; Collier Bros., 234 Wharncliffe south; Murray's, Briscoe and Wharncliffe; Marster's, 112 Askin; Roulston & White, 579 Adelaide; F. White, 653 Richmond; Winter & West, Oxford and Wharncliffe road; Pike's, Wharncliffe road and Walnut; Sumner's, Egerton and Hamilton road; Gray's, Limited, Dundas street; Wendell Holmes' Book Store, Dundas street, Hydro Shop, and McCormick's Cigar Store.

### NICKLE OPPOSES USE OF THE LASH

Imposition in Case of Convicted Criminal Denounced by Attorney-General.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Feb. 25.—"So long as I am attorney-general I shall endeavour to discourage the promiscuous use of the lash in relation to a convicted criminal," said Attorney-General Nickle speaking in the House today.

"In my mind, it is archaic; it smacks of the middle ages, and is not beneficial. If the object of punishment is to remove those from society who are found to be unsocial, to give them an opportunity for reformation and to punish them by segregation, then, society, it seems to me, has gone as far as it should when it puts a man in prison.

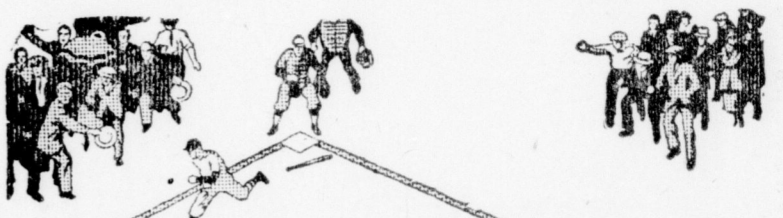
"When you endeavour to impose upon a man physical torture merely for the purpose of creating pain, punishment, it seems to me, is not based upon the principles I have outlined, but instead of being reformatory, becomes an act of vengeance and the individual, when he returns to society, as in the large majority of cases he ultimately will, is more unsocial than when originally deprived of his liberty."

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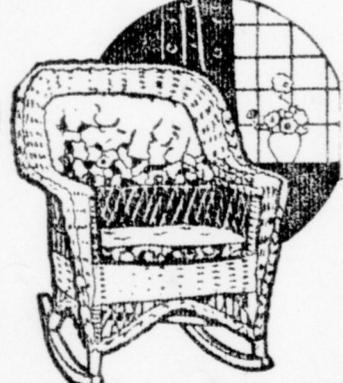
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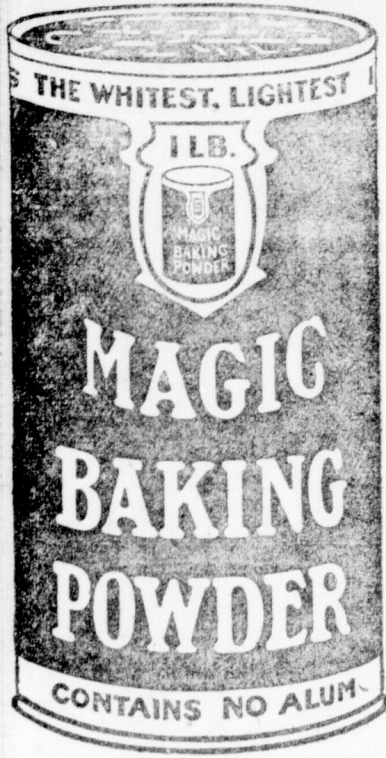
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## OUR BAR OF JUSTICE HAS A DRY SESSION

No Prisoners Appear Before the Bench and Audience Is Peevish.

London went to the head of the class for good conduct yesterday. Not a single prisoner was brought into the police court, and "no court" was Police Court Clerk John Moulie's chief complaint this morning.

The small number of prisoners brought in and the rapidity with which they are usually disposed of, has been an eternal disappointment for police court audiences. Some, in fact, refuse to attend any more, claiming the entertainment is not worth the effort. This morning, with chagrin on their faces, the crowd left the ancient seat of justice without hearing a single case.

"I'll be glad when this period of depression is at an end," one habitue observed.

### ROUTINE BUSINESS.

According to City Engineer Near, routine business will occupy the attention of the board of works to-night, nothing of special interest having so far come up. The estimates of the board were passed at a previous meeting, so that it is unlikely they will be touched on.



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## News From City Churches

### CHALMERS Y. P. S. DEBATE.

The Young People's societies of Chalmers Church at a special meeting last night were victorious over representatives of Hamilton Road Presbyterian young people in a debate, "Resolved that Co-operation has done more for the world than competition." The Chalmers Church speakers who upheld the affirmative side of the argument were Mr. V. A. Duncan and Miss Gladys Bechill. The negative was taken by Miss Kathleen Copeland and Mr. Angus Munro. Judges, Rev. T. S. Holland, St. James' Church, and Mr. Ramsay and Mr. McVicar.

Muriel Findlater, president of the Chalmers Y. P. S., was in charge and Walter Smith conducted the opening devotional exercises. Miss Agnes McLeod read the Scripture lesson. While the judges were reaching their decision, Miss Nana Kenna gave a delightful reading and Miss Robena Duncan a solo.

### KNOX Y. P. S.

The meeting of the Young People's Society of Knox Presbyterian Church last night was in charge of Mr. W. J. Thompson. The speaker was Mr. Willis of the Wortley Road School staff, and his subject the people of Quebec, as they are portrayed in the poems of Henry Drummond. Mr. Willis concluded his interesting talk with a reading of several of the Drummond poems. John Argo, the president, conducted a brief business meeting, during which plans were made for future programs.

### LEAP-YEAR PARTY.

The Young People's Society of King Street Presbyterian Church gave an enjoyable Leap-Year party last evening. The program consisted of singing-song and the greater part of the time was taken up with games appropriate to the occasion. Solos were given by Miss Eliza Denvers, Miss Agnes England and Mr. Hugh McKenzie, and several delightful readings by Miss Kathleen England. Refreshments were served at the conclusion by the social committee.

### SKATING PARTY.

The Young People's Society of First Congregational Church held a skating party in Victoria Park last evening. After a couple of hours of sport, they returned to the church where they were entertained at supper by members of the Sunshine Circle.

### EGERTON STREET B. Y. P. U.

The Young People's Union of Egerton Street Baptist Church held an enjoyable missionary meeting last night, with Mr. A. D. Silver, superintendent of this department in charge. The address was given by Miss Vera Fyman on "Bollywood: Its Ways, Customs and Manners." The program included also a solo by Miss Madeline North and a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Silver. The meeting was closed with prayer by the pastor, Rev. A. Burgess.

### TALBOT STREET C. G. I. T.

An interesting meeting of the C. G. I. T. of Talbot Street Baptist Church was held last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Mills, 95 Maple street. The program was of a social nature and included violin solos by Master Howard Jackson, who was accompanied by Miss Nora Turner.

### COLBORNE STREET Y. P. S.

Mr. D. G. Clarke, of the McClary Manufacturing Company, who has recently returned from a tour of Australia, addressed the Colborne Street Young People's Society last night at their regular meeting. Mr. Clarke's interesting account of his tour was accompanied with lantern slides which gave excellent views of many of the places visited. Another splendid feature of the program, which was in charge of the citizenship department, was the reading by Miss Helen Clarke, Wilson Crave presided, and Miss Helen Barbour closed the meeting with prayer.

### EMPRESS AVE. LEAGUE.

Rev. George W. Dewey, a former pastor, was the guest of honor at last night's meeting of the Epworth League of Empress Avenue Methodist Church. Mr. Dewey gave a most timely address on the topic of the evening, dealing with "Citizenship in regard to Prohibition." A pleasing duet was given by Eva Jellicoe and Emily Rossiter. Jack Smeltzer, citizenship vice-president, was in charge of the meeting, and the president, Arthur Guymer, read the Bible lesson.

### C. E. SOCIETY.

Mrs. W. Powell was in charge of the meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Southern Congregational Church last night. Mrs. Powell provided also the main feature of the evening's program with a paper on "Lacking the Gospel." The program included a trio number by Messrs. B. Wherry, L. Anderson, and A. Noble.

### DUNDAS CENTRE LEAGUE.

The meeting of Dundas Centre Epworth League last night was in charge of the citizenship department, with the president, Dr. E. E. Wilson, in the chair. The speaker was Mr. R. Ford, whose interesting account of newspaper interviews with men of prominence in Canadian public life was the chief feature of the program. Miss Mildred Pocock gave an appropriate reading. The membership campaign is being continued at this meeting. The "push" side were victorious.

### ST. ANDREW'S MISSION BANDS.

The King's Own and Outlook Mission Bands of St. Andrew's Church met regularly yesterday afternoon. After business meetings, the children enjoyed a story telling hour in which Mrs. McGregor told the story of George Leslie McKay of Formosa.

### Y. P. S. DEBATE.

Knollwood Park and Chelsea Green Presbyterian Young People's Societies challenged each other to a debate last evening with the result that the Chelsea Green team carried off the victory by upholding the negative side of the subject, "Resolved that co-operation has done more for the world than competition." They were Miss Snow and Miss Vera Brazier. The affirmative side was upheld by Miss Robb and Miss Duncan. Judges were Mr. Neil Miller of Chelsea Green, Mr. Althouse of Knollwood Park, and Rev. P. W. Harris of St. Andrew's Church, the presiding judge.

### MARION KEITH CLUB.

Mrs. J. B. Detwiler was the speaker at last night's meeting of the Marion Keith Club of St. Andrew's Church. Mrs. Detwiler dealt with English artists, Hogarth, Reynolds, Gainsborough, and Constable, and to illustrate her remarks on each, passed around excellent sepia prints of their most

famous works. The supper was served by Mrs. Emerson Nichols grouped with Miss Eric Mitchell as convener.

### OPERETTA AT ST. LUKE'S.

"The Merry Milkmaids," the operetta given several successful performances by the choir of St. Mark's Church, was presented again last evening before a large audience in St. Luke's Church, Broughdale, under the auspices of the Young People's Association. T. S. Holland played the piano accompaniment, with Rev. A. S. H. Cree of St. Luke's Church acting as chairman. At the conclusion of their performance the cast were delightfully entertained at supper. They were the following: The Queen of the Milkmaids, Mrs. Addison Ellis; Dorothy, Mrs. Fred Manning; Farmer Jim, Fred Manning; Farmer Joe, William Klassen; the Judge, Edmund Webb; the Doctor, who is also disguised as a peddler, Ernest Hill; the Commodore, and also the Beggar, E. T. Wright; Margerie, Mrs. Ernest Hill; the Milkmaids, Misses M. Pearson, L. Langford, D. Langford, E. Wright, W. Dunstan, D. Mills, L. Moss, Mrs. A.

### RIDOUT ST. LEAGUE.

A "Citizenship" program was given at last night's meeting of the Epworth League of Ridout Street Methodist Church. The speaker was Mr. Wilfred Boyce, president of the Young People's League of Wellington Street Church, whose subject was "The Type of Young Men and Women That Canada Needs." One point particularly emphasized by Mr. Boyce was the number of young people, who are leaving Canada yearly to go to the United States. Archie Ramer was in charge of the meeting, and there was a reading by Miss Minnie Dobbins. At the conclusion, Mr. Agnew gave the critic's report, and announced that the winner in the contest, which has been in progress would be given and within a week or so.

### KNOX W. M. S.

The February meeting of the Knox W. M. S. held in the church last night was a successful event. The program opened with splendid reports of the recent Presbyterian convention given by Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Knight. Another interesting report was given by Miss Miss M. L. L. on the summer school conference in Alma College, St. Thomas. Mrs. V. K. Greer provided the main feature of the evening, an excellent paper on the Island of Formosa. A solo was pleasingly rendered by Miss Evelyn Greer. Two delegates were appointed for the Hamilton convention, Mrs. Synnington and Mrs. Templin.

### LETTER MERELY AMUSES PUBLIC UTILITIES HEAD

Referring to a letter appearing in yesterday's Advertiser, signed by William Giles, dealing with parks and tree-trimming, General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the utilities commission stated that he was amused at it.

"Mr. Giles, who was formerly a park foreman at Springbank, presents these semi-annual statements as regular as clockwork," said the chief manager, "and I do not think they express the opinion of the citizens of London. Mr. Giles writes a though he were just a disgruntled former employee."

## HOME BANK PROBE IS NOT APPROVED

Railwaymen Criticize Probe and Also Repertorial Work on Sabbath.

Disapproval of a probe into the Home Bank was voiced by the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees at a meeting last evening. General opinion was that the government should spend the money entailed in the activities of royal commissions on the depositors. Among other things the brotherhood asked that the government arrange to pay the depositors 100 cents on the dollar.

Periodic investigation of the books by government auditors for every bank was recommended as a means to circumvent a repetition of the Home Bank fiasco. A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions, one dealing with suggestions in regard to the Home Bank and the other protesting against reporters being forced to work on Sunday.

This question arose as a result of action of the Ministerial Alliance in endorsing repertorial work on the Sabbath. The attitude of the brotherhood was that while the ministers objected to the opening of the Thames Park bathing pool, they believed it quite all right for reporters to make a report of their Sunday sermons, which revealed much inconsistency.

## PRISONERS OF WAR ARRIVE AT ATHENS

Dr. W. A. Kennedy Describes Pitiable Condition of Sufferers in East.

Leonard Leese, the chief Canadian organizer of the Save the Children Fund, who described his experiences in relief work among the refugees in Greece in three of our city churches last Sunday, sends the following cable which he received yesterday from Dr. W. A. Kennedy, formerly of Kingston, Ont., who is in charge of the fund's work in Greece:

"Prisoners of war from Asia Minor to the number of nearly 1,000 have just arrived in Athens. All of them were in the most pitiable condition, and required immediate relief. This I was able to provide with the help of funds allocated by our associate society, the Imperial War Relief Fund, which does not confine its appeal for relief for children. Cases of spotted fever are reported from Corfu. The conditions in Salonika are still critical, and we have been compelled to open an additional milk station there, which will undoubtedly be the means of saving many babies' lives."

The relief stations organized by Dr. Kennedy in various parts of Greece are run on a most economical basis. A child is provided with a hot meal and a ration of bread every day at a cost of only 25 cents a week.

Local contributions for the Save the Children Fund will be gladly received by B. B. Manning at the main branch of the Dominion Bank.

# Bell Bulletin of Service Helps

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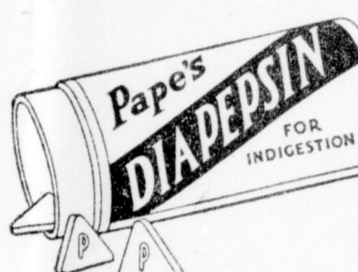
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# FIRE FORCE ADDITION WINS BOARD'S SUPPORT

Finance Committee Recommends Hiring of Nine More Firefighters.

ESTIMATES DISCUSSED Favors \$16,000 Alarm System —Estimates Cut To \$117,133.90 After 5 Hours.

After carefully discussing the estimates of the fire department, as submitted by Chief John Aitken, the finance committee went on record last night as favoring the employment of nine additional men in the fire department.

This came as the climax of five hours' discussion relative to estimates of various departments, in which cuts were made here and there, but in the main the figures were left as they were.

Another feature of the meeting was the including in the fire department estimates of \$19,000 for a new switch-board alarm system, which Chief Aitken has advocated for the past eight years.

City Clerk Baker, after the committee had agreed to the employment of more men, was authorized to write to the fire underwriters in Toronto and ask whether it would have any effect on insurance rates in the city. The mayor raised some objection to the addition, but the recommendation carried.

In connection with the fire estimates, Mayor Wenjue mentioned the fact that several cellars in the downtown district of the city were nothing but fire traps and that something should be done about them immediately. He stated that he knew of about fifty that would bear cleaning out. The chief stated he would look after them right away.

