

KING AND QUEEN EN ROUTE FOR IRELAND

RHYTHMIC INSTINCT IN HUMAN NATURE FINDS EXPRESSION IN DANCE, SAYS REV. J. E. HUNTER

Public Dance Halls Are Most Pernicious, He Agrees, But Advises Care in Proposed Suppression of Dancing.

Toronto, June 21.—The effect of the public dance halls in the city is most pernicious, according to Rev. J. E. Hunter, of the Buck Avenue Methodist Church, commenting upon a dispatch from the Methodist Conference of Manitoba, now in session in Winnipeg, where the statement was made that "if dancing is here to stay the Methodist Church might as well shut up shop."

Wouldn't Hesitate For a Minute To Take Dip On Sunday, Says Rev. Warner

People Go Swimming in Front of Their Cottages and Nothing Thought Of It. But When Those Who Disport Themselves in Rented Suits Take a Swim, Someone Thinks It Is All Wrong—Lot of Worse Things a Person Could Do, Declares Rev. G. M. Young.

"Cleanliness is next to godliness" quoth the masters of old, and the same has descended down triumphant through the ages, even until such time as the latest copybook was proffered for the public schools.

"But do you think that the real reason why they are swimming at Port Stanley?" questions Rev. A. C. Bingham, Esq., of the Esplanade Baptist Church, discussing the proposed investigation of Sunday behavior at the lakeside. "If they actually go in to become cleaner, go on, go on," continued Mr. Bingham. "However, personally I would rather not say anything against a man who takes a Sunday swim than I would rather say that Sunday swimming was not indulged in to such a degree. The list of Sunday drownings every summer is appalling and entirely out of proportion for the number who attend the beaches. It is the Canadian public along religious lines, especially on the Sabbath Day. However, a person's conscience should be a guide to great extent."

Not interested. "I can't say that I am tremendously interested in the issue," remarked Rev. G. M. Young, Esq., of the Esplanade Baptist Church, "but if I were swimming at Muskoka or any of the other resorts, I wouldn't hesitate for a minute to take a dip on a Sunday."

"Of course, I don't see the slightest conception of conditions at Port Stanley, and I realize that naturally a laxity of conduct could tend to abuse the law, which has yet to go there this summer, and I would not care to voice an opinion. From what little I have heard, however, I feel that the law is being set up to a double standard. Most people who go to a summer home, whether in the city or in the country, do not hesitate to go in swimming from their own premises, and nobody thinks

OPPORTUNITY TO REFLECT ON REFUGEE CARLS NOW ASSURED

Agreement Reached Between Railway Commission and Quebec Province.

Ottawa, June 21.—Until July 19th, when the importation of liquors must cease in Ontario an opportunity will be given for the replenishing of the stores as a result of a ruling given in the railway commission today. The ruling was reached by common consent of Quebec, represented here by the Hon. J. G. Macdonald, and the province of Ontario, represented by the Hon. J. G. Macdonald, K.C., of Montreal. In the meantime steps are being taken to bring about the repeal of the Scott act in Quebec City, which has been an anomalous situation viewed from the standpoint of complete Government control.

OBJECTION RAISED BY BOLSHIEVICS TO AID FOR RUSSIAN REFUGEES

Riga, June 21.—M. Telly, the Bolshievist minister of the interior, has sent out a wireless to the British foreign secretary stating that the British offer of aid to Russian refugees is an attempt to render pecuniary assistance to so-called Russian refugees. The Government considers this aid would be direct support of the Russian counter-revolutionaries and contradictory to the spirit of the British-Russian treaty. The dispatch adds that Tchitcherine presumes to participate in what he declares to be an unfriendly action toward Russia.

"MERRY G" WINNER

Cleveland, June 21.—The Merry G, owned by Vice Commodore L. M. Staley of the Cleveland Motor Club, won the powerboat race from Rondeau, Ont., to Cleveland, 50 1/2 miles, after a stormy voyage of seven hours, three minutes and forty seconds, it was announced

OLD EMPLOYEES OF CITY WILL GET PENSIONS

Special Committee Will Meet Thursday Morning.

HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS Will Be Present With List of Older Members of Staffs.

A special pension committee will meet in the city hall Thursday morning to take preliminary steps to provide a scheme whereby veteran city employees may be pensioned. In addition to the committee, heads of the various city departments have been notified that they will be required to submit a list of the older employees, with respective periods of service for consideration.

BRITISH INDUSTRIAL SITUATION REMAINS CHAOTIC AS EVER

Some Mines Reopened, But Resumption of Work Not General.

LONDON, June 21.—By Canadian Associated Press.—Although some of the collieries have reopened and a considerable number of miners have reported back to work, there has been no general drift back to the mines.

The industrial situation continues as chaotic as ever, awaiting the test of the miners' call for a general strike of unions threatened with wage reductions. Some of the miners' leaders are warning that the policy will receive endorsement, are said to be casting about to make it possible to make it a definite move has been disclosed as yet.

At the same time the delegates who have gone back to their districts are urging the men not to break away from the federation, and to defer action until the end of the year.

VISITING OUTPOSTS OF THE DOMINION

Two R. C. M. P.'s and Medical Man Go To Hudson's Bay.

RE-DEDICATION OF WASHINGTON'S OLD HOME CELEBRATED

Sulgrave Manor Scene of Impressive Ceremonial Following Restoration.

Sulgrave, Northamptonshire, June 21.—Sulgrave Manor, ancestral home of the Washingtons, was rededicated today with elaborate ceremonies after its restoration, at a cost of \$50,000, to the state in which it existed three centuries ago.

FLAMES DRIVE TWENTY FAMILIES FROM HOMES

Montreal, June 21.—Twenty families were driven from their homes early this morning when fire broke out in a house under construction on Fullum street.

ACCORDING TO THE ADVERTISEMENTS



Terrible rage of a man who finds there is none of Bunker's (new process) jelled oil kernels.—Perry Barlow, for Cartoons Magazine.

GRATTON ESMONDE TALKS OF FIGHT FOR FAITH AND LIBERTY

Forsees the French-Canadians and Canadian-Irish Comrades in Arms.

LAUDS MEIGHEN

Mayor of Montreal Attends Meeting of Irish Self-Determination League.

Montreal, June 21.—Addressing a crowded audience at the Monument National here last night, under the auspices of the Self-Determination League of Canada, O. Gratton Esmonde, described on the program as "special envoy of the Irish republic of Australia," said, speaking first in French, that he regarded the presence of the mayor of Montreal and the speeches of French-Canadians in defence of Irish freedom, as proof that the people of Montreal and Quebec province were heartily in sympathy with Ireland, and he hoped that henceforth Canada and Canada Irish would fight together for faith and liberty.

Following in English, Mr. Esmonde claimed that the press in the British dominions was 100 per cent more hostile to Ireland than the press in England. He referred to "the joke of the day" in London, that the people of Ireland were "not fit to be ruled by a man of the name of Meighen."

Abundant evidence, he said, that if he had not taken sides for Ireland he had at any rate definitely refused to take sides against Ireland. He said that the people of Ireland were "not fit to be ruled by a man of the name of Meighen."

THE WEATHER

Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 74; lowest, 52.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND WARM.

Today—Light, fair and warm; a few scattered showers. Tomorrow—Mostly fair and warm; a few scattered showers.

BURLINGTON BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

W. E. Buzza Fatally Wounded While Cleaning His Boots.

GREAT SENDOFF GIVEN TO KING AND TO QUEEN

Shouts of "Good Luck and a Safe Return" Fill the Air.

EMBARK AT HOLYHEAD Elaborate Precautions Being Taken by Authorities in Belfast.

LONDON, June 21.—King George and Queen Mary were given a remarkable send off at the railway station here today when they departed for Holyhead on the way to Belfast to participate in the state opening of the Ulster Parliament.

A great crowd which had gathered repeatedly cheered the King and Queen and sang the National Anthem. At intervals in the cheering there were many shouts of "Good Luck, and a safe return to your majesties." The station was gaily decorated. The King and Queen will embark at Holyhead on the royal yacht early tomorrow and proceed to Belfast.

KING AND QUEEN LEAVE LONDON FOR BELFAST

LONDON, June 21.—King George and Queen Mary prepared this morning to leave for a port on the Irish Sea, where they will tonight, go on board a steamer which will take them to Belfast, in which city they will preside tomorrow at the state opening of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

The royal steamer will be escorted by two light cruisers and ten destroyers on its trip across the Irish Sea. Elaborate precautions are being taken by the police and crown forces in Belfast to insure the safety of the King and Queen while they are in that city.

WILL INSPECT G. T. R. PROPERTY IN LONDON

Sir Joseph Flavelle To Visit City in Near Future.

Sir Joseph Flavelle, chairman of the Canadian National Railways, and members of the Grand Trunk board of management passed through London at 10:15 a.m. today, without a pause, on their way to Sarnia. The party is en route to Chicago, from which point, it is anticipated, Sir Joseph will commence his general inspection of the road.

CARSHOPS TO GO?

Officials View Such a Move As Highly Improbable.

SECOND MEETING OF IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Secretary of India and Premier of South Africa Present Statements.

LONDON, June 21.—Premiers of Great Britain's overseas dominions held the second meeting of the imperial conference this morning. Prime Minister Montagu, secretary for India, and Gen. Smuts, premier of South Africa, had prepared opening statements for today's meeting.

G. W. V. A. MEMBERS NOT IN SYMPATHY WITH EXECUTIVE

Cannot Understand Their Action Against Amalgamation.

Rank and file of the London Branch of the G. W. V. A. do not appear to be entirely in sympathy with the decision against amalgamation of all the returned men, rendered by the provincial executive of that body, meeting in Toronto, a few days ago.

ANTI-BOLSHIEVİK FORCES COMPLETELY DEFEATED

London, June 21.—Anti-Bolshievik forces commanded by Gen. Baron von Ungern Sternberg, which were invading Southern Siberia, have been completely defeated by the army of the Far Eastern republic, says a dispatch received here from China.

LOCAL RAIL EMPLOYEES DO NOT CONSIDER 12 PER CENT CUT IN WAGES AS FAIR

Have Already Expressed Disapproval of Reduction by General Vote—Proposal Will Be Rejected—Another Vote On Question More Than Likely.

Local rail employees generally expressed an opinion relative to the recent 12 per cent reduction in wages, similar to that of General Organizer W. J. McPherson, who asserted that the dispatch emanating from Montreal that the wages of railroad workers averaged at \$1,700, was "hardly fair." That the same rate as applied to the American brotherhoods should not be applied to those on the Canadian side, is the general feeling of the railmen.

"The most of living has certainly been greatly reduced on the American side," commented J. Chick, secretary of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, today, "and locally I know that the members of our organization do not consider the 12 per cent reduction fair."

Mr. Chick stated that as yet, as far as he was aware, the management had not sent out any call for representatives of the clerical staffs to consult with them. Local representatives of the B. of R. C. and the O. R. C. are said to have been in Montreal, however.

Was Originator of "Wave of Extravagance on Part of Board of Education"

Rev. John Gibson Inkster, Former School Trustee, Pleads Guilty When Charged by Mayor Little—Old Collegiate a Disgrace—Thankful It Was Burned—The Western University Should Be Encouraged.

worked hard with others to get city playgrounds under way here, and we had four going them. Skating rinks for the public was also an idea that I advanced.

"Your city has vastly improved since I left London," he continued to the Advertiser. "The regularly your streets are excellent by any in the Dominion, from what I have seen. The same may be said of your school system, which will be complete with your new high school, an also a great benefit to the city."

