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Thirty Buried By Collapse of Wall at Toronto

NEILSON CO.'S NEW BUILDING CRASHED TO THE BASEMENT CARRYING EMPLOYEES TO DEATH

Several Dead Bodies Removed From Ruins and Many Injured Reported, With Large Number Under the Debris.

ENTIRE FIRE DEPARTMENT OUT ENGAGING IN WORK OF RESCUE

Workers Were In Factory at Time of Accident—Mostly Women and Girls, and a Large Number of These Have Yet To Be Accounted For—Reason for Accident Not Yet Known.

IDENTIFIED DEAD

Mrs. Eva Anderson.
Louis Shine.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, May 4.—The entire south wall of the five-story building of William Neilson, Limited, manufacturer of ice cream and chocolates, situated at 307 Gladstone avenue, collapsed with a few minutes' warning at 11 o'clock this morning, burying the employees in the debris. Five employees were removed badly injured, and the ruins are being searched now for several others believed to be entombed. Two are dead and at least twenty are believed to be still in the debris.

The reason for the collapse is not known. The building is a new one and has been occupied only a short time. There was no explosion accompanying the collapse. At the time of the accident two hundred employees were in the building, all on the first and second floors.

DEAD AND INJURED.

The dead—Mrs. Eva Anderson, Louis Shine. Badly injured—Emily Watson, 106 Russett street; Susie Burns, Somerhill avenue; Lottie Carri, 39 Degrassi street; Mabel Bowman, Dufferin street; Mrs. Thompson, Dufferin street.

A GENERAL ALARM.

A general alarm was sent to the fire department, and the firemen are now engaged in removing the debris in the hope that some of those still entombed may yet be brought out alive. Every private ambulance in the city as well as the police ambulances are on the scene to rush any still living to the hospitals the moment they are extracted from the tangled heap of ruins.

A LATER REPORT

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, May 4.—Two are dead, five more seriously injured, and from twenty to thirty others buried and probably dead, in the ruins of the new five-story building of the William Neilson Company, Limited, at 307 Gladstone avenue, the south wall of which suddenly collapsed shortly before 11 o'clock this morning while two hundred employees, engaged in the manufacture of ice cream and chocolates, were at work on the first and second floors.

THE RESUCE WORK.

The entire Toronto fire brigade is now on the scene making heroic efforts to extricate those buried under the debris, in the hope that they may still be alive. Every private ambulance and all the police ambulances in the city are also on the scene to immediately rush to the hospitals any who may be taken out alive.

The majority of the employees are women and girls. Up to the present it is not known who are still unaccounted for, or just how many are missing. Of the known dead one is a woman and the other a man, while all the injured so far removed are girls.

The building, which has only been occupied for the past two months, was fitted up with the most modern machinery procurable, and is claimed to have been the most up-to-date manufacturing plant of its kind in America.

THE WALL BUCKLED.

Two reasons are advanced for the collapse of the building—one that the building was erected on made ground and that the foundation gave way with the removal of the frost, and the other that the machinery used on the second floor was too heavy for the structure. The cause, however, will not be determined until after an investigation, and probably not then. The wall seems to have buckled about half way up.

CAUGHT UNDER DEBRIS.

An unidentified girl's body has been removed from the ruins, and just before 12 o'clock the workers found the feet of two men and a girl sticking out of the debris. It is feared from their positions that they are dead.

On the list of injured are a carpenter who had been working on the building, who was unconscious, and whose name is unknown; William Lamby, 14 Gordon street, and a builder's laborer whose first name was Joe, and whose other name is not known as he was unconscious and removed to the hospital.

The upper stories of the building were incomplete, and the carpenters were still working on them when the crash came.

WOMAN PINNED DOWN.

Shortly before 1 o'clock the workers heard the moan of a woman and a cry for help, and discovered a woman whose name is not known hemmed in by girders and a mass of debris. A frantic effort was made to reach her, but from her position it is believed that her injuries will be so serious that she cannot live.

A TORNADO DRILL.

Wakita, Okla., May 4.—A tornado drill, patterned after the fire drills in the city, has been inaugurated by Miss Hattie Coon, principal of the Enterprise school near here, as a result of the recent storms in Oklahoma.

The scholars are lined up on signal and they run to the nearest tornado cave, which is a quarter of a mile away.

EXCITED BY PICTURE.

Atlanta, Ga., May 4.—A picture of himself nailed to a cross, roughly drawn upon the wall of his cell in the county jail yesterday, by Ben. Green, a negro sentenced to be hanged June 7 for the murder of Aaron Morris, a white man, so wrought up other occupants of the prison that it required the efforts of several officers to quiet them.

THE OCEAN PASSENGERS.

By John T. McCutcheon.

The men who used to first rush down to have the purser assign them good seats at the tables

Will hereafter first rush up and have the boat steward assign them their seats in the life boats.

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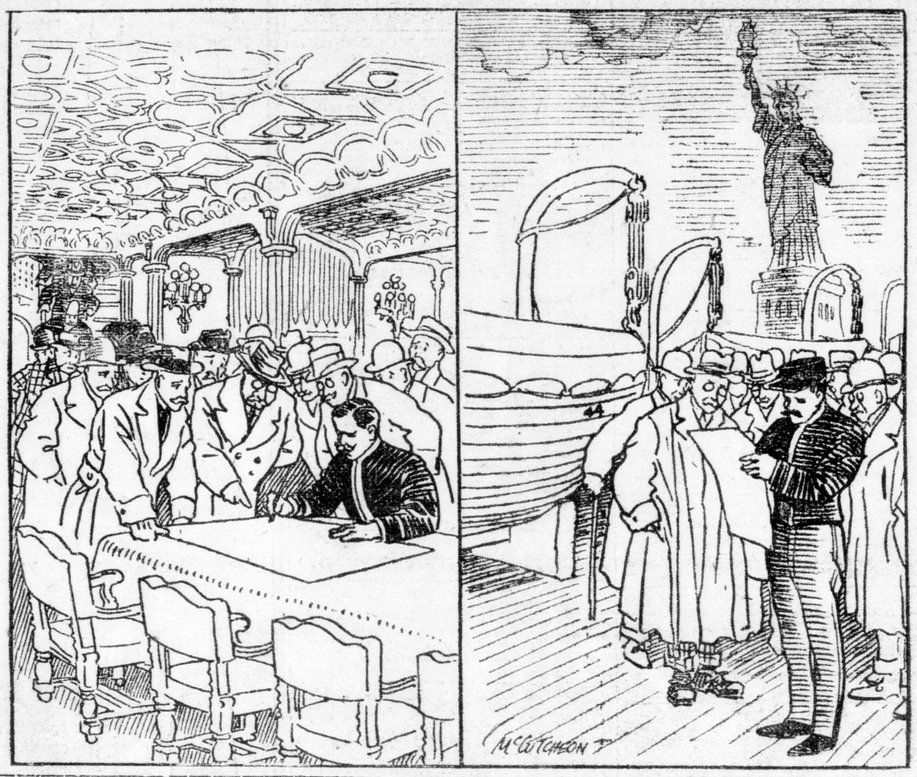


BYLAW TO CONTROL THE BABY FARMS

Children's Aid Society Wil Request the Council to Pass One.

INSPECTION IS NEEDED

Case on York Street, Where a Baby Was Badly Bitten by Rats, Causes Society to Move.

A bylaw to control maternity homes, or baby farms, as they are sometimes called, will be demanded by a deputation from the Children's Aid Society at Monday night's meeting of the city council.

The general act covering such matters gives municipalities the right to pass bylaws regulating such places. There is no such bylaw at the present time, and the society considers that it is time that there was.

"We shall have a deputation at the meeting on Monday evening," said Inspector Sanders. "We shall ask that a bylaw in conformity with the general act be passed, providing for the inspection ,etc., of such places. At the present time we can do nothing. When the bylaw goes into force no baby can be left at such places for more than 24 hours unless permission is given by the authorities. We shall be able to inspect and regulate these places, and prevent any such occurrence as that of recent date when a baby's face was bitten by a rat."

SIR THOMAS TAIT NOT APPOINTED

G. T. R. Chairman Denies That He Is to Succeed Mr. Hays.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, May 4.—The Grand Trunk officials this morning received a cable from Chairman Smithers denying that Sir Thomas Tait had been appointed successor to Charles M. Hays as president of the Grand Trunk System.

THE WEATHER.

SUNDAY—WARM, SHOWERY.

Forecasts.

Toronto, May 4—8 a.m.

Today—Moderate to fresh easterly winds; fair.

Sunday—Fresh east to south winds; mostly fair, but some local showers or thunderstorms, chiefly at night; stationary or higher temperatures.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
LONDON	70.5	42	Clear
Victoria	54	46	Cloudy
Calgary	50	28	Fair
Winnipeg	74	48	Cloudy
Port Arthur	42	34	Rain
Parry Sound	66	44	Cloudy
Toronto	61	46	Cloudy
Ottawa	62	38	Clear
Montreal	62	42	Fair
Quebec	58	34	Clear
Father Point	50	36	Rain

Weather Notes.

Pressure remains high from the Great Lakes eastward, while the western depression is moving slowly northward.

The weather continues showery in Saskatchewan, Manitoba and the Lake Superior district, and elsewhere fine.

IS ANOTHER BANK MERGER ABOUT TO BE ARRANGED?

Rumors Prevail at the Capital of a New Absorption In Prospect.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, May 4.—Is another big bank merger in prospect?

This question is exciting interest in financial and other circles owing to the announcement by the Bank of Montreal of a meeting on June 18 to consider adding nine million dollars to its capital, thus making the total twenty-five million dollars.

While no definite information is obtainable it is rumored that Canada's leading bank intends to secure control of other institutions and on a rather extensive scale. The Bank of Commerce some time ago bought the Eastern Townships Bank and forged ahead to a second place in Canadian financial institutions, while the Royal Bank's position is third since its acquisition of the Traders' Bank. There is a well defined tendency for the stronger banks to absorb the smaller ones, and in taking steps to increase its capital, the belief is that the Bank of Montreal has such an object in view. Just what banks will be affected, however, is not certain.

Under the bank act all such purchases or mergers have to be sanctioned by the minister of finance, who requires full information on the subject.

A revision of the bank act is to be made at the next session of Parliament, and quite extensive reforms are probable. It is just possible that some of the institutions with the merger idea may wish to carry out their plans before the law is revised.

SCOTCHMEN OF LONDON WILL HOLD CALEDONIAN GAMES

United Societies Are Mapping Out a Big Programme for June 22nd.

The United Scottish Societies of London will, on the anniversary of the coronation of His Majesty King George V., June 22, hold a big picnic and Caledonian games at Springbank Park.

There will be splendid prizes offered for tests of strength, for which the Scotch are famous, and in addition there will be plenty of music and an all-round good time for everybody.

St. Andrew's Society, the Sons of Scotland, and Clan Fraser will join in the outing, the following executive committee having been named to carry out the arrangements:

St. Andrew's Society, F. M. Irwin, chairman, H. E. Buchanan and James Gray; Sons of Scotland, W. F. Taylor, D. F. Campbell, and J. E. Saunders, secretary; Clan Fraser, W Johnston, W. Kelly, and Robert Syme.

The Pipe Band delegates have not yet been named.

MAY TRANSFER AS HE PLEASES

Important Ruling Regarding a Man's Life Insurance Policy Is Handed Down.

CASE IS A LOCAL ONE

Money Was Advanced on a Policy After the Death of the Beneficiary, and Relatives Went to Law.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, May 4. — That a man may transfer to whomsoever he likes the proceeds of his life insurance in a fraternal organization after the beneficiary named in the certificate, is dead is the effect of the judgment given by Mr. Justice Riddell. The Fidelity Trusts Company claimed $1,149 24, paid into court by the Royal Arcanum, under a certificate on the life of T. R. Rhoder, of London, as th eproperty of his grandchildren, children of Lucy Hendershott ,who was named in the certificate as beneficiary. The certigeate was dated 1901. The beneficiary died in 1909, and following her death her father indorsed the certificate to Mr. Urban A. Buchner, for money advanced. Mr. Rhoder died in 1911.

Mr. Justice Riddell holds that Buchner is entitled to the proceeds of the certificate as security for his advances.

The action was the first on the list at the non-jury sessions held, commencing on Monday last, at the courthouse here, Mr. U. A. Buchner, a local barrister, the defendant, produced a number of witnesses, including officers of the Royal Arcanum, to prove his right to the proceeds of the policy, on which he had advanced a considerable sum. Judgment was reserved and was given, as stated, by Mr. Justice Riddell, in Toronto today.

HOTELMAN WAS FINED FIFTY DOLLARS AND COSTS

Fred Evans, of London Junction, Heavily Mulcted By Squire Macklin.

Fred Evans, proprietor of the hotel at London Junction, appeared before Squire Macklin this morning charged with selling liquor out of hours. He pleaded guilty and was fined $50 and costs. This is the second conviction against him in a short period, and the law states that three convictions within two years result in the cancellation of the license. The renewal of his license is also being held over for three months by the license commissioners, pending improvements about his premises.

NUISANCE ABATED

C. P. R. Have Attended Satisfactorily to the Matter.

Superintendent King, of the C. P. R., has written Mayor Graham, stating that the whistling nuisance of which he complained the other day, has been abated.

"Mr. King expressed regret that the mayor of the city had to cal lthe attention of the company to this nuisance," said his worship. "However, he has abated it, and the results are most gratifying. Some people tell me they cannot sleep now that the whistles have stopped. They were so accustomed to the noise that they are awakened by the quiet."

STREET RAILWAY COMMITTEE MEET CO'Y THIS AFTERNOON

Mayor Graham and the Company Refused to State the Matter To Be Discussed—"Simply Asked To Confer," Says the Mayor—Horton St. May Be Double Tracked.

There will be a conference this afternoon in the office of Ivey & Dromgole, solicitors for the London Street Railway Company, between representatives of the company and the special street railway committee of the city council, when the crisis which has arisen during the past week will be discussed.

Neither party to the conference would give out any information relative to the matter. It is understood that the representatives of the London street railway will lay before he aldermen exactly what they intend doing to improve the service, and will ask a little time to carry out certain improvements. Models of the new cars to be purchased will be presented also for the approval of the city engineer and the committee.

The Mayor Interviewed.

However, Mayor Graham declared that he was ignorant of the reasons for calling the meeting.

"We were simply asked to confer with the company," said his worship. "What is going to be discussed is unknown to me."

"I have nothing to say on the matter whatever," said Mr. C. H. Ivey, solicitor for the company.

Further information could not be obtained from any of the officials of the company or the city's representatives.

Double-Track Horton Street.

It was rumored at the city hall today that the street railway company had decided to double-track Horton street, and that was the real reason for the conference. This will be done, it is said, whether the city allows the company mileage or not. It is recognized as the neck of the bottle, as one of the directors put it, and the necessity of improving this portion of the line has been impressed upon the company. It is possible that they will ask a quid pro quo for this concession, but whether or not the city grants it, this portion of the line will be double-tracked, as it means revenue to the company.

TWO LONDON MEN ARE MENTIONED

Speculation Is Rife Regarding Presidency of London Methodist Conference.

MEETING IN ST. THOMAS

Big Gathering Will Assemble on June 5—"Banish the Bar" Policy Will Be Discussed.

The annual gathering of the members of the London Methodist Conference opens at St. Thomas on June 5, and already there is a good deal of speculation as to who will be the new president.

Two London men are very prominently mentioned and are sure to stand very high in the voting. They are Rev. G. N. Hazen, of the Centennial Methodist Church, and Rev. D. N. McCamus, of the Colborne Street Church.

Last year, Rev. J. E. Ford, of Clinton, came second in the contest, when Rev. Dr. Warner, the present president, was elected on the second ballot.

There will be 200 ministers and nearly 150 laymen from this district at the conference and a great deal of important business is coming up.

One of the chief topics for discussion will be the reports on church union, and it was stated to The Advertiser today that there will likely be much discussion on temperance matters and the "aBnish the Bar" policy introduced by Mr. Newton W Rowell.

The conference will be held in the First Methodist Church, St. Thomas.

MAY ESCAPE GALLOWS

Corvallis, Oregon, May 4.—George and Charles Humphreys, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Eliza Griffith, near Philomath, under sentence to be hanged June 14, have been taken to the penitentiary at Salem. Governor West has said he would not permit an execution for murder during his term. He said he would not commute the sentence of the Humphreys, but would grant a reprieve until after the November election, when the voters will pass upon the question of abolishing capital punishment.

MR. HENRY A. BRAZIER,
Toronto man who has been recommended for city engineer of London, and who will be appointed to the position on Monday night.

CONSTABLE KILLED BATTLE WITH INDIANS

Fatal Affray Between Provincial Police and Murder Fugitives.

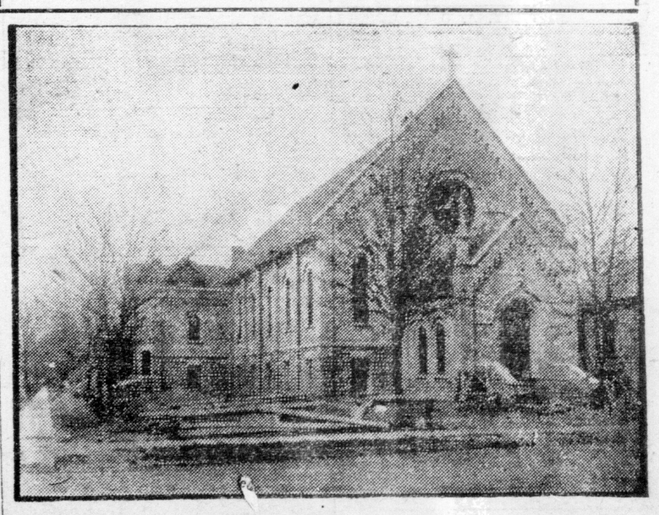
[Canadian Press.]

Vancouver, B. C., May 4.—An Ashcroft dispatch gives the brief details of a fatal encounter between a posse of provincial police and two Indian fugitives wanted for murder, in Cariboo road, a few miles from Ashcroft. Provincial Constable Kindness, one of the five officers in pursuit of the Indians, was shot and killed, and Constable Loring was shot in the arm. The other three constables in the party are missing. Constable Loring, who returned to Ashcroft, states that he has no knowledge of their whereabouts or their fate.

ANNA HAILES BURIED.

Toronto, May 4.—The funeral of Anna Hailes, who took her own life in Detroit, following an elopement with A. D. Richards, a Toronto businessman, took place this afternoon from the residence of her parents, 174 Robert street.

ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON



Dedication will take place on Sunday, when His Lordship Bishop Fallon and many priests will take part in the ceremony.

Condensed Advertisements.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.

Meetings — Where no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—First insertion, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent a word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

BIRTHS.

JOHNSTON—At Victoria Hospital, May 2, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston, twins (boys). b

COLTMAN—On April 24, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. John Coltman, a daughter. b

MARRIAGES.

CROCKETT—TALBOT—On April 30, 1912, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. George Hazen, Margaret F. Talbot to Sydney Charles Crockett, of North Dorchester. b

DEATHS.

McADAMS—There passed peacefully away at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Ithamar Shaw, 711 Elias street, on Friday morning, May 3, 1912, Mary Thompson, beloved wife of James McAdams, aged 69 years and 5 months. Funeral from above address on Sunday, May 5, at 2 o'clock; service at 1:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Siloam Cemetery. 96u

SCRIMSHAW—At the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Erskine, Childers street, East London, on Thursday, May 2, 1912, Joseph Scrimshaw, aged 25 years. Funeral from above address, on Tuesday, at 2:30 p.m. Service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. b

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

GRAND A. J. SMALL Sole Prop.

Twice Today, 2:15, 8:15

Rex Beach's Latest and Greatest Play,

THE BARRIER

Superb Cast and Production.

Prices Matinee: 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Night: 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

ALL NEXT WEEK

Matinee Every Day After Monday.

Grandest Spectacle of Century.

THE DURBAR IN KINEMACOLOR

A Trip Through India with Our King and Queen.

Prices Mat.: 25c any seat in the house. Night: 25c, 35c, 50c reserved.

SEATS SELLING.

TITANIC DISASTER

Before and after, in moving pictures, at Star Theatre, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 6, 7, 8. Theatre will be open from 10 a.m. and during noon hour. BGAR and HALLMAN, comedy vaudeville. 95c

Baseball May 7

TECUMSEH PARK,

TUESDAY

Niagara University

VS.

London

Game called 3:45. Admission, 25c.

SEE THE HOME TEAM WORK. 97u

SHIPS

Extreme caution now being taken by all lines to avoid accidents, on account of Titanic disaster; therefore now is the time to take a trip to the Old Country. New southerly course and boats and life rafts for all passengers and crew.

ALL LINES

Tickets to or from the Old Country at lowest fares via all lines.

See F. B. CLARKE

416 Richmond Street, Next Bank of Commerce.

WARD'S HARP ORCHESTRA — ENGAGEMENTS accepted for social events. 91 Tecumseh. Phone 3005.

E. DE LA HOOKE

Agent for

All Ocean Lines

Cook's Tours, Travellers' Checks, Accident Insurance.

422 Park avenue (London Loan Block). ywt

MAY DANCES, PALACE ACADEMY—Every Monday evening during May. Closing dances of season. Advanced class closes May 22. Private lessons. Phone Dayton & McCormick.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets. Phone 1265, Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

MEETINGS.

BRANCH JEFFERY, A. O. F., MEETS first Monday instead of first Tuesday each month. Joseph Leah. 97u

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Lobo Union school picnic will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Poplar Hill, Monday evening, May 6, at 8 o'clock. A good representation from each section is requested. Lyman Chapman, chairman. b

MALE HELP WANTED.

FIRST-CLASS PLUMBER WANTED. Apply Alex. Milne, West London. b

PAINTERS WANTED. APPLY D. A. Burdick & Sons, 643 Dundas street. b

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN SIGN painting. Apply Glen Bros., 429 Talbot. 97c

DRUG APPRENTICE WANTED—ONE with one or two years' experience preferred; good position for right man. Apply M. B. Percival, 601 Richmond street. b

WANTED—YARDMAN, EXPERIENCED. Apply 491 Clarence street, between 11 and 12 a.m. John Mann & Sons. 97c

WANTED — CHEESEMAKER, WITH one or two years' experience. Apply, stating wages, R. C. Wood, Appin, Ont. 97c

TWO FIRST-CLASS CARPENTERS wanted. Apply corner Ridout and Ingleside streets, or phone 1575. 97c

MALE HELP WANTED.