Although the meeting of the committee lasted five hours, all the estimates were not finished, some being laid over until next week.

The actual estimates of the finance committee were fixed at \$127,183.90, but this was cut down to \$117,133.90, as compared with expenditures of \$115,347.85 last year. These estimates included city pounds, \$300; compensation for injuries, \$1,000; debenture expenses, \$500; election expenses,



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\$1,383.90; incidentals, \$2,000; insurance, \$7,600; law expenses, \$3,000; police court offices, \$400; police court repairs, \$450; printing, advertising and stationery, \$15,500; salaries, \$83,500; war revenue stamp tax, \$1,500.

Building Inspector Piper's estimates for city buildings, repairs, etc., were left at \$23,496, but the committee decided that instead of being under number two committee, the inspector should come under the jurisdiction of the finance committee.

**Plead Charity's Cause.**

A deputation, representing the United Welfare Fund of the city, headed by George H. Reid, visited the committee and requested that one mill be added to the tax rate for this purpose. He stated it was a public duty to contribute to such a cause and that many who dodged the campaign otherwise would be caught this way.

J. G. Richter also spoke in the same strain, declaring that all should do their bit. Col. William Garthshore urged the needs of the association. When Relief Officer McCallum's

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Fine Saxony Blanket. This is a fine quality blanket and a bargain at the money. Reg. \$8.75 pr. SPECIAL..... \$6.60

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Heavy quality English Flannel in pink and blue. Regular 30c value, for 25c yard.

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5 Doz. Women's White Cambric Gowns, travellers' samples; no two alike. Lace and embroidery trimmed. Regular \$2.00 value. ONLY..... \$1.19

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One rack of Misses' Spring Suits, sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. In fine imported Botany Serges, mostly navy blue. Tailored styles, coats silk-lined. Regular price \$25.00 \$12.50

24 only Women's Walking Skirts in pleated styles of all pure wool materials. Stripes and plaids. Colors black and white, brown and navy, also a few navy blue botany serges in plain styles. Regular \$5.00 and \$5.95 value. ONLY..... \$2.98

### Hosiery and Underwear

All-Wool Hose in the new shot effect, fine quality in colors brown, fawn, dove and camel. Regular \$1.50 value, for 95c.

Heather Wool Hose. An imported hose of very fine quality and special value at 98c.

A high quality all-wool ribbed Hose in the following shades—coating, covert, black and brown. A \$1.65 value for \$1.39.

\$2.50 Combs. For \$1.69.

Women's Fine Ribbed Combinations in cream shade. Sizes 34 to 42. Two styles, long sleeves and ankle length; short sleeves and ankle length. On Sale, \$1.69.

Bloomers, 69c.

250 pairs of Fine Ribbed Bloomers, cream shade, seconds of the 100 quality with only slight imperfections. On Sale, 69c.

### SOME MONEY-SAVING VALUES IN MEN'S WEAR

Men's Fine Combinations, elastic ribbed, winter weight, plush finish. Sizes 34 to 44, worth \$2.50, for \$1.59

Watson's two-piece Underwear, shirts and drawers, winter weight, plush finish. Extra value. Regular \$1.85, for..... \$1.48

Men's Flannellette Nightgowns, made with extra large bodies, sizes 15 to 19. Worth \$2, for..... \$1.48

### Special

Men's Pure Wool Worsted Sox, black only. Extra heavy weight. Regular 85c stock pair..... 55c

2 PAIR FOR \$1.00.

Men's Fine Cashmere Hose, CIRCLE BAR brand, finest quality. Black, gray, camel. Our regular 75c stock. Pair..... 55c

2 PAIR FOR \$1.00

### FINE SHIRTS

Made from fine cambrics, percales, corded madras and reps, in neat patterns. A particularly well-made shirt. Sizes 14 to 17. Our \$2.25 regular \$2.25 line for..... \$1.48

A higher grade shirt and our regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 lines. Made from fine percales, corded madras, corded reps and cambric. Neat hairline and fancy stripes, all colors guaranteed. High grade shirts at a low price..... \$1.95

PYJAMAS.

Men's Extra Weight Flannellette Pyjamas, silk frog trimmed, and full-sized bodies. A splendid value. Regular \$3.50 value. Regular..... \$2.85

Boys' Jerseys of fine cashmere, Aberley made, with polo collars, also a few pullovers. Values up to \$2.50, for..... \$1.48

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For one week, commencing Monday, February 25th, the new Hotpoint range will be demonstrated at the Hydro Shop, Dundas and Wellington Streets. An expert cook will be in attendance, and we will appreciate the opportunity of showing you



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On the Hotpoint range, fragile porcelain elements and exposed wiring have been entirely eliminated. The cooking surface is perfectly flat and smooth because the elements are cast in solid iron. The boiling over of liquids, of any description, have no effect upon this remarkable element.

The oven element, which is of the same indestructible construction, may be removed and scrubbed if necessary. Hotpoint indestructible sheathed-wire elements, owing to their metal construction, are the fastest protected elements made.

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### Grenfell Worker TELLS OF EFFORTS

Habits of Natives in Labrador Explained by Miss M. Stewart, Ottawa.

An insight into Labrador and the life of the people, especially in the districts under the supervision of Dr. Grenfell, was given by Miss M. Stewart of Ottawa, in an illustrated lecture last evening in the First Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of the local branch of the Grenfell Mission.

Miss Stewart spent a summer as a volunteer worker, teaching school in St. Anthony, which is the central headquarters of the mission, and is also where Dr. Grenfell and his family reside.

In opening her address, Miss Stewart explained why the natives of Labrador live in that part of the country.

"It is the only life they know and it would be useless to expect them to live otherwise," she stated.

She explained that St. Anthony was not in Labrador, but on the northern coast of Newfoundland. "It is deplorable that Newfoundland will not join the federation of Canada," continued Miss Stewart, "but they are afraid that Canada would steal their fisheries and their mines, in place of helping them."

St. Anthony was founded over one hundred years ago, by Devonshire people, and the descendants of these pioneers are very clanish, and will not mingle with the natives. They have retained the good old customs of Devonshire, and speak a very peculiar dialect.

Part of the great work Dr. Grenfell is doing is the fighting of tuberculosis, which is rampant in that district. The tuberculosis ward in the hospital at St. Anthony is filled during the whole year. The nurses are taught to instruct the people to be more hygienic in their living, and in this way help stamp out the disease.

"Dr. Grenfell is regarded as a saint among the people, who look to him for everything," stated Miss Stewart. "And I cannot be too high in my praise of his work." She told of his assistance given in growing flowers and vegetables, and of his bringing of birds to the country, so as to make life more bearable for the children and parents.

The illustrations were most interesting and gave the audience an idea of the barren, bleak country in which these people exist. Solos by Miss

### PROCLAIM DOWNFALL IN GRECIAN ASSEMBLY

Plebiscite Will Confirm Decision Arrived At by Officials.

Associated Press Dispatch. Athens, Feb. 25.—At a meeting this afternoon between Ex-Premier Venizelos and Ex-Minister of Foreign Affairs Rousfos, with Gen. Othonaios representing the army, it was agreed that the downfall of the dynasty should be proclaimed in the assembly, but conditionally upon confirmation of this decision by a plebiscite.

TAKES NO SIDES. Canadian Press Dispatch. Edmonton, Feb. 25.—The Alberta government will not take any sides in the church union question now about to come before the legislature, declared Premier Greenfield here today.

### Kingston Woman Dies From Burns

Mrs. F. Grant Was Preparing Meal—Clothes Caught Fire.

Canadian Press Dispatch. Kingston, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Frederick Grant, Portsmouth, sustained burns in her home at noon today which resulted in her death at the General Hospital five hours later. Mrs. Grant was preparing the noon meal, and as she passed the stove her garments caught fire. Members of the family and neighbors extinguished the flames, but Mrs. Grant was terribly burned about the body and could not survive the shock.

### Is in Perfect Health Again

So Says Madame Blanchette of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Quebec lady suffered from bad kidneys for three years and was restored to good health by using Dodd's Kidney Pills. Feb. 25.—(Special.)

From all parts of Canada come the same glad tidings, telling the same glad story of sufferers that suffer no longer, of the weak being made strong and healthy, and of the good work that is being done by Dodd's Kidney Pills. People are now learning the importance of keeping the kidneys in shape, of watching for the least symptom of Kidney Trouble, and they turn at once to Dodd's Kidney Pills, because they know they have a remedy that they can rely on, a remedy that never fails. Right here in St. Raphael, Madame A. Blanchette, a much respected resident, comes forward with a statement that adds to the long list of grateful letters. She says: "For three years I suffered with bad kidneys and no other remedy did me any good. After taking six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I am in perfect health again."—Advt.

### KAFANDARIS RULE IN GREECE FAILS

Fall of Government Is Big Surprise, But Extremists Win Out.

Associated Press Dispatch. London, Feb. 25.—The Greek government headed by Premier Kafandaris has fallen, according to an Athens despatch to the Daily Express, in consequence of its refusal to accede to the demands of the extremists for the establishment of a republic before a plebiscite was taken.

The fall of the government came as a surprise, as it was thought up to the last hour that the extremists would be defeated.

### ITALIAN AMBASSADOR ARRIVES AT MOSCOW

Presents Credentials To Soviet President Following Recognition by Italy.

Associated Press Dispatch. Moscow, Feb. 25.—Count Gaetano Manzoni, the new Italian ambassador to Russia, today presented his credentials to Soviet President Kalinin, following the recognition of Russia by Italy. Robert M. Hodgson, the British charge d'affaires, handed over his credentials to Foreign Minister Tchitcherine yesterday.

### TRUE BILL RETURNED IN CAMFIELD CASE

Will Be Charged With Murder At Welland of A. J. Morningstar.

Canadian Press Dispatch. Welland, Feb. 25.—A true bill was returned by the grand jury against William Albert Camfield, accused of

the murder of Albert J. Morningstar, at the spring assizes tonight, Justice Smith presided. Great interest is manifested in the case, as Morningstar was an influential citizen of this county. The accused attempted to escape from custody last week. Camfield is alleged to have struck down Morningstar with a shovel on Christmas morning, and then set fire to the house, the charred remains of Morningstar being found after the embers had cooled off. The case will not likely come up for trial before tomorrow afternoon.



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CONTRADICTS FALSE TALES CONCERNING DR. GRENFELL

Miss Stewart of Ottawa Entertained at Tea Hour by the Grenfell Mission.

NOT BECOMING RICH

Scores Labrador Propaganda About Outstanding Figure of Century.

The members of the local branch of the Grenfell Mission were given the opportunity of meeting Miss Mina Stewart, of Ottawa, yesterday afternoon, when a reception was given at 253 Dufferin avenue in her honor.



MAJOR LOGAN TOWERS, who is playing the role of the villain in "Shivering Shocks," to be presented by the Elmar Club in the Central Collegiate on March 4.

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Arthur Little, who wore a gray gown with a large black hat. Miss Stewart wore a smart navy blue hat, with gray ribbon trimmings, and a navy blue dress, with fur trimmings.

Among those noticed were: Mrs. Archie Becher, Mrs. F. A. Fitzgibbon, Mrs. Ray Lawson, Mrs. George Gillespie, Mrs. F. Grange, Mrs. S. F. Wood, Miss Minnie Clark, Mrs. Ed. Masaret, Mrs. W. A. Bluetner, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. J. W. Wardrop, Miss Wardrop, Miss Christie McIntosh, Miss Pickett, Miss Florence Wheatley, Miss Green, Mrs. Millar, Mrs. Cowley, Miss Marjorie Reid, Miss Landers, and Mrs. Alex Harvey.

MEETINGS TOMORROW

London Drama League, at Central Collegiate Institute, Vincent Perry will present "The Ghost Ship," 8 o'clock.

Edith Cavell Lodge, L. O. E. A., in Oster Hall for initiation service, 8 o'clock.

WOMEN and THE HOME

PROF. A. P. COLEMAN IS PROMINENT GEOLOGIST

Will Address Meeting in Central Collegiate Institute on "South America."

Prof. A. P. Coleman of Toronto, who comes to the city on Thursday to lecture before a joint meeting of the Men's and Women's Canadian Clubs and the Western University extension department, in the Central Collegiate Institute, is one of the great constructive geologists of recent years.

Dr. Coleman, in his lectures is said to avoid any technical discourse on the scientific aspect of his observations, and instead makes interesting and witty comments on the illustrations as they are thrown on the screen.

Fashions by Wire

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Paris, Feb. 25.—Among the spring styles, more definitely than among the winter, the beltless model is seen. Whether coat or dress, whether formal or tailored, the garment that hangs straight from the shoulder is seen with increasing frequency.

Golden Wings. Paris, Feb. 25.—A curious addition to the very plain black satin hat shown here today, which turns abruptly back from the head all around is the pair of gold or bronze satin wings which relieve the severity of the lines.

Odd Trimming. London, Feb. 25.—Cameo hair cloth of the roughest texture is oddly used today as a footing on metal toilet ball gowns. Sometimes this material also forms the band around the decolletage or the filmy sleeves.

Peacock Feather Fan. London, Feb. 2.—It seems the peacock is no longer a bird of ill omen. The Chinese trend in fashion has made the fowl fashionable again, and the long fan of peacock feathers with a handle of ivory is a splendid adjunct to any evening costume.

Miss Jill Johnston Weds Rev. Chas. Cameron Waller

St. George's Church, Montreal, Is Scene of Interesting Nuptial Event This Afternoon.

Special to The Advertiser. Montreal, Feb. 26.—The wedding of Miss Louise Frances (Jill) Johnson, and the Rev. Charles Cameron Waller, D.D., principal of Huron College, London, Ont., took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. George's Church.

The bride, who is the daughter of the late Alexander Johnson, LL.D., vice-principal of McGill University, was attired in white and was attended by her nieces, Miss Elsie Watkins as maid of honor, Miss Alexandra Newton as bridesmaid, and Miss Margaret Newton of Sherbrooke.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Ballantyne, Bruce street, is entertaining at the tea hour Thursday.

Miss Wescott, Ridout street, is entertaining at a small bridge party on Wednesday.

Mrs. Angus Loft of Galt is visiting Capt. J. S. Rankin and Mrs. Rankin, Erie avenue.

Miss Jean Cowan of Hamilton was a week-end guest with Mrs. W. York, Euclid avenue.

Miss Winnifred Scarlett of Hamilton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stanley D. Baby, William street.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, will be the hostess this evening of a small bridge at her home in Queens avenue.

Mrs. Frank Ashplant is entertaining the members of the Hugh Niven Chapter at her home this afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Anderson of this city, is a guest at the Prince Edward Hotel, Windsor.

F. A. Young, East London, has returned to the city after successfully completing a post graduate course in Michigan.

Mrs. H. Groom is entertaining tomorrow at bridge, in honor of Miss Alice Tilney of St. John, N. B., a charming young visitor in town.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. G. Hunt will receive for the first time in her new home, at the corner of Wellington and Victoria streets, on Friday afternoon.

Joseph Moley of Thedford, Ont., was a visitor in town Sunday, spending the day with his son Howard, a sophomore at the Medical School.

Mrs. A. Gracey, Wilton Grove, entertained the members of St. George's Anglican choir, West London, after a merry sleigh ride from London.

Mrs. and Mrs. Melville Enright have returned to Stratford after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Guest, 343 Wharfedale Road north.

Miss Bessie McCallum, who is attending Alma College, St. Thomas, was a visitor in town for the week-end, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCallum, Waterloo street.