"I am thankful to know that the old Collegiate Institute was burned. It was a disgrace to the city, and it was fixed up long ago. Of course, it cost a lot of money when it burned, but we cannot do too much for our children. I also

U. S. NAVY SEAPLANE BOMBER FALLS INTO SEA AND EXPLODES

Wreckage Caught Fire—Crew Reported "All Saved, None Injured."

Washington, June 21.—Naval seaplane N. C. 7 was wrecked and burned after a forced landing in Hampton Roads, Va., but all members of the crew were rescued and uninjured, according to a telephone report to the navy department, the report said.

First reports failed to show the cause of the landing or the fire, naval officials at Hampton Roads state.

Newport News, Va., June 21.—A navy seaplane bomber outward bound for the bombing tests at sea, fell in Hampton Roads today and apparently exploded some of the bombs the ship carried. A navy tug rushed to its aid.

MR. SPEAKER RHODES EXPECTED TO RESIGN

Ottawa, June 21.—In the event of Mr. Speaker Rhodes accepting the position of president and general manager of the British-American Biographical and Historical Society, it is generally believed here that he will resign his position as speaker of the House of Commons.

Mr. Rhodes, it is well known, has not intended being again a candidate in the next election, and the offer has been made and intimates that he will accept.

DEMobilize 1919 CLASS

Paris, June 21.—The cabinet today authorized the war minister to begin demobilization of the entire class of 1919 on June 25. The decision to demobilize this class was reached upon receipt of a report that the classes of 1920 and 1921 had been trained adequately.

CHANCES FOR CHEAP
COAL NOT VERY ROSY,
STATE THE DEALERS
Decrease in Freight Rates
Will Cut No Figure.

PRICES ON INCREASE
Are Due For Jump Rather
Than Drop, State Coal
Merchants.

Reports originating from the United States to the effect that owing to a recent decrease in freight rates, coal would take a corresponding drop, were branded as "news" by local coal merchants, when they were interviewed by The Advertiser this morning.

"The price to London dealers has been raised every month since May 1 on a graduated scale, and will continue until a maximum is reached on September 1. That is the usual thing, so that a decrease in freight rates will not make much difference."

"The exchange rate is a big factor in the price of coal here also. Other places in Western Ontario, I believe, have increased their coal prices in keeping with the monthly graduated increase, but we have not raised it here yet."

"We have not received notice of any decrease within a few days."

"We are paying a lot more for coal now than we did a few weeks ago," was the comment of Hunt Bros., when asked about the reported drop.

"It looks as if coal will go up. Recently there was a 10-cent advance at the mine. The majority of the local dealers have been compelled to purchase their coal from brokers this summer, and that means 75 cents or \$1 more than mine coal. We cannot tell what will happen."

Other dealers interviewed by The Advertiser expressed ignorance of the reported drop, and some expressed the opinion that black diamonds are due for a jump in price in the near future rather than the drop predicted across the border.

Surely This Can't Be True!

London Detectives May Be
Charged With Speeding.

Provincial Officer Arthur H. Palmer says that he is going to lay an information against Thomas Nickle and Harry Down of the local police department for speeding near Delaware last week. The speeding, he says, occurred near Delaware, and the car was traveling at a speed of 30 miles an hour. The speed limit in the county is 25 miles an hour.

Squire W. H. Chittick, county stipendiary, says that he does not believe in police officers and doctors being summoned for speeding, when they are in pursuit of their duties. Provincial Officer Palmer does not think that the detectives were on an urgent call.

GOES TO BURWASH

Mike Sokolski Sentenced for Crime
Against Wife.

Mike Sokolski, for an unimpeachable crime against his wife, was sentenced to an indeterminate period of not less than three months and not more than two years less one day, in Burwash prison, by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon, in police court this morning.

"Is there any reason why I should not sentence you?" asked the court.

"Yes, I'm going to appeal my case and get a lawyer," was the reply.

"But you've been tried and convicted," was the answer.

"It is one of the most disgraceful, low things I have heard of," commented the magistrate. "If you come to live in this country to get the protection of the British flag you have to observe this law."

Obituary

FUNERAL OF SERGT. McGUIRE.

The funeral of Sergt. Major Arthur McGuire, who died at Los Angeles, May 6, and who had served 42 years in the London police force, was held Monday at noon from the Grand Trunk station to St. Peter's Cemetery.

A son, George McGuire, and a daughter, Miss Marchioness McGuire, accompanied the remains to London. The pallbearers were: Sergt. Barnhill, Sergt. McCullough and Constables McRae, Verner, Papworth and Tomblin.

MRS. JANE FOTHERBY.

The death of Mrs. Jane Fotherby occurred at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Levitt, 1415 Biltmore street, on Tuesday.

She is survived by four sons, Henry of Toronto, Matthew of Detroit, Hudson of Smithers, B. C., and Arthur of this city, and four daughters, Mrs. S. Morley and Mrs. W. Stewardson of Forest, and Mrs. M. J. Levitt and Mrs. G. Weir, both of this city.

The funeral will leave the above residence Thursday at 9:30, and will motor to Forest, where services will be conducted at the grave by Rev. S. Salton at 1:30.

Interment will take place in the family plot at the Forest Cemetery at 2 o'clock.

BURIAL ON WEDNESDAY.

The funeral of Robert Eugene Fox, who succumbed to injuries late Monday night, received when he was burned the same morning at a fire at his father's residence, 72 Westmoreland avenue, will be held from Logan's undertaking parlors, Wednesday, at 2:30. He is survived by his father and mother, Robert and Amelia Fox, and one baby sister.

Services will be conducted at 2 o'clock and interment will take place in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The only
"increase in fare"
we want in
our town is
**POST
TOASTIES**
Best
Corn Flakes
—says
Bobby

WITNESS HYSTERICAL, COURTS ADJOURNED

\$5,000 Action Against Street
Railway Continues This
Afternoon.

After the noon recess of the supreme court had ended, the defence in the \$5,000 damage action of Bert Gibbons and his wife, Minnie Hilton Gibbons, against the London Street Railway Company was commenced on Tuesday.

While being examined in the witness box this morning Mrs. Gibbons became hysterical and court had to be adjourned. At noon she was not able to go back in the box and on consent of counsel her answers were read into the examination for discovery were introduced as evidence.

Bert Gibbons, Charles E. Gibbons, his father and Ernest Coton, all passengers on Springbank car No. 27, told of the car colliding with the Gibbons' automobile, and of Mrs. Gibbons being thrown violently from her seat and screaming because of the pain which resulted. Dr. F. Schram and a number of nurses told of the attention she had required since the accident.

E. T. Essery, K.C., is acting for the plaintiffs; Ivey, Elliott & Ivey for the defendant company.

W. O. FARMERS STILL AFTER MORE HELP

Occasional Parties of Immigrants
Expected To Arrive.

Although the Dominion immigration department has discontinued its publicity work in the Old Country, J. Farrell of the local bureau of agriculture expects that his department will continue to receive occasional parties of immigrants.

"We still continue to receive inquiries from the Old Country," he says, "and so far have been enabled to place them all. The last few days especially I have had a number of calls from farmers of Western Ontario asking for help, and in a number of cases we have been able to help them. Only this morning a man writes me asking if our department assists in placing immigrants on farms. There is still a noticeable lack of knowledge of our activities."

Discussing the decision of the Dominion Government on immigration, Mr. Farrell asserted that it had been understood for some time that the Soldiers' Settlements Board overseas contemplated making important changes in the present system, which question is being discussed at the conference in London, England. The new arrangements are expected to be of greater benefit to the Canadian officials who handle the new arrivals throughout Canada, he intimates.

BRITISH MAILS

The next mail for Great Britain and Europe will close at the local postoffice on Thursday, June 23, 1921, to be forwarded via S.S. Victorian, sailing from Montreal on June 24, 1921.

This mail will consist of all classes. Letters and registered matter at 10 a.m., parcel post and newspapers at 2 p.m.

Dog Must Die Within Week

Has Particular Dislike For
Meter Readers.

Lena Quotte was charged in police court this morning with having a vicious dog at large. Her father, a Mr. Ingram, appeared for her, and was fined \$5 and costs and ordered to destroy the animal.

This particular dog had a dislike for meter-reading and utilities employees said that the dog jumped at him and grabbed him by the ankle. This occurred recently. Another meter-reader had had a similar experience one year ago. He had told Mrs. Quotte about the dog's ill-temper, he said.

Mr. Ingram stated that a large number of boys who played baseball on a lot adjoining his place came into the yard every night to get the ball when it went over the fence, and the dog had not molested them.

The court sentenced the animal to die within one week. In the costs was included a doctor's bill of \$3.

WOMEN ANXIOUS TO HAVE HEADQUARTERS LOCATED AT OTTAWA

Second Biennial Convention
of Women's Institutes Is
Opened At Edmonton.

Edmonton, June 21.—With representatives from practically every province in Canada, the second biennial convention of the Federation of Women's Institutes of Canada opened here yesterday. Magistrate Emily Murphy, president, in her address, advocated the inauguration of women's division of the federal department of agriculture, similar in scope and management, and to complement the women's division of the department of immigration and colonization.

In each province the women's institutes are the women's division of the provincial department, and through them is disbursed a certain portion of the \$10,000,000 set aside by the Dominion Government under the agricultural institutions act, to be used for education of women in agricultural pursuits, Mrs. Murphy said. Therefore, logically, and properly, the women's institutes should have their headquarters at Ottawa, she declared.

"Every day such an arrangement is delayed means a very vital loss to the agricultural industry of Canada," concluded the speaker.

GREETING FOR LADY BYNG.
Edmonton, Alta., June 21.—A message of greeting and welcome will be sent to Lady Byng, wife of the new governor-general, by the Federated Women's Institute of Canada. This was decided yesterday at the opening session of the convention here on motion of Mrs. Alfred Watt, M. B. E., seconded by Mrs. Wm. Todd of Orillia, Ont.

Mrs. W. E. Sanford, president of the National Council of Women, brought greetings from that organization, Dean Howes of the University of Alberta gave the address of welcome, which was read by Mrs. David Watt of Birnie, Man.

When you want to rent your house a tenant will be quickly obtained by using the classified columns of The Advertiser.

STARTING STEEL WORK ON THE NEW COLLEGIATE

Seventy-Five Men Employed
On Erection of Edifice.

Structural steel for the new Great War Memorial High School, in process of erection on Waterloo street, by the Kingston Construction Company, arrived on the site today, and workers who are specialists in placing it in position started on the job today. These men, numbering four, arrived from Chatham this morning, structural steel workers being unavailable in London.

However, laborers to assist these tradesmen are being recruited from the ranks of local help. The structural steel will be completely erected in three weeks' time.

With the foundation work for the new school completed, and bricklaying well under way, there are about 75 men on the job. Officials of the company explain that shortage of material prevents employment of more men, but that despite this fact the building will be completed before December 31 next, which is the time limit allowed in the contract. Exterior stone work is being delayed slightly by failure to procure material.

Bricklayers have almost completed the glazed brick facing for the drill hall and gymnasium in the basement, and super-cement beams and columns are being laid to support a weight of 20 tons. The board of education has authorized payment of \$45,000 to the Kingston Construction Company, which is 70 per cent of the cost of work completed up to last week. This payment has been made, and will be used by the company to procure further supplies of cement and other building material.