HERE'S YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO make $200 monthly, spare time, no matter where you live; no canvassing; guarantee to show you how; free particulars. H. E. Rogers, Desk F D, Boston, Mass. b

I WILL START YOU EARNING $4 daily at home in spare time silvering mirrors; no capital; free instructive booklet, giving plans of operation. G. F. Redmond, Dept. 336, Boston, Mass. b

WANTED—A BOY TO LEARN FANCY drygoods business; must be good at figures. Apply George Nelson & Co., 438 Talbot street. 96c

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED—No canvassing or soliciting required; good income assured. Address National Co-operative Realty Company, V 1252, Marden building, Washington, D. C. 97k-t

SALESMEN WANTED—NO EXPERIENCE required; earn good wages while learning; hundreds of good positions now open, paying $1,000 to $5,000 a year. Write today for particulars, list of openings and testimonials. Address National Salesmen's Training Association, Dept. 516, Kent building, Toronto. b

DON'T WORK FOR OTHERS—START mail order business at home; I made $8,500 last year; let me tell you how; instructive booklet free. Voorhies, Desk 814, Omaha, Neb. b

TEAMSTER WANTED. APPLY 20 Argyle street, West London. 97c

SHOE SALESMAN—APPLY ROWLAND HILL, "Reliable Footwear," 189 Dundas street. 97u

EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER WANTED; one capable to take full charge of office; no other need apply; state wages desired, experience, references, and where last employed; a good business opportunity to the right party. Apply Box 15, this office. 96u

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS CLERK. Must have good references. Apply Dominion Express Company. b

WANTED—SMART BOY, AGED 16, FOR mailing room. Apply Advertiser office. 96u

TEAMSTER WANTED. APPLY WEBSTER-HARVEY, Limited, Piccadilly street. 96c

LABORERS WANTED. APPLY TRACTION power house, Chelsea Green. 96c

SALESMAN FOR FIRST-CLASS LIFE insurance company; no industrial; salary and commission to right man. Address Box 14, this office. 96a

FIREMAN WANTED. ADDRESS BOX 16, Advertiser. 96tf

SHAPER HAND WANTED AT ONCE—Good wages. Apply The Tudhope-Anderson Company, Limited, West Lorne. 96n

PAINTERS WANTED—A COUPLE OF brush hands. Apply 314 Oxford street. 95c

ORGANIST AND CHOIR LEADER wanted for Chalmers Presbyterian Church, corner Waterloo and Grey. Apply Wm. Michael, 317 Bathurst. 95c

CHAUFFEUR WANTED FOR AUTO truck. Apply Smallman & Ingram. 95c

WANTED—TWO GOOD TINSMITHS. Apply J. Maker, 197 King street. 95c

MAN WANTED FOR DELIVERING bread. Apply to Dean & Co. 94tf

ACTIVE BOYS WANTED. SOUTHAM Printing and Litho. Co. 93l

BREAD BAKER AT ONCE; PERMANENT. Johnston Bros., 262 Ottaway. 88tf

CANVASSERS WANTED TO SELL wholesale to private families, whole or spare time; a few to travel. Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street, London.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

OLD COUNTRY DOMESTICS — CAPABLE Scotch, English and Irish maids, also Danish girls; parties arriving weekly. Apply now, The Guild, 71 Drummond street, Montreal, or 47 Pembroke street, Toronto. May 31

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

FIRST-CLASS DINING-ROOM GIRL AT once. Apply Queen's Hotel, Strathroy. 97n

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED KITCHEN girl; highest wages paid; to go home nights. Apply 244 Queen's avenue. 97c

YOUNG GIRL TO LEARN WRAPPER stripping. Wm. Atkins & Co., opposite city hall. b

WANTED—A PARLORMAID; REFERENCES required. Apply at once to Miss Harris, 481 Ridout street. 97c

WANTED—GIRL TO DO DRESSMAKING by the day. Apply 361 Dundas street. b

WOMAN TO WORK THREE DAYS A week to cut waists from paper patterns. Southcott, 234 Dundas street, upstairs. b

Girls Wanted

For Biscuit and Candy Departments. Apply

D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited 96tf

WANTED—A CHARWOMAN. APPLY 288 Dufferin avenue, in morning. 96c

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WOMAN, with references, to do light housework. Apply 729 Queen's avenue. b

GIRLS WANTED — GOOD WAGES, steady employment. Apply at once, London Bolt Works. 97c

WANTED — HOUSEMAID; GOOD wages. Apply Tecumseh House. 96n

GIRL TO WORK ON POWER SEWING machine. Raymond Bros., 172 King street. b

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PANT AND vest makers. Apply B. Gidley & Son, 404 Clarence street. 95c

GENERAL MAID — SMALL FAMILY. Apply 129 Kent street. 95c

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply Mrs. Greig, Clyde Hotel. 95n

WANTED — COMPETENT GENERAL maid; good wages. Mrs. John Purdom, 429 King street. 94tf

WANTED AT ONCE—KITCHEN HELP. Apply Stewardess, Victoria Hospital. 92n

WANTED — CAPABLE WOMAN TO wash and iron. Apply Mrs. F. E. Leonard, 467 Adelaide street. 87tf

GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY MRS. Jeffery, 516 Ridout. 85tf

GIRLS WANTED—STEADY EMPLOYMENT, wrapping chewing gum. Dominion Chicle Company, Limited, 186 King street. 68tf

GIRLS WANTED

For Fancy Biscuit Department. Hours: 7:30 to 5:30; one hour for lunch. Apply The McCormick Manufacturing Company, Limited. 66tf

SUNDAY SERVICES.

ADELAIDE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH—The Church of the cordial welcome. Rev. James H. Boyd, pastor. Services tomorrow: Morning at 11; reception of new members and Communion. Evening at 7; subject, "The Courage That Wins," a message to men. Christian baptism during the evening service.

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. W. H. Harvey, B.A., pastor. Morning, "Two Mornings in Contrast"; evening, "A Man We Often Meet," a sermon for young men. Men's League at 10 o'clock.

BIBLE CLASS, 2:45, SUNDAY AFTERNOON—"Class Welcome," First Methodist Sunday School. Visitors always welcome. W. J. Underwood, leader.

BISHOP CRONYN MEMORIAL CHURCH—Holy Communion at 8:30. 11, preacher, Rev. Arthur Carlisle, B.A., rector All Saints', Windsor; 7, preacher, Rev. Canon Howitt, rector St. George's, Hamilton.

CATHEDRAL ST. PAUL'S—HOLY COMMUNION, 8:30 a.m. and at noon. Morning service, 11; preacher, Rev. Canon Howitt, of Hamilton. Evening service, 7; preacher, Rev. A. Carlisle, of Windsor.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. G. N. Hazen, pastor, will preach tomorrow morning and evening. Reception of new members in the morning. Special service of praise by the choir in the evening. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the close of the evening service.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—The minister, Rev. Frank C. Harper, B.A., B.D., will conduct both services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Adult Bible Class at 3 p.m. Visitors welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, DUNDAS street—E. H. Hayden, M.A., pastor. Evening subject, "The Answer of a Good Conscience." Baptisms. b

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER, ADELAIDE and Grosvenor streets—Evening Prayer and sermon, 7 o'clock. Rev. Horace W. Snell, B.A.

CHURCH OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST—Rev. Canon Craig, rector. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Pastor, Rev. D. N. McCamus. Classes at 10 a.m. Reception of members and Sacramental services at 11 and 7. Sunday School at 2:45. Quarterly board Thursday, at 8 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, CORNER WELLINGTON and Hill streets. C. R. Gunne, rector. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 11; preacher, Rev. Canon T. R. Davis, Sarnia; Evening Prayer, 7; preacher, Rev. C. C. Purton, Paris, Ont.

DUNDAS CENTRE METHODIST Church, corner Dundas and Maitland streets—Rev. Dr. Manning, pastor. 11 a.m., Sacramental and reception service; 7 p.m., the pastor. Musical services under the direction of Mr. J. Parnell Morris. Bible School at 2:45.

EGERTON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Pastor, W. L. Steeves. Morning subject, "The Knowledge of God. Evening subject:

"THE SUCCESSFUL TWENTIETH CENTURY YOUNG MAN."

Male quartette, Men's Chorus. Mr. Charles Maynard will sing.

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church—Sunday School anniversary. Sermons morning and evening by Rev. R. Fulton Irwin, of Harrow. Mass meeting at 2:45. Address by Rev. Mr. Irwin and installation service by pastor, Rev. G. W. Dewey.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTIST), corner Richmond street, Princess and Park avenues—Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Subject, "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday School, 12:15. Wednesday, testimonial meeting, 8 p.m. Free reading-rooms open every week day from 2 to 4:30. Everybody welcome. Literature for sale and free distribution.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. H. D. Whitmore, pastor, will conduct both services at 11 and 7. Communion at the close of morning service.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—
Rev. R. Whiting, B.A., Pastor.

11 a.m.—"Sacramental Meditation." Sacramental service.
7 p.m.—**SONG SERVICE.**
Repeated and Enlarged.
Subject, **"A Young Man's Glory."**
Mrs. A. D. Jordan, organist.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. John Gibson Inkster, B.A., minister. The pastor will preach morning and evening.

GOSPEL HALL, HAMILTON ROAD—Mr. Charles J. Stephens, of Toronto, preaches the Gospel at 7 p.m. Address to young people, 3:30 p.m. All are welcome.

HYATT AVENUE METHODIST Church—Pastor, Rev. J. W. Baird. Morning, "The Night of the Betrayal," Sacrament of Lord's Supper; evening, "A Sevenfold Consideration of Life."

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS—Oddfellows' Hall, 427 Richmond street, 3 p.m. Subject, "Why is Evil Permitted?"

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. W. R. McIntosh, B.D., minister. Morning, "The Potter's Wheel," a sermon on the value of discipline; evening, "Perfect Womanhood: A Study of the Virgin Mary."

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — Rev. W. N. Martin will preach at both services.

MAITLAND STREET BAPTIST Church—Rev. C. M. Carew, pastor. The pastor will conduct both services. Reception of members and Communion in the morning. Gospel service in the evening. Seats free. Welcome.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH, Richmond street north—Services as usual.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. John McNair, of Petrolea, will preach morning and evening. Organ recital by Dr. Pearce from 6:40 to 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Church

Rev. A. Logan Geggie

will preach at both services

MORNING

'Voices in the Silence'

EVENING

'A Queer Man to be an Apostle'

Special offering for the reduction of the church debt.

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. M. Walker. Morning, "The Christian Life"; evening, "Divine Holiness." Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m. All welcome.

SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL Church, Horton street, near Maitland—Pastor, W. H. A. Claris. Morning at 11, "Christian Unity"; evening at 7, "The Spirit's Work." Seats free. All welcome.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., pastor. 11 a.m., subject, "A New Vision." Communion at close. 2:45 p.m., Bible School and Men's Baraca Bible Class. 7 p.m., subject, "The Survivors of the Sea, or Lessons from the Titanic." Baptism at close. Come early.

TAYLOR'S BEEF, IRON AND WINE is the best value on the market. It is much stronger than the average, and absolutely pure. A quick, bracing tonic. 50c pint only, at TAYLOR'S MARKET DRUG STORE, 399 Talbot street, opposite market. ywt

SUNDAY SERVICES.

ST. JAMES CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON—Services—Morning 11, evening 7. Rector, Very Rev. Dean Davis.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. H. A. Graham, B.A., pastor. Sunday, May 5. 10 a.m., quarterly fellowship service; 11 a.m., Sacramental service; 2:45 Sabbath School and Bible Classes; 7 p.m., the pastor; subject, "The World and the Kingdom."

YORK STREET MISSION HALL—Morning, Christian Workers. Evening subject, "Ho! Every One That Thirsteth, Come Ye to the Waters"; preacher, Evangelist Belcher. Messrs. Arthur Clark, McArthur, Drennan and a full choir will sing.

HOUSES, ROOMS, TO LET.

TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED room. Apply Box 28, Advertiser. b

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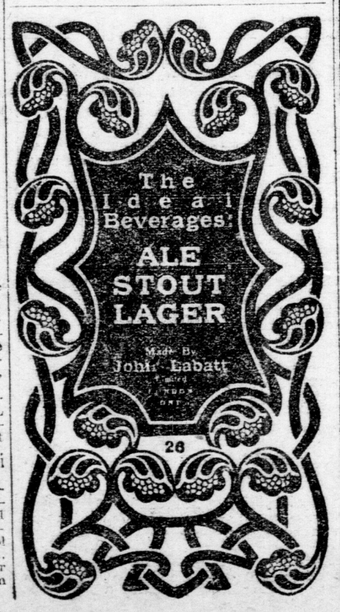

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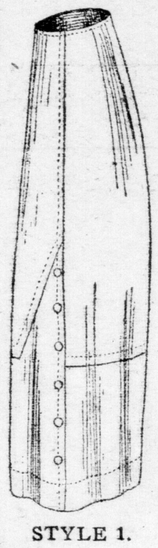

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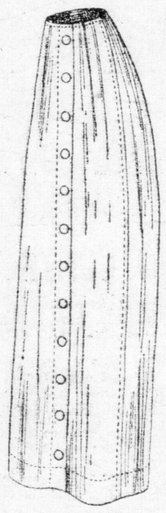

STYLE 3.

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Monday we will begin this great Skirt-Making Sale, which will be continued for a few days—to be discontinued when the number of orders have been booked which can be put through at this price. As you will understand, skirts cannot be made at this price in single orders, taking only a few each day, but we have to make our arrangements to have large quantities made up at once, and therefore make the price so low that we may take the contract number of orders in a few days and have them made up to your special measurements at lowest minimum cost, which can only be done at this season of the year—the between-season with the manufacturer.

This will be the third consecutive season we have conducted a sale of this sort, and we estimate the success of past seasons only by the number of satisfied customers. Hundreds of skirts have been made, and with very few exceptions perfectly satisfactory.

FIT, FINISH AND WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED — In making these Skirts, even at this very low price, we assume every responsibility and guarantee a perfect fit in every case. Every Skirt must be finished and made up to the Smallman & Ingram standard, and we will stand back of every order taken until same is satisfactorily finished, or refund the money on same. You take absolutely no risk whatever in having your skirt made at this very small price. You simply pick your material, leave your measure and your skirt will be delivered when finished. Any alteration will be made free of charge should such be necessary.

THREE MODELS TO CHOOSE FROM—We have selected three of the most popular styles shown this season, two of which are illustrated here—Styles 1 and 3—which will give you an idea of what we are doing, as these are exact drawings of these models, and special arrangements have been made as usual to have these Skirts turned out quickly, which can only be done at this season. Order your Skirt now and avoid the inconvenience of waiting weeks for your dressmaker. Orders will be finished as nearly as possible in the order measures are taken.

CHOICE OF ALL DRESS GOODS, BLACK OR COLORS — The special advantage of this sale is that it is not a means of selling undesirable material nor out-of-date styles. The models are of the very newest cut, as you will see, and you may choose from our entire stock of dress goods, black or colors, any material at any price you wish to pay. It's no more trouble getting your skirt this way than buying a ready-to-wear, and the great advantage is you may have your Skirt made of the quality and kind of material you wish—materials which are not possible to get in ready-to-wear goods. Besides, the Skirt is made to suit and fit your own form from your own measurements.

$1.49 INCLUDES EVERYTHING EXCEPT MATERIAL—It is easy to reckon the cost of your Skirt. For instance, the styles require, according to the width of material, from 2½ to 3½ yards. 2½ yards of dollar goods would cost $2.50, and $1.49 for making—total, $3.99 for your Skirt finished. Take 3 yards at 50c, your Skirt would cost only $2.99 finished. As this will be your only opportunity this season to have a Skirt made at this price, we advise you to take advantage of the offer at once. Leave your order early in the week and have it finished in the first group.

SEE MODELS IN DRESS GOODS SECTION—We have made up one Skirt in each of the styles from our own material that you may see your Skirt finished before you leave your order. Your choice of any material, black or colored, at any price. Get your order in early. For further particulars inquire at Dress Goods Counter, Main Floor.

Boys' Wash Suits

Sale and Demonstration in Basement Today

And will continue Monday to give all an opportunity to inspect our entire new summer stock. Displayed to best advantage in large roomy section. Basement.

Black Dress Goods, 50c to $1.50

Excellent range of summer fabrics, suitable for odd skirts, in black—clean dust-shedding goods.

PRIESTLEY'S BLACK LUSTRES—44-inch, at per yard ..... **35¢, 50¢, 65¢, 75¢, 85¢** and **$1**

FRENCH SERGES—Fine smooth finished, summer weights, 44-inch, at yard ..... **50¢, 65¢, 75¢, 85¢** and **$1.00**

FRENCH WORSTEDS—52-inch, yard ..... **$1.00, $1.25, $1.50** and **$2.00**

VELOUR CASHMERES, at yard ..... **50¢, 75¢, 85¢, 95¢** and **$1.00**

SILK WARP HENRIETTAS—"Priestley's," 44-inch, yard. **$1, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00**

BLACK VOILES—Fine weaves, crisp and non-crushable, 44-inch, at per yard ..... **75¢, 85¢, $1.00** and **$1.25**

Colored Dress Goods, 50c to $1.50

NAVY SERGES—Complete range of Navy Blue Serges, suitable for separate skirts or coat suits, in both smooth and rough finish, guaranteed fast dye. Nothing to equal a nice navy skirt for summer wear. Full range of qualities from, yard ..... **50¢** to **$1.50**

Ask to see our specials, 44 and 50 inch, at per yard ..... **50¢** and **75¢**

GRAY WORSTEDS—Serviceable for summer skirts, in plain and stripe effects, clean, serviceable wearing goods; will repel the dust, 44 and 48 inch, at yard. **75¢, $1.00**

TWEEDS—Splendid range of new and fashionable tweed effects in popular color mixtures, wide widths, for separate skirts, yard ..... **75¢, 85¢, $1.00** and **$1.50**

NAVY BLUE LUSTRES—Yard ..... **25¢, 35¢, 50¢, 65¢** and **$1.00**

CREAM SERGES—44-inch, at yard ..... **50¢, 65¢** and **85¢**

Cortese Orchestra — Main Floor Balcony and Restaurant Saturday Afternoon. Strawberries and Ice Cream, 10c.

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Served for 10c—3:30 to 5:30: Sliced Tomatoes, Bread and Butter, and cup of tea or coffee, 10c;

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WANTED TO RENT—SMALL STORE in vicinity of Market Square. Apply Box 23, Advertiser. 97c

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LOST, ON THE NIGHT OF MAY 2—A mare colt, color black, 2 years old. Notify W. H. Robinson, Ealing Postoffice. Will give reward. 96u

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LARGE UNFURNISHED DOUBLE PARLORS to let with board if desired, also two well-furnished front bedrooms, 472 Park avenue. 95c

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FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, WITH modern conveniences. Apply at 461 Dufferin avenue. 97c-tzx

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SOUTH STREET—1½-story frame, cement foundation, 4 bedrooms, bathroom complete, gas and fixtures, good cellar, sink and water in house, lot 30x196 feet. Price, $2,250.

COVE ROAD—Frame cottage, cement cellar, lot 216x100 feet. Call for particulars.

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DUNDAS STREET—Barber shop, 3 chairs and other fixtures. $500.

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PRINCESS AVE.—Frame cottage, 3 bedrooms, gas and fixtures, barn, henhouse. Lot 73x150 feet. Price $1,600.

WELLINGTON STREET—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, Lot 50x109 feet. Price $2,000.

PICCADILLY STREET—Brick veneer cottage, cement foundation, 3 bedrooms, bathroom complete, gas and wired for electric light. Lot 38x66 feet. Price $1,500.

22 acres Westminster, 10 minutes' walk from Springbank car line, half mile from Byron, soil sandy and clay loam, story and half frame house, stone foundation, good, 7 rooms, barn 30x50, stone stables, cornerib, etc., about 1 acre of apple orchard, about ¼ acre of plums, pears, cherry, grapes, etc., spring well and windmill. A splendid property. $3,300.

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CENTRAL AVENUE — Two-story brick, 9 rooms, modern, first-class locality; lot 38x83 feet. Do not miss this chance.

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TECUMSEH AVENUE—1½-story brick veneer, 3 bedrooms, bathroom complete, barn, fruit trees. Lot 30x115 and 71x111 at rear. Only $2,300.

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PORT STANLEY—Splendid lots at Erie Rest, $150 to $250. Call and get particulars, and see plans. Buy before the best are gone. Erie Rest has the best beach.

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WAREHOUSE, CENTRAL — Three stories and basement, nearly new and modern, with elevator and steam heat, lot 49 feet 9 inches by 110 feet. Will either rent or sell. Call and get particulars.

FARMS WANTED—We have a large demand for small farms near the city, and have several now. Call and give us your farm for sale.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 5½ PER CENT.

THORNTON AVENUE—Frame cottage, 2 bedrooms, gas and fixtures; lot 33x140 feet to a lane. Price, $1,250.

EASY TERMS—We have a number of properties that we can sell on easy terms, $50 to $100 down, and balance in monthly payments. Call and see us if you want a property on easy payments.

THE BEST VACANT LOTS in the north end. Call for particulars.

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THE PROPERTIES ON THIS LIST ARE ONLY A FEW OF THE PROPERTIES THAT WE HAVE FOR SALE. CALL AND SEE US.

PRINCESS AVENUE EAST—Story and half brick-veneer, 3 bedrooms, modern, lot 37x127 feet. Worth $2,500; only $2,100, or without furnace for $2,000. A splendid chance for C. P. R. men.

WELLINGTON ROAD — 1½-story house, 4 bedrooms, cement cellar, barn, lot 82x264 feet. A bargain; only $1,350.

STORES—Seven stores on Dundas street, central; also three on Richmond street. Good investments.

FLORENCE STREET—1½-story frame, cement foundation, three bedrooms, room for bath, small fruits. Lot 123x 310 feet, cheap; only $1,650.

RICHMOND STREET, central, splendid lot 40x100 feet; a splendid place for garage or other business. Price, $4,300. splendid market garden land. Only $2,700.

SUNSHINE PARK

The Last North

We have decided to place a portion of this property on the market.

We have been requested by several parties to give prices on blocks of lots fronting on the river in this survey, and have now decided to offer for sale

50 Lots

To people who will build soon, and will sell to such purchasers a block of lots at a very low price.

The Prices of Single Lots Are From

$65 to $165

If you are intending to build this spring, you had better take the Wellington street car and go out to see the property at once before the best of the lots are taken.

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Remember, this property is bounded by the city limits, Waterloo street, the river and Colborne street, and is only two blocks from the street cars.

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Call and get plan and particulars. For plan and particulars apply

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

P. WALSH'S BULLETIN

We have the most central surveys and single lots in the city, which should appeal to those who intend building this spring. Two lots on Central avenue; very central. Two lots on John street; splendid building lots, in the north end. Also the Baker survey, Ridout street, South London.

ON THE HEIGHTS OF OXFORD STREET WEST—10 acres with a large two-story frame house, fruit trees. A portion of this land can be sold off in lots. Inside city limits A beautiful site for a gentleman's residence.

PORT STANLEY—We have the best lake front lots on Orchard Beach. Mayor Graham, Mr. John McClary and others have located on this survey. Call and see plans.

KING STREET—Central, 2-story brick house, stone foundation, hot water heated, 5 bedrooms, and well constructed house, at a reasonable figure.

CENTRAL AVENUE—Two blocks from Victoria Park, a new 1¾-story brick house, 9 rooms, all modern improvements, nice lot. Price $4,000.

PARTRIDGE STREET—A large frame cottage, on brick foundation, 7 rooms, all modern improvements, lot 50x149 feet. Price $1,500.

TALBOT STREET—Central, 1½-story frame house, 7 rooms, bathroom complete, gas, etc. Price $1,850.

ST. JAMES STREET—A new 2-story brick house, 9 rooms, all modern improvements, lot 35x127 feet. Price, $4,700.

DUFFERIN AVENUE—A large brick cottage, 7 rooms, lot 33x150 feet. Price $1,850.