Miss Bessie Johnston, of Wallaceburg, has returned home after spending the past week in London, the guest of her cousin, Miss Donna Johnston, Windsor avenue.

Mrs. H. F. Clarke, Elmwood avenue, is entertaining at two tables of mah jong this afternoon, and will also entertain tomorrow and on Friday at bridge and mah jong.

Mrs. A. E. Reason entertained at a jolly toboggan party, Saturday evening, in honor of her daughter, Katharine. The young guests came back later to "Cloverlea" for supper.

Miss Margaret Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tobey of Woodstock are coming to town Friday for the charity ball, and will be guests with Miss Kathleen White, Dundas street.

Mrs. George Leithbridge, Princess avenue, is entertaining very informally at the tea hour this afternoon in honor of Miss Leonard of Dundas, a guest in the city with Mrs. Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Hay, who have been visiting relatives in Chicago and London, returned to the city for the week-end, having returned to their home, "Atlantis Place," Commissioners' road.

A delightful social event of the week will be the bridge and euchre which is being arranged by the University Women's Club for Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. G. N. Hoffer, Ridout street south.

Mrs. J. G. Boucher, Richmond street north, entertained a number of young people at the tea hour this afternoon, in honor of her niece, Miss Alice Tilney of St. John, N. B., who is spending a fortnight in town.

Mrs. Arthur B. Blay, formerly Miss Wilda Howe will receive for the first time, since her marriage, tomorrow afternoon, from 3 to 6 o'clock, at her home, 476 Dufferin avenue. Her mother, Mrs. A. W. Howe, will receive with her.

Mrs. Margaret Clarke Russell, St. George street, the hostess last evening of a charming party, which she entertained the cast of her play, "The Ladies' Literary League," which was recently presented at Playerscraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ackland of Toronto spent the week-end in town guests with the latter's sister, Mrs. W. Fuller, Windsor avenue. Mr. Ackland has returned to Toronto, and Mrs. Ackland is remaining in London for a short visit.

Mrs. Cyril McMurtry, of St. Thomas, formerly Miss Coleman, of this city, is taking part in the recital being given today by the St. Thomas Women's Music Club. Mrs. McMurtry is also playing in Ingersoll tomorrow.

Mrs. Devlin was pleasantly surprised at her home, Stedwell street, on Friday night last, when about forty of her friends called there to spend an evening in music and play progressive euchre. At the close of the evening supper was served.

Mrs. Louis Owen Pocock, formerly Miss Angela McPhillips, of St. John, is receiving, in her home, for the first time since her marriage, tomorrow afternoon from three to six.

as flower girl. Canon Howard, rector of St. Martin's Church, was best man, the bride being given away by Dr. R. De Lancey Johnson of Richmond, Que., her brother, Dr. Guy Johnson, another brother, and Messrs. Hugh Johnston and J. L. Poyart, who acted as ushers for the large number of guests who attended the ceremony.

The Rev. Dr. Patterson Smyth, rector of St. George's, performed the marriage ceremony. A reception was afterwards held at the residence of the Misses Johnson, Prince of Wales Terrace, Sherbrooke street west. Dr. H. J. Hilsley played the wedding march.

at her home in the Princess Apartments, 295A Princess avenue. Her mother, Mrs. William McPhillips and Mrs. John Pocock will receive with her.

A pleasant time was spent the other evening at the home of Mrs. J. Dwyer, Blackfriars street, when they entertained a number of friends. The event took the form of a valentine party, the decorations bearing this idea out in every detail. Music and dancing formed the amusement. At supper, later, covers were laid for thirty.

Among the hostesses who are entertaining in honor of Miss Donna Wallace, who is leaving shortly for New York, are Miss Doris Auden, who is giving a tea Thursday, Mrs. George Wainwright, who is arranging a small luncheon for Thursday, and Mrs. P. E. Neville, who will be the hostess Saturday afternoon of a tea.

Mrs. D. Stewart, 47 Ada street, entertained at a very enjoyable party recently in honor of her daughter, Miss Mary Stewart. The occasion was her birthday and the guests of honor received many attractive gifts. Following games and music, supper was served from a large table covered with a birthday cake, gay with candles. At the supper hour, the hostess was assisted by Miss Edythe Stewart, and Mrs. Roy Blair. About 30 guests were present.

Mrs. Fred Fralick entertained at a jolly children's party Saturday afternoon on the occasion of the seventh birthday of her little daughter Betty. The table was very prettily arranged, the color scheme being carried out in pink and yellow, and softly lit with tall pink candles. Gay streamers were caught to the pretty favors of each little guest. The afternoon was spent in music and games, the children dressing clothes-pin dolls, for which a prize was given. The wee ones received many pretty gifts. Mrs. Fralick entertained at progressive euchre in the evening.

Forty-two tables of euchre were in play this afternoon at the military school, held at the Catholic Parish Hall, under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League. The many guests were welcomed by the president of the league, Mrs. M. McNeill, assisted by the convener, Miss Margaret Darcy. Following cards, tea was served. The proceeds of the affair are to be devoted to carrying on the social service work of the organization. The committee who assisted Miss Darcy included Mrs. R. M. Burns, Mrs. J. E. Gault, Mrs. E. N. Corcoran, Miss Kathleen Drumgoole, Mrs. M. J. O'Meara, Mrs. Hoy, Miss S. Hodgkinson, Mrs. B. McCormick, Mrs. O'Connell, Mrs. Deitche and Mrs. J. W. Healy.

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See Our New Models of Treo and CC a la Grace. Elastic and clasp on corset imparting the lines that fashion demands for spring; all elastic or elastic and cloth panels equally desirable for street, evening or sport wear; made in a variety of styles and lengths; sizes 21 to 34. Priced, a pair \$2.00 to \$5.00.

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Radio Programs. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 27. KDKA—East Pittsburgh, Pa.—920 Kilocycles Frequency—325 Metres Waves Length. Eastern Standard Time. 9:45 a.m.—Union Live Stock Market reports. 11:55 a.m.—Arlington time signals. 12:00 a.m.—Weather forecast, Market reports. 1:15 p.m.—Dinner concert. 7:30 p.m.—"The Mind and Its Relation to Health and Disease." 7:45 p.m.—The children's period. 8:00 p.m.—Market reports. 8:15 p.m.—"The Port of Havre." 8:30 p.m.—Concert. 9:55 p.m.—Arlington time signals. Weather forecast. WBZ—890 Kilocycles Frequency—Springfield, Mass.—327 Metres Wave Length. Eastern Standard Time. 11:55 a.m.—Arlington time signals. 12:45 p.m.—Produce market report. 12:50 p.m.—Weather and stock market quotations; news bulletins. 6:30 p.m.—"Adventure Story." SILENT NIGHT.

Borden's ST. CHARLES MILK. Half the Quantity of St. Charles Milk will Do! When the recipe calls for a cup of milk use half a cup of Borden's St. Charles Milk and half a cup of water. St. Charles is pure, country milk exactly the same as you get in a bottle except that most of the natural water content has been evaporated, leaving the rich, creamy part of the milk. Really, you can use it as cream just as it comes from the can. When you want ordinary milk add slightly more than an equal quantity of water.

LORD ROBERTS CHAPTER RAISES \$500 IN YEAR. Mrs. W. J. Robinson and Mrs. R. W. Puddicombe are Elected to Office. The annual meeting of the Lord Roberts Chapter, L. O. E. E. was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Sherlock, Stanley street. The secretary's report, read by Mrs. A. D. Jordan, and the treasurer's report, presented by Mrs. E. W. Scattergood, showed that the chapter had enjoyed a most successful year. Five hundred dollars was raised by various ways, and milk was supplied to a number of needy families, and the chapter intends to continue this work during the coming year.



A Ten-Foot Office Building.

There is an office building in London erected on a strip of land only 10 feet wide. It is a five-story building near London bridge, erected in order to pay the taxes.

DENNY BROOKS

A STORY OF COURAGE  
By ELENORE MEHERIN.

CHAPTER CVII.

Then he met Blanche Taylor, the bookkeeper. She stopped him on the street. "Oh, say, Mr. Brooks. Saw Miss Lewis yesterday."  
CHAPTER CVIII.  
Search for Joan.  
Miss Taylor's abrupt announcement shocked him as though she said: "Miss Lewis is dead."  
She had seen Joan. Then Joan was here in the city and knowing all the tragedy that had come to them, said no word—not even to Katy who loved her; not so much as "What a shame! Oh, I'm so sorry."  
He felt as though cold, heavy hands flattened him against a wall, pressed the voice out of him.  
"Oh, you saw her? Where is she working now?"  
"Well, I don't know. She was just getting on the car. I ran, but I couldn't make it. So I didn't get a chance to speak to her."  
"You didn't speak to her?"  
"No, she was getting on the Geary street car. It was gone when I reached the curb. But I'll run across her again."  
His spirit rose with a surge of relief. Blanche Taylor was mistaken. Couldn't have been Joan—couldn't have been. All right, Mr. Brooks. She bowed to him.  
The news left a crushing weight of uncertainty lodging in his thoughts. Why should Joan be silent? What could he have done?  
That despondent morning after the encounter with the farmers he had sent her a wire telling her he was leaving; he would see her on Friday, Friday when he arrived there was no trace of Joan.  
Why had she acted so to him?  
Did she think now that he had thrown up the great work? And so she left, fearing her own terrible scorn of him?  
Joan wouldn't judge him so. She never would.  
But she was here in the city. Blanche Taylor had seen her. And she remained silent. A passion of grief sent him racing along, all his previous fear as nothing to the hurt, the resentment, the furious bafflement this knowledge brought him—Joan here and avoiding him.  
He saw himself meeting her, grabbing her by the shoulders, demanding through shut teeth, "Why in the name of God did you do this, Joan?"  
When his heart had emptied itself of reproaches, remorse entered. Something behind it—must be. Abruptly it occurred to him that since her husband returned, perhaps she had sent her address to the old boarding-house.  
He went there. The thin, meek little young lady had given the \$5 bill opened the door. She remembered him. No—there was no address. Miss Lewis had not returned.  
Perhaps she had called at the office for her mail? Perhaps she had given her forwarding address to the new stenographer.  
Denny had not seen Dunlap since the night she had called at the office. Dunlap might be at the office. At the thought a hot anger swept over him. He kept saying to himself, "I'll get that fellow yet! I'll smash him up!"  
But the lawyer was not at the office. Miss Ida Burns rested her long, thin fingers on the typewriter, her long, thin nose toward Denny.  
"Why, no, Miss Lewis hasn't been here at all."  
"She didn't come for her mail?"  
"No. We have two letters, but I don't know where to send them. Have you her address?"  
Denny evaded with "I understood she left her address here."  
The girl shook her head.  
As Denny went down the corridor he hung headlong against James Dunlap, who stepped back with a gasp. "Why, Mr. Brooks! Good afternoon!"  
He stepped aside, Denny blocked him. Dunlap rubbed his hands together, smiled. "I presume you've seen Miss Lewis? I presume you've convinced now that I don't kidnap, that I'm not quite ready to tell you my convictions." Denny answered coldly. "Are you in a hurry to see them?"  
The pale eyelashes quivered, filled Denny with a contempt. He walked off as Dunlap whispered, "Amazing, most amazing. But then I understand your position, Mr. Brooks. Stand your ground, of course."  
A reaction from the hot intensity of feeling left him depressed with a sense of futility, of failure. He could think of no move that he might make; nothing that would solve the hankering problems.  
"I've got to drop this. What could I do for her? In the world could he do it if this hope failed?"  
In these moods he watched her with an aching tenderness, imagining she was quiet, she was pale, she was a little thing, that brought a mocking joyfulness to her face. She would say, "I'm so spoiled, now, Denny, that an angel from heaven won't serve me enough when you get tired. Stop looking at me. I have Lady Edgeline to stare. That's enough!"  
He thought now, "Well, I won't tell her about Joan. Spoiled, spoiled. But she always has told me, for she was too quick and caught the shadow on his face.  
"Can you beat that for queerness. Katy-kid? I wonder if she's lost her mind!"  
"It couldn't have been Joan. I know—why I know it wasn't Joan." That was all Katy could say. "But here's something good for you, Denny."  
It was a telegram from Stephen: "Just got back to camp. Have Katie's letter. Is your money all tied up? There's \$1,500 of mine loose. It's yours. Fight to the last ditch. I'll be up soon."  
"STEVE."  
There was a letter for Katy—short—full of heart:  
"Kate, Sweet Old Dear—Tough what they've done to our lord, Denny. It's in the stars for him. He's never said die yet and he won't now. But keep the glad heart in him, Kate, as you always have done for the two of us. I'll be up to give you a cheer. Remember, Kate, that you tried to disown me once and it didn't get by. Remember, also, that if the mule kicks one man of the family you've got the founding to call on and he's ready to answer now, and always."  
"STEPHEN."  
"Hasn't he always been a comfort to us, Denny?"  
"Oh, yes—such a prop to our old age!"  
"I'd take anything from Stephen, Denny. If we want the money we can use it."  
"We have some left yet."  
"If you had this money you could find out about Joan."  
"What can you find out about a person that's here and won't see you?"  
"If that's true, Denny—well, if Joan is here—there's something awfully about it."  
They argued all dinner about it. Denny kept repeating, "Dunlap knows she's here. Why did he say to me, 'I presume you've seen Miss Lewis?' He's sure to be in the office the next day intending to ask very calmly that Dunlap give him Joan's address. As he opened the door he heard the lawyer at the phone. A name struck him with panic. "Give me Mr. Anson, please."  
Dunlap swung around as Denny entered, clapping the receiver on the hook, his face white as paper, as he named struck him with panic. "Give me Mr. Anson, please."  
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WOMEN and THE HOME

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

How to Break An Engagement—Which Mother Makes the Better Home, the One Who Is Careful of Her Belongings, or the One Who Allows Her Children to Play All Over the House? The Super-Jealous Wife.

Dear Miss Dix—If a girl is engaged to marry a man, and finds out that she does not love him, do you not think that she should break the engagement, regardless of any promises she has made? Do you think it is known only three months? Please advise me how to break an engagement to a man for whom I have ceased to care.



MARY ANNA.  
Answer:  
Breaking an engagement, Mary Anna, is as easy as breaking pie crust. Just tell your fiance that you are sorry, but that you have ceased to care for him and have learned to love another, and ask to be released from your promise to marry him. That's all there is to it, because our love is beyond our control, and we cannot manage that very erratic organ, the human heart.

But when you break your engagement, Mary Anna, be honest enough to give the young man back his ring and all his presents. Don't consider, as many girls do, that you have a right to keep the jewelry as a prize out of your love affair.

Breaking the engagement may hurt the young man temporarily and wound his pride but he will thank you for playing fair with him. No man or woman can do another such a cruel wrong as to marry without love.

Marriage means sacrifices, it means work and worry. It means putting up with peculiarities of another. It means daily companionship. And unless we love we cannot endure these with patience. It takes love to make us willing to give up our own way to another's, to prefer another's happiness above our own, to make us condone another's faults and to keep us from being bored to death with another's society.

With love, poverty is nothing. Hard work is nothing. Without love, riches and luxury are dust and ashes, and a palace is not a house.

As for marrying a man you have known only three months, Mary Anna, that's another pair of sleeves. Of course, there is such a thing as eye at first sight, but that is as rare as a white blackbird, almost. Also, the symptoms are misleading, and many people who think they love at first sight, find later that they have diagnosed their cases wrong.

Better wait until you know the young man more thoroughly, and are more sure of yourself. You have thought that you were in love, for keeps, and found out that you were mistaken, so learn from that experience.

Any stranger can make himself agreeable for a short period, but time brings out a man's disposition and character. So give yourself at least a year in which to study the temper and temperament of the man with whom you propose to spend the balance of your life.