Architect L. E. Carrothers of the board of education is well pleased with the progress made to date on the new structure, and expresses the belief that the firm will complete its task within the time limit. The Kingston Construction Company was awarded the entire contract for the new school, but has subcontracted to local concerns. Plumbing and electrical work is being done by the local firms, and the cement work, and teams with scrapers are being engaged filling excavated earth, in about the center of the site. Salvaged bricks from the old Collegiate Institute, purchased by the construction company, are being utilized as filler behind the glazed bricks.

Officials of the Kingston Construction Company, declare that there is general satisfaction among employees on the job, all being "one happy family." Union laborers are being paid bricklayers, an eight-hour day. Plumbers and teamsters on the site also receive standard wages. Laborers are compelled to work more than eight hours daily, they explained today, owing to the fact that they must appear early on the job to prepare mortar and scaffolding for the bricklayers, and must clean up after these men complete their day's work. They point out that all employees on the job, excepting foremen, timekeepers and steel workers are citizens of London, and that they are employed are supplied by local owners.

LITTLE BOY FOUND

Jack Lilley Had Been Staying With
Chelsea Green Family.

Jack Lilley, 10-year-old son of Charles Lilley, 96 Edward street, who had been missing a week, was found last night. He had been staying at the home of H. B. Edwards, 87 Josephine street, Chelsea Green. When found he did not give any explanation of his absence.

FIFTY PER CENT DUTY KILLS GERMAN IMPORTS

Montreal, June 21.—"Canadian merchants are welcoming cordially the continued restriction of duty on imports of foreign currencies for duty purposes to 50 per cent," declared Capt. Evan J. Edwards, senior British trade commissioner. "I have made a number of investigations on this point, and have been surprised, as well as glad, to note the strength of their feeling in favor of Empire trade."

In one trade after another I am told that the effect has been to kill German imports into Canada, and this is not being related with any pleasure at the idea of being able to do this. The countries, Merchants say, and rightly, that to get world conditions on a sound basis again is essential that we with Canada, as in all other countries, trade with Germany, Austria and other European countries."

NAVY ISLAND REVERTS TO MILITIA DEPARTMENT

Ottawa, June 21.—Canadian Press.

White Canvas Shoes

Goodyear welts, high-lace shoes, all sizes. Values to \$9.00. \$1.48

COOK'S SHOE STORE.

Hello Central

Please give me 444. Mr. Darraagh, if Mamma takes me to your studio tomorrow, can I have my Photograph taken?

Be photographed this year on your birthday, and don't forget the kiddies.

DARRAGH'S PHOTO STUDIO

214 DUNDAS STREET, Yt.
(Successor to Edy Bros.)

ASPIRIN

Only "Bayer" is Genuine

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting Aspirin at all. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Then you will be following the directions and dosage worked out by physicians during twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Made in Canada. Aspirin is the trade name for Acetylsalicylic acid, of Bayer mark (registered in Canada), of Bayer mark (registered in Canada), of Bayer mark (registered in Canada).

The department of militia and defence announces that Navy Island, in the Upper Niagara, has reverted to them as owners upon the expiry on May 1 of the lease to the Navy Island Fruit Growers' Association. The lease is not to be renewed. The department denies the assertion that this island is to be used for a training site for officers in the militia. No decision has yet been taken as to what will be done with the property.

What is the use of storing up that old sidewalk, when you can easily sell it through an advertisement in The London Advertiser. Classified ads are read by everybody, and you will be able to

Are You Taking Advantage of the Half-Holiday Sales?



French Pearl Beads About Half.

3 dozen strings French Filled Pearls (44 inches long), bright lustre and uniform size. To clear \$1.19 string

Alligator Grain Handbags, \$2.95

5 dozen only. Genuine Leather Alligator Grain, Swagset Bags with flat bottom, which makes a very roomy bag. Lined in two shades, Sand and Orchid; a separate place for car tickets, having an overlapping frame. Colors Brown, Grey and Blue. To clear at \$2.95

Embroidered Scaris, Tray Cloths and Table Covers at Big Reductions.

A clearing lot of odd numbers of superior quality linen finished Embroidered Pieces at a big saving on former prices. Most lines come in at least two sizes to match. The usual 18x36 Dresser Scarf and 18x36 Chiffonier Scarf to match, in several dainty patterns. Do not overlook this sale tomorrow, and for best choice be on hand early. You will be amply repaid a special effort to be here at 9 a.m. Briefly listed are quantities and prices. See window display.

TRAY CLOTHS

4 dozen only, Embroidered Tray Covers, in large size, 18x27. Sale price 49c
6 dozen assorted designs, 18x24, at 50c and 59c each

17x36 SCARFS.

3 dozen assorted designs. Sale price, each 79c
7 dozen Scalloped and embroidered. Sale price, each 99c
3 1/2 dozen, scalloped and embroidered. Sale price, each 99c
2 dozen hemstitched embroidered linen. Sale price, each 99c

17x45 DRESSER SCARFS.

3 dozen assorted, embroidered. Sale price 99c
2 dozen scalloped embroidered. Sale price 99c

17x53 DRESSER SCARFS.

3 dozen Embroidered Scarfs. Sale price 89c
20 dozen Embroidered Scarfs, assorted design 99c

30x30-INCH TABLE COVERS, 98c.

Assorted designs in hemstitched and embroidered, also a few dozen lace trimmed covers. All one price, each 98c

PLAIN HEMSTITCHED PIECES ABOUT HALF PRICE

Represented in this lot you will find all sizes, from 13x20 Tray to Luncheon Cloths, 54 inches.

13x20 Trays. Sale price 49c
18x24 Trays. Sale price 79c
18x27 Trays. Sale price 79c
18x45 Scarfs. Sale price \$1.19
18x54 Scarfs. Sale price \$1.49
36x36 Tea Cloths. Sale price \$1.69
48x66 Luncheon Cloths. Sale price \$2.49
54x84 Luncheon Cloths. Sale price \$3.39

Wednesday Morning in the Basement.

72 only, Plain 7-inch Range Tea Kettles, Wednesday 19c
Dustless Indoor Clothes Lines, Wednesday 39c
Wire Clothes Lines, 100 feet, 98c; 50 feet, 69c
Clothes Line Pulley Wheels 19c
20 only Cedar Oil Mops, to clear \$1.29
6 dozen only Clothes Line Props, Wednesday 29c

Sales in China Section.

Genuine Cut Glass Water Sets \$8.98
Light Cut Glass Water Sets \$5.49
7-Piece Etched Glass Water Sets, Wednesday \$1.98
Plain Glass Water Jugs 6c and 99c each
Plain Glass Tumblers, very special, half dozen 30c

THE STANDARD PATTERN

Belrobe System.

Saves Material in Cutting.

The department of militia and defence announces that Navy Island, in the Upper Niagara, has reverted to them as owners upon the expiry on May 1 of the lease to the Navy Island Fruit Growers' Association. The lease is not to be renewed. The department denies the assertion that this island is to be used for a training site for officers in the militia. No decision has yet been taken as to what will be done with the property.

What is the use of storing up that old sidewalk, when you can easily sell it through an advertisement in The London Advertiser. Classified ads are read by everybody, and you will be able to

Overlooking one of these sale lists for Wednesday morning may mean the loss of dollars to yourself, as you may find here the very things you need at about half the price you expect to pay. Wednesday morning sales are made to crowd a full day's business into the forenoon, and the sales are always equal to the occasion which measures their importance. NO PHONE ORDERS FOR WEDNESDAY MORNING SALES.

All This Season's Ladies' Cloth Suits At Clearing Prices Wednesday Morning

90 Suits in the racks, actual count, in sand, navy and black; every suit this season's, made of fine serge and tricotine, tailored in a variety of pleasing styles for now and early fall wear. This is a wonderful opportunity, as the reductions are worth while, bringing some down to \$29.00. Just what you may need for your vacation trip. Sale prices \$29.00, \$39.00, \$49.00, \$59.00 and \$69.00 each.

Balkan Middies, \$1.59 Billie Burke Porch Dresses, \$3.49

5 dozen White Balkan Middie Blouses, having fitted band at waist, with buttons on side. The collar trimmed with three rows of white braid. The short sleeves have stitched cuffs. Sizes 18 to 20, or 34 to 40. Special Wednesday \$1.59

40 dresses, Billie Burke style, made of Gingham, Chambray or Percale, all smartly trimmed with pockets and buttons, with self or white collars, and cuffs, and a few all white models. In Hello, Pink, Green or Tan. Sizes 16 to 42. Special Wednesday \$3.49

Extraordinary Values In Living-Room Furniture Wednesday

1 only Chesterfield and 1 chair to match, made with Marshall spring seats and arms, covered with good quality tapestry. Wednesday sale price: Chesterfield, \$108.00; Chair, \$62.00

1 only, 3-Piece Suite, Chesterfield and two easy chairs, Marshall spring seats and arms, covered with fine quality imported tapestry. Wednesday sale price: Chesterfield, \$125.00; Chairs, each \$55.00

1 only, Chesterfield and chair to match, Marshall spring seats, covered in good quality tapestry. Wednesday sale price: Chesterfield, \$79.00; chair to match \$39.00

Furniture Department—Third Floor.

Wednesday Sale in Paint Dept. Paint and Varnishes at Pre-War Prices.

MOORE'S HOUSE COLORS—For outside or inside use. Every can satisfactory or money refunded. Thirty colors in Wednesday morning sales. Half gallons, \$2.15; Quarts, \$1.10; Pints 60c

ELASTIC PORCH AND FLOOR ENAMEL—For inside or outside floors. Ten colors. Wednesday sale: Quarts, \$1.10; Pints 60c

SANI FLAT—A flat oil paint for inside use. Also used as undercoating for enamel. Quarts, \$1.10; Pints 60c

LANGMUIR'S HIGH-GLOSS WHITE ENAMEL, for walls or woodwork. Quarts, \$1.65; Pints 85c
S AND L VARNISH STAIN—Light oak only; stains and varnishes with one coat. Quarts, 50c; Pints 30c

HOUSEHOLD LACQUER—Light oak only. Quarts 30c
DOLGALL LINOLEUM VARNISH—Clear in color and dries over night. Quarts, \$1.10; Pints 60c

CLEAR FLOOR OR WOODWORK VARNISH—Will not scratch white. Gallons only \$2.75 each
SHELLAC—Orange-Gallons, \$5.00; Quarts, \$1.50; Pints, 80c
SHELLAC—White-Gallons, \$5.50; Quarts, \$1.65; Pints, 80c
CLIMAX WALLPAPER CLEANER 2 for 25c

Wallpaper, Paint, Wax, Etc.—Third Floor.

Many Very Special Items Wednesday Morning

In the Men's Shop

Bathing Suits, \$2.95 (Seconds.)

All wool, in many color combinations. Some of these have very slight imperfections. They are a bargain at this price. One-piece style with skirt \$2.95

Balbriggan Combinations 98c Suit.

Another lot of Balbriggan Combinations, natural color, short sleeves and knee length. Sizes 34 to 40 only. Sale price, 98c

Shirts, \$1.49

10 dozen only Negligee Shirts, neat patterns, guaranteed fast colors. Sizes 14 to 16. Sale price tomorrow \$1.49

Men's "Toyo" Panamas, \$1.49 Each

Fedora shape, with black band, light weight, good looking hats for summer wear. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 \$1.49

TENNIS BATS, 98c

36 only Children's Tennis Bats (gut centre) to clear Wednesday morning, each, 98c. Basement.