STEDWELL STREET—A new frame cottage, 6 rooms, lot 33x115 feet. Price, $1,150.

ELMWOOD AVENUE—A new 1½-story brick house, 8 rooms, modern improvements, lot 35x120 feet. Price $2,300.

WOODMAN AVENUE—A new brick house, 9 rooms, modern improvements, good lot. Price $2,800.

ASKIN STREET — Two-story brick house, stone foundation, 9 rooms, all modern improvements; lot 40 x 160 feet. Price reduced to $3,700. Owner in the West.

If you want a quick sale list your property with us.

PRINCESS AVENUE—A new 1½-story brick house, 4 bedrooms, all modern improvements; nice lot. Price $2,600.

BRUCE STREET — 1½-story frame house, 6 rooms, nice lot. Price, $1,500. Also a vacant lot on Garfield avenue at $8 per foot. Owner leaving the city.

PRINCESS AVENUE—A new two-story brick house, 9 rooms, hot water heating, with all other modern improvements; lot 33x132 feet. Price, $3,500. Inspect at once.

DAME STREET—A new frame cottage, on cement foundation, 7 rooms, lot 39x132 feet. Price, $1,300.

WATERLOO STREET—Central, two-story brick house, stone foundation, slate roof, built in the latest improved style, 9 rooms of good size and finished attic, modern improvements, large verandah, lot 45x110 feet to a lane. A medium-priced house. Call at once.

EVA STREET—A new 1½-story brick house, cement block foundation, 7 rooms, lot 33x104 feet. Price, $1,750.

ADELAIDE STREET—A new 1½-story red pressed brick house, 7 rooms, modern improvements, frame barn, lot 34x150 feet. Price, $2,800.

OXFORD STREET—A new 1½-story red pressed brick house, 8 rooms, modern improvements, nice lot. Price reasonable.

GROSVENOR STREET—A new two-story brick house, 10 rooms, large basement, laundry, hot water heating and all other modern improvements; verandah; corner lot. Price on application.

We have two grocery stores, doing a satisfactory business. Call and get our figures.

MARLEY PLACE—Two splendid lots 50x200 feet each. Price, $20 per foot.

CRAIG STREET—A new 2-story brick residence, stone foundation, slate roof, 10 rooms, oak floors, hot water heating, laundry and all other modern improvements, large verandah, good lot. Price reasonable. Inspect at once.

LOUISA—1¾-red pressed brick house, 8 rooms, oak floors on first floor, all modern improvements. Price $4,000.

WATERLOO STREET, near Oxford street — New 1½-story brick, 9 rooms, all modern improvements, lot 33x120 feet. Price $3,600.

LORNE AVENUE—A new two-story brick house, 8 rooms, all modern improvements; good lot. Price $2,800.

WOODWARD AVENUE — Two-story frame house, 8 rooms, in good order; frame barn, lot 100x150 feet. Price $2,000.

OPPOSITE SPRINGBANK PARK—34 acres, a new frame house and new bank barn, stone foundation. Call for price.

HELLMUTH AVENUE—A new 1½-story brick house, stone foundation, 4 bedrooms, all modern improvements, good lot. $3,400.

MAITLAND STREET—A new 1½-story brick house, modern improvements, 7 rooms, lot 50x150 feet. Price, $2,000.

KITCHENER AVENUE—A new brick cottage, 7 rooms, lot 33x117 feet. Price,

PROSPECT AVENUE — Two-story brick house, 10 rooms, finished in style, all modern improvements; lot 49x121 feet. At a reasonable figure.

P. WALSH

PHONE 358. 425 RICHMOND STREET.

ATTRACTIVE REALTY BARGAINS

Lovett street—A number of very fine building lots close to White's works and Chesley avenue school.

Wellington street north—A very choice lot, 42 feet frontage; splendid locality. Price, $1,500.

Bruce street—Brick cottage, 7 rooms, furnace, gas. Price, $2,300.

York street east—Frame cottage, 6 rooms. Price, $1,600.

Kitchener avenue — 1¾-story brick, 7 rooms, gas. Attractive terms.

Roberts avenue—One of the best-built brick cottages in the city, 6 rooms, gas. $250 down, balance easy terms.

Eva street—Frame cottage, 5 rooms, gas and electric light, W. C. Price, for immediate purchase, $1,100.

Tecumseh avenue—Frame cottage, 8 rooms, large lot, fruit and ornamental trees. Price, $2,000.

Richmond street—2½-story brick, stone foundation, slate roof; very central. Price, $6,000.

Cheapside street—A very attractive frame residence, 10 rooms, all modern appointments, large corner lot, coach house. A great snap. Inquire at once.

St. James street—1½-story brick, 9 rooms, furnace, gas, modern plumbing. Price, $3,000; easy terms.

Adelaide street—Two-story and attic red pressed brick, vestibule, reception hall, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, all modern equipment, gas, electric light, etc.; hardwood floors and oak trim downstairs. A beautiful home at a moderate price.

Quebec street—1½-story brick, 7 rooms, modern plumbing. Price, $2,500.

Lorne avenue—1½-story brick, 7 rooms, all modern and up-to-date equipment. Price, $2,800. Owner leaving city. Apply at once.

The above is only a partial list we have for sale or exchange. If you are interested in either buying or selling you are invited to call. No trouble to show properties or give information.

A. A. CAMPBELL

428 RICHMOND STREET. t

$1,600 DOLLARS WILL BUY GOOD home one block from car track. Box 6, Advertiser. 94m-xty

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$800—1½-story frame, lot 33x132. Terms, $200 cash.

$1,000—1½-story frame, 4 bedrooms, lot 50x123. Terms, $200 cash.

$1,000—Bathurst street, frame cottage. Terms, $50 cash.

$1,150—Princess avenue, frame cottage, lot 46x180. Terms, $300 cash.

$1,200—High street, 2-story brick, 4 bedrooms. Terms, $200 cash.

$1,200—Waterloo street, north, frame cottage. Terms, $600 cash.

$1,300—Simcoe street, frame cottage. Terms, $100 cash.

$1,600—Bathurst street, 1½-story brick, 3 bedrooms. Terms $500 cash.

$1,600—Craig street, frame cottage. Terms, $200 cash.

$2,400—1½-story brick, 3 bedrooms, hard and soft, hot and cold water.

$2,500—1½-story brick, three bedrooms, modern, central.

$2,500—1½-story, new, modern, brick central.

$2,650—Mount Pleasant avenue, 1½-story solid brick, modern, new.

$2,500—Maryboro Place, 1½-story brick, 4 bedrooms, lot 40x140.

$2,700—Richmond street, 2-story, 4 bedrooms. Easy terms.

$3,000—1½-story brick, car line, ½ acre lot, chicken coop, fruit trees, nice house in good location.

$3,200—Central, 1½-story red pressed brick, 4 bedrooms, thoroughly modern.

$3,600—Queen's avenue, 2-story and attic, 4 bedrooms, modern, lot 50x180.

$3,500—Red pressed brick, new, front and back stairs, hot and cold water, gas, electric light, furnance, central, $1,000 cash.

$3,500—1½-story brick, 3 bedrooms, modern, up to date in every way, central.

$4,300—North side, 2½-story red pressed brick, new, modern, nice locality. Easy terms.

$3,000—Central, 1½-story, modern, brick. Five minutes walk from P. O.

14 acres—2 story brick house, barn, pigpen, chicken houses with runs, close to city.

8 acres—Market garden, brick house, barn, stable and other outbuildings, close to city.

10 acres—Market garden, with full set of buildings, $3,500.

6 acres—Near St. Thomas, good buildings, all laid out with fruit, $3,000.

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$1,000—Grocery stock, in a village close to London, rent $8.00 per month.

$800—Blacksmith shop, dwelling, wood shop and blacksmith shop.

$600—City grocery, immediate possession.

$3,600—Stock of groceries, with buildings, to exchange for good farm.

$1,800 store and dwelling, on outskirts of city, to exchange for house in city.

$2,000—General stock, store and dwelling can be bought or rented.

$700—City grocery stock.

$500—City grocery stock.

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South London, Next Chelsea Green

OFFER FOR SALE:

5-acre Field, Wellington Road
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100 40-foot Lots

Corner Thompson and Wellington roads; unencumbered. Small payment at the time of purchase will secure any of this property. Apply H. Frank Whetter, proprietor, 668½ Dundas street. Phone 1704. 91lu-t

For Sale

We have houses for sale on the following streets, viz. Adelaide, Albion, Ashland, Briscoe, Bruce, Chandler, Cathcart, Craig, Colborne, Dean, Dillabough, Edward, Eleanor, Elmwood, Elizabeth, Florence, Grosvenor, High, Highbury, Irwin, Kent, Laura, McClary's avenue, Mary, Oxford, Partridge, Pipe Line, Palace, Richmond, Saunby, St. James, Thornton, Trafalgar, Wreay, Wharncliffe, William, Wellington and Yale.

Also many suburban properties, and a large number of farms.

Special—10 acres for sale, or exchange for house in London, with excellent soil, good buildings, fruit and water, close to Traction Line, 2 miles from city.

For further list, see today's Free Press.

Apply to JAMES BURROWS, or to ELLIS HODGINS, 78 Dundas street, London. b

428 DUFFERIN AVENUE, TWO-STORY solid brick, modern, nine rooms, 32x198. Apply to 224 Dundas street. b

FOR SALE—FOR MODERATE PRICE, new modern brick house, 8 rooms, all conveniences, 330 St. James street. Apply on premises, or Monarch Fire office, Oak Hall Building. b

FOR SALE—TWO OF THE BEST building lots left on Richmond street, north, just north of Cheapside street. Apply 330 St. James street, or Monarch Fire office, Oak Hall Building. b

$1,400 BUYS 2¾ ACRES OF LAND close to city, with good house and barn; or would exchange for good modern house in any part of the city, not over $2,500. Apply 25 Victor street, or phone 1191. 95c

TEN MEN WILL BUY 100 ACRES OF fruit and truck land near Tampa, Fla., healthiest locality on earth; will give twenty acres free for planting and farming and co-operating with me; expenses advanced; opportunity of lifetime. J. B. Perrine, 72 Adams street, Chicago. b

$3,000—1½-STORY BRICK, CELLAR under all, two parlors, dining-room, kitchen, den, four bedrooms, bathroom complete, attic, furnace, electric light, gas, good lot; very central; must be sold in ten days. Anderson & Co. 96c

FOR SALE—MODERN BRICK HOUSE, nine rooms, central. Apply 433 Princess avenue. 96c

FARM FOR SALE IN NORTH DORCHESTER Township, two miles from Dorchester station, good frame house, bank barn, good orchard, spring creek crosses corner farm. Miss Sarah Routledge, Dorchester station. 91k-t

TWELVE ACRES OF LAND, WITHOUT buildings, suitable for fruit farm or market garden, situate on Pipe Line road, 2½ miles from London market and close to Springbank railway. Fraser & Moore, London. 85c-t

NICE COTTAGE, WITH THREE BEDROOMS, clothes closets, summer kitchen; $950. 94 Inkerman street. tyw-June 27

SEVEN ACRES, SUBURBAN HOME, near Traction, three miles from city; best soil, good outbuildings, hard and soft water, nine-roomed brick house, three cement cellars, small fruits, bearing this year; owner going west. Wm. Blinn, R. R. No. 4, Tambling's Corners, or Blinn Bros., 354 Richmond street. 91k-tywt

I WILL BUILD YOU A FIVE-ROOM cottage for $500. Address Box 37, Advertiser office.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

$100,000 —FOR— Factory Sites

London's industries are doing well, and there will be more factories here before long. London means business, and the new factory sites proposal will mean added industries. Now is the time to buy London property, not necessarily factory properties, but residential properties. Make money while you are buying yourself a home.

Do You Pay Rent?

IF SO, WHY?

There is no necessity to pay out rent with nothing to show at the end of the year. You can buy a home on easy terms, what you are paying now in rent being used to pay off the principal. Come in and see us some evening. We are

OPEN EVERY NIGHT

From 8 to 10 you will find us here ready to show you what others have done and what you can do.

If you are in doubt as to the present time being the time to buy, look over this list of a few of the many properties we have. At the prices listed, every one is a good buy today.

LAURA STREET.

2-story red brick, hall, parlor, sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen and pantry, four bedrooms with closets; bathroom, furnace, gas. $2,800 will buy this with a small payment down and the balance on easy terms.

YORK STREET.

Fine brick house with all conveniences, 8 rooms. The lot is 37x158, and there is a good garden with fruit trees, too. The price is $2,400, and it's a bargain.

DUCHESS AVENUE.

Frame cottage in splendid condition. A new small frame barn on the premises and a good deep lot. Will sell for $1,400, or exchange for East End property.

DUNDAS STREET EAST.

Here is a good bargain for somebody. A new brick, story and a half house with a lot 32 by 163. Seven rooms. At $1,900 you can make money on this.

CAMPBELL STREET.

Frame cottage, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, woodshed and three bedrooms, city water and electric light. $1,500 will take this.

COLBORNE STREET.

If you are looking for a good property in the north end, here is a desirable lot 37 by 330, with a story and a half frame house, 6 rooms. The owner will take $150 down, balance $10 per month.

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A moderate-sized factory site wanted. South of Grand Trunk preferred. No fancy price.

A $6,000 HOUSE.

The man who is looking for a high-class residential property in the best central district of London, and who can go $6,000, can get one of the finest two-story brick houses in London. There is every convenience and everything desirable a man could want. It is one of the very best buys on the market today. Let us tell you about it.

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We are constantly making transfer of farm properties, and whether you want to buy or sell we will be pleased to hear from you. Prices are steady as more and more people are beginning to realize the truth of the statement that

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Special Notice

Messrs. J. C. Spence and F. Bernhart are in Regina today. This morning the following lettergram was received from Mr. Spence:

"Glenelm Park better than we said. Rain has somewhat delayed planting of trees, but work will go ahead as quickly as possible. Two of our clients here today from east examining the property and highly pleased."

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We have the best that can be bought.

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If you have a farm to sell or to exchange for a larger or smaller farm or for one in another locality or for one nearer a high school, collegiate institute or church, or to exchange for city, town or village property, write, call or telephone and give us full particulars. We have the best and most up-to-date facilities for selling and exchanging real estate of all kinds in Western Ontario.

The following are short descriptions of some of the farms which we have for sale or exchange.

No. 6710.—81 acres in Kent County, soil clay loam; 2 acres timber; 1½-story frame house; a number of outbuildings. Price $5,000. Will exchange for smaller farm, if suitable.

No. 6709—100 acres in Perth County, soil clay loam; 10 acres mixed timber; 2-story brick house; a number of outbuildings. Rural mail delivery at house. Price $7,500

No. 6707—100 acres in Oxford County, soil clay loam; 2 acres mixed fruit; 1-story frame house; barn on stone wall; other outbuildings. Price $6,800.

No. 6706—10 acres 4½ miles from London market, soil sandy loam; a number of fruit trees; fences wire, in good condition; house and out buildings in good condition. Price $1,700. Will exchange for house and lot, if suitable.

For further list of farms which we have for sale see today's Free Press or send for our catalogue of farms for sale.

Real Estate Sales

The following properties have been sold off our list during the month of April, 1912:

P. H. Chambers' 95-acre farm in the Township of East Oxford, County of Oxford.

Roderick Barron's 99-acre farm in the Township of Colchester South, County of Essex.

Robt. E. Barker's 37½-acre farm in the Township of Aldborough, County of Elgin.

S. E. Tilden's 50-acre farm in the Township of Mosa, County of Middlesex.

Nealon Liebrock's 50-acre farm in the Township of Colchester South, County of Essex.

Mrs. Anna Hall's cafe and dwelling in the Village of Port Stanley, County of Elgin.

Henry Fallowfield's 100-acre farm in the Township of East Oxford, County of Oxford.

D. Martin's 50-acre farm in the Township of Blandford, County of Oxford.

Harry E. Thomson's 15-acre farm in the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

John M. Gunn's house and lot in the City of London.

Thos. Guest's house and lot in the City of London.

Henry Fallowfield's 50-acre farm in the Township of East Oxford, County of Oxford.

Matthew Hicklinson's 100-acre farm in the Township of East Oxford, County of Oxford.

Jas. W. Danbrook's 50-acre farm in the Township of Blandford, County of Oxford.

Jas. Smythe's 5-acre farm in the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

Misses Burwell's 78-acre farm in the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

Jas. Glasgow's 100-acre farm in the Township of Mosa, County of Middlesex.

Wm. Hodgins' 60-acre farm in the Township of Lobo, County of Middlesex.

Geo. Johnston's 5-acre farm in the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

Wm. Henry Manery's 50-acre farm in the Township of Mersea, County of Essex.

Jas. F. Kipp's 100-acre farm in the Township of East Oxford, County of Oxford.

A. Davies' 15-acre farm in the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

John Longman's 70-acre farm in the Township of Camden, County of Kent.

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TENDERS

Will be received until May 30 for 7 stores, 660 to 674 Dundas street; also property on Queen's avenue and Elizabeth street. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Apply C. E. Anderson, 659 Queen's avenue. 91tf-t

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EXECUTORS' SALE — 1½-STORY frame dwelling, brick foundation, very central, Huron, near Richmond; good repair. Sutherland, 171 King. 97c-tyw

FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGE, 96 CHESLEY avenue, near George White foundry. 95n

FOR SALE—BRICK COTTAGE, 7 CARFRAE Crescent, over Richmond street bridge. 95n

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FOR SALE — TWO-STORY BRICK house on Princess avenue; possession May 6; must be sold. Apply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, Talbot street. ywt

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS, 119 INKERMAN street. Apply 124 William street. b

WILLIAM B. REID, REAL ESTATE, 25 Victor Street.

$1,100—Story and a half frame, Euclid avenue; $200 down, balance on easy payments.

$1,800—Story and half brick, all modern except furnace; $300 down, balance on easy payments.

$1,500—New cottage, three bedrooms, parlor, dining-room and kitchen, good cellar; near organ factory; owner leaving; a bargain.

$3,500—Beautiful residence, South London.

$2,500 — Red pressed brick; owner leaving; South London. b

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DR. W. J. STEVENSON, 389 DUNDAS street—Specialty, diseases of women and surgery. Phone 510.

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LONDON, SATURDAY, MAY 4.

THEY REFUSE TO DANCE.

After the budget and veto elections, railway and coal strikes, the insurrections of the doctors and the suffragettes, German war panics, and a colossal ocean disaster, the British mind refuses to respond with any noble rage to the war-cry of Ulster malcontents. Home rule is being passed through Commons with very little excitement outside Belfast. The opposition has got to be a one-city agitation, a fireworks show for the Empire, with Toronto claquers to lead the applause. But excitement or alarm, bless you, no. The British public, which has run the whole gamut of sensation, watches Carson's little melodrama as a gallery connoisseur, not to be frightened with false fire.

It is clear that Britain, like Macbeth, has almost forgot the taste of fears. The time hath been her senses would have cooled to hear the night-shriek of the home rule banshee. So dismal a treatise as Walter Long and Castlereagh still chant would have roused and stirred Britannia's fell of hair. But she now has supped full with more real horrors, and the paper flag of rebellion, "the blind hysterics of the Celt," are viewed as a boys' wild west show in a barn. Considering all that has happened of late, Belfast should feel it unreasonable to expect everybody to dance to the Orange fife.

When the bill provokes no fierce antagonism, home rule may be taken to be as good as settled. The only danger, apart from the bare possibility of the Ulster boys burning their fingers a little in the enthusiasm of the sport, lies in the off chance of the Government combinations being broken in the course of the next two years by some contingency not at present in view. Exhaustion of excitement is itself a dangerous thing to a Radical Government. People generally show their gratitude to the redressers of grievances by turning them out of office. Witness the case of Gladstone in 1873, after one of the most memorable periods of reform in British history. All the forces of inertia work for the people's enemies. They, at any rate, are always active for their own interest, while the mass, unless thoroughly roused, tends to submit in a wise or unwise passiveness. A Radical Government needs a strong public emotion on which to flourish.

Even if home rule should not go through in this Parliament, the Liberal party will still keep up the battle for it. For Britain now looks calmly at this question, and is disposed to settle it in a reasonable way. One party or the other must yet bring home rule to pass.

THE ATTACK ON MR. BRYCE.

Great Britain has had in modern times few public servants more useful or distinguished than James Bryce. No British ambassador has been so admired by the American people. They felt complimented when the author of the "American Commonwealth" went to Washington. He was the finest pledge of Anglo-American amity that Great Britain could give to the United States. Many disputed issues have been cleared away during his term at Washington, and his popularity has been a great aid to British-Canadian diplomacy. In this country he will be remembered as the first British representative in the republic to show a personal interest in Canada and Canadian affairs. None of his predecessors paid us periodical visits to consult with our public men and study the case for Canada in any negotiations with the republic, as Mr. Bryce has done.

The attacks on Mr. Bryce in Great Britain are merely a form of partisan insanity. He is reviled on the ground that he facilitated the negotiation of the Taft-Fielding pact, which, according to party parties in both Great Britain and Canada, was a treasonable device. Mr. Bryce had no voice in the tariff pourparlers at Washington, but he put the machinery of his office at the disposal of the Canadian Government, as he was in duty and courtesy bound to do. His critics imply that he should have obstructed the Canadian commissioners, a course that this country would not have submitted to for a moment. Those British politicians and journals that are assailing Mr. Bryce are hitting the advocates of reciprocity in this country over his shoulder. Happily, they are not in the ascendant in Great Britain. Probably if they were, they would not affront self-respecting Canadians, as they feel free to do in the irresponsibility of Opposition. It is high time Mr. Law or Mr. Balfour rebuked these mischief-makers. They are no friends of British unity.

SOME RAILWAY STATISTICS.

A mine of information, well-nigh inexhaustible, is contained in the volume of railway statistics of the United States for the year ending June 30, 1911, which has just been received. Two decades of railway progress are dealt with in the opening chapters, and every department, such as ownership, capitalization, mileage, employees, and expenses is reviewed.

Since 1891 gross earnings of American roads have increased from $109,676,000 to $281,878,000, a growth of 157 per cent. Operating expenses have had an increase of 164 per cent., while net earnings have gone from $36,487,300 to $88,326,800, or 142 per cent. More than 25 billion tons of freight were carried during the last year.

The revenue from passengers in 1911 was $661,276,838, and from freight $1,920,685,982. The average compensation of American employees has increased from $657 in 1909 to $726 in 1911. The total yearly compensation of employees for 1911 was $1,230,800,000, distributed among 1,695,000 employees.

The figures show that the United States average one mile of railway to 370 of population, while for one mile of railway Canada has 269 of population. Great Britain has 1,786 persons for every mile, and Germany 1,613. Servia, Bulgaria and Italy have 4,000, 5,880 and 3,125 persons per mile of railway, respectively. The total mileage for Europe and America is 524,145 miles. Asia has 61,788 miles, Africa 20,805 miles, Australia and New Zealand 18,838 miles. The total for the world in 1911 was 625,576 miles. The United States, with 99,972,137 population, has a railway mileage of 240,831 miles. Europe, with a population of 444,660,940, has 208,139 miles.

Fifty-five thousand locomotives have been used on American lines during and since 1891, and almost 36,000 passenger cars and 1,875,423 freight cars. Equipment has cost the railways $3,441,119,500 in the two decades.