Dear Dorothy Dix—My sister and I each have two little girls, about one and four years old. I allow my girls to keep their toys in the dining room only. They are not permitted to play in the living-room where we have a nice good furniture.

My sister's children are permitted to play all over the house, and as a result, there are several scratches on her best furniture. She says they scratches have a history, and she would not put a drop of varnish on them to hide them. I want to keep my furniture nice for my girls when they are older. My sister says that furniture is no object in making a real home. Now my point is—will my girls or my sister's girls love their home best when they are older? Surely, both of us can't be right.

SARAH.  
Answer:  
Ah, but you are both right, and both wrong, Sarah—that is, if either one of you carry your theory an inch too far. There is nothing that is so hard to do as to strike the perfect note of moderation in a home and have things orderly, and clean, and comfortable enough to be nice, and yet not so nice, and orderly, and clean as to be uncomfortable.

You are right in not permitting your children to clutter up the whole house with their toys, because they can play just as happily with them in one room as they could in half a dozen. You are right in teaching them to be orderly, and put things away, because that habit formed in childhood will be a valuable asset to them as long as they live. You are right in teaching them how to take care of good furniture because that is a hall mark of breeding.

You are right in the sort of a home people come from, whether they are poor or rich, almost the exact amount of cultivation they have, by the way they treat your furniture.

But you are wrong if you are so orderly, and so neat and particular that you make your home a prison. If you make your children feel that you put your furniture before their pleasure, and that they are not free to romp, to enjoy themselves in their own home, they are not free to romp. A child who is not free to be destructive and careless, and to stretch himself out on the sofa, and to play that her children will always look back upon as the dearest spot in the world.

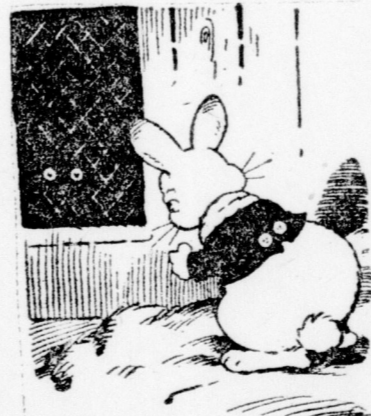
DOROTHY DIX.  
Dear Miss Dorothy Dix—My wife is so jealous of me that she doesn't want me even to tell after my business, nor to talk to other men. I have lost all of my friends trying to please her. She quarrels with me from the time I come into the house until I go out. Please tell me what to do.

BILL.  
Answer:  
That kind of jealousy is insanity, Bill. Call in an alienist and have her examined. The idea that she is about to be committed to an asylum will scare her dumb.  
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Peter Rabbit Sees Dreadful Eyes Looking At Him in the Barn

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Peter Rabbit was a prisoner in an empty stall in Farmer Brown's barn, and all because he had been in mischief in Farmer Brown's orchard. Peter had to admit that he was very comfortable. It was warm in there and he had all the food he could eat, such food as he had dreamed about all that hard winter, but hadn't had since. As soon as he had grown used to the stamping of Farmer Brown's horse and the noises made by the cows and the other sounds of the barn he had been very comfortable. Farmer Brown's boy came to see him two or three times a day, and always talked to him.



Could Those Be the Eyes of Shadow the Weasel?

"You really are a whole lot better off here than if you were back in the dear old Briar Patch, Peter. Yes, sir, you are a whole lot better off." Farmer Brown's boy would say. "It is awful weather out. You should be thankful to have a warm, comfortable place and plenty to eat. But I don't suppose you are, I suppose you are worrying all the time because you are a prisoner. Just stop your worrying, for when the time comes I am going to let you go. I am keeping

PUBLIC HEALTH MISSING IN THE OLD TESTAMENT

Dr. Hill Delivers Interesting Address Before Graduate Nurses' Association.

Dr. Hill, of the Institute of Public Health, was the chief speaker at last night's meeting of the Edith Cavell Chapter, Ontario Graduate Nurses' Association, held at the Institute. His subject, "Is There Public Health in the Old Testament?" was an intensely interesting one. The speaker quoted freely from the Old Testament, with the result that he found no reference there whatever to public health. The speaker declared that the people of the present day were at the highest point in the history of the human race. Other speakers of the night were Mrs. Playter and Miss Fielder, who addressed the club on "Insurance for Nurses." Plans were discussed concerning a bridge and encircled, which the chapter will probably hold later in the season. Miss Blanche Rowe, the president, was in the chair.

STORY HOUR IS INSTITUTED AT NEW TRAFALGAR SCHOOL

CLUB NEWS

LORD ELGIN CHAPTER.  
The return of the entire executive of the Lord Elgin Chapter, I. O. D. E., featured yesterday afternoon's meeting held at the home of Mrs. Fred White, William street, Mrs. A. E. Miller being again proclaimed regent. The nominations committee, whose report was at once accepted by the chapter, included Mrs. W. Vaughn and Mrs. Charles White. Reports of the treasurer, Mrs. White, and of the secretary, Mrs. A. E. Benson, were received. It was announced that the chapter had 100 books to their credit for Byron Sanatorium library.

New Phase of Public School Education Begun This Afternoon.

BUT TWO LIBRARIES  
Trafalgar and Victoria Schools Alone Have Library Departments.

When a group of the children of the new Trafalgar School gathered in the library of that school at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon for a story hour something entirely new was happening in connection with the history of the London public schools. The story hour has already become an indispensable feature of the work of the children's department of the London public library, and now that work is being enlarged and will eventually become part of the library work in connection with the public schools.

At the present time but two of the London public schools can boast a library department, the new Trafalgar school and the Victoria public school. And it is intended that the Trafalgar school to be the leader in the story hour. Miss Brownlee, of the central public library staff, who will interest the children with her fascinating and beautiful stories this afternoon, is regularly attached to the new Trafalgar school library.

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons will find her there on duty, ready to help the children in their reading at recess time, or in selection of books after 4 o'clock. She is there too on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings from 7:15 to 9:15 o'clock, to care for the children of the district should care to return to the school and spend time in the library.

LOCAL COUNCIL PLANS AN EDUCATIONAL TEA

Miss Evelyn Harrison Will Talk On "The Laws of Succession."

Mrs. John Rose, president of the Local Council of Women, announced today at the Local Council of Women luncheon, held in the Tecumseh House, that the citizenship committee, of which she is also convenor, is planning a series of educational teas for the women of London. The first of these will be held at the Smallman and Ingram tea room in the near future, when Miss Evelyn Harrison, a local lawyer, will give an address on "The Laws of Succession as they affect Women and Children."

The members of the citizenship committee feel that the work which now lies to their hand is the education of the women of London along lines which will make them better fitted to exercise their franchise intelligently. This first tea will be but one of a series which will follow, should it prove to be successful.

Carved Ivory Flasks.  
New York, Feb. 25.—Carved ivory flasks—for holding scent or what you will—are accessories in the new Persian wrist bags. The flasks very long and slender, copy various old Persian vases.

Archaic Earrings.  
New York, Feb. 25.—Some of the latest ear-rings are positively archaic in their heavy beauty with just escapes clumsiness. Big, roughly cut pieces of semi-precious stones give them a quaint look borne out by the solid settings.

No harm done It's a Moffat Open Type Element

Boiled-over food or spilt water can do no harm to the open-type elements on a Moffat Electric Range. Any Moffat dealer will demonstrate this to you. He will, first, heat the element to a red heat and then pour water directly on the glowing element. A cloud of steam! Then, in a moment or two, the coils will be glowing red hot again, none the worse!

You will be impressed by the great speed with which Moffats patented open-type element comes to full heat. You will readily understand why our open-type element is recognized as the fastest-heating element known.

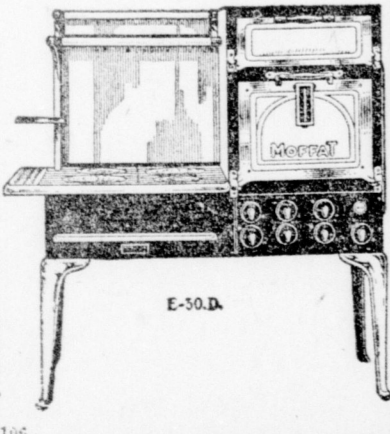
More Moffats Sold Than Any Other Make

There are more Moffats sold in the British Empire than any other make. Moffats are in constant three-times-a-day use in nearly 50,000 homes and the number is rapidly mounting up—your guarantee that you are not taking any chance or experimenting.

Moffats Ranges are better in design and balance. The "Electra-Porcelain" enameling is smooth as glass. The oven is coated with Moffat "Electra-Porcelain" enamel, the only coating known that prevents rust, being fused to the famous Armo Iron, of which the oven is made. The oven is welded into one piece.

All terminals are outside the range, ensuring against trouble from wire leakage and making them easy to get at. The switches turn either way and, when "off," stop the current so effectively that none can leak through to the elements.

Other Features—Removable drip trays warn against mercury thermometer on oven; range top at exact height for comfortable cooking; and the ease of cleaning. Write for folder and full details to Moffats Limited, Weston, Ontario.



Moffats Electric Ranges

For Sale By The Hydro Shop

ENGAGEMENTS

A charge of 75 cents for one insertion, or \$1 for two insertions. Send for notices under this heading. Orders for insertion of engagement notices must bear the name and address of sender and will not be taken over the telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brown of Melbourne announces the engagement of their youngest daughter Edythe Lillian to Mr. Kenneth Clayton of London, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley A. Harrison of Longwood, the marriage to take place on Saturday, March 15th.

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London Advertiser

The Advertiser was established in 1863, and is published three times daily...

The Load on the Civic Purse.

Several of the cities in Western Ontario are working in an effort to keep their tax rate down to the 1923 figure...

grows the best wheat in the world for making flour...

Canada can make more of that best wheat into the best flour, or she can allow it to go elsewhere...

More Blood Money.

Some queer things come to the surface. Here is a shipment of arms, field guns, machine guns, 40,000 rounds of ammunition...

When the Bills Come Due.

When London looks at the bill for \$164,165 for highway construction it begins to realize what this good roads system means to the taxpayers...

Using Our Advantage.

Four millers in United States argued before the tariff commission at Washington that Canadian-made flour from Canadian-grown wheat is too strong a competition for them to meet...

Note and Comment.

St. Catharines Standard remarks that the early settlers now are those who are getting ready to pay their taxes.

Tavish Mactavish

A religious hotel is shortly to be opened by the deacons of the Calvary Baptist Church in New York.

More wheat turned into flour here means more bran, shorts, etc., for the live stock and dairy industries...

Veranda or Road.

East Ender Has a Problem and the Chances Are Many Others Look at it the Same.

The City Workers.

Ex-Tree Trimmer Resents the Inference That Fair Work Was Not Done.

For Better Pictures.

Attendance Records Show That the Public Respond to Pictures of the Worth-While Order.

ON GROWING OLDER.

From an interesting biography recently published, 'The Master Spinner,' I called the following example of philosophic reasoning:

The Guide Post—By Henry van Dyke

GOD SETS US AN EXAMPLE. Forgiving each other even as God also in Christ forgave you...

When we see God forgiving those who have sinned against him, sparing them in his mercy and showering his bounty alike upon the evil and the good...

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Advertiser welcomes letters discussing matters of public interest. It is necessary that the name of the writer be sent as an evidence of good faith...

Mr. Kelso, pioneer leader in children's aid work in Ontario, has expressed a wish that in every town there was a film theatre...

HEART WAS SO BAD HAD TO SIT UP IN BED. Mrs. O. E. Fitzgerald, 105 Ross street, St. Thomas, Ont., writes: 'In the fall of 1921 I was taken ill by my heart...

California AND PACIFIC COAST A Summer Clime In Winter Time TRAVEL 'THE NATIONAL WAY'

Advertisement for Canadian National Railways featuring a large illustration of a train and text about travel to Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Day of Shame

(From the Los Angeles Times.) THE saddest chapter in the history of our country is being written in the archives of the United States senate...

THEN THE WAR STARTED.

'Galt is slowly recovering from effects of stroke,' Galt Evening Reporter. Slowly that's Galt! Kitchener Record.

SPEAKING OF KICKING.

The mule has earned a bad name for himself as a kicker. But after all, he only kicks the man behind him.

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific SAILINGS FROM ST. JOHN with a list of departure dates to various ports.

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific SUMMER SAILINGS FROM MONTREAL with a list of departure dates.

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific Double daily Service to CHICAGO with a schedule of departures and arrivals.

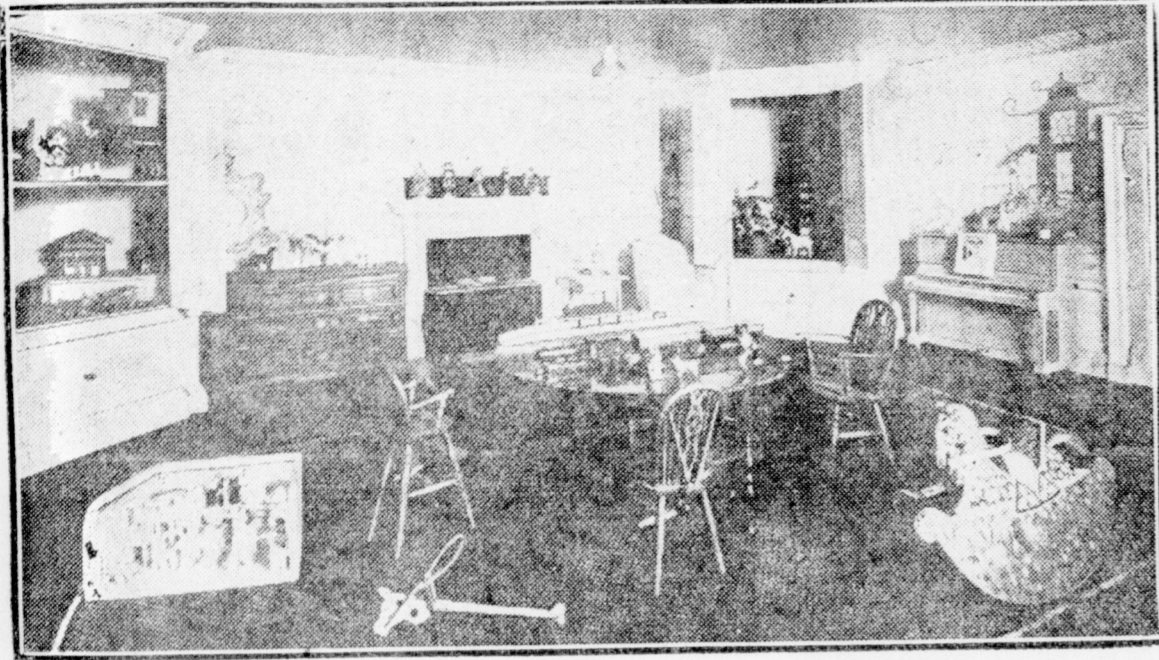
Large advertisement for Canadian National Railways titled 'Travel to Western Canada and The Pacific Coast' featuring scenic illustrations and detailed travel information.

Advertisement for Hotel Fort Shelby featuring an illustration of the hotel building and text describing its amenities and location in Detroit.