Clean Coal Cleanly Delivered

is what we offer. Coal all free from slate and dirt. Deliveries made with every possible care to avoid "mussing up the place." Better hurry up with your order, as our advice. Don't order more than you'll need. But this is the proper season to fill coal cellars and you can conscientiously order now what you will require next Fall and Winter.

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INO. LEWIS MAY OUST GOMPERS FOR PRESIDENT

Keen Contest For Leadership
of American Federation
of Labor.

OTHERS MAY BE NAMED

Whole Political Complexion of
Convention Likely To Be
Changed.

DENVER, Colo., June 20.—Supporters of Samuel Gompers and John Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, who announced today his candidacy, tonight were marshalling their forces for the contest, which will decide whether the veteran labor leader shall be returned to the presidency of the American Federation of Labor.

Both sides are making canvass of the situation and already declare they have mustered sufficient votes to win. The Gompers forces went into action immediately following the announcement by Lewis, with a declaration that their chief would be a candidate and had no intention of withdrawing from the race.

Mr. Gompers stated, however, that "I consider the position of president of the American Federation of Labor so exalted and so dignified, I would not stoop to politics to attain it."

Except for his brief announcement that he was a candidate, Mr. Lewis, who heads the largest union in the United States, declined to make any statement. His supporters, however, were active in the campaign, and pledged more than twenty thousand of the thirty-eight thousand two hundred and ninety-four votes in the convention.

Although electioneering on behalf of Lewis has been in progress here for the last week, his announcement came as a surprise to many of the delegates. Many had believed that the miners' chief would formally withdraw from the race instead of being a candidate.

Labor leaders pointed out tonight that the candidacy of Lewis would change the "whole political complexion" of the convention. They said that there probably would be candidates put into the field in opposition to the present members of the executive council. Up to tonight, however, there had been no indication of such a move.

Strong Organization.

Mr. Lewis has established a campaign headquarters at one of the downtown hotels, and is being aided in his campaign by a large force of miners' officials from all sections of the country. Practically all of his executive board members are in the city working in his behalf.

Reports that Lewis would not be able to control the votes of his own organization were denied tonight by his supporters, who announced tonight that the 4,257 votes of the miners would be cast in favor of their leader.

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BOARD REFUSES DEMANDS FOR WAGE INCREASE

Walkerton Teachers Have
Until Wednesday To Retain
Their Positions.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WALKERTON, June 20.—Principal Rankin and five teachers of the local public school staff, who asked for a raise in their salaries, were met by the board and their demands refused. The board is advertising for an entire new staff, but the present teachers have the option of again taking their positions at the same salary as before, on or before Wednesday, June 22.

While there is some sympathy locally with the teachers as far as their demand for salary increase goes, there is little sympathy with any attempt to hold up the board or to enforce demands that may be part of dictators from Toronto or outside points. The situation at Simcoe is being watched with interest, and some of those in close touch with educational matters, believe the teachers are going the wrong way about securing additional salary.

NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
SIMCOE, June 20.—There are no new developments locally in connection with the fight being waged by the local school board against the Teachers' Federation. The matter is causing considerable comment, and the result of the board's action is being awaited with no small interest not only in town, but in many other places. Whether the teachers will be the gainers by trying to force Simcoe is an open question, and many of the taxpayers are somewhat doubtful regarding the wisdom of their course.

ASK WITHDRAWAL OF U. S. TROOPS

Population of Santo Domingo
Sending Message To
President.

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic, June 20.—An enormous demonstration in favor of the unconditional withdrawal of the United States military forces from Santo Domingo was held here today. The manifestos expressed the desire that Santo Domingo assume no further obligations than the convention of 1907, providing for assistance in open question, and many of the taxpayers are somewhat doubtful regarding the wisdom of their course.

A letter embodying the protests of the people, addressed to President Harding, was handed to the military governor by the leaders of the demonstration.

The archbishop, members of the supreme court, lawyers and the faculties of the universities took part in the meeting, at which was expressed the demand that the United States offer assistance in open question, and many of the taxpayers are somewhat doubtful regarding the wisdom of their course.

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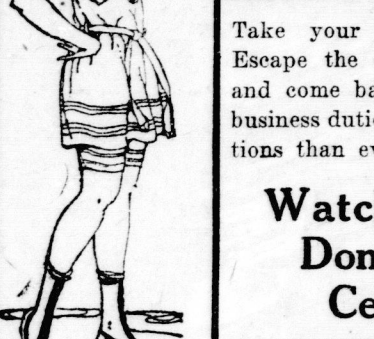
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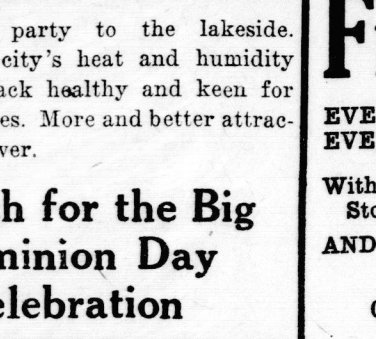
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ORITE DRINK.

LOOK US UP!

MACKIE'S

Mr. and Mrs. F. Doggett of St. Thomas will occupy cottage "Log Cabin" on Willow Beach for the summer.

Mrs. N. S. Cornell of Port Stanley is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Burnett of London, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sanderson and daughter, Rose, came from the London, formerly of St. Thomas, have moved into their cottage on Willow Beach.

G. McKee of Stratford, who has successfully completed his fourth year in medicine at Toronto University, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burke, Hillcrest.

Miss Gertrude Potts, who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. O. Ermatinger, and Judge Ermatinger, was the guest of honor at a very pleasant little picnic at the beach Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ross and family of London are in their pretty cottage, Carvelo, Fraser Heights. The quaint name of the cottage is a combination of the three names of its children, Carmen, Velma and Olive.

F. G. Rumball and family of London are again in their cottage, "Millonaria Villa," on Invererie Heights.

J. P. Evans of London, has had his cottage on the heights raised about four feet, and is now a combination of the three names of its children, Carmen, Velma and Olive.

Duke and family, also his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Duke, are in their summer residence, "Lewalls Cottage," on Erie Beach.

Mr. Whitman, manager of Hobbs' Hardware Store, London, and his son-in-law, H. W. Scarff, manager of the Imperial Bank, St. Thomas, are at "The Port."

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Douglass and family are enjoying their beautiful summer home "Lillalhue," on Invererie Heights.

The attractive cottage of Mrs. Barclay of St. Thomas, on Grand View avenue, Fraser Heights, has been repaired after the damage that it sustained last fall, and Mrs. Barclay has returned for the summer.

Visitors at "The Port" for the season are: H. G. Crandall and R. H. Palmer of the department of agriculture in "Vimy Ridge."

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Scruby of London are in their cottage, "Idle Hour," on Erie Beach.

Judge Colter, Mrs. Colter and family are permanently settled in their beautiful summer home, "Hermitage."

P. H. Walley, Mrs. Walley and family of St. Thomas have moved into their newly-built cottage on Hillcrest.

There have been exceptionally large crowds at the beach virtually every night during the week. They are all profuse in their praise of the excellent music this year. Dancing parties are not infrequent occurrences already this season.

The incline up to Invererie Heights is operating daily, the demand for service on week-days having been so great that the company were forced to run it every day.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED, PUFFED-UP FEET

Instant Belief for Sore, Ach-
ing, Tender, Calloused
Feet and Corns.</

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No Return of the Trouble Since Taking "Fruit-a-lives."

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Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulisified coconut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonful of Mulisified will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulisified coconut oil shampoo at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulisified.

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DID BOLSHEVIKI SEIZE CREWS OF MISSING BOATS?

Three Steamers Have Mysteriously Disappeared, Authorities Declare.

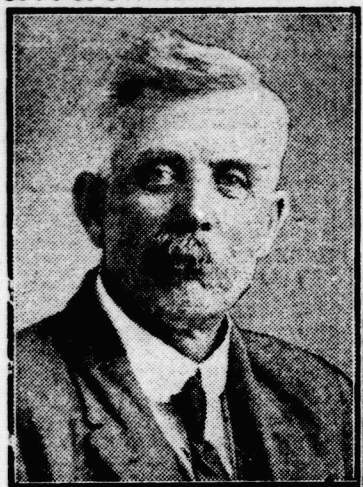
NEW YORK, June 21.—This morning's edition of the New York World features a special story from Washington disclosing the fact that three coastwise steamers and an American schooner have disappeared from the seas and that their disappearance is being investigated by the agents of the department of justice, the bureau of navigation, and the department of commerce. It is thought by government officials that the crews have been kidnapped and the vessels seized and taken to Russia by the Bolsheviks. The fact that the four ships disappeared within a few weeks of each other precludes the possibility of accident. And the theory that their disappearance was not an accident is supported by the tangible clue of a bottle containing a note from the captain of the Carol Deering, the American schooner which was found deserted at sea, stating that the crew of thirteen had overpowered him, kidnapped and taken him to another ship. There is not the slightest trace of the other steamers. When the daughter of the captain received this note she immediately went to Washington with Senator Hale of Maine, who is one of the leaders in the investigation.

Senator Hale laid the case before the shipping board, and the investigation began. Since that time the other departments have taken up the case, and are conducting exhaustive investigations and have instructed their European agents in the matter. Secretary of Commerce Hoover to day advanced the theory that the vessels and the crew of the Carol Deering have been taken to Russian ports. While admitting that they have no official information on which to base this belief, governmental officials to day intimated that they are firmly of the opinion that the disappearance of these vessels is the work of the Bolsheviks, and that ultimately the ships and cargoes will be found in Russian ports held by the Bolsheviks. The Carol Deering disappeared last January, and the others about that time.

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Prominent Blanshard Township Farmer Will Contest Federal Seat in Coming Election.

(Special to The Advertiser).

ST. MARYS, June 20.—Robert Berry, one of the most prominent farmers of Blanshard Township was the unanimous choice of the South Perth United Farmers Political Association, for the Federal House at a meeting held this afternoon at Avonport. President Alex. Frame of St. Pauls was in the chair and officers elected were: President, Alex. Frame; first vice-president, Jesse Looker; second vice-president, M. Morris of Staffa; secretary, Joseph Mountain of Kirkton.

There was little business to transact outside of the selection of the candidate. Jesse Looker was the only nominee to oppose Mr. Berry, but when the vote was taken there was no doubt as to the election was made unanimous. Mr. Berry has been prominent for some years in South Perth affairs. In 1891 he was elected by acclamation as the first warden of the county. Later he was re-elected Blanshard and has taken an active interest in public affairs.

COL. J. M'LAREN IS APPOINTED TO T. & N. O. BOARD

Former Goderich Resident To Fill Vacancy On Government Railway.

TORONTO, June 20.—Reorganization of the Transportation and Northern Ontario Railway Commission has been completed by the Ontario Government with the appointment of Col. John J. McLaren of Hamilton and Lieut.-Col. Lawrence T. Martin of Ottawa to the vacant positions on the board. George W. Lee was appointed some time ago chairman of the board of commissioners. In succession to the late J. L. Englehart, and the other two appointments were made today.

Colonel McLaren was born at Goderich, Ont., in 1865. He has resided in Hamilton for over 40 years, and for many years was connected with the Hamilton Coffee and Spice Company, now McLaren's, Limited. He was mayor of Hamilton in 1909 and 1910. He was one of the organizers of the 21st Canadian Highlanders of Hamilton. Colonel McLaren commanded the 19th Overseas Battalion until July 1916, when he returned to take charge of a training brigade in Canada. In June, 1916, he was mentioned in dispatches for distinguished service. He is at present officer commanding the Fourth Military Brigade militia at Hamilton.