Two demonstration trains making plain the comparative cost of trains in 1881 and 1911 are shown in engravings. The old one cost $16,078 and the new $73,350. But the former weighed 323,300 pounds, and the latter 1,245,700 pounds.

People will read a great deal about Browning for a week or two. Not so many will read Browning.

The skull of Schiller has been found, but no German poet since his day has recaptured his brains.

The Hon. Walter Long is coming to Canada to try to arouse a feeling against Irish home rule. Outside of Toronto—the Canadian Belfast—he will get a languid reception. Mr. Long is no fool, but he will be on a fool's errand.

A person who goes through life without consulting a dictionary is bound to trip over the English language every day, although he may not know it. There is no longer any excuse for it, when The Advertiser is putting dictionaries within the reach of every pocket.

The antics of British tariff "reformers" over the reciprocity business suggest why the sensitive Mr. Balfour declined to lead them. There is scarcely a trace of the dignified old Conservative party in the noisy and neurotic band behind Mr. Law. Mr. Chamberlain has almost finished his work.

Ten dairies have been forbidden to supply milk to the city of London owing to their insanitary condition. The sale of impure milk is a crime against the life of infants and the health of adults. No doubt citizens are indignant at any derelict dairymen, but in the past they have not encouraged efforts to give them milk of guaranteed purity.

A SWAT IN TIME MEANS TRILLIONS.

[St. Louis Post-Dispatch.]

The fly that comes out of hibernation today will have 5,000,000,000,000 descendants next September. Now is the time to exterminate them.

WHAT DID SHE MEAN?

[Stray Stories.]

Shop Assistant (to purchaser of widow's bonnet)—Would you like to try it on before the glass, madam?

Customer—No, thank you, miss. It ain't for me. I wish it was!

SPRING STYLES.

[Philadelphia Telegraph.]

No need to read the fashions well
Nor in the stores go tearing,
Naughty spring winds now plainly tell,
The colors they are wearing.

A FREAK.

[Pittsburg Post.]

"Does your son realize the responsibilities of great wealth?"

"I fear not," sighed the eminent magnate. "He can't seem to learn the rudiments of auction bridge and he shows no signs of wanting to marry a chorus girl."

AT MR. HAYS' MEMORIAL.

[Montreal Herald.]

When the audience had filled all the pews the late comers were permitted to sit on the steps in the gallery, the chairs were placed in the aisles, and the gallery was given up to a large number of persons who had to stand throughout the ceremony. Now, all this was contrary to law—and to common sense. It provided all the essentials for a serious disaster if a panic had arisen through fire in the basement or from other cause. The fact that such a fire is most unlikely to occur is no justification for making exit from a building most difficult, and in case of haste positively dangerous.

MARRY THEM.

[Ottawa Free Press.]

It is suggested that if the ladies who are debarred from entrance into the higher branches of the Civil Service want to get even with the Civil Service commissioners, they should marry civil servants. But with the present high cost of living it would be a risky experiment.

UPSET.

[Montreal Herald.]

A doctor prescribed rest and change for a small boy, saying that his system was run down. After he had gone, the little boy said:

"I knew I was upset, mamma, because my foot's asleep, and things must be pretty bad when you go to sleep at the wrong end."

THE LAND OF LETTERS

[By Special Arrangement With the Winnipeg Telegram.]

It seems a strange disposition of Providence that the most popular of novelists and the most unpopular of poets should have been born in the same year, 1812, and that we should be called upon to celebrate the centenary of their birth, when both are at the zenith of their fame. Dickens has already been praised in most enthusiastic style throughout the world during this year of grace. It is now Browning's turn, for next Tuesday will mark the hundredth anniversary of his birth. We need not expect that the Browning centenary will arouse a tenth of the interest which was manifest on Feb. 7, when the world rang with the praises of Dickens, but the Browning societies of England and America will not allow the day to pass without suitable demonstrations, and we may be sure that "the fit audience, though few," the intellectuals in all parts of the world, will observe the occasion with due solemnity, if not with rejoicing. And another most interesting contretemps is the fact that the very people who sniff at Dickens are the idolaters of Browning.

It is a favorable contention of scientists that heredity and environment shape the man. We recognize the truth of this modern doctrine in the life of Dickens, for his boyhood and early struggles fitted him to become the sympathetic portrayer of the plain people. On the other hand, Browning, who was born in the pretentious London suburb, Camberwell, exactly three months after Dickens' arrival in Portsea, seemed destined to be a literary aristocrat. His father was a banker, and a walking encyclopaedia into the bargain, a man who loved art and the history of art more than he did the gold which he used to spade out at the Bank of England. Browning's mother was of German descent. Intellectual, religious, musical. In a home like this it was as natural for the future poet to take to art and poetry and music as it was for him to breathe. At a very tender age he settled down to hard reading, and began versifying almost before he graduated from dresses. Shelley was the poet who first captured his devotion, and with Shelley he drank in a love for metaphysics and theology. It was an evil chance which brought young Browning into touch with the poems of John Donne, for that crabbed but weighty writer was henceforth to dominate his style.

Donne flourished in the reign of James I., and produced some of the most obscure verse that is to be found in the whole range of English poetry. He is meaty, but exceedingly tough. Whether it was natural affinity or some atavistic attraction, I know not, but certain it is that Browning revelled in old Doctor Donne, some time Dean of St. Paul's, and never got away from him during his whole life. He had the satisfaction, however, in later years of having eclipsed his master in the art of producing enigmatic poems. While Browning's eager mind dashed hither and thither into all provinces of literature, there was one other book which took almost equal rank with Donne. This was Nathaniel Wanley's "Wonders of the Little World." Wanley was a Coventry divine of the seventeenth century, and his book is a fascinating storehouse of odd facts and curious fancies. From this volume the poet got his story of the pied piper of Hamelin, the history of Paracelsus, and no end of material dealing with the occult. Pieced out with the Universal Biography, a work in fifty volumes, and numerous histories of painting, Browning had plenty of solid food on which to feed his youthful mind. And with such books as his regular diet need we be surprised that he grew up to be the antipodes of Dickens, one who could not speak the language of the common people, and, because of the fact that he never had to work for a living, a poet who never had to stoop to catch the ear of the masses.

I have always thought that it would have been the best thing that could have happened to Browning if he had been flung upon the cold world, obliged to work in a blacking factory for a time, as Dickens was compelled to do by a seemingly harsh but all-wise Providence. If Browning had only come through some such difficulties, I believe that he would have been a far greater poet than he really is, perchance the greatest of English poets, at least on a par with Milton and Shakespeare. The wonder is that Browning did become so great. Brought up in that narrow atmosphere, dealing only with books and most of those recondite, it is well-nigh a miracle that he became so human, so interested in every kind of human being from the Caliban sort clear up through all varieties. But if he had been compelled to earn his living he would have put away that self-conceit, that cocksureness in his own greatness which prevented him from speaking ever and always in a language that the universal man can understand. A great deal of Browning's work is stone dead today, and by the time another hundredth birthday arrives, a great deal more of him will have rolled down the steep of oblivion.

This, then, is the pathetic note of the Browning centenary, the wish that he might have accepted the advice of his friends, even of his wife, and taken more pains to make himself understood by the average man. But this was just what he would not do. He was just what he would not do. He prided himself on his dark and rugged utterance; he thought that readers worth while were men and women who would whet their wits on his cryptic style. What can we say of the writer who would deliberately and without any qualms write such lines as these?—

Hobbs hints blue—straight he turtle eats.
Nobbs prints blue—claret crowns his cup.
Nokes outdares Stokes in azure feats—
Both gorge. Who fished the murex up?
What porridge had John Keats?

Now after you have wrestled with this for awhile you may be able to see light, but nine out of ten readers will give one swift glance and then take to the tall timbers. And the maddening thing about Browning is this, that he can be simple in style, can be musical, if he so desires. He is a profound thinker, a splendid optimist, a red-blooded poet, if ever there was one; he repays study a thousand fold, but it seems more than likely that posterity will know him only by thirty or forty poems. As he died on Dec. 12, 1889, he is too near us to permit of any dogmatism on this point, but judging by the fate of the Donnes of literature, very little of Browning will survive another century.

Ivanhoe.

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The C. P. R. engine that whistles for 100 miles without stopping should have a calliope attachment. If music increases the milk supply the locomotive would be a boon to the farmer

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All other heroes will soon be displaced by he who first dons the straw fillet.

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The angleworm that does a Salome dance these days, and fails to get the hook, is some wriggler.

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With this agitation for more arrests it will scarcely be safe to pick out a knot-hole at Tecumseh Park for the season.

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Oscar wants to know what to do with cold pancakes. Keep a dog that likes 'em.

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Having a 3 o'clock position and a baseball pass is some men's idea of paradise.

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Annie Moiles came through with the Hustler loaded with sand for John E. McDougall

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Cut Their Hair Short.

[Strathroy Dispatch.]

It is proposed to introduce a pension system to keep the school teachers in Ontario. But how is it proposed to keep the young ladies single?

Comfort for the Ugly Mugs.

[Watford Guide-Advocate.]

Good looks don't cut any ice for a man. The ladies generally want to know how much he's made, rather than how much he's made up.

A County Editor's Burden.

[Watford Guide-Advocate.]

The Parkhill Gazette has moved into a new office. The heaviest article the staff had to lift was a safety box containing the records of unpaid subscriptions and promises to pay. Never mind, Friend Gazette, you are not the only one afflicted with a box of that kind. We have one.

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Only 'Arf a Barber.

[Wallaceburg News.]

The story is told that a certain old country man in town went to a local barber with a crop ripe for mowing, and inquired the price of a shave. "Fifteen cents," said the barber.

For one week at least after housecleaning, Henry is supposed to keep his feet off the chairs.

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"Keep up your spirits until 10 o'clock and the rest of the day will take care of itself," says some optimistic philosopher. Why not stay in bed until 10, and avoid the exertion?

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Yes, Felix, we might be persuaded to buy a motorcycle if we didn't have to wear goggles and frighten little children with hideous grins.

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May 1 was moving day for old John Barleycorn in many localities.

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Surely Mr. Ismay has proven his bravery by not committing suicide.

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Attached to a bridge over a stream about twelve miles from London is a milk stand and a pump that is supplied from the stream. An explanation from the trade is due.

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You won't miss anything by a walk into the country for a gambol with the lambs these "good-to-be-alive" days.

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"The greens are good," announces a Petrolea paper, and whether it means dandelion or bowling greens, the sentiment is right.

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These are the days when gardening books are eagerly sought at the public library.

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An Argument for Suffrage.

[Wallaceburg News.]

"Why, at once we can get a shave for threepence."

The barber offered to shave him threepence worth, and the Englishman accepted the offer. The barber then shaved half the man's face and stopped proceedings. The Englishman left the shop and at once procured a saw and returned to the barber shop, where he cut the barber's pole in half. The barber protested, appealed to the chief of police, and the Englishman, on being asked why he cut the pole in two, answered: "That the man was only 'arf a barber." Who was the barber? Don't all speak at once.

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Fence, consisting of wooden posts and pipe railing, surrounding Victoria Park, is to be removed. Tenders are invited for the material of this fence, including removal of same and refilling postholes. Tenders, properly marked, to reach the undersigned not later than May 15. Board of Water Commissioners, H. J. Glaubitz, general manager. 97u-ty

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Auction Sale

145 Kent street, 2 o'clock, Tuesday, May 7, contents of four bedrooms, linoleum, dressers, stands, iron beds, parlor furniture and carpets, combination china buffet cabinet, dining-room furniture, couch, chairs, Souvenir range, three-burner gas plate, garden tools, dishes, curtains, other goods. b L. A. WEAVER, Auctioneer.

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OF FURNITURE

Thursday, May 9, at 2 p.m., 297 Pall Mall street: Parlor in odd pieces, carpet, desk, extension table, chairs, sideboard cupboard, cook stove and heater, mattresses and springs, dresser and stands, chamberware, lumber, fancy pigeons and hens, tools etc. Jos. Brown, auctioneer. b 97 Carling street.

AUCTION SALE.

Choice Real Estate. The undersigned will sell on Saturday, May 11, 2-story brick house, No. 431 Pall Mall street, comprising double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, cook room, study or den, 4 large bedrooms, bathroom and closet, summer kitchen, large cellar for fruit and furnace, three coal grates with mantels and grill work, oak panelling, front and side verandah, stone walk, iron fence in front of lawn, large lot. This is a first-class property. Sale on the premises at 4 o'clock. Terms made known day of sale. Keys at Neil Cooper's Auction Room, 241 Dundas street. 97c-tyv

AUCTION SALE

Monday, May 6, at Neil Cooper's Auction Room, 241 Dundas street, consignment of household goods, comprising in part parlor, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen furniture, large garden swing, bath heater, child's mantel cot, baby carriage, refrigerator. Come; the goods must be sold to make room for rug sale. Sale at 2 o'clock. NEIL COOPER, auctioneer. b

Auction Sale

of household furniture, piano, etc., 827 Richmond street, on Thursday, May 9, at 10:30 a.m.

J. W. Jones has been instructed by the executors of the late Joshua Jackson to sell the whole of the household effects, comprising Grand upright piano, parlor suite in odd pieces, pictures in steel, curtains, poles, blinds, coal box, centre tables, mantel clock sideboard, dining table and chairs, china dinner and tea sets, silverware, glassware, cutlery, couch, desk, books, table gas lamp, Raymond sewing machine, heater, cupboard, hall stand, toiletware, screen, carpets, rugs, refrigerator, mower and hose, garden tools, ladder kitchen utensils, rustic chairs, etc. Terms spot cash.

97u tx J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

The Estate of the Late Martin Roberts

The administrator of the estate of the late Martin Roberts has instructed Neil Cooper, Esq., to offer for sale by public auction, on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1912, at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m., on the premises, the following desirable residential property:

Parcel 1—The easterly 42 feet 4 inches of lot No. 66, on the north side of Hackett street, in the City of London, according to Plan 395, upon which is erected a frame cottage known as No. 966 Hackett street.

Parcel 2—Vacant lot, consisting of the westerly 21 feet 2 inches of said lot No. 66, and the easterly 21 feet 2 inches of lot No. 67, on the north side of Hackett street.

Parcel 3—Vacant lot, consisting of the westerly 42 feet 4 inches of said lot No. 67.

Parcel 4—The westerly 42 feet 4 inches of lot No. 72, on the south side of Hackett street, upon which is erected a brick cottage known as No. 963 Hackett street.

Parcel 5—Vacant lot, consisting of the easterly 21 feet 2 inches of said lot 72, and the westerly 21 feet 2 inches of lot No. 73, on the south side of Hackett street.

Parcel 6—The easterly 42 feet 4 inches of said lot 73, on the south side of Hackett street.

Each parcel will be sold subject to a reserved bid fixed by the offtcial guardian. Terms: Ten per cent on day of sale and balance within two weeks. For further particulars apply to Neil Cooper Esq., auctioneer, Graydon & Graydon solicitors for administrator.

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Cynthia Grey and EVERY WOMAN'S Page

Smashing Big Bows on Small Hats

Taffeta faille ribbon is one of the trimmings milliners affect this spring on hats to be worn above youthful faces.

Petunia and dark blue is a combination upon a small close fitting hat. The ribbon is made into a smashing bow that completely conceals the crown from the front. The straw is a fine Dunstable in the navy blue shade, while petunia is the color of the taffeta faille. This silk is soft and crushable into lovely bows.

CYNTHIA GREY'S CORRESPONDENCE

Has Cold Feet.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a constant reader of The Advertiser, and take great interest in reading the woman's page. I would like very much if you would answer the following: 1. Where can I procure a book with the title "Mrs. Olderman Casey?" 2. Will white linen skirts be worn this summer? 3. What will cure cold hands and feet? They tell me it is the sign of a warm heart, but I prefer warm hands and feet. Thanking you in advance,

COMOUS.

A.—1. The book is unknown to me. Do any of our readers know where a copy could be procured? 2. Yes, white linen promises to be a very popular material for summer wear. 3. Your circulation is evidently at fault. Get more out-door exercise. Play tennis, if possible. That will stir up the sluggish blood in your veins.

He Doesn't Speak.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a young girl of sixteen who needs advice. 1. I am in love with a young friend two years my senior. He came to see me regularly three months and then stopped. He never wrote to he and I hadn't seen him for two months until last night, and I was with a boy friend of mine, and he never spoke to me. Do you think I ought to write and ask an explanation or try and forget him, which would be hard to do? 2. What is wrong with my writing and grammar?

BROWN EYES.

A.—1. I think your best course would be to forget him, as he evidently does not wish to continue the friendship. 2. Your writing and grammar are quite passable, but you neglect to punctuate your sentences almost altogether.

Orange Recipes.

Dear Miss Grey: Would you please as soon as convenient, have published recipes for orange pie, cake and pudding. Thanking you in advance, I am, your friend,

BROWN EYES.

A.—Orange pie: One cup sugar, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon cornstarch, one teacup boiling water, yolks of three eggs, juice and grated rind of one orange. Mix all together. Bake in an open shell. When set, cover with a meringue made with the whites of the eggs and brown in the oven. Cake: One sup butter, two cups sugar, one-half cup water; five egg yolks, 3 egg whites, two cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder; one orange, juice and grated rind. Bake in layers and fill with the following: Whites of two eggs beaten stiff, grated rind and juice of one orange made thick with pulverized sugar. Beat all well together and use. Pudding—Boil two cups milk, beat two eggs light, add three teaspoons sugar, grate in the yellow of one orange, pour in the milk (hot) and heat two minutes. Set the pan in a larger pan filled with water and put in the oven until set. Eat with sweetened whipped cream.

Shall She Write?

Dear Miss Grey: 1. What is the name of the kind of wax which was recommended in The Advertiser a few days ago? How much does an ounce of it cost? Does it even temporarily spoil the appearance of the complexion? 2. Since I have come home from a visit out of town, during Easter a boy friend has sent me a postal but does not mention whether he wants me to write to him. Do you think he intends that I should answer. I write to his sister? Thanking you in advance.

"GIRLIE."

A.—1. You evidently saw an advertisement for mercorized wax. As explained before in this column, the preparation is a patented one, and you must ask a druggist about it. 2. No harm to send a return card. If he does not reply do not send a second one.

An Embroidered Satin Waist

The satin is black with embroidery in king's blue and white, with stems and lines in green. A waist of white lingerie lawn and lace is used as a foundation, and cuffs matching the tunic are added.

This waist was seen worn with a white skirt, but would look equally well with a black one.

WHERE WOMEN VOTE

In the course of a letter published in the London Times, of April 10, the Bishop of North Queensland writes: "Australia is rightly becoming more and more regarded by the Englishmen as the testing shop for social and political experiments. We have tried the experiment of women's franchise for several years. Certainly in the Commonwealth and in Queensland, I believe also in other states, women have exactly the same electoral privileges as men. From my own observation, I can unhesitatingly, assert that such electoral privileges have been used quite as well, if not slightly better, than by the men. To assert more would incur a danger of exaggeration. Again, I have good reason to believe that the woman's vote in favor of settling industrial disputes without barbarian strike warfare is steadily increasing, principally by indirect methods, because no direct methods are possible. And the fact that respectably dressed women can be found willing to join in noisy strikers' demonstrations, and even insult non-unionists does not affect my position that the women's vote is quite as well used as is the men's, and that it is a force which trends to the maintenance of good government.

Teas come and go, but the tea that always stays, always leads, always absolutely pure, always the best in quality, is "SALADA."

Spring Salad.

On plates for serving arrange several leaves of crisp lettuce, over this slice thinly a radish and a young onion or two. Serve with French dressing, very cold.

WORK AND PLAY IN KINDERGARTEN

By "The Nomad"

If anyone had presumed some 50 years ago to predict that the children of the twentieth century would begin their education by a mingling of play and music, closely allied with lessons as to make them all a combined source of enjoyment, that person would have been very widely misbelieved. Yet today, in our kindergarten system we have an admirable method by which the tiny boys and girls receive their first lessons in discipline and self-control, and have formed the basic principles of their education and character. The word "kindergarten," as everyone surely knows, is a derivation from the German of "kinder" children, and "garten" a garden, and was so called because the first schools of this nature were held in a garden. The very name, then, is suggestive of a garden where the minds of children, like tiny flower buds, unfold almost imperceptibly day by day, beneath the sunny influence of their teacher's guidance.

An Up-To-Date Kindergarten.

"The Nomad" recently spent a half day at the Wortley Road Kindergarten, where Miss Brenton and her assistant, Miss Nash, are kept busy looking after the kiddies there, and planning new games and work for them.

The room seemed to the writer an ideal one. The main walls are of pure white, and the entire south end is formed into a huge bay window, rendering the apartment extremely cheerful. Some time ago the Wortley Road Mothers' Club raised funds to install a grate, and this adds a very pleasing note to the room, which is also provided with a fine piano. On one side, a blackboard has been replaced by a wide burlap of a restful green tint, which harmonizes perfectly with the woodwork. This burlap forms an effective background for the handiwork of the tots. There are drawings of birds, flowers and other nature studies, mostly all free-hand work, and some of which show surprising artistic skill.

The Morning Session.

Back in a secluded corner "The Nomad" watched as the children filed in, in answer to the bell. One or two had brought "teacher" some wild flowers, which were carefully placed in water to form part of a lesson later on. After marching about several times, to some lively music, all formed a circle in the centre of he room and were ready for the first part of the morning's programme. It was inexpressibly pleasant to listen to so many baby voices lifted in a simple prayer, and the hymn, "God Is Love." Miss Brenton told the story of the flowers, being careful to use those which had been presented to her, and also described graphically the actions of a woodpecker in search of his breakfast. That such stories appeal intensely to children, was evidenced by the close attention given during the recital. In this manner the instructor seeks to interest the small mind in the handiwork of nature.

The patriotic note is not neglected, and a pretty flag drill was executed during the morning, this verse being sung lustily:

"Our emblem is the maple leaf,
Our flag red, white and blue,
And to our King and Canada
We ever shall be true."

Many of the games, accompanied as they are by music, teach rhythm and also aid in developing grace and poise. They are especially helpful to the girls.

Individuality Encouraged.

In the more serious part of the instruction, the children are taught by various means to cultivate powers of observation, and the constructive tendencies are quickened and developed by means of wooden blocks of many sizes and shapes. With these are formed objects common to every day life, and the originality and individuality of each child is encouraged whenever possible. Forming patterns with colored yarn upon perforated squares, is a favorite occupation, and making objects from prepared clay is also a delight to the average boy or girl.

It is astonishing to notice how the individual characteristics of a four-year-old boy or girl come to the surface in their play and work. Observing them the other morning, one could easily select the child with a forward nature; the bashful child, the selfish tot, and the over-talkative boy or girl. Here is where the finest work of the kindergarten teacher comes in. Many opportunities arise of curbing the too impulsive nature, to encourage the diffident, and to assist the selfish one to think of others. And further, mothers can always feel that their little ones are in good hands when under the influence of their teacher.

The entire morning's programme was a revelation to "The Nomad" and she was almost sorry when eleven o'clock came. The time had passed all too quickly, but the experience is stored away with other pleasant memories in the writer's mind, and is labelled as being "my first day at kindergarten."

DAINTY MUSLIN COVERS.