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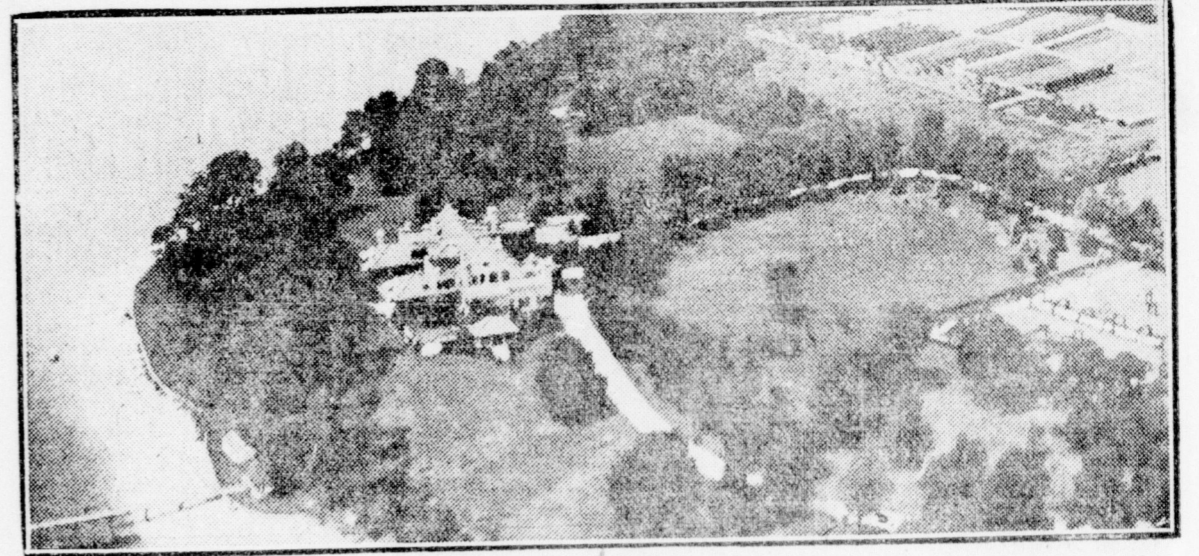
# Fishes from Ice Boat; Sheds Real Tears; Counts Worms in Soil



Photograph shows the day nursery in the doll's house for the Queen of England, which will be one of the exhibits at the Empire Exhibition to be held at Wembley Park, London.



A Guy's forward handles 'em rough and scores a try. Photograph shows an incident in the match when Guy's defeated University College Hospital 53-0, at Richmond, England, recently.



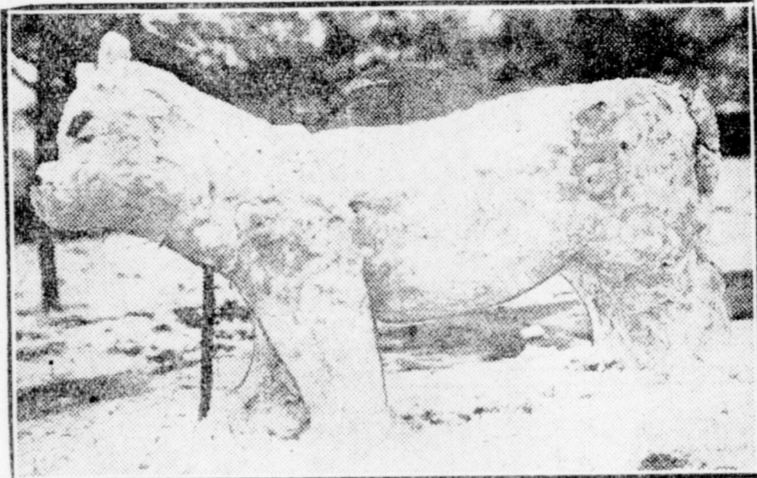
This remarkable air view shows the estate of Harry F. Sinclair, oil king, at Great Neck, L.I. Mr. Sinclair has returned from Europe to face the senate investigation committee on oil lease disclosures.



The Labor ministers in the British parliament have demanded modernity in court dress. Those not possessing the full costume will wear instead ordinary evening coats, black knee breeches, silk stockings and white tie.



This New York girl has started the latest in riding breeches on the Atlantic City board walk. This style, that dispenses with leggings, is well-known in England, but has only recently found its way to this continent.



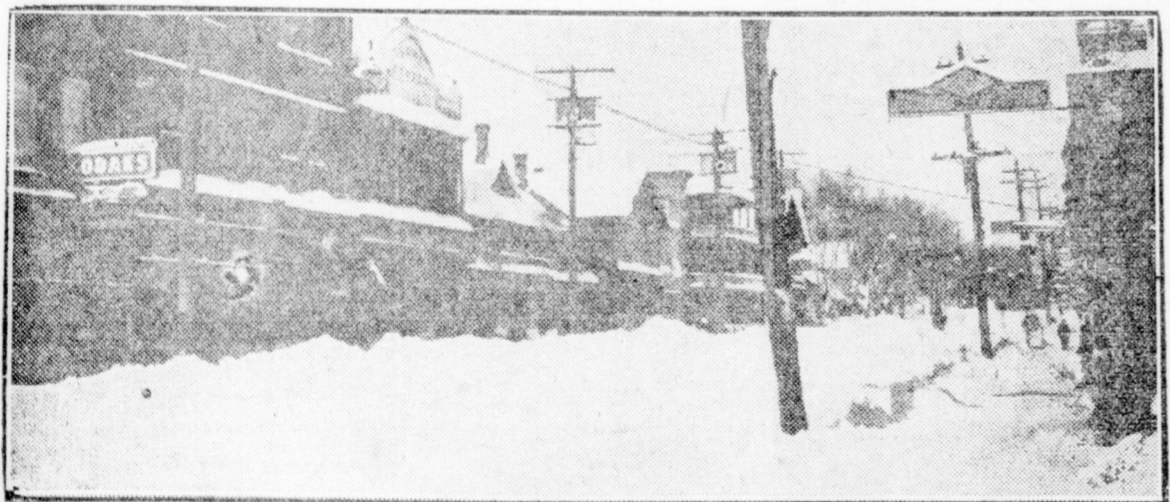
The children who are responsible for this started out to make a likeness of the "King of the Jungle," but the finished product resembled a dog of Tutankhamen's time.



A short recess had to be taken in a Los Angeles court recently to allow Barbara LaMarr, screen luminary, to recover from her tears while on the stand giving evidence in a case of extortion against her manager.



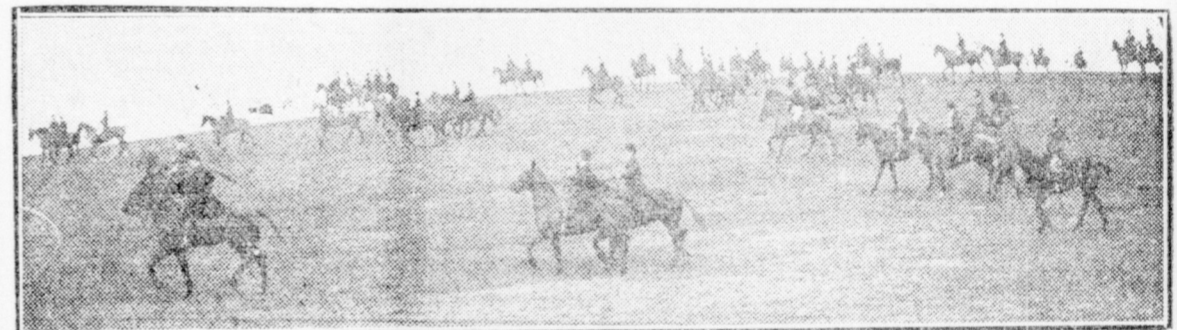
Is he going to make it or not? Photograph shows G. R. Renwick, New College, who came second in the pole jump at the recent Oxford University inter-college sports.



Judge whether Toronto has received more than its share of snow compared with the rest of the province. Photograph shows James street, Parry Sound, Ontario, after the recent heavy snowfall.



Captain and Mrs. Lyman Kimball, Salvation Army newlyweds, have sailed recently from this continent to South Africa on their honeymoon, where they will remain to do the Army's missionary work.



A part of a huge field is shown moving away during the Whaddon chase foxhounds meet at Hurdles Drove, near Creslow, Bucks, England.



His dog, whose grandsire, Dolf Von Dustenbrook, is rated as one of the best police dogs in the country, is one of the earliest sizers in Brookfield, Mass., where he helps this young milkman make his rounds.



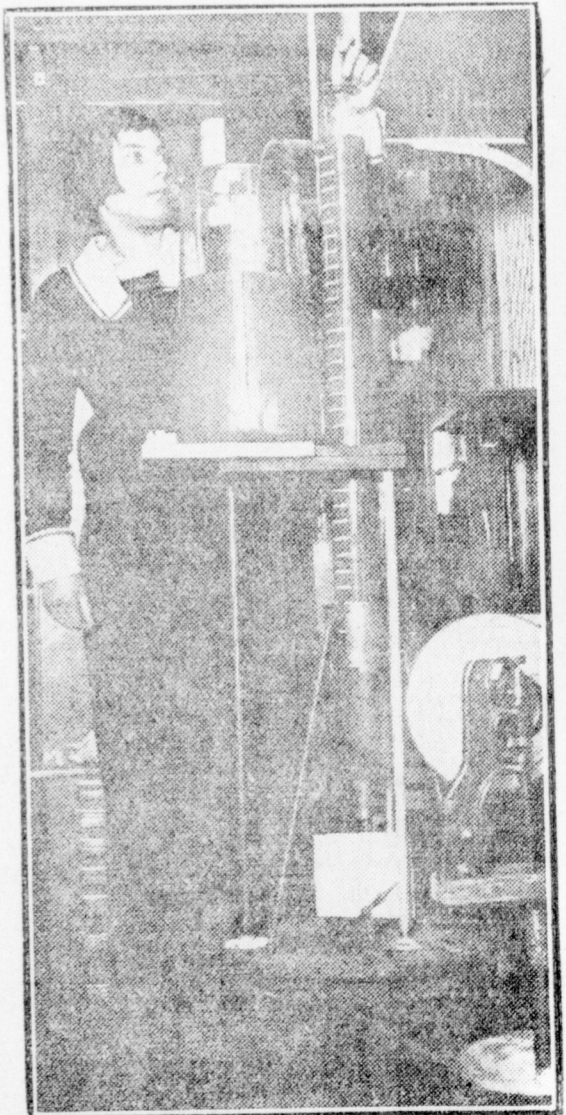
Miss Dorothy Jewson, Labor M.P. for Norwich, created a ripple of surprise by carrying a shopping bag when she signed the rolls as the first woman to take the oath of parliament this year.



Ice is no obstacle to this fisherman on Oneida Lake. He had an ice-boat built which he uses for sailing five or six miles out in the lake, where the fishing is good. There he makes his catch through a hole in the ice.



Miss Peggy Marsh is with society on the Riviera. The celebrated dancer was photographed with her pet dog, "Jock," while they were enjoying the sunshine at Monte Carlo.



The machine has been adopted by the U.S. department of agriculture to determine the number of worms in various soils. The earth is placed in the long tube, which revolves, and the worms collect in the large jar.

# London A.A.A. Girls' Team Goes On, Seniors Drop From Race

## NEW HAMBURG TAKES SECOND ROUND, 10 TO 5

London N. H. L. Seniors Go Under 7-3 in Stiff Struggle.

### MIDDLE PERIOD HOT

Gowdy, Somers and Doolittle Score For Red, White and Black.

Special to The Advertiser.

New Hamburg, Feb. 25.—New Hamburg won their first-round senior N. H. L. series here tonight by defeating London 7 to 3, and the round 10 to 5.

The Londoners gave the locals a good stiff game, although at no time were they dangerous. In the first period the count was 2 to 1 for the locals. Smith did some wonderful goal-keeping. Both scored in five, and two minutes later Heinbecker tallied. Gowdy got one for London before the period closed.

The second period saw the locals take off all the restraint and run in five goals and miss a dozen more, thanks to some more great net-mending by Smith, who took them every way, and was only beaten by the impossible shots. It started off with Somers slipping down the ice for a goal in one minute, but after that it was ten minutes for five New Hamburg goals. Both scored two, Lederman one and Bowman and Heinbecker one each. The game roughened up in this period, two penalties being handed out.

Roth retired for the night to close the second period. Doolittle's rush right through the Hamburg defence and into the goal for a counter gave the Londoners their third goal.

The line-ups: New Hamburg—Oliver, goal; Lederman and Trushinski, defence; Roth, center; Bowman, right wing; Heinbecker, left wing; Clayton, Berger and Hann, subs.

London—Smith, goal; Somers and Lougheed, defence; Doolittle, center; Gowdy, left wing; Monahan, right wing; Moore and Robson, subs.

Referee—Sandbrook, Paris.

## SEVEN TEAMS JOIN NEW SOCCER GROUP

Niagara District Clubs Break Away From Dominion Football Body.

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—Seven more soccer clubs have broken away from the D. F. A. and joined the Canadian Football Association, which is in affiliation with the A. A. U. of C. They are the teams of the Niagara Falls district, and it is their intention to form a new district association, under the jurisdiction of the C. F. A. M. Adams, secretary, and Walker of the C. F. A. visited Niagara Falls some time ago, and efforts were made to secure the affiliation of the Niagara and District Association.

Guelph and London clubs are also likely to go over to the new organization.

The officials of the O. F. A. are to have addressed the Brantford and District F. A. Thursday, but, to quote the official announcer, the meeting was postponed because of the report that the alliance with the Canadian amateur body had been consummated, and a new phase of the story would have to be related. The truth is that the said officials had an attack of cold feet, due to a small extent to the weather conditions, but principally owing to the fact that they are fighting a forlorn hope.

Quebec is watching developments, and there are signs that the clubs in and around Montreal are watching for the psychological moment to join forces with Ontario's premier clubs. It must be plainly stated here and now that no matter whatever agreements the A. A. U. of C. may make with the D. F. A., it will not affect the future of the C. F. A. That body is here to stay and to legislate for amateur soccer in a sane and impartial manner.

## KOMOKA HOCKEY TEAM DEFEATS LONDON BANKERS

Special to The Advertiser.

Komoka, Feb. 25.—The Komoka hockey team defeated the Bank of Montreal Branch staff Wednesday at the local arena 9 to 3. McDougall was the star for the visitors, while Swales for the locals had four goals to his credit.

Bank of Montreal—Goal, Helsby; defence, Brewer and McDougall; center, Oberly; wings, Baker and Arscott.

Komoka—Goal, Campbell; defence, Scott and Swales; center, Hammond; wings, Ross and Graham; Hammond.

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## ST. KITTS GIRLS PLAY SATURDAY

Both L. A. A. Cage Teams Have Games At Local Armories.

Saturday night isn't national bath night any more, as far as London is concerned. Basketball has displaced the bath, or the water in the bathtub, which ever way you like to view it, between the hours of 7 to 11, at any rate.

This Saturday night the bill is made up of two games which should please the most exacting fan. L. A. A. girls play Mel Brock's St. Kitts team who appeared here earlier in the season against Shamrocks, and in the other game L. A. A. intermediate O. A. B. A. five settle their rivalry of the season with "Y" Aces. This promises to be the tidiest men's battle of the year.

Both Keen to Win.

L. A. A. want to make their last game a win over the Aces, which will mean that as far as the local situation goes they'll be on an even footing. Aces, with a victory over the L. A. A. team in their home game, are equally keen to grab off what city honors are left lying around loose.

The game between L. A. A. girls and St. Kitts has some interesting angles. One big angle is the chance afforded local fans of comparing the two local girls' teams again a quarter they've both met. As it is quite conceivable that Shamrocks and L. A. A. girls might not be drawn against each other in the provincial finals, this game assumes real significance as a line on the two local outfits.

The L. A. A. girls have been practising faithfully since their defeat by the Y. W. H. A.

Visitors Good.

They are not taking that loss too much to heart. They realize that the Y. W. H. A. is one of the strongest, if not the best, girls' team in the province this season, and that in view of it being their first appearance on the floor they did not acquit themselves badly.