Lieutenant-Colonel L. T. Martin was born at Arnprior, Ont., in 1884. He is a railway engineer by profession, and has had considerable railway and general construction experience. He worked with engineers of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway in 1903, and in 1905 was appointed resident engineer at Matheson, Ont.

WILL CLOSE CHURCHES.
BRAMPTON, Ont., June 20.—Owing to rural conditions, Salem and Trinity Methodist Churches are to be closed after having been in existence for eighty years. They are in the Brampton district, and in the Toronto conference.

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BROTHERHOODS WILL CONSIDER WAGE REDUCTION

Twelve Per Cent Cut Is Being Asked by the Management.

TORONTO, June 20.—Stating that all discussions had been amicably conducted, Chairman H. E. Barker, of the order of Railway Conductors, for C. N. R. Railway lines, who arrived in the city last night, stated today that the proposal of the railway management of a 12 per cent reduction would be submitted to the various brotherhoods throughout the Dominion at the earliest possible opportunity.

"At the meeting in Montreal the management simply placed their position before us and gave us a proposition to place before the men, calling for an average of 12 per cent reduction in wages for all departments," said Chairman Barker. The companies urged that the decrease in the cost of living and the changing conditions in the business world necessitated a reduction.

The delegates present pointed out that they had no powers to accept or reject the proposition.

Mr. Barker explained that so far as his department—the transportation service—was concerned, that each company had dealt with its own men. "Although," he added, "I believe some of the negotiations placed in connection with the Canadian Railway Association, because of the fact that they have national representation."

General Organizer W. J. McPherson of the Canadian Railway Brotherhoods stated that the dispatch emanating from Montreal that the wages of railway employees throughout the Dominion now averaged \$1,700, "was hardly fair."

"To get this figure the salaries of officials must have been included," he declared, "I have no hesitation in saying that the same rate of decrease which is being applied in the United States would be applied in Canada."

"The very least that I would expect from Canada would be half the decrease in the rate, which would be 6 per cent of an average decrease."

It must be remembered that the United States did not go into the war until 1917, and that the brotherhoods of Canada had far more experience in handling the question of revolutionary movements than did our brothers on the other side of the line. The cost of commodities has already gone down more in the United States than in Canada—and this is especially the case in the matter of all foods and shelter.

Canadian executives of the International Brotherhoods are staying over for a day or so in Montreal to sit on a board of adjustment with the management committee.

A day over here.

Little Progress in Plans To Bring About World Revolution.

RIGA, June 20.—There has been a sharp divergence exhibited at the early meetings of the Third International at Moscow concerning the question of tactics to bring about a world revolution, according to inadequate advice from Moscow headquarters.

Little or no actual progress had been made up to Sunday, which was the second day of the actual sessions of the settlement of this question. The reports say a majority of the delegates brought to Moscow glowing pictures of revolutionary movements in Germany, France, Italy, Britain and elsewhere, calculated to raise the spirits of the Moscow revolutionaries to the height of enthusiasm. The advocates assert, however, that the condition in Russia due to alleged radicalism in Russia is not a sufficient basis for the parade of troops. In the procession huge cardboard cutouts representing David Lloyd George, the British prime minister, Aristide Briand, the French premier, and other personages of the allied powers. These cutouts were greeted with jeering.

Trotsky broke his long silence in a speech to the women Communists. He said the object of the International was to give necessary firmness to the various groups of the proletariat of the world in their struggle against capitalism. He advised the women not to be "sisters of mercy" in this struggle, but direct participants on the revolutionary front.

CAR BADLY SMASHED IN ILBERTON CRASH

Women Passengers Cut by Flying Glass, But Not Seriously Hurt.

ILBERTON, June 20.—A serious auto accident happened last evening when Gordon Pincomb, with seven passengers going west on the eighth concession, collided with Arch Crawford, going south on the Nairn road. One of the front wheels of the Crawford's car was badly smashed and Pincomb's car also had the shield smashed and axle bent. Two of the women in Pincomb's car were cut by flying glass, but no one was seriously injured.

The Lobo Union Schools committee held an important meeting in the Memorial Park, Poplar Hill, J. A. Campbell, president, in the chair. Reports from each community were given, concerning the expenditure of \$170; sports committee, by Jas. McQueen, with an expenditure of \$124.09; and Lyman Chapman, chairman, with an expenditure of \$32.55. This expenditure was nearly all for material, paint, lumber, etc., as all the labor connected with the improvements to the grounds was given gratis or by the work.

Ladies given receipts were \$2.00. Expenses \$14.00—four prizes; two specials; expenses \$7.50. The book report was presented by John McDugan and showed receipts of \$97.01 and an expenditure of \$67.55.

The parade of schools report by J. Atkins, chairman, showed that eleven schools took part and thanked the people for the interest taken in this most important feature of the picnic. He also said that the training of the children and the whole parade was by far the best the district had ever had.

On motion it was decided that owing to the fact that the committee had equal in the parade that the committee make the two prizes equal and also divide honors equally. It spoke of having the pupils compete in drills as a feature of the afternoon program.

The matter of seating was discussed and laid over for a future meeting. On motion it was decided to hold the picnic on the second Wednesday in June annually.

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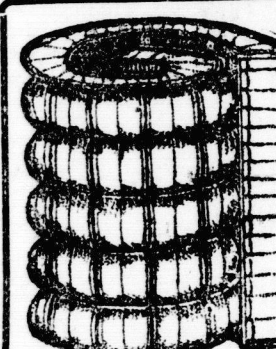
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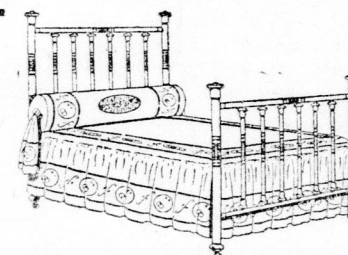


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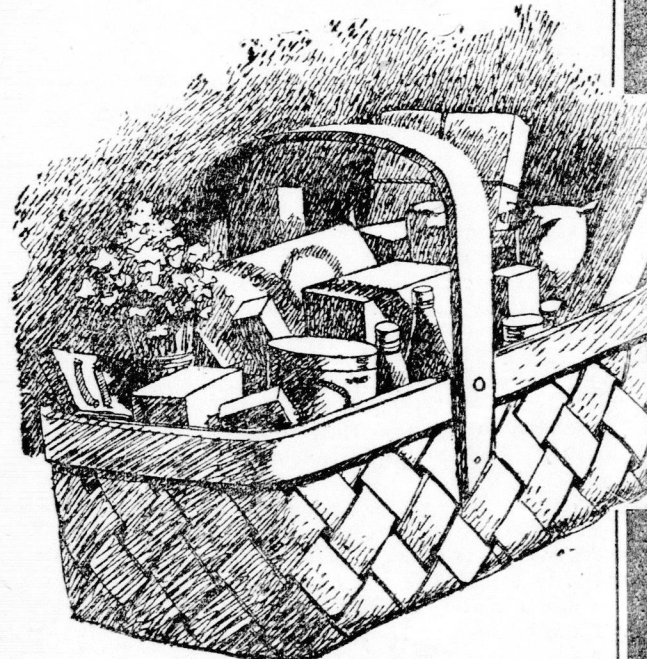


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the close of the meeting, 100 sat down to a meal. The Methodist Church was filled and excellent music was furnished by the choir.

He also spoke of the memorial park and what it stands for. "Our Boys, who had tried his best to do justice to all, went across," he said, "and we can still remember that they are not very far from us when we meet in Memorial Park."

Col. B. Robson also spoke briefly and said he was always glad to come and do his little part. He had now been judge at eight school parades, and he had tried his best to do justice to all. Five schools this year were asked to compete with this year's one. The meeting adjourned at a late hour.

Anniversary services were held in Ivan Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Rev. John Bannattine of life or death, Bryanston preached morning and evening to large congregations. Miss Irene Cameron of London and Miss Crawford sang solos and assisted the choir.

The annual Masonic services of Henderson Lodge, A.F. & A.M. was held here on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Bro. Knowles of Sarnia preached and more

than 100 brethren were present. The choir.

RHODES NOT RESIGNING.

OTTAWA, June 20.—Hon. Edgar N. Rhodes will not resign the speakership of the House of Commons owing to his appointment to the presidency of the British-American Nickel Corporation. When informed last evening of the rumor current in Ottawa that he would leave the speakership, Hon. Mr. Rhodes replied: "This is news to me."

STRANGE BELLOW PRECEDED QUAKE

Strong Shock Felt At Messina, But No Casualties Reported.

LONDON, June 20.—A strong earthquake shook Messina and Reggio di Calabria about midnight Sunday, according to a Milan dispatch to the Daily Mail. Apparently there were neither victims nor serious damage.

The quake was preceded by a strange bellowing, which terrified the people. They fled to the open. A panic was averted in the Messina theatre by one of the actors appealing for calm.



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TOO OLD AT 65?

In connection with the memorandum which has been
presented to the Government at Ottawa in regard to
the retirement of civil servants who have attained the
age of 65, attention is being called to the fact that in
the cabinet itself 65 is not regarded as too old for men
who are supposed to have the direction of the affairs
of the state. Furthermore, it is to be noted that Sir
George Foster, who is head of the sub-committee which
is carrying out the reorganization, has himself passed
the three score and ten years allotted by the Scriptures
as the period of the earthly life of man. This circum-
stance is duly referred to in the memorial, and it is also
pointed out that the Hon. C. J. Doherty and Sir James
Lougheed have each passed the 65-year limit.

The matter of when a man's usefulness begins to
decline with age has repeatedly been the subject of
keen controversy, and opinion on the question has
widely differed; but there is also a widespread opinion
that much depends on the man himself. Some men may
be as full of vigor, both mentally and physically, at 60
as others at 40. A man who has led a regular life, and
who has inherited a healthy frame, may conserve his
energy much longer than one who is naturally a weak-
ling, and adds to this wear and tear of irregular
habits and misdirected energies.

After all, a man is a good deal like a machine. If
a machine is run too hard and too frequently it will
break down much quicker than one that has been used
with care. When a machine forms part of the plant of
any business every year a certain amount has to be
written off its value for depreciation, but it does not
follow that at the end of the writing-off period the ma-
chine will be scrapped. On the contrary, it may have
many a day of usefulness in store.

It will be recollected that a good many years ago
the eminent physician, Sir William Osler, raised a storm
of criticism over his "too-old-at-45" theory, but his sub-
sequent brilliant career as regius professor of medicine
at Oxford University has utterly disproved his own
contention. In the realm of politics W. E. Gladstone
was a notable example of a man whose light had not
faded with years, and the veteran inventor, Thomas E.
Edison, who is taking delight in setting intelligence
tests for young college graduates, maintains that he
has not yet reached his best.

It would be utterly absurd to discount the value of
experience, and this at least is an asset which the
older man possesses, and if he has the faculty of using
this experience to the best advantage it becomes a
jewel, whose brilliancy increases as time goes on.

There is, therefore, much to be said for the claim
of the civil service memorialists that a man's use-
fulness is by no means ended at the age of 65, and that
to fix such an age limit without regard to individual
qualifications, is unfair and unsound. Of course, the
fact of there having been so many recent proofs that
Governments sometimes outlive their usefulness, may
have influenced the attitude of the Ottawa authorities
in this matter.