Nothing is prettier or lends itself more readily to decorative schemes for the bedroom than dotted muslin. A complete set of covere for bureau, bed, dresser, pin cushion and all other covers, as well as curtains, may be made of this simple and inexpensive white material, a scallop of plain white being worked or applied at the edges with an effective design in dots or small conventional flowers worked in colors for borders and decoration.

Advertiser Patterns

Beauty Pattern Company.

9253

9,253—A Popular Summer Model. Ladies' Over-Blouse Dress.

Blue foulard, striped with white, was used for this design. The trimming is of black taffetas and fancy buttons. Any appropriate waist in lingerie lace, net, or self-material may be worn with this dress. The model is suitable for all wash fabrics, for silk or cloth. The pattern is cut in 7 sizes—32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure. It requires 3¼ yards of 44-inch material for the 36-inch size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address in recept if 10 cents in silver or stamps.

PATTERN DEPARTMENT OF THE ADVERTISER.

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

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Street Address .....

Town .....

Province .....

Measurement—Bust..... Waist.....

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

After-Supper Talks

With Cynthia Grey

WHY GET ANGRY?

Stop a moment and give thought to the evil effects of giving up to temper.

Something goes wrong; you can't have what you want, or do just as you would like. Your brothers and sisters are not always careful of your feelings; you don't want to leave your book to do an errand for your mother. You think it is Robert's or Jennie's turn; and you get "mad" and say mean, hateful things to your mother. You don't feel at all comfortable and make everybody else uncomfortable; and the worst of it is that the next time it will be easier to lose control of your temper; and every time you get angry you increase a bad, a very bad habit.

The wise man in our Bible says: "He that hath no rule over his spirit is like a city that is broken down and without walls."

Remember that there is danger in giving way to anger. Probably a few of the crimes that land men behind prison bars have been thought out and planned before hand. An unreasoning flash of temper has prompted many, and brought upon the sinning one, not only the punishment of the law, but a lifetime of remorse.

I knew the mother of eight children, who, when a child old enough to reason showed signs of temper, used to tell the culprit to fill his or her mouth with water and hold it while counting ten. The plan worked well in that family in teaching the habit of self-control.

KITCHEN KEYNOTES

To prevent tomato soup from curdling, add hot tomatoes with soda to the thickened milk.

If you paint your tin wash basins on the inside with a good white enamel paint, it prolongs their usefulness.

When mashing turnips, add just a little potato and mash with the turnips; a few sprinklings of sugar, too, make a tasty addition.

If the water supply become muddy it can be cleared for laundry purposes by stirring in a little cornmeal. When saturated the meal will sink and carry with it the particles of soil.

Lemons may be kept for some time by wrapping each in tissue paper and putting in a tightly covered jar or pail.

Patent leather shoes are successfully cleaned by removing all dirt, then wiping them with a soft cloth dipped in milk. Polish them with a dry cloth. The milk is valuable in preserving and softening the leather.

THE ONE-PIECE DRESS

Dresses apparently all in one are to make their appearance in the spring. In one dress of this kind the front panel falls from bust to hem, and the sides of the dress are brought in to the figure by means of folds at the waist. The back is also in panel style, and coming out from the sides near the hem there are fan-shaped panels of some color in contrast to the dress. These panels can only be seen when the wearer moves.

A pretty color combination for the spring is black velvet and gold satin. The gold is used for the foundation of the dress and the black as pipings and edgings and as the waist belt.

A dress from a Parisian designer is carried out in these materials with a coat en suite. Made all in one, the skirt and bodice are trimmed with black velvet buttons and wide folds of gold satin. Down the centre front there is a gathered panel of gold mousseline, piped on the sides and at the waist with black velvet.

To Make Good Bread

requires good yeast, and to have good yeast you should insist upon your grocer giving you White Swan Yeast Cakes. A 5c package contains 6 cakes. Free sample sent on request. White Swan Spices and Cereals, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The Birthday Calendar

IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

You are fortunate and will receive many gifts. Your business will occupy a great part of your time, and the year will be successful.

Those born today will have a charming personality and will gain the favor of people in high places and in business will be generally fortunate.

THE DAILY MENU

BREAKFAST.
Fried Bananas. Crisp Bacon.
Toast. Marmalade.
Coffee.

DINNER.
Chicken Consomme.
Cheese Straws.
Fillet of Beef.
Mashed Potatoes Buttered Parsnips
Spring Salad.
Coffee Porfait. Wafers.
Coffee.

SUPPER OR LUNCHEON.
Shredded Pineapple, Bananas
and Whipped Cream.
Hot Tea Biscuits.
White Nut Cake. Banburys.
Tea.

Coffee Parfait.

Boil one cup of water with one cup of sugar until it will spin a thread. Pour slowly over the stiffly beaten whites of three eggs, and when cold add one pint of cream, whipped stiff, one-half cup of very strong, black coffee and one-half teaspoon of vanilla. Put in a covered mold, pack in ice and salt and let stand for four hours.

White Nut Cake.

Cream together one-third cup of butter, one cup of sugar. Add one-half cup of sweet milk, two cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder. Beat thoroughly, then add one cup of walnut meats out in small pieces and dusted with one tablespoon of flour, and at the last fold in the stiffly beaten whites of three eggs. Bake in a square pan in a slow oven for one hour. Cover with boiled icing and decorate with halves of walnut meats.

KEPT VOW 68 YEARS NEVER TO CROSS A RIVER.

John M. Frey, 89 years old, kept a vow 68 years, in which time he never crossed the Mississippi River, though he had lived continuously in St. Louis. Born in Switzerland and christened there Giovenne Frei, he came to St. Louis at the age of 20.

The three months' trip in crossing the ocean so disgusted and terrified the young Swiss Italian that he vowed on reaching St. Louis he never again would trust his body over water. Ferries at St. Louis were succeeded by bridges, but the vow was kept, and he did not cross the river.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

DAKOTA WOMAN'S FIGHT WITH A WOLF.

Mrs. C. H. Scott, a Stanley County school teacher, who is teaching in the northern part of that county, was returning home from her school, accompanied by her pet dog, when a wolf crossed the trail a short distance in front of them.

The dog gave chase and soon had the wolf at bay in a wire fence corner. Mrs. Scott took a hand in the combat, and with a loose fence stake helped the dog at every opportunity. She soon had a wolf scalp of her own gathering on which to collect the bounty offered for such animals.—Pierre Correspondence of St. Paul Dispatch.

"Little Darling" "Little Daisy"

Hosiery for Infants and Children

"Your children always look so smart, Edith. I'm sure I try hard, but my little family does not do me full credit."

"It is largely a matter of hosiery, my dear. I always buy the same kind, and have never yet been disappointed. Margaret, who will soon be eleven, wears "LITTLE DAISY" Stockings, with the reinforced heel and toe. For Willie and the baby I buy "LITTLE DARLING"—just the same as Margaret's, but with a dainty silken heel and toe."

"I'm afraid I could not afford them—they look so expensive."

"They do look dainty and expensive; but I assure you they cost no more than inferior hosiery."

Every live dealer carries the "LITTLE DARLING" and the "LITTLE DAISY" Hosiery; the former in sizes for babies and children up to seven years old, the latter for all children up to twelve.

Both brands are knitted under the most wholesome conditions, from the purest, softest Australian Lambs' Wool, the ideal yarn for children's hosiery—dainty and comfortable, yet strong.

The colors are absolutely fast and stainless dyes—Sky Blue, Cardinal, Pink, Tan, Cream and Black.

Do your children need new hosiery? You will be delighted with both brands and so will the children.

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Impure Blood is common in the spring, because of the unhealthful modes of living during the winter, and it is the cause of the loss of appetite and that tired feeling as well as the sores and eruptions that occur at this time. Be sure to take Hood's this spring.

Found It Excellent—"I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla and found it an excellent blood purifier, healing ulcers in the head, causing deafness. I cannot recommend it too highly and intend using it again this spring." Mrs. John F. Moll, Niagara Falls, Ont.

MANAGER BOWERMAN WELL PLEASED WITH CONDITION OF PLAYERS SO FAR

A STRENUOUS WEEK PUT IN BY PLAYERS AT TECUMSEH PARK

At the Conclusion of Yesterday's Practice Several Players Complained of Feeling Stiff and Sore—Little Work Indulged In This Morning, Owing to Game This Afternoon.

[BY JINX.]

It has been a pretty strenuous week for Manager Frank Bowerman and the players who have been trying out at Tecumseh Park. One of the stiffest workouts was pulled off yesterday afternoon, when sides were chosen and a few innings played. Everybody was kept on their tip-toes all the time, and the fans that occupied the stands were treated to a fair article of ball. At the conclusion of the workout, many of the players complained of feeling a little stiff and sore, while even Manager Frank himself admitted that he had a few aches and pains as a result of the exercise. As Abbie Johnson's Stars are playing the locals this afternoon, there was little doing at Tecumseh Park this morning. Manager Bowerman has called a halt in the practices, and it is likely that at the first of the week the players will be allowed to take things easy. The rest on Sunday will do a world of good, and the players should be in splendid shape by the end of next week, if the present weather continues.

Manager Bowerman is apparently well satisfied with the week's work. The weather, with the exception of Monday, could not have been better had it been ordered for the occasion. The diamond is now in splendid shape, and with the exception of Brant's injury, the players are suffering from nothing more serious than a little stiffness.

The game this afternoon should give Frank a good idea on just how much his men can be depended upon in a game. Powell has been playing third base pretty steady of late, and it is likely that he will be found at the third corner this afternoon. It is likely that Conway and Conyngham will take turns at playing shortstop, as Brant has not sufficiently recovered to take part in the contest. Harry was working out yesterday, but he had to hop around on one foot most of the time.

LOTS OF PITCHERS TO BE USED.

Although Manager Bowerman has not stated definitely what his line-up is for the game, it is probable that he will use at least three of the pitchers, and may use them all. The twirlers were given a chance to show what they had in yesterday afternoon's game, and some of them were putting a little smoke on the ball. However, it will be another week before the pitchers can be sized up.

Sometime during the early hours of Friday morning thieves broke into the players' quarters at Tecumseh Park and carried off two uniforms and one of Manager Bowerman's good shirts. When the caretaker arrived in the morning to look things over, he found the door wide open and the rooms in a state of confusion. The thieves made a good job of it, but many of the uniforms were locked up, and were thus saved.

The management are still casting about for a couple of good players, and several letters have been received from likely men. Third base is still a weak spot, and it is not improbable that a new man will be signed up next week to fill this position. Conway showed up to more advantage in yesterday's workout than he has all week, and if he keeps on improving he will be in a fair way to land the job. Powell would do in a pinch, but is a far more valuable man in the outfield.

THE OUTFIELD LOOKS GOOD.

The outfield this afternoon will consist of Rudolph and the two German youngsters from Waterloo, both of whom look pretty good at present.

The local management wish to put an end for all time to the dispute over Furssedon. The Brantford management claims he signed up with them before he went to Georgia with the Toronto team, and they claim first right to him. Guelph also lays a claim to him, and London's right is disputed. The truth of the matter is that Furssedon was purchased outright by the London club from Toronto, and he is now a rightful member of the London team. Toronto has no string on him whatever, and the London management are not breaking the rules of the reserve clause by signing him up.

The local management received a letter this morning from the Niagara University team of Niagara Falls. This team is coming to London on Tuesday for a game with the local Canadian Leaguers. This team plays in Hamilton today against Lee's Kolts, and they will also hook up with several other teams in the Canadian League. They have also played in several practice games against the International League clubs and the New York State League teams. They have also arranged a game with Jennings' Tigers for this month. A cousin of Hughie Jennings' plays left field for the University team, and he is nearly due for big league company. It is also stated that the shortstop of the team is being sought after by the Tigers. There is no doubt but what the game will be well worth seeing.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul 6, Indianapolis 3.
Milwaukee 7, Columbus 2.
Minneapolis 4, Louisville 2.
Kansas City vs. Toledo—No game scheduled.

After nearly nine years of faithful service as caretaker of the champion, Dan Patch, 1:55¼, Charles Plummer has left the employ of the International Stock Food Farm at Savage, Minn., to cast his lot with C. K. G. Billings' collection of stars.

PLAY BALL

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The London Advertiser will print a coupon daily. See coupon.

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The London Advertiser Scoring Tablet Coupon.

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Send twelve cents if scorer is to be mailed.

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TABLETS READY FOR FIRST GAME.

LAJOIE SUFFERS FROM AN OLD INJURY

Nap. Lajoie, star second baseman of the American League, yesterday received injuries while in Chicago with the Naps which may keep him out of the game all season, and if they are as seriots as reports say, may put an end to his baseball career.

During batting practice at the White Sox park yesterday morning Lajoie sustained a repetition of his injury of last year which kept him out of the game nearly all season. He reached for a high liner and strained his groin. Players carried him off the field, an ambulance was called, and he was taken to a hospital, so serious was his injury. Dr. Castle, the club physician, says that if the injury proves as severe as it did last year Lajoie's playing days may be ended, as the exertion of playing ball would bring on another attack.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES IN BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE RECORDS.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	13	4	.765	Cleveland	7	8	.467
Boston	10	6	.625	Detroit	8	10	.444
Washington	6	6	.600	St. Louis	5	11	.313
Philadelphia	8	8	.500	New York	4	11	.267

Yesterday's Results.

Washington	5	Boston	1
Chicago	7	Cleveland	4
Philadelphia	18	New York	15
Detroit	16	St. Louis	5

Games Today.

New York at Philadelphia
Boston at Washington.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.

Sunday Games.

Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.

TIGERS BAT OUT VICTORY.

Detroit, May 3.—The Tigers did some heavy stick work today and defeated the St. Louis Browns by the one-sided score of 16 to 5. Score:

DET.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bush, s	4	2	1	5	1
Vitt, 2	5	0	2	1	0
Cobb, cf	5	2	3	0	0
Crawf'd, rf	5	2	0	0	0
Moriarty, 3	4	1	0	0	0
Jones, lf	3	2	3	0	0
Gainor, l	5	3	3	0	0
Loudeu, 1	5	0	9	1	0
Mor'ty, 2-1	3	1	3	1	0
Onslow, c	3	2	7	1	0
Dubuc, p	4	2	0	1	0
Totals	37	17	27	9	2

ST. L.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Shotten, cf-l	4	2	1	0	1
Austin, 3	5	0	3	2	0
Stovall, l	5	3	5	1	0
Laporte, rf	5	1	4	0	0
Hegan, lf	4	1	4	2	0
Pratt, c	5	1	3	2	1
Wallace, s	3	0	1	3	1
Stephens, c-l	3	1	0	1	1
Krichell, c	3	1	3	1	0
Frill, p	0	0	0	0	0
Nelson, p-2	3	0	0	1	0
Bailey, p-1	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	38	10	24	9	3

By Innings—
Detroit ..... 5 1 1 0 3 4 2 0 *—16
St. Louis ..... 1 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0—5

Summary: Runs—Bush 2, Vitt, Cobb, Crawford, Jones 3, Gainor 3, Moriarty 2, Onslow, Shotten 2, Stovall, Laporte, Nelson. Two-base hits—Gainor, Laporte, Krichell. Three-base hit—Bush. Struck out—by Dubuc 7, by Nelson 1, by Bailey 1. Base on balls—off Dubuc 3, off Nelson 4, off Bailey 2. Double plays—Hogan to Stovall; Bush to Vitt to Gainor. First base on errors—Detroit 1, St. Louis 2. Left on bases—Detroit 8, St. Louis 11. Wild pitch—Dubuc, Bailey. Hit by pitcher—by Dubuc 1, by Frill 1. Time—2:10. Umpires—Evans and Egan.

A NINTH-INNING RALLY.

Philadelphia, May 3.—Although the Highlanders made a game and desperate attempt to snatch today's game out of the fire in the ninth inning by scoring ten runs, the big lead the Athletics had amassed in the earlier rounds was too much for Wolverton's boys to overcome. Score by innings:

N. Y.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	PHIL.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Zinn, lf	5	3	2	0	0	Lord, lf	4	0	2	0	0
Martin, s	2	0	3	1	0	Strunk, cf	3	1	2	0	0
McCon'l,	1-2	1	0	0	0	Collins,	2-3	1	3	1	0
Simms'n, l-s	6	4	4	2	0	Baker, 3	5	3	0	0	1
Cree, cf	5	1	0	0	0	Murphy, rf	5	3	2	0	0
Hartzel, rf	3	1	2	1	0	McInnis,	5	2	7	3	1
Coleman,	3-4	1	2	2	3	Derrick,	5	2	4	4	0
Gardner,	2-4	2	1	2	2	Egan, c	5	3	6	2	0
Street, c	1	0	2	2	0	Brown, p	3	0	0	2	0
Williams, c	2	0	2	1	1	Krause, p	2	0	0	0	0
Caldwell, p	1	0	1	1	0	Salmon, p	0	0	0	0	0
Shears, p	3	0	0	3	0	Russell, p	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher, c	2	0	2	1	0	Plank, p	3	0	0	0	0
*Daniels	1	1	0	0	0						
Totals	41	14	24	16	7	Totals	40	18	27	9	2

*Batted for Shears in the ninth.

New York ..... 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 10—15
Philadelphia ..... 7 3 1 0 3 0 2 2 x—18

Summary: Runs—Zinn 3, McConnell 3, Simmons 2, Hartzell 2, Coleman, Gardner, Foster, Daniels, Lord 2, Strunk 3, Collins 2, Baker 1, Murphy 2, McInnis 3, Derrick, Egan. First base by errors—Philadelphia 4, New York 1. Left on bases—Philadelphia 10, New York 7. Base on balls — Off Brown 3, off Salmon 4, off Russell 1, off Caldwell 3, off Shears 5. Struck out—By Brown 1, by Krause 2, by Caldwell 2, by Shears 4. Three-base hits—Derrick, McConnell. Two-base hits—Zinn 2, McInnis, Coleman. Sacrifice hits—Murphy, Collins, Strunk. Stolen bases—Egan, Lord. Double plays—Egans to Collins. Hit by pitcher—By Caldwell 1. Wild pitches—Caldwell 1. Passed ball—Egan. Umpires—Westervelt and O'Loughlin. Time—2:26.

FOUR HITS OFF JOHNSON.

Washington, May 3. — Walter Johnson was the big stumbling-block today, and Boston was beaten 5 to 1. Johnson allowed but four scattered hits, and struck out eleven. The score: R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	0	0
Wash'n	1	4	0

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 4 0
0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 x—5 7 1

O'Brien, Bushelman and Carrigan; Johnson and Ainsmith.

SOX BEAT NAPS AGAIN.

Chicago, May 3. — The Sox grabbed another from Cleveland today, and tightened their hold on first place. Hard hitting by Collins and Block put the Sox on the long end of the 7 to 4 score. The score: R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	7	8	1
Cleveland	4	6	2

0 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 3 x—7 8 1
0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—4 6 2

Benz, Lange and Block; Mitchell and Easterly.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RECORD.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Cincinnati	12	3	.800	Brooklyn	6	8	.429
New York	10	4	.714	Pittsburg	6	9	.400
Boston	7	8	.467	Phillies	5	8	.384
Chicago	7	8	.467	St. Louis	5	10	.333

Yesterday's Results.

Philadelphia	8	New York	6
*Chicago	9	Pittsburg	8
Brooklyn	14	Boston	3

*Eleven innings.

Games Today.

Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.
Chicago at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

Sunday Games.

Pittsburg at Chicago.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

CUBS BEAT PIRATES.

Pittsburg, May 3.—Pittsburg and Chicago tried to see which team could be the most generous in handing runs to their opponents this afternoon, but Hendrix, who went on the rubber for the Pirates in the eighth, succeeded in handing the game to the Cubs by giving two walks, one in the ninth and the other in the eleventh, both to Sheckard, who scored the tieing run and also the winning run. Score:

PITT.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.	CHI.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Byrne, 2	5	2	2	2	0	Sheck'd, lf-l	4	2	2	2	0
Carey, lf	5	0	1	1	0	Schulte, rf	5	2	2	0	0
Leach, cf	5	1	7	0	0	Tinker, s	5	2	2	2	1
Wagner, s	5	0	0	6	0	Zimman, cf	5	2	3	2	0
McKee'e, s	2	1	2	1	0	Zim'an, l	5	1	10	1	0
Miller, 2	4	1	6	2	0	Evers, 2	5	1	1	2	0
Wilson, lf	5	2	0	0	0	Lennox, 3	5	1	3	1	0
McCar'y,	2	1	1	1	0	Archer, c	5	1	5	3	0
Gibson, c	2	0	4	0	0	Cheney, p	2	2	0	2	0
†Doolin	0	0	0	0	0	Richie, p	0	0	0	0	0
‡Kelliher	0	0	0	0	0	§Goode	1	0	0	0	0
Simon, s	2	1	4	1	0	Cole, p	1	0	0	0	0
||Kelly	0	0	0	0	0						
Camnitz, p	2	0	0	1	0						
Leifield, p	0	0	0	0	0						
#Hyatt	1	1	0	0	0						
Hendrix, p	1	0	0	0	0						
@Reig	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	40	12	33	17	0	Totals	46	15	33	16	1

1 Batted for Gibson in the seventh.
2 Ran for Doolin in the eighth.
3 Ran for Simon in the eighth.
4 Batted for Leifield in the seventh.
5 Batted for Hendrix in the eleventh.
6 Batted for Richie in the eighth.

Pittsburg ..... 3 0 1 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0—8
Chicago ..... 0 2 0 0 3 2 0 0 1 0 1—9

Summary: Runs—Byrne 2, Leach 2, McKechnie, Miller, Kelliher, Hyatt, Sheckard 2, Schulte, Tinker, Zimmerman, Lennox, Archer, Cheney 2. Two-base hits—Hoffman 2, Sheckard, Lennox, Cheney. Three-base hit—Wilson. Home run—Zimmerman. Sacrifice hit—McKechnie. Sacrifice fly — Tinker. Stolen base—Byrne. Double play — Hoffman, Zimmerman, Tinker, Evans. Bases on balls—Off Hendrix 2, off Cheney 4, off Richie 1. Struck out—By Camnitz 2, by Leifield 1, by Hendrix 4, by Cheney 1, by Cole 2. Wild pitch—Hendrix. Left on bases—Pittsburg 5, Chicago 7. First base on errors—Pittsburg 1. Time—2:41. Umpires—Brennan and Owens.

MATHEWSON BUMPED.