St. Kitts gave Shamrocks a good game, and they've played a lot of basketball since then. They'll probably be a much better team than they were on their last appearance here, and L. A. A. cannot take them too lightly.

## RUMOR SAYS "GOLDIE" TO MANAGE ARENA

Prodger's Career As Professional Will End With Game Wednesday.

Special to The Advertiser.

Hamilton, Feb. 25.—When the Hamilton team plays the last game of the season at Montreal on Wednesday night of next week it will probably mark the end of the hockey career of one of the most popular players that ever figured in the National Hockey League.

Goldie Prodger, who has been one of the mainstays of the Hamilton team ever since this city was represented in professional hockey, and who is one of the veterans of the league, will likely remain in London, his home city, next winter. He has been offered the management of the new arena there at salary much greater than he would receive for playing hockey, and while he has not given a definite answer, it is likely that he will accept the offer.

Old "Sorrel Top" is one of the most popular players that ever wore a Hamilton uniform. He always gives his best, and no matter whether the team is out in front or far behind, he generally manages to star, and has played as consistently as any man in the league.

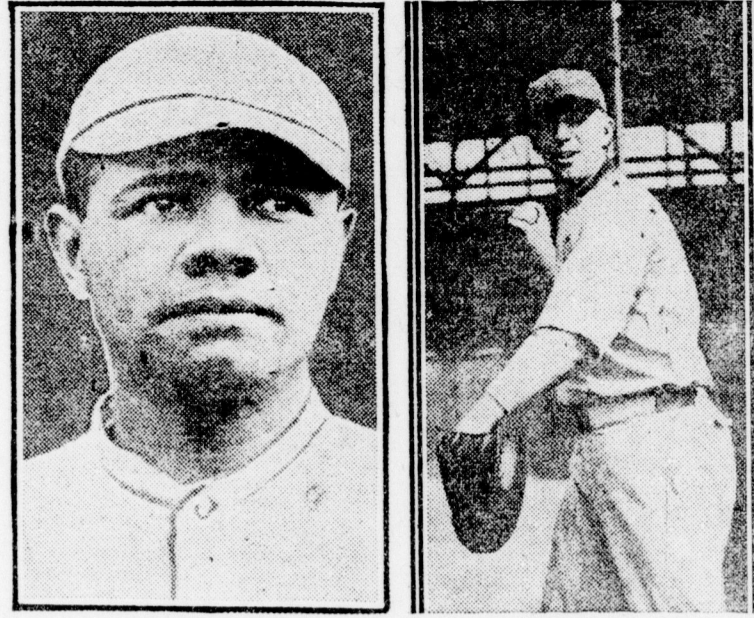
He broke into professional hockey in the old Troley League, and soon after went to Canada. He also played with the Pats for a season, and was with Quebec when the franchise was purchased by Hamilton.

While Prodger is old in hockey, he is by no means the oldest man in the league, for he broke into professional company when he was but 18 years of age.

If Prodger accepts the appointment, and it looks as though he will, his retirement from the N. H. L. will be generally regretted, as he is popular with fans in every city in this circuit.

Directors, when questioned yesterday regarding the above report, said that they knew nothing about such an offer. It had been rumored for some time, they claim, and reports of such a move had been made to them.

"Merely street rumor," was one director's comment.



BABE RUTH. HANK GOWDY.

## HOW WILY JAWN FOOLED THE BABE.

W. O. McGeehan sends the following from the Giants' camp at Sarasota, Florida:

Mr. Lank Hank Gowdy squatted on his suitcase in the attitude he assumed while squatting on his baggage with the A. E. F. and told how John J. McGraw applied a little psychology to Babe Ruth in the last game of the world's series.

It was after the fragile Art Neff had cracked under the accumulated strain of the season, crowded by a sense of responsibility in the series, Rosy William Ryan replaced him and Ruth finally came to bat with the bases full.

You will recall that there were two strikes on Babe when Gowdy came dashing out of the Giant dugout waving his arms frantically to hold up the game.

The customers knew that Hank was acting as a despatch bearer with an important message from McGraw.

But nobody knew what the message was. The lips of Hank Gowdy remained as tightly sealed as a tomb or a Scotch pocketbook until today, when he broke the silence, possibly overcome by the pangs of hunger and fearing to carry the secret with him to the beyond.

"McGraw sent me out," confessed Hank, "to tell Ryan to throw the next one into the dirt. No, he did not say to throw it low. He said to throw it into the dirt. When I told Ryan and Snyder they were astonished, too, and they looked to the dugout for the O.K. from the boss. He gave it to them.

"Ryan hurled the ball right into the dirt, and Ruth struck at it and struck out. McGraw could tell that he was going to strike at the next one, no matter what it was. I could see that, too. Anybody could see it. The only thing was that I was afraid Ryan would let go with the ball before I could get out there with the orders. That," concluded Mr. Gowdy, "was what you might call psychology and lots of it."

## On the Side Lines

With C. S. G.

OPEN BOTH WAYS. Firpo went into the fight with his eyes open. Lodge went to the canvass the same way. Presently the Argentine fight fans will get their open.

IF? If the new Canadian Football Association extends to Guelph, it would surely extend here. Meantime the D. F. A. is not extending congratulations to the way in which the new soccer body is extending its territory.

KNOW HOW IT FEELS. Three mermaids, Miss Aileen Rigin, Gertrude Ederle and Agnes Gerhart, swam in Miami, Florida, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, left the sunny beaches there for cold drizzly Friday in Buffalo, and after tank exhibition in Toronto Saturday night, went ski-ing on Sunday.

Now they know what a Mint Julep feels like before it settles down and the ice makes its final clink against the side of the glass.

HOW DO THEY DO IT? Swimmers wouldn't know how to pad their expense accounts. They're not used to much in the way of padding.

QUESTION OF TASTE. The O. H. A. intermediate race has simmered down to the point where it's a question of whether you like Hamburger or Haggis.

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## MUCH EXPECTED OF CIVIL SERVICE

Will Posties Continue in the Stride Struck Last Week?

Bell Telephone vs. C. N. R. Standard Drug vs. McClarys. Perrins vs. Civil Service. Tomorrow night's Manufacturers' League bill isn't sparring Civil Service, who perpetrated their first win of the season last week against McClarys, one of the big three of the first series, as it shoves them up against the league leaders of the second series and second rung holders in the first series—Perrins.

On the dope the biscuitmakers should rise over the Civil Service, but this aggregation, besides not winning a game in the first series, has other distinctions, one of which is always to put up its strongest game against the top contenders and even force them into overrating occasion. How Civil Service manages this is not apparent, but they've been the cause of several upsets so far this season, and none was more surprising than their effort of last week against the stovemen.

McClarys on the dope of last week draw the next hardest assignment of the night as they have Standard Drug, who defeated Bell Telephone, 5-2, to defeat. The stovemen will have to perform differently than they did last week or they will be trailing at the end of this argument.

Bell Telephone should be a means of the morale lost last week when they dropped a 2-1 engagement to Perrins. Bell, however, will be stronger than they were last week. Gowdy was snowed out and could not get to the city to play, and the helio kang are confident that with his back they will not be going into the combat tonight down in the betting.

The line-ups: London—Goal, May Wells; defence, Pearl Fortner and Rene Curcio; center, Peggy Reynolds; wings, Lucy Mills and Rene Fortner; subs, A. Neil and K. Neil.

Preston—Goal, Minnie Robt.; defence, Florence Torloff and Carabelle Wiles; center, Dennis Aswell; wings, Teddy O'Neil and Moly Shoemaker; subs, Ethel Pearce and Phyllis Nichols.

Referee—Geo. Hiller, Kitchener.

## COLLEGIATE ALUMNI ARRANGE CAGE BILL

Old Boys and Girls To Meet C. I. Quintets Friday Night.

London Central Collegiate Alumni Association is preparing for a big night next Friday, when the old boys' and old girls' basketball teams will meet the collegiate teams in a double-header cage bill. The event has been talked about for some time, and is just now about to materialize, due to the energetic efforts of Cecil Hill of the alumni, and the assistance of Charlie Harbour of the C. I.

The tickets are to be on sale tomorrow, and from the number of demands made for them already, they are likely to go like hotcakes.

It is not yet known whether Cam Wilson of the Western team will be able to play for the alumni quintet or not, on account of a university ruling which allows team members to play on the school team alone. It is likely that this ruling will be waived on this occasion.

A referee has not been chosen yet, but H. B. Dinsmore of South C. I. will probably be the arbiter.

## First Year Wins South C. I. Title

Defeats 4A-4B Team 1 to 0 in Close Struggle.

Yesterday afternoon a new championship team was decided when the 1A-1B hockey sextet of South C. I. defeated the 4A-4B outfit in the final game to decide the title.

The winning and only tally of the game came from the stick of N. Boss, who scored in the fourth minute.

The regular juniors, who were the fourth-year boys were never able to penetrate the youngsters' defence in a sufficiently open manner to register.

1A-1B—Goal, Elmore; defence, Burnett and Campbell; center, Luter; wings, Knopson and Boss; sub, Burgess.

4A-4B—Goal, Mennell; defence, Duke and Forsythe; center, Appleby; wings, Dunn and Mason.

Referee—Jack Rankin.

## GAME WITH ST. MARYS JUNIORS IS POSTPONED

George McCallum's men, who were scheduled to clash with the St. Marys juniors in that town last night, received word in the morning that the match would have to be postponed until later in the week owing to the condition of the roads in that vicinity, which would hinder them in getting enough fans to cover expenses.

Mr. McCallum tried a few weeks ago to organize an all-star team from the best players in the Junior City League, but the Oriole Club opposed this plan, having the idea that it had the best team in the league, and that it should represent this circle in exhibition matches, so Mr. McCallum picked out his own stars. The team includes Hall, Dalgleish, McKay, Land, Ellis, Barrett, McMillan, Penny and McCallum.

## CRICKETERS OF SARINIA EXPECT GOOD SEASON

Sarnia, Feb. 25.—Sarnia may be one of the few points in Western Ontario to support cricket, if present plans mature. A number of lovers of the English game, and a few experienced players reside here and these are getting together to see if the game can be carried on. With London and Forest City supporting wicket teams, Sarnia would not need to travel far for opponents. A suitable pitch at Bayview Park could be made available.

## LONDON LASSIES BLANK PRESTON L. O. H. A. SIX

Hurlbut Girls' Team Shut Out 1 to 0 On Own Ice.

VICTORS' DEFENCE GOOD

Lack of Combination Work Loses Game For Home Sextet.

Special to The Advertiser.

Preston, Feb. 25.—London girls defeated the Hurlbut girls, 1 to 0, in the first of the home-and-home games in the second round of the L. O. H. A. here tonight.

This game was not as good an exhibition as some of the previous ones played in the group series. The locals did not play the combination they are capable of, and the result was defeat. Preston girls had most of the play, but could not beat the London defence.

Teddy O'Neil was away below standard, and can play much better hockey. Doris Avenall was the star of the locals, while every one of the London girls played good hockey.

The visitors were a much improved team from last year. The only goal of the game was scored in the second period.

Referee Hiller of Kitchener gave the best of satisfaction.

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## Short Jobs

This week and next, St. Thomas and London will be the stamping grounds of most of the amateur boxers of the ring. Harry Henning is going back into St. Thomas Friday night and next week at the local Garrison show. McDoult, Henning, Campbell and some more of the best trust show.

The St. Thomas card comes first and is spiced looking with course in the opening round. Overshadowing everything, in all fairness to district men who might act to the fighters themselves, the officials must let the referee decide the bout. He is after all the man who should make the decision in a bout of this kind. He's a paid official.

In three rounds of such fighting as Pook and Henning are likely to put up, there are only a dozen men in the world who could competently render a decision to which a certain—and its small fortunately—portion of St. Thomas fandom could be expected to subscribe especially if it appeared to be close and went against Pook.

Cy has a distinction that is not generally known. Henning, although he has been beaten on points has been knocked down only twice. The second time was his last appearance in Toronto when Pook made him take a count of nine. Henning did afterwards that he didn't hear a thing until "six."

Walter Obermoss, Bobby Ebor's pilot is somewhat incensed over the claims of "Silent" McNulty who lists the Canadian bantamweight champ as one of the victims of his man McNichols. He was in telling his troubles to Paddy Jones of the Hamilton Herald Saturday. Paddy writes in:

"I never heard Obermoss talk so cheerfully in all the time he has been in charge of Ebor's affairs. It looks as if Bobby is surely on the right road again.

"His great," said Walter. "His come-back has been remarkable. With three more fights under his belt he will be just as good as at any time in his career, and we'll go gunning for the top-notchers again."

Walter was not at all pleased with one of the "Toronto papers" reports of the Ebor-Winler fight. He didn't like the statement that Bobby tired after the fifth round.

"The boy did nothing of the kind. He fought absolutely according to my instructions. He eased off here. I told him to, because I figured he had the fight won without taking a chance of injury. If I had allowed him to go on, he would have scored a knockout. He was full of fight and eager to tear into Winler. In the last two rounds I gave him the word to step out again and he certainly did. He had Winler hanging on. I can't understand how any person with a fair knowledge of the game could say that he tired. He was as fresh as a daisy when the final gong sounded.

"Take it from me. Ebor is back to stay. His climb will be rapid. We intend to start our step forward with victories over Eddie Green, Donnie Mack and Tommy Ryan in order."

## CHARLIE GORMAN DECIDES TO RETIRE FROM THE GAME

Canadian Press Despatch.

St. John, N.B., Feb. 25.—Charlie Gorman, who was welcomed home from the United States skating event by a crowd of 10,000 this afternoon, announced his intention of retiring at the close of the present season.

Mayor Fisher and the city commissioners welcomed Gorman at the train.

"I have achieved the greatest ambition of my life by winning an international skating title," said Gorman.

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## SUBSTITUTING CAUVEL MEANS BETTER SHOW

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#### WHITE TAKEN ILL

#### London's First Pro Boxing Show Comprises Twenty-Eight Rounds.

Thursday night's card at the Winter Gardens becomes a double star attraction as a result of word received from yesterday that Harry White of Niagara Falls, who was to have met Jimmy Brady of Detroit in the semi-final lightweight bout of the evening, was taken suddenly ill in Buffalo Sunday, and would not be able to fight for two weeks. Local officials were worried, until the match-maker, member of the card-making syndicate of Jimmie Cauvel of Pittsburg, which had come in after the card was made up. Cauvel's terms accompanying his application indicated he had an idea London was a second Shelby. It didn't look any too promising, by all accounts.

The long-distance phone was warmed up considerably after the previous night's frost in getting Cauvel, and then explaining that he was mistaken—Jim Johnston wasn't mayor of London, and further, that none of the banks in London aimed to go into the promoting line, following the experience of the Montana excise town.

Cauvel seemed quite reasonable out of the ring and over the long-distance wire apparently, for when the receiver was up it was opportunity to announce that the Pittsburg would face Brady, and the card was, as far as the record books go, stronger than ever.

#### Defeated Slattery.

His most recent accomplishment, the clipping breast shows, was an artistic trimming he handed Buffalo's pride and lightweight hope, Jimmie Slattery. Slattery is a successor to Frankie Richmond and Rocky Kansas as the pride of Buffalo, one of the warmest centers of boxing in the U. S. Cauvel has also mingled several times with Joe Tiplitz of Philadelphia.

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## HOCKEY SCORES

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#### GAMES TONIGHT.

Senior O. H. A. Varsity at Hamilton. Preston at Stratford.

## CHILEAN LOOMS FOR HEAVY TITLE

#### Dempsey May Defend Crown Against Romero Rojas Next Fall.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 25.—Jack Dempsey may be called on to defend his heavyweight championship against a new South American menace next fall, if present plans of Tex Rickard materialize.