TOO GREAT A STRAIN.

The remarks of the Hon. Manning Doherty,
Ontario's minister of agriculture, at the U. F. O. meet-
ing at Forest, are worthy of more than passing at-
tention, as they deal with questions which have an im-
portant bearing on the present economic condition of
Canada, and on the future welfare of the country. Mr.
Doherty, in referring to the tremendous inflation of
prices which took place during the war, said that
while a deflation had been expected after the war,
it had been hoped that it would be gradual in regard
to all lines of commodities, but no one had foreseen
that the drop in food and in farm produce would be so
precipitate. "But," said Mr. Doherty, "the farmers of
Canada have undoubtedly taken their losses readily
and with less grumbling than any class of people in
the world today. The one fact alone that this year
witnessed hundreds of thousands more acres bearing
crops stands out indisputable."

It is the fashion among city dwellers to regard
the farmer as the greatest grumbler on the face of
the earth. This idea has become almost proverbial,
but it is not supported by facts. Of all the occupations
in the world, that of the agriculturist carries with it
the greatest risks; but through it all the farmer is
more or less of an optimist, for he plants his seed
and hopes for the best. If these hopes are blasted, he
would be more than human if he did not now and
then give vent to his disappointment, and the fact
that his remedy for rapidly falling prices is to increase
production, and not to decrease it, is altogether to his
credit, for he is taking a still greater risk in his efforts
to furnish an abundant supply of cheap food for the
people.

According to official figures just issued at Ottawa,
the budget of living for a family of five was \$16.65 in
May, 1920, while in May of this year it had fallen to
\$12.25. It was \$12.68 in April. This shows a drop of
\$4.40 within a year, and of 43 cents from April to May
of this year. But, on the other hand, the percentage
of unemployment in Canada in May, 1920, was only
2.25. At the same period this year it had risen to
16.27, and in April it was 16.48. This shows an
increase in unemployment of nearly 14 per cent within
the year. These figures speak for themselves. They
indicate that the decrease in the cost of living is

largely due to the farmer, and the fact that he is
increasing his acreage frees him from any participation
in the increase of unemployment.

Commenting on the conditions which have now
arisen, Andrew Hicks, M.P.P., South Huron, maintained
that the Federal Government was to blame for not
seeing that the farmer and the laborer got a square
deal. There is certainly something wrong with the
balance of affairs, and it is of the greatest importance
for the welfare of the Dominion that there be as little
delay as possible in getting things readjusted on a more
equitable basis.

At Winnipeg the other day Professor J. B. Rey-
nolds, president of the Ontario Agricultural College,
in speaking at a luncheon tendered by the Board of
Trade to the Canadian Society of Technical Agricul-
turalists, said: "If Canadians wish to maintain Can-
ada's name as a farming country on a big scale they
will have to reduce the cost of materials entering into
production." He pointed out that while the farmer
was the first to accept reduced prices, he is today
laboring under the burden of high prices for farm
implements and other materials, such as fertilizers.

It is high time that the Dominion Government
woke up to the burden that is being imposed on an
industry that, according to their own admission, repre-
sents about 50 per cent of the population of Canada.
We are being repeatedly assured that agriculture is
"the backbone of the country," and if that backbone is
not to be broken, the Government must see to it that
the strain put upon it is not too great.

ANOTHER IMPERIALIST FANCY.

The retiring speaker of the British House of Com-
mons suggests that a reformed House of Lords might
be made an Imperial Assembly with members from
overseas. It is surprising what a lot of proposals are
made for improving the Empire. They will not leave
well enough alone, but must still be tinkering.

Not only the constitution of the Empire, but the
House of Lords itself, would hardly need any altera-
tion if all the praises bestowed by Mr. Lowther on the
Upper House are deserved. But the ex-speaker thinks
that it might be made somewhat more like the Cana-
dian Senate, which he describes as "a large, repre-
sentative consulting committee." Even as it now is,
the House of Lords, in his estimation, is on a par with
the House of Commons for intelligence, distinction,
and general debating ability.

No one would question the distinction and varied
ability of the British House of Lords. It includes all
sorts of notables, old "backwoodsmen" with pedigrees,
millionaire arrivistes of both hase and tortoise variety,
strong men with jaws, professional lights, such as
lawyers, generals, and a thin trickle of authors and
artists, bishops of perhaps more pronounced executive
capacity than original and modern mind, and so on.
But it is not general and varied ability, or education,
or property that is of paramount importance in a par-
liament of the twentieth century. Even more important
than these is the representation of economic and
industrial interests by men immediately and practi-
cally acquainted with them. How can the House of
Lords be equal to the House of Commons as a legis-
lative body with no delegation in it from Labor?
The Labor party is headed by men of light and power,
a match for any in debating on political questions.
They have given new life to the old House of Com-
mons, keeping Liberalism itself fresh and progressive.
Mr. Lowther will not persuade many colonialists that
they should be represented in the House of Lords
rather than in the House of Commons. The Dominions
are not in need of representation in either body.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Devonshires have now departed. Bon voyage!

Judging from the size of the I. L. P.-U. F. O. rally
at Guelph, Sam Carter need have no fear from that
quarter.

It is said that the real Americans are backing Sims.
We had imagined that the most of them were backing
Jack Dempsey.

"How will the city collect that paving bill?" some-
one has asked. Oh, just in the same way as it col-
lects any other bill.

A minister who recently visited this city put in a
plea for short sermons, and in doing so spoke for three-
quarters of an hour. "Do as I say, not as I preach,"
was apparently his motto.

A man in South London declares that his dog, his
cat and his brood of chicks all eat out of the same
dish in the most agreeable manner. This must be a
sort of a League of Nations.

The London police have issued a warning that citi-
zens are not to take it for granted that there is a mini-
mum of crime in the city. Shall we call it the happy
medium, and let it go at that?

The police are keeping an eye on the young men
who bathe in the Thames within the city limits, but
without the necessary costume. The small boys are
said to be more particular in this respect than their
elders.

It is asserted that the bootleg whisky in Liberia
is so bad that a few drops of it caused a man not only
to forget to wind up the clock, but to try and wind
up the barometer with a corkscrew. This must be a
black draught.

Good tobacco is now being sold by Canadian
growers at as low as 6 cents a pound. Of course, the
labor of the farmers who grow this weed is bound
to go up in smoke. Nevertheless, the price of the
"fag" does not come down.

"The public would be interested to know how it is
that when farmers are getting only 6 cents to 8 cents
a pound for beef, the people have to pay 35 cents to 40
cents for steak," asks Chairman Carvell of the railway
commission. The farmers ought to be as much inter-
ested in solving this problem as the people.

The city is to be congratulated that through the
generosity of Mrs. Ronald Harris a pair of Australian
black swans will soon be added to London's zoo at
Springbank. These birds are very beautiful, their
bright red bills contrasting with their sable plumage.
They are not so large as the white swans, but equally
graceful and more interesting.

Housewives and others in London are advised
to put their valuables in a safe place when they leave
their homes. Now, where exactly is this safe place to
be found? Would it not be a good idea that modern
houses should be equipped with secret chambers and
sliding panels, such as were necessary in the bad old
times?

OTHERS' VIEWS

THE TIME TO REFORM.
[Toronto Star.]

A reorganization of the provincial
lands and forests department is badly
needed. Hon. Mr. Bowman found that
out before he had been six months at
the head of the department, and the
revelations made during the last twelve
months through the medium of a judicial
inquiry have made the shortcomings of
the department a matter of general
knowledge.
Mr. Bowman is being blamed, and
rather unfairly so, for not proceeding
with a general shake-up. But man-
ifestly his hands are tied, for the most
part, until the commissioners of inquiry
report their findings. It would be un-
wise as well as discourteous for Mr.
Bowman to change the system of land
protection, the method of measuring
timber, the manner of selling pulp limits
and various other practices until he has
in hand the recommendations of the
Riddell-Lachlan commission.
Some of the more flagrant offenders in
the employ of the department have
been dismissed. Possibly others should
go without waiting for the report of the
commissioners. But never good. It must
be Mr. Bowman's own ideas as to broad
questions of policy they should not be
put into effect until the conclusions of
the commission have been submitted
for his consideration. The public will
then expect strong and far-reaching
action.

MAKING MORTALS IMMORTAL.

[Vancouver Sun.]
Immortality is one of the rewards for
service.

The world's greatest names are those
that are associated with some whole-
some contribution to the welfare of
mankind. All the others have some
way or other passed into oblivion. No
one ever looked at me and asked the
merchant princes of Tyre nor the
famous generals of Hannibal's army.
We have more information about the
humble St. Paul than we have of the
Emperor Caligula.
After nineteen hundred years of progress
and evolution the great Caius Julius
Caesar is but a name in history, but
Jesus Christ is a living personality.
The mightiest emperor of all the
known world lives chiefly in the pages
of Shakespeare, but the son of a car-
penter, put to death on the cross as a
common thief, is the greatest influence
in the world in the year 1921.

It is purely a matter of service.
Caesar served his country and him-
self. Christ served mankind and him-
self. Not at all.
For the world unwittingly awards im-
mortality to great servants. The tri-
umphal parade of a conquering gen-
eral may call forth the unanimous de-
votion of a nation, the millionaire may
command the adulation of his genera-
tion, but the man who serves lives for-
ever.

The reward for true service is para-
doxical. The more you give, the more
you receive.
Christianity is founded upon this one
principle and time has shown Christian-
ity to be a success.

CHINA'S CHRISTIAN PRESIDENT.

[Montreal Herald.]
Sun Yat Sen, said to be the ablest
statesman in China, is back in power.
He was inaugurated president of the
republic amid scenes of great enthu-
siasm at Canton.

China, the oldest, or if the claims of
Japan are conceded, the second oldest
monarchy in the world, first became a
republic on February 12, 1912, and Sun
Yat Sen was its first president, though
he was very quickly forced to retire in
favor of Yuan Shi-Kai. In 1920 his ar-
rest was ordered on the allegation that
he was concerned in the setting up of
a military government at Canton, but
he eluded his pursuers, and has now
perhaps succeeded in creating a revolu-
tion in his favor which may mean great
things for the future of China.

Of many men of action it can often
be said that their conspicuously bril-
liant qualities are unfortunately marred
by defects which seriously operate
against a successful career. This is not
true of Sun Yat Sen. In the case of
the great Chinese leader, whose life-
work is being unfolded before the eyes
of an astonished world, it is a remark-
able fact that the foundations of his
campaign were solidly laid upon four
cornerstones—unselfishness, patriotism,
courage, capacity.
Sun Yat Sen is said to be no idle
dreamer of visions; no adventurer
seeking under the cloak of philanthropy
to float schemes for his personal profit
and aggrandizement; nor are his plans
for the regeneration of the Chinese na-
tion the idle vapors of a disappointed
politician. He is in truth, a sincere and
humble-minded Christian, who trans-
lates into action the teachings of the
Sermon on the Mount.

HEALTHY CRITICISM.