New York, May 3.—The Giants played an uphill game today and on Herzog's steal home tied the score in the ninth, but it did no good. The Phillies slugged Matty for three hot two-baggers in the tenth and cleaned up two runs. Score:

PHIL.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.	N. Y.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Knabe, 2	3	0	3	3	0	Devore, lf-6	3	3	0	1	
Titus, rf	3	1	2	0	0	Doyle, 2	2	0	1	1	0
Lobert, 3	5	2	1	2	0	Groh, s	3	1	1	2	3
Luderus, 1	4	1	10	0	0	Snodg's, cf-6	0	5	0	0	0
Cravath, lf-4	2	2	1	0		Becker, rf	5	1	1	0	0
Paskert, cf-4	1	3	0	0		Merkle, 1-5	4	12	0	0	0
Doolan, s	5	0	1	5	1	Herzog, 3-5	1	0	0	3	
Graham, c-4	0	6	4	0		Shafer, s-2-4	1	5	6	3	
Alex'der, p-4	0	2	5	0		Meyers, c-4	2	2	2	0	0
						Ames, p	0	0	0	0	0
						Wiltse, p	2	1	0	5	0
						McCor'k	0	0	0	0	0
						Marq'd, p-3	0	0	0	0	0
						2Wilson,	0	0	0	0	0
						Mat'son, p-3	0	0	0	0	0
						3Burns	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	7	30	20	1	Totals	42	15	30	16	4

1 Batted for Wiltse in the eighth.
2 Batted for Marquard in the ninth.
3 Batted for Mathewson in the tenth.

By innings—
Philadelphia .. 5 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—3
New York ... 1 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 1 0—6

Summary: Runs—Knabe, Titus 2, Lobert 2, Luderus 2, Cravath, Devore, Merkle, Herzog, Shafer 2, Meyers. First base on errors—Philadelphia 1, New York 1. Left on bases—Philadelphia 7, New York 10. Base on balls—Off Alexander 6, off Ames 3, off Wiltse 2. Struck out—by Alexander 4, by Wiltse 2, by Mathewson 1. Home run—Merkle. Two-base hits—Titus, Lobert, Cravath, Shafer, Burns. Sacrifice fly—Doolan. Stolen bases—Lobert, Devore 2, Herzog, Shafer 3, Meyers 2. Double plays—Wiltse, Shafer and Merkle 2. Wild pitch—Ames. Umpires—Klem and Bush. Time—2.25.

GAME WAS A FARCE.

Boston, May 3.—A ball game was scheduled to be played by the Brooklyn and Boston teams this afternoon, but it proved to be a farce. Hess was given a tryout and it was a thorough one. When the ninth inning was over and Brooklyn had added eight runs to the five scored in the eighth period, the big German could scarcely drag himself to the dugout. Score: R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	6	3
BrooKlyn	14	15	2

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3 6 3
0 0 0 1 0 0 0 5 8—14 15 2

Batteries—Hess and Gowdy; Rucker and Phelps.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE RECORD.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Jersey City	9	3	.750	Rochester	5	5	.500
Buffalo	7	3	.700	Toronto	5	7	.417
Baltimore	5	5	.500	Newark	4	7	.364
Providence	5	5	.500	Montreal	2	7	.222

Yesterday's Results.

Toronto	11	Baltimore	6
Jersey City	7	Newark	2

Games Today.

Toronto at Baltimore.
Buffalo at Providence.
Rochester at Newark.
Montreal at Jersey City.

Games Sunday.

Rochester at Newark.
Montreal at Jersey City.
Buffalo at Providence.

LEAFS REVENGED.

Baltimore, May 3. — Revenge and plenty of it was had by Joe Kelley's lads this afternoon in the third game of the series, which they won hands down, 11 to 6. The score really fails to indicate how easily the Leafs won. Save for a brief moment the Dunnigans never had a look-in. This came at the close of the third round, when the flock evened things up. This state of affairs was short-lived, for the Canucks went right in and got the runs back in their half of the fourth. Score:

BALT	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.	TOR.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Maisel, s	5	2	0	2	1	McCon'l,	2-5	2	1	2	1
Murphy, rf	5	4	2	0	0	Shaw, cf	3	1	2	0	0
Getman, cf-4	4	2	2	0	0	Dalton, rf-5	5	1	0	0	0
Schmidt,	1-4	3	12	3	0	Jordan, l	4	2	13	6	0
Walsh, lf	5	1	2	0	0	O'Hara, lf	4	1	1	0	0
Parent, 3	5	0	2	2	1	Holly, s	4	3	4	1	0
Dhlaub, 2-4	1	1	3	0	0	Wilson, c-5	4	2	7	1	0
Kleinow, c	3	1	5	0	2	Winter, p-4	1	0	0	0	0
Frock, p	1	1	2	0	0						
Dygert, p	0	0	0	1	0						
Adkins, p	2	1	0	1	0						
*Coleman	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	38	14	27	11	1	Totals	37	14	27	15	2

*Batted for Frock in the fourth.

Baltimore	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	—	6
Toronto	1	1	0	2	5	1	1	0	0	—	11

Summary: Runs—Maisel, Murphy 2, Schmidt, Parent, Frock, McConnell, Shaw 2, Dalton, Jordan 2, O'Hara 2, Fitzpatrick 3. Two-base hits—Holly, Jordan, Schmidt. Three-base hits—Holly, Murphy. Sacrifice hits—Fitzpatrick, Holly. Sacrifice fly—Jordan. Stolen bases—Murphy 2, Schmidt, O'Hara, Maisel, Fitzpatrick. Double plays—Frock to Schmidt to Kleinow; McConnell to Holly to Jordan; Adkins to Schmidt to Parent. Bases on balls—Off Frock 1, off Winter 3, off Dygert 2, off Adkins 1. Struck out—By Frock 1, by Adkins 2, by Winter 1. Passed ball—Kleinow 2. Wild pitch—Dygert 2, Adkins 1. Left on bases—Baltimore 10, Toronto 6. Bases on errors—Baltimore 2, Toronto 1. Time—2:20. Umpires—Howell and Matthews.

INDIANS LOSE TO SKEETERS.

Jersey City, May 3.—Jersey City got off in the lead in the first clash with Newark today, and were never headed, the Skeeters stinging McGinnity's Braves for a 7 to 2 defeat. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Newark	2	6	3
Jersey City	7	10	3

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2
3 0 1 0 1 0 0 2 *—7

Batteries — Dent, Lee and Bergen; Swift and Rondeau, Wells.

UNITED STATES LEAGUE.

At Cleveland— R. H. E.

Cleveland	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	—4	7
Pittsburg	0	2	5	2	0	2	0	1	0	—12	16

Walters, Miller, Shaylor and Green; Curley and Hughes.

At Richmond— R. H. E.

Richmond	1	1	2	3	1	3	0	1	x	—13	16
Wash'n	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	4	—10	15

Heggarty, Adams and Blue; Bennett, Cowan and Trainor.

At Cincinnati— R. H. E.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	—8
Chicago	2	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	2	0	—8

Parker, McGuire, Painter and McDonough; Taylor, Bartley, Dashner, Hogan and Hicks.

At New York— R. H. E.

New York	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		—8	11
Reading	1	0	3	2	0	1	2	2		—12	13

Peterson, Christiansen and Green; Egan, Schaefer and Pettit.

DENEAU'S "DUBS" ARE WALLOPED BY FLINT

South Michigan Team Revenges Defeat in First Game.

Flint, Mich., May 3.—Just to show that Thursday's defeat at the hands of the Berlin champs was all a mistake, the Vehics came back this afternoon and hammered the same pitchers all over the meadow. Morrissey and Woolery divided the slab work for the visitors, and were touched for 10 hits apiece, which netted the locals 18 tallies.

Chase, the first Flint pitcher to go the entire route, held Berlin to three hits until the ninth, when he eased up and let them get away with four bingles and three runs. The final score was 18 to 4.

The Cuban, Hernandez, and Second Baseman Ochs, of the Vehics, got away with the hitting honors. The former got four hits, one of them a triple, and four runs in four trips to the plate, while Ochs hit for a home run, a triple and a single in four times at bat. The score:

BER.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	FLT.	A.B.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Dinsm're, rf	5	0	0	3	0	0	Brewer, lf-6	3	2	2	0	0
Hesb'l, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	Hum'ls, cf	3	0	1	0	0
Hull ex, 3	3	4	2	1	2	2	Ochs, 2	4	3	2	7	1
Willims, s	5	1	1	3	2	0	Kraft, 1	4	2	8	0	0
McLa'n, l	4	1	0	3	0	0	Woes'r,	4	1	1	0	1
Mi'ch'l, 2	3	0	0	3	4	1	Hern'z,	4	1	4	0	0
Cambria, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0	Riley, s	4	2	5	2	1
Gutzell, c	3	0	1	4	0	0	Thra'll,	3	4	3	4	1
Teed, c	1	1	1	1	0	0	Snyder, c	4	2	1	2	0
Morr'ey, p	1	0	0	0	2	0	Chase, p	5	1	0	4	0
Woo'y, p	2	0	0	0	2	0						
Stark	1	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	36	7	24	17	3		Totals	39	23	27	18	4

*Batted for Woolery in the ninth.

By Innings—
Berlin ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 3—4
Flint ..... 0 0 2 9 2 3 0 2 0 x—18

Summary: Runs—Dinsmore, McLaughlin, Teed, Stark—4; Hunter, Ochs 3, Kraft 2, Woessner, Hernandez 4, Riley 3, Thrailkill 2, Snyder, Chase—18. Home run—Ochs. Three-base hits—Hernandez, Ochs. Thrailkill. Two-base hits—Riley 2, Chase, Williams. Sacrifice hit—Ochs. Stolen bases—Snyden 2, Kraft 2, Hernandez, Brewer, Mitchell. Double play—Gutzell, Williams and McLaughlin. First base on errors—Flint 1, Berlin 4. Passed balls—Gutzell 2, Snyder. Hits—Off Morrissey 10 in 3 innings; off Woolery 10 in 6 innings. Struck out—By Chase 1, by Morrissey 1. First base on balls—Off Chase 4, off Morrissey 4, off Woolery 3. Left on bases—Flint 5, Berlin 10. Time—2:40. Umpire—Mains.

RAMBLERS PRACTICE TUESDAY.

The players of the Rambler baseball team are getting into good shape for the opening of the East End Baseball League next Saturday, and have already held a couple of work-outs. Their regular practice night is Tuesday and the management of the team hope to see the players out bright and early next Tuesday evening at Queen's Park.

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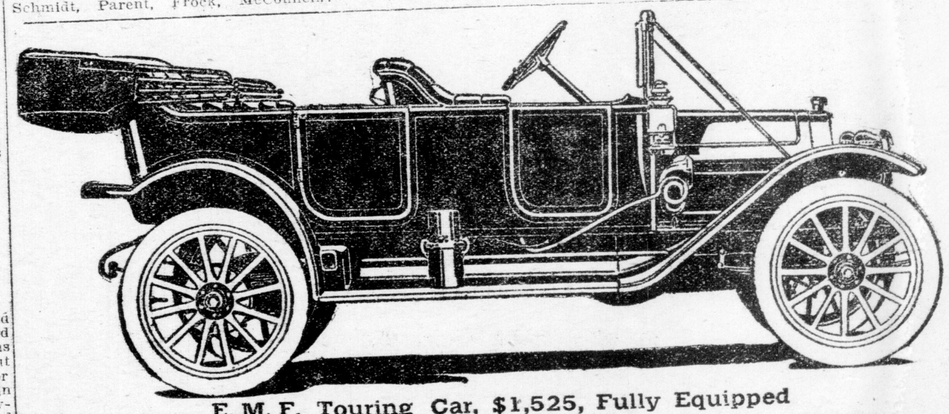

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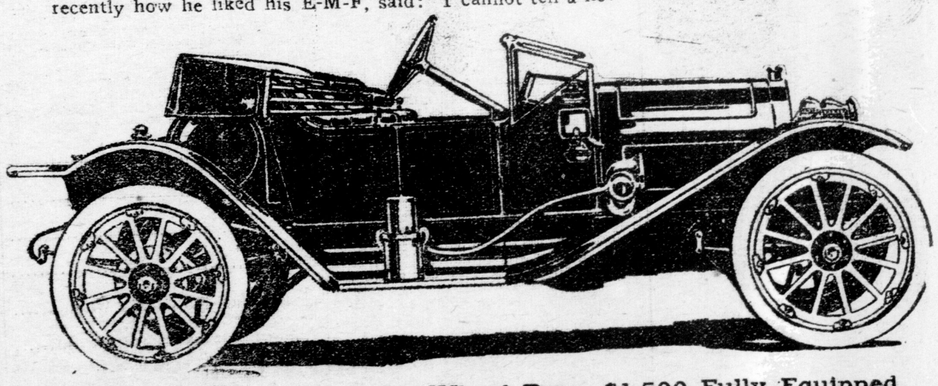

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THE AXE IS FALLING ON MANY PLAYERS ON CANADIAN CIRCUIT

Managers of the Different Teams Are Beginning to Weed Out the Bad Ones—Knotty Lee Is Well Satisfied With His Outfield—Cook Likes His Pitchers.

Hamilton, May 3.—One week of the spring training season has passed, and in that time Manager Lee has had several good opportunities to size up his players, 24 of them having donned a uniform for his inspection. Wednesday the first cut was made when Wendeborn, the catcher recommended by Vandegraft, the former Toronto backstop, was let go, while yesterday Carl Marshall, the Cleveland infielder, was given his ticket. Wendeborn simply would not do, while Marshall was weak with the stick, although a very willing youngster. Following tomorrow's game, one or two more will be cut adrift; in fact, Manager Lee has practically decided whom of the present squad he intends to keep. He is well satisfied that the infield, composed of Keenan on third, Martin at short, Killilea at second, with Frank Maguire or Conny Murphy as utility, will more than do.

Same Old Jo-Jo.

Keenan is the same old player, and will take care of third without any trouble. Martin has everything that a ball player needs except experience, but is sure to learn fast under Lee and Keenan, while Killilea has shown his worth, and can look after any infield job. In the outfield Corns and Manager Lee will fill two of the positions, it being up to Boyd or Purdy to beat out Jack Farrell for the centrefield job, Farrell being favored because of his good hitting, he shaping up like a real .300 clouter. Hess and Fisher will be the backstops. Fisher has fulfilled expectations in every way, and has warranted the confidence placed in him when Manager Lee stated that he would bring on but two catchers, Hess and Fisher, being satisfied that this was enough.

Lots of Good Pitchers.

As to the pitchers, it is difficult to say just who will be retained. Teed, Rose, Kehoe and Garlow have the preference just at present, but one of the others may show something and replace them before the season opens. At any rate, there will be a scrap for the twirling jobs, and as five pitchers will be carried for a week or two after the season opens, all are working hard to make good. This leaves but one job, and that the first base position, to worry about. At present there is but one candidate for that all-important position here, this being Mangan, the Cleveland lad. Mangan is willing and eager, but he lacks polish, and has shown a very apparent weakness on ground balls and low throws, being very awkward in handling a low-thrown ball. As a result he hardly measures up to the standard required, and a determined effort will be made to fill the gap. Given a first baseman in keeping with the rest of the team, and there is no doubt but that the Hamilton Kolts will prove one of the most formidable outfits in the Canadian League.

Warming Up at Guelph.

Guelph, May 3.—The baseball fans are beginning to warm up to the ball team here in great style, and it is now generally conceded that Manager Needham has gathered together the nucleus of a good fast aggregation. He has the bunch out morning and afternoon, and, with continued fine weather, the Leafs will soon be in shape to play fast ball. Isaac, of Toronto, who played such grand ball toward the close of the season last year, is faster than ever this year, and should be just about the fastest third-sacker in the Canadian League. Prizes are being offered for home runs and other stunts, and a keen interest in the club's affairs is being manifested. W. J. Bell, a well-known citizen, has offered a ten-dollar gold piece for the first home run in the local grounds by a Guelph player in a league game, and two boxes of cigars will go to every home-run hitter in the team during the season. The Regulars and Yannigans will line up against each other Saturday. Ryan, a left-hander from Utica, N. Y., has been ordered to report here at once, but Manager Needham will cut the squad some Saturday night.

Saints in Practice.

St. Thomas, May 3.—The St. Thomas ball team had their best workout of the season at Athletic Park this afternoon, 24 candidates participated in the practice. Johnson, from Rhode Island, the new third baseman, was the particular star, his sensational work around the third sack drawing rounds of applause from the 500 fans who gathered at the park to get a line on the dozen or more importations. Forgue at short, Wilde at second, and Gurney at the initial sack, did some splendid work, and their places on the lineup are apparently clinched. Five new players arrived today: Powers, Craig, and Tyler (catchers), and Neale and Irwin (pitchers). Manager Stewart has arranged for an exhibition game here for Monday with the Niagara University team.

Game at Brantford.

Brantford, May 3. — The Regulars trimmed the Yannigans by 3 to 2 in a seven-innings game here today, and the warm weather brought out a large number of fans. Pitchers Coose, Igo, Donovan, Tasker, Baker, Bickford and Hess each worked a couple of innings, and from the form they showed, the management will have a hard time weeding out the bad ones when the time comes.

Cook Pleased.

Chatham, May 3.—"Best workout so far," remarked Manager Louis Cook as he led his gladiators from Tecumseh Park on Thursday afternoon at 4:30 after practicing for several hours. "Our men are getting into condition, and will be down to hard work in a few days."

The manager was not the only one who took this view of the situation, as scores of Chatham fans who had watched the practice of the Ottawas during the afternoon made similar statements. The players showed greatly improved form at both the morning and afternoon practices, and by the time the Canadian League season opens they will be in fit condition.

First Release.

Incidentally the first release of the year was given on Thursday. Shortsleeve, a catcher, hailing from Burlington, Vermont, was found wanting, and he was given his walking papers. He left for his home in the afternoon. Rowe, another catcher, from Durham, S. C., reported in the morning, and had his first workout with the team in the afternoon. He arrived in Chatham after four days on the train and arrived in Wilkesbarre a few days ago. No one in that part of the States knew just where Chatham was located and he was forced to travel around until he learned the way to get to the Maple City. The tedious jaunt tended towards anything but putting him in condition but with a few workouts he will be up with the rest.

The Only Canuck.

Joe Lockhart, a first baseman from Wallaceburg, joined the aggregation yesterday morning and worked out in the morning and afternoon. He is the first Canuck to try for a place on the Capital City squad. He made a fair impression, but inexperience is against him, and it is doubtful if he will be carried.

Robertson at third and Cook at second with the three pitchers are practically the only fixtures so far. The third baseman is a star of the first magnitude and will undoubtedly prove a sensation in the league. He is especially good on ground balls, and has a fast and sure whip across the diamond. He is also reputed to be a hitter of no mean ability.

"I think I have the best pitching staff in class C baseball," said Manager Cook. "I've been in three class B leagues and I never saw more promising material. We have Herbert, Kubat and Draper here with us, and will get another pitcher from Frank Shaughnessy, of the Fort Wayne Club, in the next few days. One of the trio with us at present will be in the big leagues within a year."

With the Candidates at the Woodbine

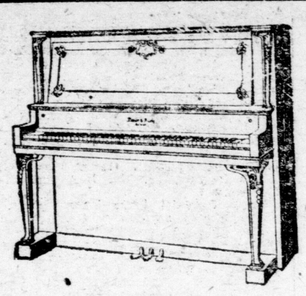
St. Bass did five furlongs in 1:06, handily, and Hearts of Oak went three furlongs in :36 4-5, the first quarter in :23 4-5. He pulled up at the half-mile in :51.

The Seagram horses made their first appearance on the track, and their condition showed that they had been doing plenty of useful work. The platers Rustling and Head Sea were voted very important factors in this year's race, and the four 2-year-olds to be fine, well-grown youngsters, calculated to do credit to their owner.

Mike Gorman also made his first appearance of the spring. He has been ill in Ottawa, and intends to visit a Detroit specialist next week. He declares, though, that he is "a good two lengths in front of the undertaker." The horses are being trained by Wes Sherrard.

Fred Fox, of Detroit, has added the steeplechasers, Dr. Koch and Sight, to the horses stabled at Woodbine. They came in yesterday.

Though the race is but two weeks away, there is no such thing as a decided favorite for the King's plate, which this year will be the most valuable since its establishment in the year 1860. The declarations on May Day left 29 horses eligible, and except those of Col. Hendrie at Hamilton and Ed Glassco at Windsor, all that may be expected to start are on the battleground. There has been no public opportunity to compare Mr. Seagram's five, which have just arrived, but horsemen agree that they include at least two good chances in Rustling and Head Sea. From the work that has been shown at Woodbine by the horses trained here, the only conclusion to be drawn is that certain of them may now be eliminated from consideration. Much light still remains, though, to be thrown on those that are left, of the majority, what can be said, is largely negative. It is not that they are so good; only that they are not yet to be discarded from the possibilities. The probabilities are not yet to be distinguished. A few days more will clear the field, for the stage now reached in the preparation of the horses is such that the mediocre will not longer be able to keep up the march of improvement. That the winner will come from the stables of Messrs. Dyment, Seagram, Davies or Gorman, is about as definite as now can be pronounced, with the field still so broad that it might also be made to include Jane Shore or Phyllis.



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SOME CONDENSED FACTS FOR FANS

The season of 1911 was the most disastrous to minor leagues since the organization of the National Association. Much of the trouble was due to failure to keep within the salary limit.

From 1877 to 1890, 13 years, Silver Flint caught 835 games and in 833 he worked without glove, mask or protector.

Adrian C. Anson played in 1,582 games from 1876 to 1892. He made 2,252 hits, a total average of .344.

In 1875 the Boston team won every game on its home grounds.

Mike Kelly, in 1,155 games, covering 12 years, batted .321.

Jimmy Austin, of the Browns, is the fastest man in baseball going to first. His time is .03 1-5 seconds.

Austin also holds the record of .14 1-5 seconds for circling the bases.

On Thursday, May 11, 1911, all batting records were smashed in the big leagues, when the eight games produced 126 runs and 177 hits.

The best strikeout performances are: Best professional record, Willie Mitchell, San Antonio, 29 men, 1909; National League, Charles Sweeney, Providence, 19, 1884; American League, Glade, St. Louis, 16, 1904, and Waddell, Athletics, 16, 1908; College records; Mike Lynch, Brown; Gonzleman, Brown; Gillens, Sewanee, 21 each.

First Baseman McGamwell, Haverhill, on May 20, 1911, for the sixth time in history, played a nine-inning game without a putout.

Two unassisted triple plays were made in 1911. Walter Carlisle, Vernon, Pacific Coast League team, and Third Baseman Calvert, of the Hubbard, Ore., team, adding their names to the list composed of Paul Hines, Harry O'Hagan, Larry Schafly, Simeon Murch and Neal Ball.

Hues, Seattle third baseman, made 28 home runs last year.

The few pitched balls record is credited to Ben Sanders, of the Athletics, who in 1891 pitched but 68 balls against the Browns.

Buck Connors, of the Jackson, Mich., team made six hits in as many times at bat, Sept. 11. Four were doubles.

In the Fall River-Haverhill doubleheader, Sept. 2, Walsh made seven hits, including three triples, in seven times at bat. May 24, Mike Lyon, Hopkinsville Kitty League, made seven hits in seven times at bat, including three doubles and two triples.

Outfielder Patterson, Vernon, Pacific Coast League team, made three home runs in one game.

DEL. GAINER, OF TIGERS, SPRAINED HIS ANKLE

Hoodoo Seems To Pursue Detroit's First-Sacker in Month of May.

Detroit, May 4. — Joy over the victory of the Tigers yesterday, and the manner of its accomplishment, is considerably dimmed by an accident that befell Gainer in the seventh inning. The young first baseman hit a double to the scoreboard in this round, and in trying to make it a triple slid into third, at which point Austin was awaiting him with the ball. In sliding, Gainer got a badly sprained ankle, which will keep him on the bench for at least ten days, and probably longer.