The promoter announced today that he had guaranteed Quintin Romero-Rojas, Chilean heavyweight, a purse of \$100,000 for a title fight with Dempsey, possibly in September. He is supposed to be disposing of three preliminary opponents. Rickard has come to a definite agreement with the Chilean, and called the boxer today to fix the earliest possible date on which he can reach this country.

Romero-Rojas has been offered the same opportunity to gain ring fame and financial reward that fell to Luis Angel Firpo last year, Rickard said, adding that reports reaching him justified the prediction that the Chilean might prove an even greater sensation than the Argentinean.

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## GARRISON PLANS FOURTEEN BOUTS

#### Ten Champions To Be Seen in Action Here On March 7.

Boxing fans are in for a rare treat a week from next Friday, when the London Garrison A. A. stages its third boxing card of the season. The chairman of the boxing committee has arranged a card of fourteen bouts, which means exactly 42 rounds of exchanges.

All the local boys who are to take part in this event are down to hard training, and some of the visitors are in for the surprise of their lives when they enter the ring here. Harry Christie, when he stepped into the ring at the last bouts with Jackie Johnston, the Canadian champ, was not in condition, having laid off training for some considerable time.

#### Seats Reserved For Women Fans

Fair Ring Devotees Will Be Accommodated Thursday.

In the other London, Paris and New York, and even more obscure places, feminine devotees of boxing are no longer a novelty.

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MOOSE LEAGUE.

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#### GARRISON RUNNERS ASKED TO REPORT AT ARMORIES

All members of the London Garrison A. A. who are desirous of going to the Ontario track championships in Hamilton, March 8, are asked to communicate with Walter Burton at the local armories some time today, or report to him at the armories between 6 and 8 o'clock tonight.

## Race Results

#### NEW ORLEANS RESULTS

FIRST RACE, 5 furlongs: John T. D. 115 (Butwell), 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, won.

ON NATIONAL ALLEYS  
D. S. PERRIN LEAGUE.  
Gee Whizz—F. Steele 560, A. Zimmerman 493, E. Fritz 503, N. B. Graham 473, C. Rogers 539. Totals, 988, 842, 325-2635.

BELL TELEPHONE LEAGUE.  
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#### MCLAUGHLIN MOTOR LEAGUE.

Group A—F. L. Ross 370, G. Woolcott 409, W. Worthington 423. Totals, 379, 441-1260.

#### DOMINION EXPRESS LEAGUE.

Aves—E. Caldwell 552, T. M. Johnson 603. Totals, 437, 866, 352-1156.

#### MURRAY SHOE LEAGUE.

London Lady—N. Fildart 456, M. Reynolds 357, A. Hendricks 507, H. Sams 336, C. Hogg 462. Totals, 825, 667-2128.

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First Extra vote offer closed last night with a whirlwind finish for many contestants. Three candidates in the City of London held back and votes—Next extra vote offer will be 250,000.

The Advertiser Contest Department was the busiest place in London yesterday, candidates turning in returns and individuals paying up their subscriptions for their favorite candidates.

Long distance and local telephons calls requested the contest manager to extend the 300,000 extra vote offer for at least another week. This we cannot do, as we distinctly said at the start that this was the largest extra vote offer that would be given at any period during the contest, and would not be repeated.

Those who did not take advantage of the extra vote offer that closed last night will have lost many thousands of votes thereby. Candidates living outside of the city of London had the privilege of working up to the last minute last night, then mailing their returns to the Advertiser Contest Department. Just as soon as all these returns are in the auditors will total each account, and a special certificate will be issued showing the number of votes each candidate has earned during the special period.

The contest manager of The Advertiser has received complaints from several candidates about being visited by a person who is very solicitous as to how the candidate is getting along in the contest, and offering suggestions how to proceed with the campaign. In some instances this "mysterious person" makes bold enough to tell the candidate that he is a representative of The London Advertiser, while in other cases he thinks this procedure too dangerous; he is just passing through, and might be the wild man of a friendly call. Candidates are warned to be on their guard and in no instance disclose any plans or what they have accomplished in the contest.

Now that the second lap of the big race is on, candidates should watch out for second payment subscriptions. If you are a subscriber of territory you can add one or two years to the first year. These "second payments" are great vote getters. A second and third year (two years) advertisement gives you from 20,000 to 50,000 more votes. A few of these will help out wonderfully.

For instance, Mr. Jones gave you a year's subscription (renewal), which cost you 600 votes. Today or later on in the contest Mr. Jones gives you another year. This will count as a two-year subscription and you are allowed 12,000 votes on the second year, or 18,000 votes in all. The same rule applies to new subscriptions.

MOOSE JAW POLICEMAN COMMITTED FOR TRIAL Owen Walters, One of Seven Arrested, To Face Three Theft Charges.

Triplets Born In Essex Home Mrs. W. Steep Brings New Distinction To Tecumseh.

Obituary MISS MINNIE BUTLER.

DANCES AND SONG, DAZZLING SCENES MARK ALL IN FUN

Show At Grand Theatre Proves To Be a Costume Burlesque.

LITTLE DANCER EXCELS

"A costume burlesque" appropriately named "All In Fun" entertaining throughout.

Many Stars Shine.

Will Fox and Harry Koler, the "star" clowns of the production, do not deserve that designation as much as many members of the show who take minor parts.

Too Much Burlesque.

Fox and Koler make a lot of humor by resorting to tactics which are most too much burlesque. They seem to be too epidemic of drawing laughs, and although their comedy was successful in this respect it could have been improved on with less fuss.

Head Stuffed By Catarrh or Cold?

If your nostrils are clogged, your throat distressed, or your head is stuffed by nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic, germ destroying cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing inflamed, swollen membranes and you get instant relief.

ASPIRIN

ASPIRIN advertisement featuring Bayer logo and text: Beware of Imitations! Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin.

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EVAN GRAY.

superintendent of insurance for the Ontario government, has resigned that post to become permanent chairman and counsel for the Casualty Underwriters' Association and the Canadian Automobile Underwriters' Association.

C. P. R. ANNOUNCES PLANS FOR YEAR

Many Improvements To Be Made On Lines East of Fort William.

FEDERAL AID SAID UNLIKELY FOR COX

No Petition Received in Case of Farmer Jailed in Suicide Tragedy.

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VAUDEVILLE IS GOOD

Zane Grey stories are peculiarly fitted to be moving pictures. "The Heritage of the Desert," the feature picture just now at Loew's, is one of the best. That is to say one of the best of Zane Grey's stories has been fitted to the screen in a way which stands even the most careful comparison with other adapted tales by the same author.

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A distinguished citizen, honored politically and professionally, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears above, made a success few have equaled. His pure herb remedy, known as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, has cleared the skin, beautified it, increased the blood supply and the circulation, and pimples and eruptions vanish quickly.

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LAD'S COMPLAINT BRINGS JAIL TERM FOR FATHER

Special to The Advertiser. Windsor, Feb. 25.—Nelson Walker, 28 years old, 40 Wyandotte street east, whose son Gordon, eight years old, complained to the police Sunday that his father has beaten him, was sentenced to three months imprisonment in the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph by Magistrate W. Gundy today, on a charge under the neglected children's act.

PURCHASES BUSINESS.

Ripley, Feb. 25.—William Lane, of Ashfield Township, has purchased the furniture business of A. M. Treleven. Mr. Lane will also succeed to the position of manager of the Huron & Kinloss central telephone office here. Mr. Treleven is retiring.

Obituary

MISS MINNIE BUTLER, Miss Minnie Butler, a resident of Stratford, died in St. Joseph's hospital after a brief illness. She was the daughter of James Butler. The body was forwarded to Stratford last night from the funeral home of E. C. Killingsworth.

Speedy Relief

Advertisement for Speedy Relief, featuring a bottle of Robert's Syrup.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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CITADEL SERVICES.

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# BRITISH COLUMBIA FUTURE ASSURED, STATES M. G. HAY

## Londoner Returns After a Trip Through West and Predicts Great Development.

### SHIPPING INCREASING

Unbounded optimism in the future of British Columbia and faith in the possibilities of the Canadian West are dominant features observed by M. G. Hay of this city, who has just returned from a trip to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Hay, who is the father of Beverley Hay, former president of the Kiwanis Club here, says the Province of British Columbia is on the edge of an expansion period unprecedented in its history. Industry, shipping and transportation are more active than at any other time during the past ten years.

Accompanied by 40 members of parliament and senators, Mr. Hay inspected the large development work being carried on in connection with improvements to Vancouver harbor. As a result of these developments, changes in shipping routes, all of which are in the interests of British Columbia's prosperity, have become frequent.

In conversation with Hon. (Honourable) John Oliver, the premier, Mr. Hay was told that the future of the province in the next ten years will prove to be greater than that of any other in Canada. The Canadian National Railroad had made gratifying strides, he said, in efficient service, and could now be favorably compared with the C. P. R. Politics in British Columbia remained intensely Liberal, and everyone was boosting for the prosperity of the government-owned road.

The Chinese population in Vancouver, numbering about 20,000, were orderly, well-behaved citizens. Agitation against their entry into Canadian ports on the grounds that they compete with white labor, was more or less ridiculous, Mr. Hay said.

Work done by Chinese is of a nature which repels white men, and the latter refuse to do it. But for the Orientals much important development work throughout the province would be untouched.

Mr. Hay stated British Columbians had complained about the exceptionally cold weather, although the mercury only crept below freezing point on a single occasion. The climate, the Londoner added, was almost as good as that enjoyed by California, and more healthy.

# PARENTS OUTLINE REASON FOR ACTION

## Mr. and Mrs. McNaughton Point Out Expenses Incurred Following Shooting of Daughter.

Special to The Advertiser.  
Watford, Feb. 25.—Speaking to The Advertiser today Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNaughton, parents of Miss Viola McNaughton, explained their reason for asking the city of London to defray the expenses in connection with the accidental shooting of their daughter.

They are not anxious to sue the city for damages, although they consider Miss McNaughton was fully entitled to substantial damages. Instead, however, as Mrs. McNaughton pointed out, the \$700 asked for only covers the actual cost of expenses in connection with the time Miss McNaughton was in Victoria Hospital, and does not take into consideration either the present or future financial loss due to Miss McNaughton's serious condition. Before Miss McNaughton left the hospital Dr. J. Cameron Wilson insisted that she would be totally disabled from work of any kind for at least another year, so the girl's earning capacity during that period should be taken into consideration in making an equitable settlement.

While Miss McNaughton's condition is showing considerable improvement since she was brought home her nervous condition is still so badly affected by the shock that she is still unable to see visitors.

# ROYAL ARCH MASONS CONVENE TOMORROW

## Sixty-Sixth Annual Convocation Expected To Be Largest in History of Order.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—With representatives from all parts of the jurisdiction and many distinguished visitors from the United States in attendance, the grand chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada will open its sixty-sixth annual convocation at the Masonic Temple here tomorrow morning, concluding on Thursday.

The executive committee of grand chapter will meet tonight, following which a banquet for the visiting delegates will be given by St. Alban's Chapter.

This year's convocation is expected to be the largest in the history of the grand chapter in Canada, with fully five hundred delegates, representing the seventeen districts into which the jurisdiction is divided, expected to be present. Representatives of four grand chapters in the United States—Massachusetts, Michigan, New York and Pennsylvania—will also attend the convocation.

Reports to be presented to grand chapter will show that Masonry is in a flourishing condition in the grand body of Royal Arch Masons in Canada with approximately 25,000 members, despite the loss in membership during the last eight years by the formation of separate jurisdictions in Manitoba.

# PREPS AND FATHERS GATHER AT BANQUET

## Rev. H. J. Uren Delivers an Address on Duties of Dads and Sons.

About forty preps and their fathers sat down last night for their annual Father and Son Banquet. A delightful supper was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary under the leadership of Mrs. Oliver Keene, which was followed by singing.

Dorothy and Sam Munro contributed several songs and dancing numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Munro on the piano, which were much appreciated by the father and boys.

Rev. Herbert J. Uren was the speaker of the evening and gave an interesting talk, pointing out what the son should expect of the dad and what the dad's expected of the son.

Edward Jenkins was chairman and Miss M. Griffiths officiated at the piano.

PASTOR ASKED TO STAY.  
Exeter, Feb. 25.—The quarterly official board of Main Street Methodist Church met regularly and invited the pastor, Rev. F. E. Olyslade, to remain for another year.

# JULIUS SISKIND

Auctioneer, Valuator and Appraiser. Auction sales conducted in any part of city, also in our auction rooms in WAREHOUSE, 115 DUNDAS ST. Call up for appointment or arrangement to sell for you. Real estate and merchandise sold by auction on small commission. Phone 6376 or 7583V.

# REMEMBER THE AUCTION

Choice furniture, piano, carpets, rugs, dishes, pictures, this afternoon at Biggs' Storage, 47 Carling St., at 1 p.m. sharp. See Saturday's paper. Sales every two weeks, so send in your goods. J. Brown, auctioneer, 3 Horn St.

# THE LONDON ADVERTISER

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# FORMER LONDON BOY WINS HONOR IN WEST

Joseph O'Brien, son of Wesley O'Brien, formerly of London who served for some years as a fireman on the London fire department, has been announced as a member of the University of Alberta debating team which triumphed in the inter-varsity debate for the Western Canada championship.

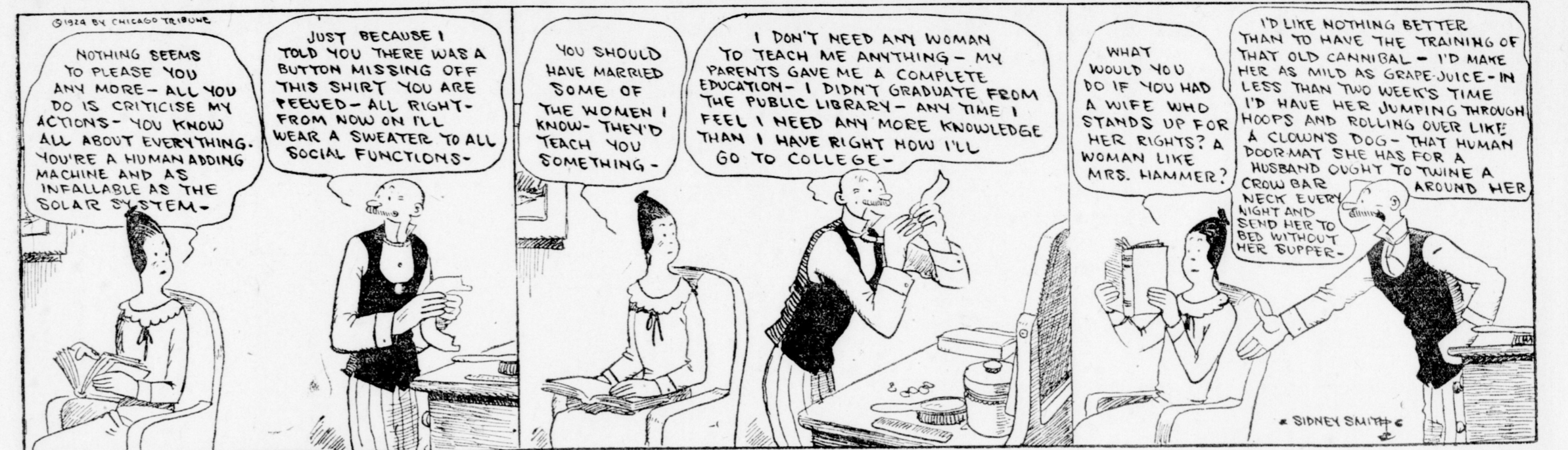
Joseph O'Brien is well known in Simcoe and this city. He is attending the University of Alberta in Edmonton, and is preparing to enter the law profession.