[Quebec Telegraph.]
Healthy criticism of the "precept and
practice" of the minister of finance,
ably contrasting the "twice saved" of his
frank speech on the public finances be-
fore the Bond Dealers' Association of
Canada, is indulged in by the Montreal
Gazette. Especially is comment directed
at his appeal for more enlightenment and
economy in public expenditure with the
absolute failure of the Government of
which he is a member to do anything
towards the reduction of the eighty mil-
lion dollar annual deficit in the opera-
tion of the Government railways. "The
burden of the National Railways," says
the Gazette, "passes the ability of any
one man to remove and every day of
delay in drastically dealing with the prob-
lem increases the weight." What a
series of tragic blunders marks Gov-
ernment railway policies! Overbuilding,
overpurchasing, overambition. Each
succeeding step has brought new fail-
ure. Roads that might profitably have
been left to receiverships, roads that
could have been coupled up without
capital cost, roads doomed to bank-
ruptcy from their inception, have been
taken over by the Government at enor-
mous cost. Who, today, will contend
that the Grand Trunk was well and
wisely purchased in view of the im-
mense amount of money the property
has already cost, and the amount yet to
be expended on it? And a board of
arbitration sits to determine how much
more is to be paid out, and the Gov-
ernment puts witnesses on the stand
to prove its bargain a bad one! There
is no other way of paying down the
public debt of Canada than by econ-
omy in expenditure, and no source of
large economy other than the railways.
Even in that direction serious difficul-
ties stand, and the fault to be found
is that neither Government nor Parlia-
ment will attempt the task. Lord
Shaughnessy's plan is surely worthy of
better treatment than rather con-
temptuous dismissal with a wave of
the hand. It may not be perfect nor
acceptable as presented, but it does con-
tain the germ of relief from the heavy
burden public operation imposes on the
taxpayer. It would be interesting to
know what excuse the Government has
to offer for taking no action one way
or the other upon Lord Shaughnessy's
proposal or for the reduction of the
present expenditure upon the national
railway system.

POETRY

OH, I WOULD GO ADVENTURING!
[R. M. Montgomery.]

Oh, I would go—would go adventuring!
I would fare forth in one of those
great ships
That take on cargoes for far, foreign
ports.
And restless, strain their hawsers in
their slips!

I would be off—he off in one of them!
I have a yearning for the untired
sea—
Would see strange islands under burn-
ing suns—
Would feel the warm caress of tropic
breezes!

Oh, I would hear—would hear strange-
looking men
Speak strangely in strange tongues
That would amaze
My stranger ears! And I would dwell
with them—
I would become acquainted with their
ways!

And I would see—would see old monu-
ments
Built by forgotten men in cities where
No living man now knows, can learn
or guess
The meaning of the scriptures carved
there!

It fills—it fills me with imaginings
To catch a brilliant jewel's sparkling
gleam
The scent of spices or the sheen of silks
From India or China makes me
dream!

And oh, I thrill—thrill to the feel of fur!
It brings the frozen forests to my
view!
I long to see the tall, dusk sentinels
Cast on the trackless snow their
shadowy blue!

In dreams—in dreams I scent the heavy
air
Of breathless jungles—hear the tiger
purr
His mate to him; I watch the bright
birds fly—
Through giant ferns see monstrous
reptiles crawl!

Yes, I would know—would know the
far-off lands!
God, when He made me, gave me the
desire
For mountain tops, deep seas and burn-
ing lands—
But Fate, the fester, gave me my
hearth fire!

HOUSE OF MY HEART.

[Jesse Potter in Farm Life.]
With glossy boxwood, green and prim,
To hedge it all about;
Tall, pointed poplars in a row,
A door-stone found in the wood,
Over which the feet of children go
A-dancing in and out.

Along its patterned garden ways
The red rose nods, the white rose sways
In every passing breeze;
Strawberries of martial holiness
Stand guard where drowsy four o'clocks
And scented mignonette and stocks
Give harbor to the bees.

Ah, little house all white and trim,
Within your box and poplars prim,
Soft lawn and garden nook,
I figure and I plan and scheme
To find some way to make you seem
Less like a dainty painted dream
Within a garden book.

THE MORNING COMETH.

[Henry Van Dyke, in May Sermones.]
Many a tree is found in the wood,
And every tree for its use is good;
Some for the strength of the gnarled
root,
Some for the sweetness of flower or
fruit;
Some for the shelter against the
storm,
And some to keep the hearth-stone
warm;
Some for the roof and some for the
beam,
And some for a boat to breast the
stream;

In the wealth of the wood since the
world began
The trees have offered their gifts to
man.
But the glory of trees is more than their
gifts;
'Tis a beautiful wonder of life that lifts
From a wrinkled seed in an earth-
bound clod,
A column, an arch in the temple of
God,
A pillar of power, a dome of delight,
A shrine of song and a joy of sight!

Their roots are the nurses of rivers in
birth;
Their leaves are alive with the breath
of the earth;
They shelter the dwellings of man, and
bend
O'er his grave with the look of a loving
friend.
I have camped in the whispering forest
of pines,
I have slept in the shadow of olives
and vines;
In the knee of an oak, at the foot of a
palm
I have found good rest and slumber's
balm,
And now, when the morning glids the
boughs
Of the vaulted elm at the door of my
house,
I open the window and make salute;
'God bless thy branches and feed thy
root!
Thou hast lived before, live after me,
Thou ancient, friendly, faithful tree!

SCOTCH SUPERIORITY.

[Exchange.]
Ex-President Wilson, talking one day
at a dinner about his Scottish descent,
said:
"The Scotch are a proud, stiff-necked
people. They acknowledge no super-
lators. A Scotchman and an American
were talking one day on a ship.
"In New York," said the American,
'we've certainly got a fine lot of young
men.'
"Nae doot," said the Scotchman. 'A
lot of oor laddies have been emigratin'
lately.'
"The American frowned and thought
a while. Then he said in a sarcastic
voice:
"George Washington was no Scotch-
man and he couldn't tell a lie."
"Ou, aye," the Scot retorted. 'A
Scotchman could, but he wouldn't!'

VISIONS.

[Clinton Coolidge.]
I still have visions of the golden days
And of the paths we wandered side
by side
Forgetting all save beauty and the
glide
Of love that joined us in immortal ways
As it joined older lovers whom men
praise
In that they loved so wholly, and took
pride
In loving thus, and let the world
deride.
If so it would, what heart to heart
betrays.
The loveliness that it was ours to see,
May not be pictured, for all colors
dient.
As in some disembodied ravishment,
That to us was a visual harmony,
And so, as though through memory's
lifted haze
I still have visions of the golden days.

SPANISH DOUBLOONS

BY CAMILLA KENYON

By this time it was perfectly clear
that Mr. Shaw had been most inconsi-
derate in dashing out after me in that
thoughtless manner. He should have
waited Cuthbert Vane and helped him
to array himself becomingly in the sash
and then set out for moving picture
man to go out in another boat and im-
mortalize the touching scene. All this
came seething to my lips, but I man-
aged to suppress it. It was only on
Cuthbert Vane's account. As for my
sunt and Mr. Tubbs, I could have
bumped their heads together as re-
morlessly as two coconuts. I un-
derstood Aunt Jane, of course. In spite
of the Honorable Cuthbert's recent
lapse, her imagination still pictured about
certain little cards which should an-
nounce to an envious world my engage-
ment to the Honorable Cuthbert Pat-
rick Ruthmore Vane, of High Stanton
Manor, Kent. So such a faux pas as
my rescue from drowning by a peni-
tless Scotch seaman couldn't but figure
in her mind as a grievance.

I stole a glance at the recipient of
the sorry thanks. His face was set
and—once I should have called it grim,
but I knew better now. There was
nothing I could say or do. Any words
of mine would have sounded forced
and puerile. What he had done was so
far beyond thanks that spoken grate-
tude belittled it. And yet, suppose he
thought that, like the rest, I had wished
another in his place? Did he think that
—could he, with the memory of my
arms about his neck?

I only knew that because of the
foolish, hateful words that had been
said, the gulf between us was wider
than before.
I sat dumb, consumed with misery,
and hoping that perhaps I might meet
his glance and so tell him silently all
that words would only mar. But he
never looked at me. And then the first
biterness, which had made even
Cuthbert seem disloyal in wishing him
self in his friend's place, passed, and
gave way to dreary doubt. Cuthbert
knew, of course, that he himself would
have prized—what to Dugald Shaw was
a matter of indifference. Yes, that was
it, and the worst that Dugald Shaw was
suffering now was boredom at hearing
the affair so colorfully discussed.

So I began talking very fast to Mr.
Vane, and we were very gay, and he
tied his own necktie on Crusoe on con-
sideration that he had heard hereafter
jointly. And—because I saw that Du-
gald Shaw was looking now—I smiled
lingeringly into the eyes of the beau-
tiful youth and said all right, per-
haps we needn't quarrel over our mutual
dog, and then skipped off light-

somely, feeling exactly like a scorpion
that has been wounding itself with its
own sting.
As I passed Cookie at his dishpan a
sudden thought struck me.

"Cookie," I remarked, "you had a
frightfully queer look just now when
Capt. Magnus told about having taken
the wrong cartridges. What was the
matter?"

Cookie took his hands out of the
water and wiped off the suds, casting
about stealthy and mysterious glances.
Then he rolled a dubious eye at me.
"What was it, Cookie?" I urged.
"Where am I, Cookie?"
"Down on the beach; he can't pos-
sibly hear you."
"You won't say nothin' to get Cookie
in a rum-pus?"

"Cross my heart to die, Cookie."
"Well, den—Cookie spoke in a
hoarse whisper—'Cap'n say he forgit
to take his gun cartridges. Miss Jinny,
when he come back, I see him empty
his gun cartridges out'n his belt and put
back his pistol cartridges. So dere
now!"

I turned from Cookie, too surprised
to speak. Why had Capt. Magnus been
at pains to invent a lie about so trivial
a matter? I recalled, too, that Mr.
Shaw's question had confused him, that
he had hesitated and stammered be-
fore answering it. Why? Was he a bad
shot and ashamed of it? Had he pre-
ferred to say that he had taken the
wrong ammunition rather than admit
that he could get no bag? That must
be the explanation, because there was
no other. Certainly no imaginable
error but the one assigned could have
taken the captain to the other side of
the island.

Several days went by, and still the
treasure was unfound. Of course, as
the unexplored space in the cave con-
tracted, so daily the probability grew
stronger that Fortune would send her
golden smile upon us before night.
Nevertheless, it seemed to me that the
optimistic spirits of most were begin-
ning to flag a little. Only Mr. Shaw,
though banned as a confirmed doubter
and pessimist, now by the exercise of
will kept the others to their task.

I took all Cuthbert Vane's loyalty, plus
an indisposition to be called a slacker,
to strive against the temptation to re-
nounce treasure-hunting in favor of
roaming with Crusoe and me. As for
Capt. Magnus, his restlessness was
manifest. Several times he had sug-
gested blowing the lid off the island
with dynamite, as the shortest method
of getting at the gold. He was always
vanishing on early excursions inland,
and Mr. Tubbs remarked, scornfully, that

a man with a nose for money ought to
have smelled out the chest before this,
but if his own nasal powers were of
that character he did not offer to em-
ploy them in the service of the expedi-
tion. Miss Higgleby-Brown, however,
had taken to retiring to the hut for
long private lessons with herself. My
aunt reverentially explained their pur-
pose. The hiding-place of the chest
being, of course, known to the Univer-
sal Wisdom, all Violet had to do was
to put herself in harmony and the
knowledge would be hers. The difficulty
was that you had first to overcome your
Mundane Consciousness. To accom-
plish this Violet was struggling in the
solitude of the hut.

Meanwhile Mr. Tubbs sat at the feet
of Aunt Jane, reading aloud from a
volume entitled "Poems of Passion," by
a celebrated lady lyric poet of our own
land.

To Be Continued.