Dr. William E. Keane made an X-ray examination last evening and found that no bones had been injured, but that the attachments of the ligaments had been badly strained. In 1910, Gainer sustained an injury to the fibula, and for a time it was feared that this old trouble had been renewed. Such is not the case, however. A couple of weeks' rest will put the player in as good condition as ever.

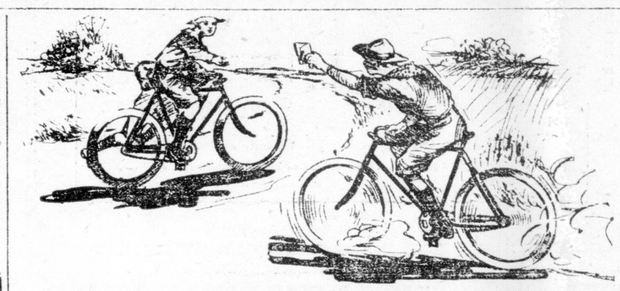
The month of May sems to be a period of especial trial to Gainer. On May 18, 1911, Jack Coombs broke the Tiger first baseman's arm with a pitched ball, and it was months before he was back in the game. Fortunately this new injury is less severe than that one, but it comes at a time when the Tigers are just beginning to "find" themselves and are very anxious to have their full strength in the line-up. Moriarty will play first for the present, and Louden will return to third.

Arona McKinney (2), 2:27¼, entered by Walter Cox in the M. & M., is a five-year-old brown mare that trialed in 2:07¾, first half in 1:02¾, at Cleveland last year. Cox bought her at the December, 1910, Chicago sale from her breeder, Wm. Simpson, Empire City Farms, Cuba, N. Y., paying $4,700. She had trialed that summer in her three-year-old form in 2:16¾, half in 1:03½, but was not raced. She was sired by McKinney, 2:11¾, dam Barona (dam of 6 in), by Dirgo Wilkes, 2:18, second dam Lou (dam of Axtell, 2:12), by Mambrino Boy, 2:26½, third dam Bird Mitchell, by Mambrino Royal, son of Mambrino Pilot 29.

A report from California states that the pacer Hal McKinney, 2:06½, by Hal B., 2:04½, out of Juliet D., 2:13½, by McKinney, 2:11¼, that took his record at Phoenix, Ariz., last fall, will be raced through the east this season. Trainer Heller has, it is said, worked him a mile in 2:09, half in 1:01½, and last quarter in 29 seconds, this spring.

The Columbus trainer, Charley Valentine, will have a fast record string this season in Independence Boy, 2:01½, by Thistle; George Penn, 2:09, by William Penn, 2:07¼; Queen Sphinx, 2:17¾, by Sphinx, 2:20½; Wydrad, trial 2:08, by The Director General; Peanut Boy, 2:29¾, by Norval, jun.; Mabel J., by Baron J.; Victor Star, 2:17¼; Gahagan, 2:15½, by Pascolet; Louise Santurello, 2:16¼, by Brownie Wilton, and Peter the Second 2:04½, by Mr. Pinkerton.

Edward Hines, of Watertown, N. Y., has gone to Calgary, Alta., where he will open a training stable.



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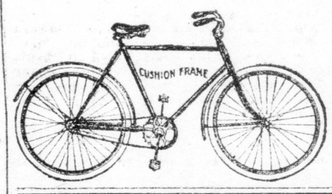

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Agricultural College Examinations

Guelph, May 4. — The Ontario Agricultural College examination results for the past term are announced as follows:

Results of first year, maximum 2,500—Cory 2,030, McLaren 1,995, Smylie 1,985, Linklater 1,871, Varey 1,834, N. T. Smith 1,827, Connon 1,821, D. M. Smith 1,811, R. B. Hinman 1,785, Sands 1,785, Holmes 1,765, Finn 1,741, Hutchinson 1,717, Frejd 1,715, Peren 1,700, N. I. Wilson 1,693, Higinbotham 1,687, Mills 1,673, Cooper 1,671, Lawrence 1,653, McQueen 1,614, Croskery 1,643, Williams 1,642, Walsh 1,635, White 1,626, Jones 1,619, H. P. Horobin 1,610, Morse 1,- Trefry 1,587, McDonald 1,566, Weir 1,505, Goodman 1,500, Garrett 1,559, Neilson 1,557, Gray 1,554, Clark 1,540, Macklin 1,540, Sutton 1,535, Curtis 1,534, Bertram 1,530, Steckle 1,515, Evans 1,501, C. W. Monro 1,495, Overholt 1,495, Hart 1,490, Townsley 1,477, Donald 1,475, Ingraham 1,473, Leigh 1,459, Hall 1,457, Amos 1,452, Mucklow 1,428, Guild 1,425, Mackenzie 1,423, Braithwaite 1,418, Francis 1,417, Torrance 1,414, Fortier 1,413, Lindsay 1,396, Binkley 1,397, Nind 1,379, Tawse 1,363, Johnston 1,353, P. W. Smith 1,342, Stirrett 1,334, Gardener 1,330, Edmunds 1,313, J. T. Wilson 1,311, Gordon 1,307, Fairles 1,306, Dow 1,303, Ferguson 1,302, Binnington 1,296, Rumsby 1,296, Elder 1,274, Beatty 1,274, Keil 1,273, Bradshaw 1,272, Oswald 1,265, Brown 1,260, Locke 1,258, N. Porter 1,256, A. R. Burrows 1,245, D. A. Munro 1,240, Sibbitt 1,240, Riach 1,238, Kinloch 1,234, Thatcher 1,232, Swinnerton 1,226, Dudgeon 1,226, Cunningham 1,219, Higman 1,215, Malloch 1,213, Stratford 1,213, Burnett 1,210, McPharlin 1,210, Anglin 1,208, Ross 1,206, Kitchen 1,197, Powers 1,182, Vander Byl 1,178, L. F. Burrows 1,174, Cochran 1,171, Whittingham 1,170, Donovan 1,166, Whale 1,165, Whaley 1,158, Murra yl,154, W. L. Horobin 1,146, Fraser 1,131, Thompson 1,131, M. D. Stephens 1,118, Kirkley 1,104, Chambers 1,092, S. Porter 1,084, Gibson 1,087, Duff 1,071, Brook 1,056; Cleverley 1,045, W. C. Hinman 1,068, Griffiths 1,025, Parker 1,022, J. R. Wilson 1,011, Hoey 1,008, Rundle 1,002, Kilgour 954, Bick 950, Currey 903, Stevens 705, De Trafford 530.

List of Subjects.

List of subjects—English literature, English composition, commercial arithmetic, drainage arithmetic, soil physics, mechanics, manual training, inorganic chemistry, geology, botany, zoology, horticulture, field husbandry, animal husbandry, dairying, poultry, apiculture, vet. anatomy, vet. materia medica.

Results of second year: maximum 3,100—Nash, 2,517; Winslow, 2,396; Allan, 2,278; Freeborne, 2,281; Hirst, 2,273; Leppan, 2,228; Lattimer, 2,217; Kelleher, 2,187; Good, 2,182; Robb, 2,161; Puleston, 2,150; Laidlaw, 2,115; McLaurin, 2,098; McRostie, 2,096; Neelands, 2,093; Castry-Zinny, 2,083; Puleston, 2,071; Kingsmill, 2,069; Bergey, 2,053; Hare, 2,044; Gardner, 2,031; Lund, 2,020; Paterson, 1,994; Waterhouse, 1,898; Scott, 1,987; Davis, 1,984; Nixon, 1,963; Stansfield, 1,951; S. Crawford, 1,938; Standish, 1,938; Halliday, 1,931; Hipple, 1,918; Irvine, 1,916; Hales, 1,905; Barnet, 1,902; Lever, 1,888; W. Hotson, 1,870; Hill-Tout, 1,866; Clark, 1,859; Mosely, 1,858; Dunlop, 1,852; Duncan, 1,851; Creelman, 1,850; Culverhouse, 1,841; Lindsay 1,835; McLennan, 1,817; G. C. Duff, 1,807; Ryan, 1,806; Hunter, 1,804; Grant, 1,800; Hurndall, 1,790; J. C. Duff, 1,788; Jowsey, 1,788; Neale, 1,780; Hogarth, 1,763; Teece, 1,762; Harris, 1,753; Robertson, 1,742; English, 1,728; Kirk, 1,716; Gravely, 1,710; Craig, 1,703; Willa, 1,693; Penna, 1,688; Halowes, 1,676; Madden, 1,671; Fowler, 1,666; Anderson, 1,664; Downie, 1,663; Spaltehoz, 1,653; Blayney, 1,645; Wiltshire, 1,642; Nourse, 1,638; J. Crawford, 1,615; Kedey, 1,003; J. N. Hotson, 1,595; Jackson, 1,593; Angle, 1,592; Batty, 1,586; McCall, 1,585; Park, 1,580; Oliver, 1,573; Begg, 1,573; Stock, 1,554; Pope, 1,550; McGregor, 1,549; Cormie, 1,538; Moorehouse, 1,526; Weld, 1,454; Sanderson, 1,412; Fretz, 1,424; Pilkey, 1,418; Ghent, 1,413; Wilson, 1,378; McDonald, 1,334; Ford, 1,318; Graham, 1,308; Thorp, 1,297; Mollison, 1,293; Miles, 1,289; Cameron, 1,281; Kyono, 1,048.

Third Year Results.

List of subjects—English literature, English composition, economics, thesis, surveying and drainage, agricultural engineering, electricity, farm mechanics, agricultural chemistry, animal chemistry, bacteriology, entomology, horticulture, systematic and economic botany, economic botany, plant morphology, field husbandry, animal husbandry, live stock, horse judging, dairying, poultry, veterinary pathology, veterinary obstetrics, forestry.

Results of third year, maximum 2,200—Hextall 1,920, Stanley 1,770, Henry 1,753, Tennant 1,720, Davies 1,687, Davison 1,649, Staniforth 1,633, Cooke 1,617, McKee 1,593, King 1,586, Palmer 1,584, Bramhill 1,556, Grange 1,556, Tregillus 1,541, Tisdale 1,532, Spencer 1,477, Vining 1,475, Wilson 1,475, Neckett 1,449, Webster 1,448, Nixon 1,443, Persant 1,434, Miller 1,401, Sirett 1,390, Culham 1,377, Carroll 1,368, Cleeves 1,349, Noble 1,348, Dougall 1,342, Harding 1,340, Moore 1,310, Woltz 1,307, Briton 1,298, Shaver 1,277, Hood 1,276, Nicholson 1,262, Howitt 1,254, Hayes 1,247, Darling 1,221, McElroy 1,201, Johnston 1,194, Millen 1,155, Jenkins 1,132, Neff 1,122, Calvert 1,123, Gerow 1,108, Ellis 1,085, Hunter 1,071, Tomlinson 988, Campbell 973, Jarvis 963, Renwick 955, Murray 841.

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There is talk heard at Washington of putting Herman Schaefer on second and Jack Knight on first, with Shanks going to right field.

Eddie Foster, who was regarded as a failure as a shortstop in his first trial in fast company, is now proving a wonder as a third baseman, and Clark Griffith prides himself that he located Eddie in the right part of the diamond.

Tris Speaker has thrown his hat into the ring for the batting championship of the American League. Ty Cobb, of Detroit, and Joe Jackson, of Cleveland, have been hugging an opinion that the batting honors of the organization should be the personal property of one of them next October. Speaker says they "have got to show him."

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I lifted my hand in signal, but even as I did so, Lady Darlington spoke, the men who were about to tilt the planks pausing in wonderment.

"Wait, Mr. Stephens; not without one word of prayer. Let me speak it, if no one else will."

She came forward, throwing back her veil, and grasping my sleeve to retain steady footing on the heaving deck. For an instant there was an impressive silence; then her voice arose, low yet distinct, trembling to the accent of reverent prayer. I know not what she said: merely the simple breathing upward of a petition to the Almighty Father for pardon and guidance; yet never before did faith lay such mighty hold upon me. It was short, only so clearly evidenced in both words and face, impressed the roughest there. She paused, her head still lowered; I heard some one say "Amen" solemnly, and raised my hand in signal. Noiselessly the ends of the planks were uptilted, and the two sheeted figures slid downward beneath the unfathomable depths. So silently and expeditiously was this accomplished that she even failed to note the action, lifting eyes wonderingly to the bare planks, and with a choking sob burying her face in her hands. Without venturing a word I led her gently to the companion-way. Five minutes later I stood again upon the bridge, the deck beneath throbbing to the pulse of the released engine, as the Sea Queen raced recklessly forward through the ice-girded waters in desperate effort to attain her goal.

The snow had now ceased falling, but the wind veered more to the north, drifting the great ice-floes down upon our port quarter, and threatening to close us in. At full speed we raced for it, the sharp stem of the yacht hurling aside the detached cakes in our path, although occasionally encountering a resistance jarring the whole fabric of the vessel. Great lumps went crunching along the sides, scraping and bumping, until they dropped away astern, yet fortunately the rudder escaped serious injury and the screw worked steadily. However, it was touch and go, the deadly grind of those closing ice masses astern borne to us on the wind, the dash of spray along their edges flung high above the deck. Every instant for an hour I thought the end had come, expecting to hear the crash of those awful ice jaws rending our steel sides and jamming us into pulp. But we made it, rounding that last ice cape by so narrow a margin that I could have leaped the gulf, and swept out into the open blue water, gazing back horror-stricken to watch the hummocks pile up as the immense mass ground together, with a roar reverberating through the solitudes like a thousand peals of thunder. For the time, at least, we were free, and with limbs trembling under me from the terrific strain, I called De Nova to the bridge and went below into the cabin so thoroughly exhausted I could barely pour out a glass of brandy before flinging myself, still fully dressed, upon the bunk.

The stretch of open water held, although lashed into fury by the increasing weight of wind, which served, however, to force back the fields of ice. The heavy drift cost us something, yet the mate held the yacht's nose down to it, taking the dash of water over the port rail until the deck was a glare of ice, and the crew had to chop their way to the forecastle. They permitted me to sleep until the change of watch, and when I finally came on deck again the night shadows were already resting over the wild scene, yielding to it a sombreness beyond description. We seemed all alone in the universe. I clawed my way forward to the bridge, everything I touched a glare of ice, the ropes and spars, even the funnel encrusted, the iron rails twice their natural size. De Nova's oilskins were stiff with it, and his moustache glittered in the yellow flame of the binnacle lamp. He appeared so thoroughly worn out that I detained him only long enough to inquire the course, and bade him get below in a hurry.

It was not a dark night, for the stars were out—such cold, dead stars they seemed—and a little later I knew the moon would come stealing up above the waste of waters, yet there was a haze hovering all about us, as though the entire surrounding atmosphere was thick with frost. I crouched down behind the slight protection of the tarpaulins, sweeping the horizon with my glasses, but discovering nothing to awaken alarm. The ice was being steadily driven ahead of us, and the slight easterly slant we succeeded in holding between the wind squalls served to keep it well off our starboard quarter. Indeed, I could perceive nothing of the floes, although the spectral gleam of several bergs was distinctly visible. But the fierce sea pounded us unmercifully, and together with the wind, continually slewed our head to the southward in spite of the three men jamming down the wheel. There were times when I yelled to them to let her pay off, fearful lest she actually turn turtle under the mighty force smiting her. I saw nothing of the watch, except as I called for them. Then they came, clawing their way out of the snug holes where they hid from wind and water. However, there was little enough for any of us to do; we could simply hold on, trusting in the strength of the keel under us, and sheering to eastward of the ice-pack. It was a wild, mad night, the wind freezing to the marrow, and every wave dashing its icy spray hurtling against the front of the wheelhouse. At eight bells I went below again, every muscle of my body aching, and my face tingling as though pierced by a thousand needles. I sat down before the red-hot stove in the cabin, thinking I should never get the cold thawed out of me. Yet inside of ten minutes, with head resting on the chair-back, and legs extended to keep my balance, I was sound asleep.

Whether a sudden leap of the vessel or some unusual noise aroused me I cannot say. Dazed, confused, I sat upright, staring about me, for the moment scarcely realizing where I was. Dade had turned down the flame of the lamp while I slept, and the entire cabin was in semi-darkness, the black shadows of the furniture assuming strange shapes in the gloom, while all beyond the mast-butt was impenetrable. I could hear the fierce pounding of the sea without, the shrieking of wind through the cordage, and the rattle and groaning of the woodwork as the struggling vessel dived into the hollows and fought her way back to the crests. A shower of hail lashed the windows, rattling like shot against the shutters. As I glanced backward across my shoulder, I heard, above all that hellish uproar, a hollow, unearthly groan. I was upon my feet in an instant, grasping at the edge of the table, striving vainly to piece the sound. For some cause I could not keep my eyes off Tuttle's door, every nerve pulsing with agony. Was it imagination, illusion? By all the gods, I beheld a white, visionary form glide noiselessly forth and disappear as though dissolved in mist. It was certainly there, yet, in another instant, had vanished, I knew not how. I stared about into the dim corners, then leaped toward the door, seeking to open it. It was locked; of course it was, for the key was in my own pocket.

Many times I have known fear, but not such fear as this which now smote me. Here was something intangible, something I could not reach and throttle, a dim, frightful shade, coming from God alone knew whence. I pressed my hands to my head, and endeavored to laugh, to woo back my courage. Great Heavens, was I also losing my mind? Was I to be haunted and pursued by evil fancies? Had the curse of this ship now descended upon me? A plunge of the vessel sent me sprawling upon the deck, yet the very jar of the fall brought me back my senses. Ghosts! I believed in nothing of the kind. True, I had imbibed many a superstition of the sea, but never yet the stories of haunted ships. I staggered to my feet, holding on desperately to the table, seized the decanter from off the swinging shelf, and drank deeply. Lord, what grim fancies a man may have when the physical organism is unstrung! I glanced at my watch, discovering that I still had two hours below, and crossed to my state room, nerving myself to play the man, yet glancing about fearfully into the dancing shadows.

I closed the door, but shot the bolt hard, and lay there for an hour listening, every nerve a-tingle, before fatigue finally closed my eyes.

[To Be Continued.]

CHICAGO DAILIES HAVE STRIKE ON THEIR HANDS

Pressmen, Wagon Drivers and Stereotypers Are All Out Today.

[Canadian Press.]

Chicago, May 4.—The strike of the pressmen on the principal Chicago daily papers took on a more serious aspect early today when the stereotypers in all the offices affected left their work in sympathy with the original strikers. This made the third union to join in the strike, the wagon drivers having previously quit work.

The walkout of the stereotypers compelled the publishers to condense the morning papers. Only one edition was issued, and this without any advertisements. It was expected that the afternoon papers would act similarly and issue only one edition in condensed form.

For the first time since the strike began shooting was resorted to today. Several shots were fired in the street in front of the newspaper buildings at Madison and Dearborne streets. No one was injured, but the police made several arrests. Newspaper wagons, under the guard of policemen, were being loaded at the time of the shooting.

COL. ASTOR'S FUNERAL

Dead Millionaire To Be Buried at Rhinecliff-on-Hudson.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, May 4.—A special train, bearing relatives and friends of the late Col. John Jacob Astor left here this morning for Rhinecliff-on-the-Hudson, where at noon funeral services were to be held for the dead millionaire in the little Episcopal Church of the Messiah. After the service the body of Col. Astor will be placed aboard a special train, bearing the funeral party, and brought to this city, where the interment will take place in Trinity Cemetery on Washington Heights.

The services will be conducted by Dr. Saunders, pastor of the Church of the Messiah, assisted by the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, pastor of Trinity Church. Relatives and friends of Col. Astor, residents of Rhinecliff, together with employees of Col. Astor at Rhinecliff and at Newport, will attend the service.

In the Ferncliff mansion are Mrs. Madeleine Force Astor, the widow; her sister, Miss Katherine Force, and her father and mother. Young Mrs. Astor will attend the services at the church and go with the body to the grave.

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MYSTERY IN DEATH OF NEWLY-WED PAIR

Chicago Man and His Bride Found Dead in Their Cottage.

[Canadian Press.]

Chicago, May 4.—Charles Renshaw and his bride of ten weeks, last night were found dead in their cottage in Wilcox avenue, into which they had just moved. Investigation has so far failed to reveal the cause of the deaths. The couple, according to friends, had carefully selected their furniture and had arranged it in the manner planned since the day of their marriage.

It was first thought they had been asphyxiated by a gas heater and later accidental poisoning was suspected. Two coffee cups, partially filled, were found on the dining-room table, and it was thought that in moving the couple had accideitally dropped poison among their cooking implements.

The Renshaws are said to have appeared happy, and the theory of suicide is scouted by their friends. They appeared to have been dead for at least twenty-four hours.

A TITANIC CLAIM

An Incident of the Recent Disaster.

Another incident in connection with the loss of the Titanic, which will bring some degree of comfort to the afflicted widow, and bring home to many the wisdom of providing against the uncertain, is the fact that Mrs. Frank H. Maybery, of Moose Jaw, Sask., whose husband lost his life on the Titanic, was totally unaware of her husband having taken out a ten thousand dollar policy prior to their going to England, and in her favor. It was only through the efforts of the company in locating Mrs. Maybery that she was first made aware of the fact that $10,000 was lying to her credit at the head office of the Railway Passengers Assurance Company, at 64 Cornhill, London, England. This is only one of the many losses now being paid by the company as a result of the above disaster.

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[Chicago Record-Herald.]

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Arrive from the West—*12:09 a.m., *3:43 a.m., 8:50 a.m., *11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the East—*12:14 a.m., *3:48 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:58 p.m.

Depart for the West—*3:32 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:20 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:23 a.m., *4:00 p.m., *6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *8:10 p.m.

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Arrive from the West—*4:30 a.m., 12:36 p.m., *5:22 p.m., 8:25 p.m.

Depart for the East—*4:38 a.m., 7:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m., *5:30 p.m.

Depart for the West—8:00 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 7:48 p.m., *11:00 p.m.

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[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, May 3.—Arthur Pugh, of Detroit, aged 45, was convicted at noon yesterday by Magistrate Leggatt on a charge of horse-stealing. It was claimed by the police that he was a member of an international gang of horse thieves.

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[Special to The Advertiser.]

Brussels, May 3.—The Township of Morris has found it necessary to issue debentures for the sum of $23,000, in order to replace the bridges which were swept away by the recent flood.

Music and Drama

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The King-Emperor and Queen-Empress in their Regal Robes at Delhi

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"The Barrier."

"The Barrier," Rex Beach's stirring tale of Alaska, was again presented at the Grand Opera House last night, and was deemed most satisfactory by the good-sized audience present. Theatregoers will remember when Theodore Roberts and his superb caste presented this offering about two years ago. While strongly melodramatic in all points, it is nevertheless a stirring story, well worthy of the stage, and in the hands of Mr. Roberts and his company, it was extremely effective.

However, the original company has given the play over to good hands, and while some of the roles did not live up to former ideals, nevertheless the play was, as a whole, excellent.

The acting of Mr. George Cleveland as Poleon Dorret, the French-Canadian trapper and miner, was splendid, while Max Steinle as No Creek Lee, brought out the humor of this striking part. Norval MacGregor as John Gale, was fair. Miss Mattie Hyde as the squaw, Alluna, gave a true performance. Miss Grace Johnson as Necia was clever.

"The Barrier" was repeated this afternoon, and tonight will be given again.

Wonder of the Age.