# OTTAWA RAILWAY ADOPTS STRAIGHT 5-CENT FARE

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Ottawa, Feb. 25.—The straight five-cent fare on the Ottawa Electric Railway became effective this morning, while workmen's and Sunday tickets passed out of existence, in accordance with the new agreement between the city and the company.

# GUMP, GOOGLE & CO., Experts in Laughter

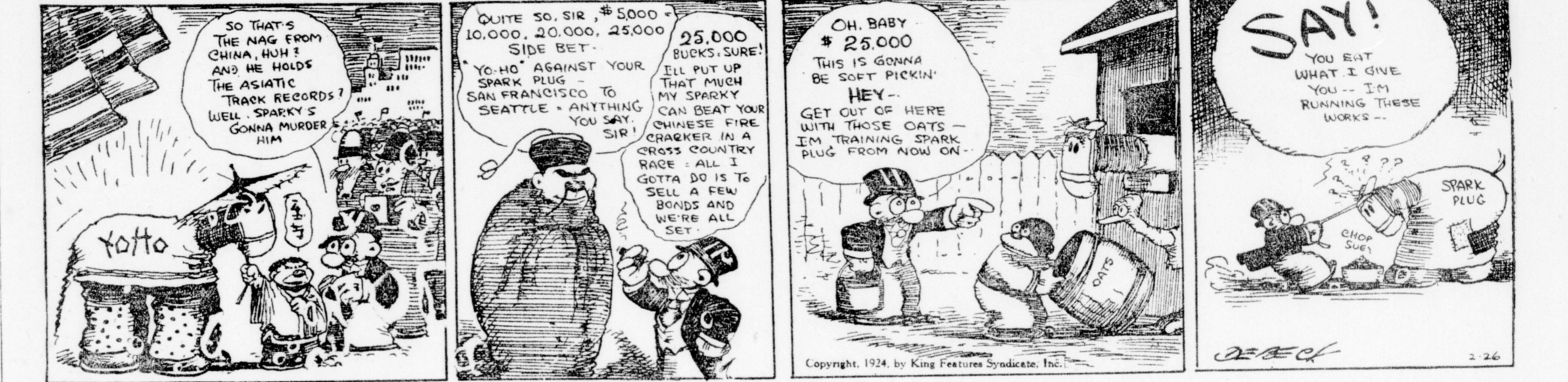
## THE GUMPS—USE NO HOOKS



# BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG

## Sparky Needs a Special Diet Now.

## BY BILLY DE BECK



# TOOTS AND CASPER

## Buttercup Is So Particular, Oh, My, Yes.

## BY JIMMY MURPHY



# MUTT AND JEFF

## A Mutt, Income Tax Expert; Little Jeff, Dabbler in Law.

## BY BUD FISHER



# REG'LAR FELLERS

## Jesse James Liked Ice Cream, Too.

## BY GENE BYRNES





# This Store Has the Spirit of Spring

## Paget Linen Stationery, 35c Box

Paget Linen, in white, blue and pink note paper, 24 sheets and 24 envelopes ..... 35c box  
 Paget Linen Correspondence Cards, in white only, 25 cards and 25 envelopes ..... 35c box

NO matter what the weather is outside, you will find the fashion weather inside this store ready for you, who want new, fresh spring fashions that are right, and one of the good things about the showing of new spring fashions here is that you can buy costumes that are completely right in fashion. That is, when you buy a hat here, you can be sure that there is a coat that is just as right in fashion as is the hat. And you can be sure that all the other apparel and accessories that you want are here to completely complete your costume. Yes, this store is ready for springtime—with showings of new things worthy of representing the new, fresh spring things that you might expect here.

## Mayfair Linen Note Paper, 15c Pad

Mayfair Linen Notepaper (100 sheets to the pound) ..... 45c lb. pkg.  
 Mayfair Linen Pad (small), 45 sheets, Price ..... 15c each  
 Mayfair Linen Pad (letter size), 45 sheets, Price ..... 25c each  
 Mayfair Linen Pad (fold over), 45 sheets, Price ..... 25c each  
 Envelopes (25 in package) ..... 15c pkg.

## Special Purchase—New Tricotine Dresses, \$25



This line of new Tricotine Dresses offers you about ten different styles. The color range includes such popular shades as sand, navy and gray. Here are Coat Dresses and Slip-On Dresses with V necks, round necks and with boyish collars. Pin tucks, braiding and stitching with bright Oriental colors form the trimmings.

One smart model, closing at side, shows pleating of lace, braid trimming finishing the opening and pocket, string girde, shown in sand. Price ..... \$25.00

A Sand Tricotine, with V neck, side closing, button-trimmed from neck to hem, patch pockets. Price \$25.00  
 Gray Tricotine, shown in Balkan effect, pockets in belt and novelty braid trimming collar and cuffs, wrap skirt trimmed with pin tucks and buttons ..... \$25.00

Taupe Tricotine in slip-over, round neck, sleeves and skirt braided; string girde across back. Price ..... \$25.00  
 See these today—Second Floor.

## Every New Frock Phase In Evidence Here

Whatever type of frock you have decided upon, you will find it here, embodying every new style feature of the spring mode. In fabric, color and line, they are all three of the season's most approved fashion edicts. The color fashioning of the neckline, the unique embroidery, the unusual drapery—in such details do they display the originality which sets a gown apart anywhere.

For afternoon and informal wear, in both French and Canadian made. Shown in Georgettes, Flat and Canton Crepes, Roshanaras.

**CLOTH DRESSES IN WOOL REPP AND CREPES**—French models shown in slip-on styles, in both georgette and flat crepes. These are beaded and embroidered. Colors in black, navy, cocoa. Prices ..... \$27.50, \$37.50, \$45.00 and \$55.00

**BLACK CANTON CREPE DRESS**, round neck, short sleeve, wrap skirt draped at skirt, finished at top with shirred cabochon; panel side waist, sleeve finished with steel beads and nail heads ..... \$35.00

**NAVY OR BLACK CANTON CREPE DRESS**, round neck, straight line dress, smart steel beaded panel faced with sand trimming side of dress, inset pleats in sleeve. Price ..... \$35.00

**FRENCH HAND-MADE DRESS IN FLAT CREPE**—Slip-on model, with square neck, short sleeve; neck and sleeve finished in narrow folds with fagott stitching; clusters of pin tucks trimming waist and skirt; cocoa and black. Price ..... \$27.50



## Blouses For the New Spring Tailleur

ATTRACTIVE NEW BLOUSES, suitable for separate skirts or suit wear, in many pretty shades, a very becoming style in vella-vella, with crepe de chine sleeves finished with a vella-vella cuff and a pretty tricoshan, with touches of embroidery on collar and sleeves; others in tricoshan and crepe de chine embroidered in an all-over design in many shades; a plain vella-vella in kimono style, with deep band at hips, finished at side with buckle. Prices ..... \$8.75, \$9.50, \$10.50, \$12.75, \$13.50

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## The BREATH of the AVENUE

### Spring Dress for the Home

### THE CASEMENT CURTAIN THAT COMES CLOSE TO THE GLASS

These fashion letters are not confined to wearing apparel, but furnish authoritative information on the art of home furnishing.

THE FASHIONABLE WINDOW curtains its glass closely. And the fabric that veils it is usually selected with a genuine consideration for the characteristics of the rest of the room.

ON A ROOM, FOR INSTANCE, may take the colored casement curtain to emphasize its dominant color note and unify its color scheme. Another may use the casement curtain to lend a note of positive color to an otherwise neutral-tinted background. Still another room—the more conservative type may prefer the unobtrusive glass curtain in white, cream or other neutral color.

JUST ONE FASHION RULE that holds good for all of these closely veiled windows. The curtains must always be made of a sheer translucent fabric that brightens the room on dark days and softens the light on bright ones. For the rest—the color and the texture of the material—the room itself is responsible.

THE ROOM WITH A FLAIR FOR COLOR nearly always carries its color scheme over into its window curtains, that are made of silk, net, gauze or tissue in the shade that harmonizes best with the room or its furnishings.

IF, FOR INSTANCE, there are window hangings of many colored chintz or cretonne, the glass curtain is very likely to emphasize the color note in the cretonne that is most closely allied to the dominant note in the rest of the room.

IF THE FURNITURE is upholstered in some rich fabric, the bright glass curtain may be the color link that brings the furniture and the walls into the right relationship. And the sun sifting through the silk mesh of the curtains may make them glint like the metal threaded brocade of the furniture.

IF THE ROOM is furnished in the 18th century French or English, with the pastel-tinted walls that belonged to those periods, the casement curtains may introduce a deeper shade of the wall color and so lend character to the background.

MANY WINDOWS are making ready for spring with new golden or peach colored curtains to give the illusion of spring sunlight. Or they are introducing the spring note with curtains in one of the tulip or sweetpea shades, or in a delicate new-leaf green.

NOTE: We are already selling silk gauze almost as rapidly as we did last fall when homes were being made ready for the winter. The average price is about \$1.50 for the 36" width; about \$2.00 to \$2.50 for the 50" width. Or you can get the completed curtains with a finishing of fringe to make them hang straight.

MORE CONSERVATIVE ROOMS that choose their curtains merely to soften the light and to frost over the panes so it is not too easy to see through frequently curtain their windows with white or cream marquisette, net or voile, or occasionally with fine lace panels. Many living rooms use the simple, inconspicuous casement curtains with a narrow border of flit or fringe. Dining-room and bedroom windows are frequently made fresh and springlike with ruffled tie-back curtains that hang close to the glass.

BREATH OF THE AVENUE, NEW YORK.  
 Smallman & Ingram Exclusive Service.  
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## GLOS—

This lady has taken a new name:

Formerly known as "Fibre or Artificial Silk," American manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers, realizing that it was gross misrepresentation connecting the name "Silk" with a fabric containing not a thread of silk, have decided that in future this product shall be known as "Glos."

This recommendation was adopted at the annual convention of the Retail Merchants' Association held in New York this month. It was the consensus of opinion that the general public were led to believe (by the name) that it was a mixture of silk, which, to the contrary, is a fabric chemically treated, producing an excellent imitation of silk. This new name will place it in the class to which it belongs, and there will be no confusing it with or representing it as "Silk."

The commercial beginning of Glos is within your memory, and is today well established as a new and distinct fabric. The only addition to the old family of fabrics, wool, silk, cotton, flax, hemp and jute has been developed in a generation, but has only recently reached that state of perfection which might be pronounced an all-round success.

In future any merchandise made from this product offered by this store will be known as, for instance: "Glos" Hosiery, "Glos" Scarfs, "Glos" Underwear, or whatever it may be will be termed "Glos," formerly "Fibre Silk."

We feel this explanation necessary, that users of this product may not purchase it under a false impression, being misled by the name.

## Feminine Fancy Lightly Turns To the New Spring Tailleur

One should say "eagerly turns," perhaps, for the selection of the suit, the most important garment in the spring wardrobe is no light matter. Whatever the choice it can hardly fail to be gratifying this season.

### JUST STEPPED OUT OF THEIR BOXES.

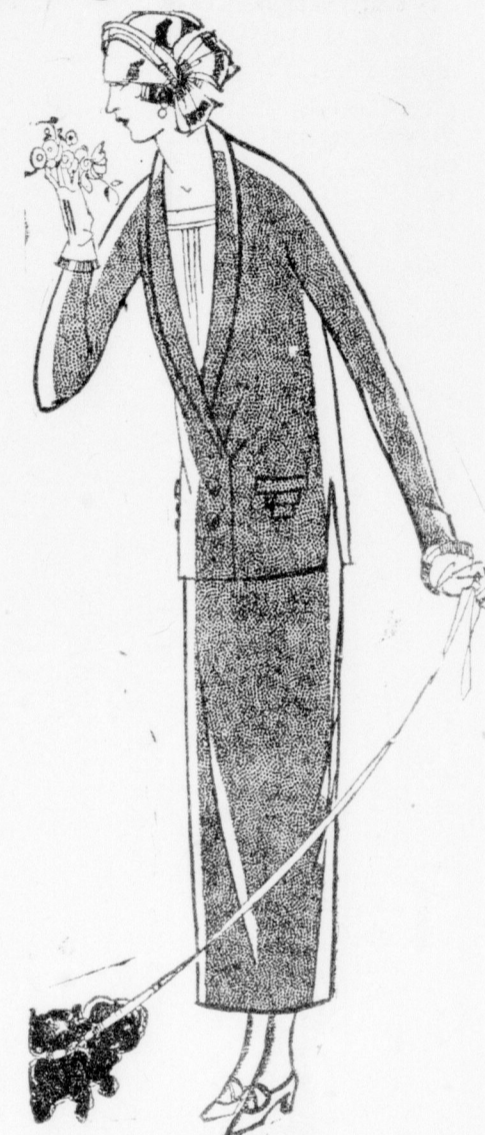
Smart Tailored Suits, both belted and without, shown in tricotines, Poirat twills in navy, sand, black. Price ..... \$35.00 and \$59.00

A Smart Tailored Suit of Navy Tricotine, silk lined, mannish notched collar, with one-button closing, inset pockets, narrow folds trimming front and back of coat, plain tailored skirt. Price \$37.50

Tailored Suit of Poirat Twill, crepe lined, tailored collar, one-button closing, stitched straps headed with three small rounded tabs trimming front and back of coat, smart tailored sleeve, plain tailored skirt. Price ..... \$49.50

Sand Poirat Twill Suit, in tailored lines, without belt, three-button closing, slashed pockets, folds and stitching finishing the same, crepe-lined wrap skirt with inset pocket. Price ..... \$59.00

Sand Kamel Cloth Suit, box style, without belt, double breasted, pockets with flaps, silk-lined skirt, wrap model, with pocket. Price ..... \$35.00



## Novelty Wash Goods —Newly Arrived—



A transformation scene has taken place in this department. It may still be wintry outdoors, but our Wash Goods Section brings you a wealth of spring's balmy air, bright and light with the lovely fabrics that have poured in during the last few days. Products of British, French and Swiss makers indicate fashion's latest trend in dainty materials, while sturdy Canadian staple goods are to be had at the lowest prices, consistent with quality merchandise. Be sure and see special counter displays this week.

### LINGERIE PELISSE, 50c.

You have waited perhaps since Christmas for another shipment of this charming underwear crepe; it's silk-like texture and perfect washing quality appeals to all who see it. More new shades are here, including flesh, mauve, sky, mais, peach, green and white, also many with attractive Japanese figures, as well as plain. Don't delay seeing this. If unable to come in, phone or write, state color, and you may return if not delighted with goods; 30-inch ..... 50c

### BLUE BIRD LINGERIE CREPE, 35c

So called because first produced with blue bird designs, and it still is, but also lots of pretty floral and butterfly patterns, and some new bird effects of great variety, including a very quaint style in English robin. You may have a white background or dainty color, also same weave in plain shades of peach, yellow, flesh, sky, mauve and white, 30 inches ..... 35c

## The Underwear For Now

Medium Weight White Cotton Combinations, plain hem top, low neck, sleeveless, tight knee, closed crotch ..... \$1.75 and \$2.00

White Lisle Vests, camisole top, finished with lace edging, no shoulder straps ..... 85c

Cotton Vests, low neck, no sleeves ..... 35c each, 4 for \$1.00

Pink Jersey Cotton Bloomers, made with large gusset elastic at waist and knees ..... 49c

Girls' Pink Jersey Cotton Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knees, for ages 4 to 12 years ..... 29c

Cream Vests, finished with plain hem, camisole top ..... 65c

Second Floor.

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