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titled to be judged by what he is at his
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to be at our best, we are at our worst
inside. We need a night's sleep to fit
us for a day's hard work, and tooth-
ache, or a cat fight, or a fire, or a family
feud in the next house, or some other
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to, drives slumber from our pillow.
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den, three-piece bathroom, three

living-rooms, summer kitchen,

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PIRATES WIN WHEN

LANDIS OPENS GAME

Mooney's Men Win in Eighth

With Three Runs.

PITTSBURG, June 20.—Federal Judge

Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner

of baseball, tossed out the ball today

in the game in which Pittsburgh defeated

Philadelphia, 3 to 2. Singles by Wright-

stone and Bruggy and Williams' double

scored two runs for the visitors in the

seventh, while the Pirates won the game

in the eighth.

The score: R.H.E.

Philadelphia.....000 000 200—2 7 1

Pittsburgh.....000 000 023 8 0

Meadows and Bruggy; Yellowhows;

Zinn and Schmidt.

EX-BALL PLAYERS

TO BE TRIED SOON

CHICAGO, June 20.—Chief Justice

Charles A. McDonald today assigned

the trial of eighteen former baseball

players and gamblers, charged with

violation of the National League's

rules, to Judge Hugo Fried, who an-

nounced he would set the case for

next Monday.

Burns have been current for sev-

eral days that Bill Burns has made a

complete statement to the state, and

when his name was called today, and

he failed to respond, Judge George F.

Barrett, special prosecutor, remarked:

"That's all right."

J. LIGHTFOOT'S PIGEONS

WIN 150-MILE FLIGHT

The Forest City Pigeon Club held

their weekly race from Britton, Mich.,

on Saturday last, a distance of 150

miles, and a slow race was the order,

owing to cloudy weather. Mr. J. Light-

foot repeated with a good margin. The

results were as follows: Velocity.

Name..... Velocity.....

J. Lightfoot..... 1:11:30

C. Peen..... 1:12:00

H. Dawson..... 1:12:30

H. Dillon..... 1:13:00

The next race takes place on Satur-

day, June 25, from Montpelier, O., a

distance of 200 miles, with three mil-

es to go for 400 miles, best average.

The competition is getting keen, and

the first three being Westman, Light-

foot and J. Dawson. H. Dillon and C.

Penn, two new fanciers, following close.

A denotes 250 pool; B, 100; C, 50 pool.

KITCHENER BOWLERS

HOLD PARTRIDGE CUP

KITCHENER, Ont., June 20.—Kitch-

ener Bowling Club still holds the Par-

tridge Trophy, having defeated Preston

in a challenge game here this afternoon.

The results were as follows:

Name..... Score.....

C. Kessinger..... 100

J. Ferrie..... 90

W. G. Cleghorn..... 80

Wetlaufer, sk. 23 C. McGrath, sk. 14

RETAINS TENNIS TITLE

QUEBEC, June 20.—(By Canadian

Press.)—The Quebec Tennis Club, Mon-

treal, retained the championship of the province

of Quebec in the tennis tournament held

here today, and also won in the

finals of the mixed doubles, playing with

Misses here today. The winners were

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BATTLING GHEE DOES

NOT LIKE DEMPSEY'S

LITTLE LOVE TAPS

Kid Norfolk Added To Staff of

Jack's Sparring Partners.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 21.—Kid

Norfolk, negro light-heavyweight, who

has been clamoring for a match with

Jack Dempsey, today joined the heavy-

weight champion's staff of sparring

partners. Norfolk is aggressive, a

clever boxer, and Jack Kearns re-

garded him as the fighter who can de-

stroy Dempsey's speed.

There is a possibility that Battling

Ghee may be dropped from the cham-

pion's staff by his inclination to give

away from Dempsey instead of forcing

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**TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS
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The jubilee anniversary of the London Township Sunday schools was held in Bethel Presbyterian Church. The conventions are held yearly in the different churches throughout the township. The second meeting held in this church in 1872. Mr. Pattison, the president, occupied the chair. Reports from the different churches showed that the schools of the township are prospering. Rev. T. A. Halpenny, provincial representative, addressed the meeting. Also Mrs. F. Whitehall on "Children's Work."

At the evening session Rev. John Egan presided. The choir of the church assisted. Rev. Mr. Cozens of Brantford gave an address on "Music in the School." Addresses were given by former officers of their recollections of the past fifty years. Rev. Mr. Halpenny also addressed the gathering at some length. The following officers were elected: President, T. B. Hudson; first vice-president, J. R. Coleman; secretary-treasurer, Homer Knapp; superintendents of departments: Children's, Mrs. Ralph and Miss Neva Haskett; Young People's, Allen Neidham; adult, A. G. Langford; home, Mr. Pattison; teachers' training, Rev. J. B. Bannan; missionary, Miss Coleman; temperance, W. H. Gues. The convention will be held in the Zion Methodist Church next year.

As a Man Thinketh

The man who sits back waiting for conditions to get right is gazing at the wall. If prosperity will not come to you—go after it. Look for success and you will usually find what you are looking for. Look for failure and you are sure to find it. To be successful, "look prosperous." Meet My Jeweller and wear diamonds. His store is John A. Nash, Jeweller, 182 Dundas street, where you will eventually buy.—Advt.

**TWENTY-SIX CONVERTS
BAPTIZED IN RIVER**

MONTREAL, June 20.—Professed converts to the Baptists Church, 26 in number, were baptised yesterday at Papineauville, near Lacute. The ceremony was the climax to an evangelistic effort of six weeks by Alexander Torris, B.A., and Mrs. Torris, of Toronto. The converts were an influx of the Baptists of Ottawa River, about half a mile from Papineauville. Prior to the baptism a service was held in the Papineauville Baptist Church.

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**BURNS FATAL TO
4-YEAR-OLD BOY
IN OXFORD PARK**

**Mother Tries To Rush Through
Flames To Rescue Sleep-
ing Children.**

BABY GIRL IS SAVED
Older Child, Later Carried Out
by Workman, Dies in
Hospital.

Four-year-old Barrie Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox, 72 Westmoreland street, Oxford Park, died in Victoria Hospital about 9 o'clock last night from burns suffered in the flames which broke out in the kitchen of the house yesterday forenoon. Completing a washing, and having hung the clothes on the line, Mrs. Fox crossed the street to use the telephone of Mrs. J. Bower. She had just hung up the receiver after telephoning the butcher for meat, when Mrs. Bower, looking through a window, cried "O, Mrs. Fox, your house is on fire."

Before the boy was carried out, a stream of water from a hydrant and a hose, which the workmen laying a sewer had been using, was already playing into the room where the fire was. The heat in this room was intense, but one of the workmen climbed through the window and carried out the little boy. Although partially protected from the flames which leaped over and around him by the bed clothing, the heat was so terrible that the little boy was almost covered with blisters and burns. The men with the hose could not see through the smoke to know where the fire was, and the stream of water was some protection as it played about the room. It may also have washed him closer to the burning partition.

Mother Tries To Enter.
Rushing frantically around the house to the window of the bedroom where the little boy lay, the mother ran in front of the heavy stream of water and was badly drenched. The workmen understanding that another child was in the room, one of them braved the heat and flames and found little Barrie. The rescuer was badly burned about the shoulders, and was taken away in a near state of collapse.

As soon as the little girl was rescued, she was taken away to friends of the family in Manor Park, where the mother was taken later after the boy had been carried out. Fire Chief Atkinson arrived just at the moment, and rushed the little fellow first to the office of Dr. Schram, and immediately afterwards to Victoria Hospital. Only faint hopes were entertained that he could recover.

Defective Wiring Blamed.
The children had been restless the previous night, and for this reason the mother had not awakened them. There was no stove in the rear of the house where the flames started, and defective wiring was most likely the cause, according to the fire chief. A cook-stove in the front of the house had been in use, but the pipes did not go near where the fire started. Next to the front room, but shut off from it, and entered from the kitchen, was the room where the baby girl, a year and three months, was sleeping. She was not seriously burned, but suffered considerably from the smoke and the heat, which was fairly intense. The flames had, however, not actually penetrated to this room.

For a few minutes Mrs. Bower was in the room, but she was unable to find the cause of the fire. She was in the room, and was accustomed to staying in and around the Fox home. They turned up safely, however.

Family Are Penniless.
Little Barrie would have been just four years old in July, and in July the family would have lived just one year on Westmoreland street. Neighbors express great sympathy for Mr. and Mrs. Fox. They came to London from England just a little over a year ago. Their entire savings, \$200 or so, had been invested in the little frame cottage, and they had just finished paying for some furniture purchased from a neighbor. Last winter Mr. Fox was out of work for a long time. A few weeks ago he had gone back to work for the Clark Machinery Company, where he was at the time of the fire.

But for the quick work of the sewer construction men and the fortunate chance of those who had been sent to reach the north side of the house, it is said a whole row of frame cottages would have been swept by the flames. The fire was soon extinguished by the firemen, and it may be possible to remodel the house. Built of dry soft timber, the flames spread with almost incredible rapidity. Twenty minutes before the fire was discovered, Mrs. Fox had been hanging out the washing in the backyard. She was not more than three or four minutes telephoning, it is said.

Flames Rushed Out.
The alarm was sent in to the fire department by the family of Fred Stone, who lived next door. While Mr. Stone was breaking in the front door—flames were rushing out from the back door. To reach the bedroom from the rear door, one had to pass around the full blaze of the partition in which it is believed the defective wiring ignited the woodwork. From door to door was a sheet of flame that shut off the baby rooms with the children, and left as the only avenue of rescue the windows on the north side of the house.

**WAGE REDUCTIONS
EFFECTIVE SHORTLY**

**Railways Across Line To
Make a Twelve Per
Cent Cut.**

CHICAGO, June 20.—Announcement of a wage reduction order affecting practically all railroads involved in the \$600,000,000 wage award of July, 1920, not named in the reduction order of June 1, is expected this week. It was learned today that the United States Railroad Labor Board, a brief hearing, covering about 30 roads asking for cuts, was held today. The board's decision on this case and the hearing of June 6, when more than 150 roads presented petitions, will be rendered simultaneously. The decision was learned officially today, will be drawn as an addendum to the wage reduction order of June 1, and the reductions virtually will be identical with the average 2 per cent cut granted by that order.

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Armstrong and Downey keep the audience in tears of laughter with songs, comic bicycle riding and fancy dancing. Ector and Dena present a good "family affair" dialogue, and their guitar and piano playing are heartily enjoyed. "Into the Light" is a sketch something new to London theatregoers, and is well put on, several impersonations being acted in the sketch.

A Pathe Review, British Canadian Pathe News, Mack-Sennett comedy and sketches by Loew's Orchestra complete the program.

**AWARDED \$500 IN
HIGH COURT ACTION**

**Ernest J. Buller Asked \$1,360
From Estate of Late Jean
C. Smith.**

Ernest J. Buller, a local broker, was awarded \$500 and county court costs, in the supreme court Monday afternoon by Hon. Mr. Justice Masten, as the result of his action against Wilhelmina Smith, executrix of the last will and testament of Jean Crawford Smith, deceased. He was suing for \$1,360 for 86 weeks' nursing of the deceased.

He claimed that he nursed her and attended to her household duties from February 4, 1915, to May 19, 1920. Then, he claimed, the deceased went to live with the defendant, and died at her home.

The defence was that the deceased did not require all the nursing that the plaintiff claimed to have given her and that she was able and did do her own housework in addition to doing some dressmaking.

E. T. Essery for the plaintiff; W. G. R. Bartram for the defence.

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