By command of King George, Charles Urban, the inventor of the wonderful Kinemacolor process of taking motion pictures in Nature's own colors, went to India and obtained all the scenes and incidents of the Durbar by means of this remarkable invention. The Kinemacolor Durbar pictures have created a sensation in New York, where they are crowding the leading theatre, the New York Theatre at regular Broadway prices. The same superb Durbar pictures have been secured as the attraction at the Grand Opera House for one week beginning Monday with matinee every day except Monday, and will be shown exactly as in New York, while the scale of prices to prevail will be of the popular order.

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An Agreement Likely To Be Reached With U. S. Over the Fisheries.

WASHINGTON IS ALARMED

By Threatened Withdrawal of Canada From International Agreement.

Washington, May 4.—The Canadian Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. J. D. Hazen, and Sir Edward Morris, the Newfoundland premier, on the one side, and Chandler Anderson, solicitor for the department of state on the other, are expected to confer here next week regarding the regulations to be adopted by the two Governments to carry out the award of The Hague arbitration regarding the North American fisheries.

The arbitrators left for the adjustment of the two Governments a few things involving no question of principle, but of considerable importance to the fishermen, the settlement of which must be determined by the development of facts unknown to the arbitrator at the time the decision was rendered. It is expected that permanent settlement of the last of the issues connected with the fisheries which have caused friction between the two countries for the last century.

While the subject is under discussion an effort will be made to avert the threatened withdrawal of Canada from the international agreement regarding what are known as the "inland fisheries." The President has recently appointed Job Hedges, of New York, to succeed David Starr Jordan as the United States commissioner to deal with that subject, and Mr. Hedges probably will be summoned to Washington to confer directly with Mr. Hazen and E. E. Prince, the Canadian inland fisheries commission.

The Canadian Government has already ratified the agreement reached by the original commissioners, and pased an act to put it into effect. It is not disposed to concur in the action of the United States Senate in passing at the last session an act of a similar purport, because it contains provisions suspending the application of two of the regulations drawn by the commissioners which the Canadians regard as of prime importance. These relate to the fisheries of Lake Michigan and to the salmon fisheries of British Columbia, and were objectionable to American fishing interests.

It is hoped that the conference next week will provide for a satisfactory settlement of this issue.

DIED AT CARLYLE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Denfield, May 4.—Mr. Joseph Phillips, aged 71, died at his home at Carlyle yesterday after an illness extending over some time. Besides his wife one son and two daughters, he leaves two brothers and two sisters. Mr. Wm. Phillips, of London, is a brother.

SWANS FOR OWEN SOUND.

London, May 3. — King George's novel gift of six beautiful swans to the mayor of Owen Sound has been sent to Canada today by the Empress of Britain.

"BALACLAVA" CLARKE IS DEAD AT MITCHELL

Queen Victoria Pinned Medal on Veteran of the Crimean War.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Mitchell, May 4.—The funeral of John Clarke was held from the family residence on St. Andrew street today to Trinity Church Cemetery. Deceased was a Crimean veteran, and had been a resident of Mitchell for 39 years. He was 86 years old, and was born in Ireland and when a young man enlisted in the British army and fought in many battles. He was in the battle of Inkerman, Balaclava, Sabastopol, and other engagements, winning a number of medals, one of which was pinned on his breast by the late Queen Victoria on his return to England. He had part of one finger shot off, which was the only scratch he received in all the battles he engaged in. He was familiarly known in Mitchell as "Balaclava Clarke." He had regularly received a pension from England ever since he quit active service.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Elliott, of Prince Albert, Sask., and Miss Annie, at home. For the past year he had been quite an invalid.

GUILDS INSTITUTE ELECTED OFFICERS

Mrs. Duncan Campbell Was Chosen President for Ensuing Year.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Guilds, May 4. — Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cumming, of Howard, visited recently at the home of Mrs. Lucy Cumming.

John McDonald, teacher in the local school, leaves at the close of the present school years to take up the study of medicine.

The Women's Institute held an interesting and entertaining meeting at the residence of James Clendening, recently. Mrs. Coutts, of Thamesville, district president, and Mrs. West, of Kent Bridge, district secretary-treasurer, gave instructive addresses. Mrs. Coutts then conducted the election of officers for the coming year, installing the following: Mrs. Duncan Campbell, president; Mrs. Peter Caughill, vice-president; Miss Gertie Nevills, secretary-treasurer; Miss Bella Clendening, Miss Mamie Campbill, Mrs. John Townsend, directors; Mrs. Maud Wiley and Miss Lois Cumming, auditors.

Wm. Pindar is improving the brick residence recently purchased from W. Mallory by the addition of kitchen, bedroom, pantry and verandahs.

Rev. Mr. Dixon and family removed from Blenheim to Guilds recently and are now settled in their new home.

David Hastings has commenced the erection of his new residence.

SHRINERS' WEEK.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 4.—Shriners' week began here today, although there was no session of Imperial Council Ancient Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, which convenes in annual session here on Monday. The day was given over to the reception and entertainment of arriving guests.

Forty-five special trains, bringing thousands of visitors from points east north and south, were due to arrive today and Sunday, and when Monday comes it is expected that all of the delegates will be comfortably housed for the week of festivity.

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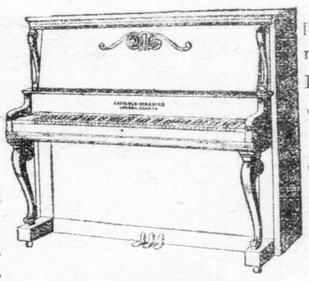

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WEST LONDON PEOPLE AGAINST THE DREDGE

Do Not Favor Idea of the City Council to Spend $5.000 in This Manner.

A special meeting of the West London Progressive Association was held last night in Collins Hall. Several matters that are of importance to the residents of that section were discussed. Different schemes for improving the breakwater were advanced, but none of them were adopted.

The plan of the city council to build a dredge to dredge the river, costing $5,000, and pay for it out of the $9,000 set aside for improvements for the embankment, was not very popular, and the committee appointed to wait on the board of works was advised to do all in its power to have this scheme defeated.

The committee is composed of the following members of the association: Messrs. Wilkins, Swayze, Bell, Rogers, Culbert, Pudney, Hevey, Pocock, Churchill, Clark, Dexter and Nicholls.

A resolution was passed placing upon record the appreciation of the efforts of the mayor and street railway committee of the city council in regard to the street railway service, which has greatly been improved by the changing of the lines, and the addition of one car to the West London service.

AUTO DRIVER KNEW HOW TO CLEAR WAY

Aged Gentleman Stood in Road and Refused To Move.

A humorous incident occurred at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets last evening, when a local automobile owner, through his efforts to comply with the new traffic regulations, came into contact with a rather irritable old gentleman.

The motorist, in driving around the corner, was compelled either to go onto the left side of the street, or run into the old man who stood waiting for a car, in the middle of the road.

Incessant honking failed to disturb him. Finally the driver craning his neck around the windshield, asked him a couple of times to move back to the cub, but with as little effect, the pedestrian vehemently declaring that no law could move him till his car came along.

Such being the case the autoist proceeded in the desired direction, driving so close to the obstructing person that the front wheels almost passed over his toes. He moved.

Is there anything in all this world that is of more importance to you than good digestion? Food must be eaten to sustain life and must be digested and converted into blood. When the digestion fails the whole body suffers. Chamberlain's Tablets are a rational and reliable cure for indigestion. They increase the flow of bile, purify the blood, strengthen the stomach, and tone up the whole digestive apparatus to a natural and healthy action. For sale by all dealers. 3

DEMOLISHED BY STORM

Heavy Damage to Several Towns in Kansas State.

[Canadian Press.]

Hutchinson, Kan., May 4.—A severe wind storm occurred last night through the country between Great Bend and Dodge City. Reports from the storm-stricken district brought to Hutchinson by a Santa Fe train, tell of extensive damage at Larned. The Missouri Pacific depot and thirteen houses were destroyed. Several houses were demolished at Offerle, where three inches of rain fell within an hour. A Santa Fe sand car, manned by Mexican laborers, was blown from the track near Kinsley, and several of them were badly injured. So far as can be learned here no one was killed.

WESTERN BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES

The following young people trained in Pitman shorthand at the "Western" recently accepted positions with the following firms:

Harold Tingey, Canadian Express Co., Toronto.

Kathleen Collins, Masuret & Co., London.

Leila Traver, W. J. Wray, city.

Mabel Neeley, Meredith & Fisher.

Annie Phipps, Commissioner of Industries' office.

Freeman Singular, Pedlar Roofing Co.

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The women are the money-savers of the family. Men mean well enough, but they haven't the knack of saving. Every woman should have a savings account.

No matter how prosperous the family, there is pretty sure to come a day when ready money will be a necessity. This STRONG OLD BANK pays particular attention to the accounts of women. We have special banking rooms for them at each of our four offices in this city.

A woman may deposit money with us in her own name and subject to her order only, or she may deposit it jointly with her husband so that either one may make withdrawals. The method is very simple and it is the safest of all ways to save money.

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Corner Richmond and John Streets—S. C. Houston, Manager
Corner Dundas and Talbot Streets—J. C. McDonald, Mgr.

Cattle and Produce Markets

For Other Markets See Page Eleven

PRODUCE.

LIVERPOOL, May 4—Closing.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 8s 5d; futures steady; May, 7s 11¼d; July, 7s 8¼d; October, 7s 7d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, nominal; do, old, 6s 11¾d; futures easy; May, 6s 7d; September, 5s 3¾d. Flour—Winter patents, 29s 6d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £10 to £11 5s. Beef—Extra India mess, 117s 6d. Pork—Prime mess western, 95s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 60s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 58s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 58s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 56s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 55s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 55s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 52s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, 48s. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 52s 6d; American refined, in pails, 55s. Cheese—Canadian finest white, 72s 6d; do, colored, 74s. Tallow—Prime city, 32s 9d; Australian (in London), 35s 6d. Turpentine spirits (in London), 35s 6d. Petroleum—Refined, 9¾d. Linseed oil—42s. Cottonseed oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 28s 3d.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 3—Close.—Wheat—May, $1 12¼; uly, $1 12⅞; September, $1 06¼ to $1 06⅜; No. 1 hard, $1 15⅛; No. 1 northern, $1 14⅜ to $1 14⅝; to arrive, 1 northern, $1 14⅜ to $1 14⅝; No. 2 northern, $1 12⅜ to $1 12⅝; No. 3 wheat, $1 10⅜ to $1 10⅝. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 76½c to 77½c. Oats—No. 3 white, 54½c to 55c. Rye—No. 2, 80c. Flour—First patents, $5 10 to $5 40; second patents, $4 75 to $5; first clears, $3 50 to $3 85; second clears, $2 40 to $2 80.

TORONTO, May 3.—The demand continues good for Ontario wheat. Wheat rules firm. The outlook for the fall wheat is not bright in Ontario. Coarse grains are dull. Cables firmer today. Flour—Winter wheat, 90 per cent patents are quoted at $4, at seaport, and at $4 to $4 10 for home consumption. Manitoba flours are firm, as follows: First patents, $5 70; second patents, $5 20; and strong bakers', $5, on track, Toronto. Manitoba wheat—Trade quiet, with prices steady. Prices as follows: No. 1 northern quoted at $1 10, bay ports, No. 2 at $1 07, and No. 3 at $1 01, bay ports. Ontario wheat—The demand is good, with prices very firm; offerings continue light. No. 2 white, red and mixed are quoted at $1 03, outside. Peas—Trade quiet, with No. 2 shipping peas quoted at $1 25, outside. Oats—Receipts limited and prices unchanged. Car lots of No. 2 Ontario quoted outside at 49c to 50c, and No. 3 at 47c to 48c, outside. No. 2 Ontario, 52c to 52½c, on track, Toronto. No. 1 extra W. C. feed, 52½c, all rail, and No. 1 feed, 51½c, all rail—Barley—The market is quiet, with prices nominal in the absence of offerings. Corn—The market is firm. No. 3 American yellow quoted at 83c, track, bay ports, all rail. Rye—There is nothing doing, with prices nominal. Buckwheat—Market quiet, with prices unchanged at 70c to 72c, outside. Bran—The market is unchanged. Manitoba bran, $25, in bags, Toronto freight. Shorts, $27.

CHICAGO, May 3.—Belief that France will be a liberal buyer from other countries brought about a bulge today in the price of wheat. Final quotations were steady, ⅜c to ¾c higher than last night. Other leading staples all showed a net decline for the day—corn 1⅛c to 1⅛c, oats ⅝c to 1⅛c and provisions 2½c to 17½c. Best prices for wheat today came after the announcement of a decrease of 2,550,000 bushels in northwestern stocks during the week. World shipments, however, promised to be heavy. Between the opening and the close July ranged from $1 10⅝ to $1 11⅞, with last sales $1 10⅞ to $1 11, a net gain of ⅜c. Corn displayed heaviness almost from the start. July fluctuated from 76⅝c to 77⅝c, closing weak, ⅝c down, at 76⅝c to 76¾c. Fine growing weather led to much selling in the oats crowd. Outside limits touched for July proved to be 52⅝c and 54¼c, with the close 1⅛c to 1¼c off at 52⅝c to 52⅞c. Provisions gradually eased back in consequence of the heaviness of corn. Pork suffered the principal decline, 7½c to 12½c net.

WINNIPEG, May 3.—There was a general air of activity around the grain exchange this morning, due to the opening of navigation. Trading was rather more active and the tone was stronger. Winnipeg showed ½c advance from the previous close quite early in the day. The strength did not hold all morning, but the close showed a general advance of ½c to ⅝c on all options. Cash demand was only fair, and offerings were light. Export trade was hanging on awaiting the official opening of navigation. Oats and flax were in demand, and price a shade improved. There were 330 cars in sight, against 500 cars on Thursday. Cash grain: Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 03⅜; No. 2, $1 00½; No. 3, 96c; No. 4, 88½c No. 5, 78¼c; No. 6, 66c; feed, 53½c; No. 1 rejected seeds, 93½c; No. 2, 92½c; No. 3, 88½c; No. 4, 81½c; No. 3 tough, 89c; No. 4, 79¾c; No. 5, 69½c; No. 6, 57c; feed, 53½c; No. 2 red winter, 95c; No. 3, 94c; No. 4, 89½c; No. 5, 79c. Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 48¾c; No. 3, 41c; extra No. 1 feed, 43c; No. 1, 42c; No. 2, 40¾c. Barley—Rejected, 56c; no grade, 56c. Flax—No. 1 northwestern, $1 95½; No. 1 Manitoba, $1 92; rejected, $1 77.

TORONTO, May 3.—Sugars are quoted at Toronto in bags as follows: Granulated, Redpath's, $5 45; do, St. Lawrence, $5 45; do, Acadia, $5 40; do, Imperial, $5 30; do, Beaver, $5 30; No. 2 yellow, $5 05; unbranded yellow, Acadia, $4 85. These prices are for 100 lbs, Toronto delivery, in less than cars; when sold in barrels the price is 5c higher; car lots 5c less all through. The grinding in Cuba is active, with 179 centrals at work, and the movement of raw sugar to market should be large. Planters are thought in some circles to be holding back sugar, but it is expected that the total receipts will soon catch up with the aggregate of 1910, when 1,800,000 tons were made. The weather is favorable, and the only obstacle to a big crop is the possibility of an early rainy season.

LIVE STOCK.

Week's Run of Cattle.

TORONTO, May 3.—The run of live stock at the Union and City stockyards this week was as follows:

	Union.	City.	Total.
Cars	185	191	356
Cattle	2,280	2,501	4,781
Calves	314	1,800	2,114
Hogs	4,429	2,369	6,808
Sheep	1,215	606	1,821
Horses	76	16	92

The run of cattle at the same two yards during the same period last year was:

	Union.	City.	Total.
Cars	190	203	393
Cattle	2,862	2,392	5,264
Calves	143	631	774
Hogs	1,353	5,991	7,385
Sheep	1,659	1,656	3,315
Horses	75	1	76

CHICAGO, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; market slow and steady; beeves, $6 to $9; Texas steers, $5 35 to $7 35; western steers, $5 75 to $7 70; stockers and feeders, $4 25 to $6 80; cows and heifers, $2 85 to $7 75; calves, $5 50 to $8 50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; market steady to 5c up; light, $7 15 to $7 62½; mixed, $7 25 to $7 72½; heavy, $7 25 to $7 75; roughs, $7 25 to $7 45; pigs, $4 75 to $6 80; bulk of sales at $7 50 to $7 65. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; market steady; natives, $5 to $8 25; westerns, $5 25 to $8 20; yearlings, $6 50 to $9 10; lambs, natives, $6 50 to $9 85; westerns, $6 50 to $10 40.

OILS.

LONDON, May 3.—Calcutta linseed, June, 63s. Linseed oil, 40s. Sperm oil, £31. Petroleum, American refined, 8½d; spirits, 9¾d. Turpentine, spirits, 36s 9d. Rosin, American, strained, 16s 3d; fine, 18s 10½d.

SAVANNAH, GA., May 3.—Turpentine—Firm; 48½c to 48¾c; sales, 584; receipts, 747; shipments, 515; stocks, 19,846. Rosin—Firm; sales, 1,414; receipts, 1,853; shipments, 1,557; stocks, 48,707.

DAIRY.

MONTREAL, May 3.—In sympathy with the decline in prices for butter in New York, an easier feeling prevails in this market, and prices are working lower. Business in cheese is quieter over the cable. Eggs are steady under a big demand. We quote: Cheese—Finest westerns, 12¾c; do, finest easterns, 12½c; Butter—Choicest creamery, 25½c to 25¾c; do, seconds, 24½c to 24¾c. Eggs—Fresh, 23c to 23½c; No. 2 stock, 18c to 20c.

NAPANEE, Ont., May 3.—Offerings on the cheese board this afternoon were 807 colored and 185 white. All sold at 12¾c.

IROQUOIS, May 3.—At the regular meeting of the Iroquois cheese board held here today 503 boxes cheese were offered; all sold at 12¾c.

PICTON, May 3.—On the Picton cheese board today 380 boxes of colored sold at 13c, 243 at 12 15-16c, and 60 twins at 13⅛c. Buyers—Benson, Morgan, Sexsmith and Publow.

CORNWALL, May 3.—Offerings on today's cheese board were 114 white and 127 colored; all sold at 12¾c.

HAY.

TORONTO, May 3.—Baled hay—Quotations on track: No. 1 hay, $20; No. 2, extra quality, $17 50 to $18; No. 2, ordinary, $16 50 to $17 50; No. 3, $14 to $14 50; clover, mixed, $14 00 to $15 50. Baled straw—$11 50 to $12 50.

COTTON

NEW YORK, May 3.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. Closing bids: May, 10.91c; une, 10.93c; July, 11.03c; August, 11.06c; September, 11.03c; October, 11.12c; November, 11.13c; December, 11.22c; January, 11.15c; February, 11.15c; March, 11.26c. Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands, 11.30c; do, gulf, 11.55c; sales, 2,000 bales.

POISONED BY FISH BONE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Appin, May 3.—Mr. Adam Roemilli is suffering from a serious case of blood-poison, occasioned by a fish bone piercing his thumb a week ago. The bone was removed at once and no alarm was felt until three days later.

TALE OF THE TITANIC THAT COLD FIGURES TELL; MONEY AND SEX AS LIFE INSURANCE IN OCEAN DISASTER

Above are the cold figures of the greatest ocean disaster the world has ever known. Briefly, they give an idea how money and sex count in the struggle for life in a well-conducted shipwreck—where order prevails. All rules fall in a panic.

Out of 662 persons saved from the Titanic 212 were first-class passengers.

First-class passage on an Atlantic liner costs from $80 up. On the Titanic the minimum is much more than that. Some of the staterooms cost hundreds, even thousands of dollars.

Second-class passengers saved numbered 115.

Second-class passage on Atlantic liners costs from $50 up to $75 or $80.

Steerage passengers saved numbered 136.

Steerage passage costs from $30 to $40.

From these figures, granting an inadequate lifeboat equipment such as permitted by the English law as to the big Atlantic liners, you can figure out your chance of escape in case of the loss of the boat you are on.

Put down $40 for a steerage passage and your chance is less than 1 in 5.

Add $20 to that, and you boost your chance to over 2 in 5.

Add $20 more and it goes up to 3 in 5.

That's the average for men and women. A woman's chance is higher and a man's lower in each class.

The figures relative to the officers and crew should be taken in consideration of the fact that each boat had to have a crew to row it and that 22 of the 199 saved were woman stewards. Only four officers escaped. Few of the others were seamen,—mostly stewards and firemen.

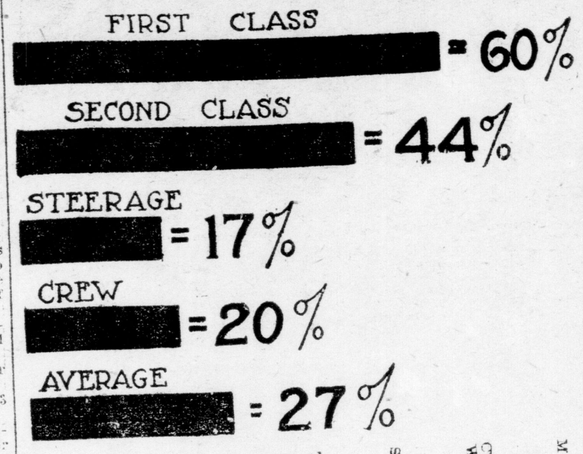
Of the first cabin passengers saved 27 per cent were men.

Of the second cabin passengers only 11 per cent were men.

Of the steerage passengers 38 per cent were men.

Practically all of the women of the first and second cabins were saved. The few women of the upper decks who were lost refused to desert their husbands or other male relatives.

YOUR CHANCE OF LIFE IF WRECKED



	Total	Saved	Children Saved Women and	Men Saved	Per Cent Saved
First Cabin	351	212	154	58	60
Second Cabin	262	115	102	13	44
Steerage	800	136	83	53	17
Officers and Crew	985	199	22	177	20

LIFE SAVING HINTS AS SHOWN BY THE TITANIC DISASTER

It is well to be playing bridge whist, for then you're sure to be up and dressed. A group of card players were ready to get into the first Titanic lifeboat and were saved.

Life preservers do not always preserve life. Many of the Titanic passengers who jumped into the sea wearing life preservers were swallowed up in the cold waves.

A preserver is, however, a valuable thing to have on, if you are hanging on to the stern of a lifeboat or raft. Several passengers encased in life preservers were saved when they floated within reach of a raft or boat.

When the captain tells you there is no danger, don't place too much belief in his remarks; hang around near the lifeboats.

Many women passengers of the Titanic who rushed out at the first shock, were reassured by the officers, who naturally and wisely wished to prevent panic, and returned to their berths to be drowned.

If you're a steerage passenger when the boat is sinking make a first cabin passenger of yourself by slipping through the gilded doorway, and make a noise like an owner.

Abraham Hyan, a steerage passenger from England, saved his life by rushing up to the first cabin deck and crowding into a lifeboat.

Another good way is to wear your wife's nighigown.

William T. Sloper, of Hartford, Conn., clad in a long white nightrobe, rushed up to the deck, and in the hurry and absence of a beard, he was mistaken for a woman and hustled into a lifeboat.

CANADIAN DELEGATES TO WIRELESS CONFERENCE

Expected That an End Will Be Made of Confusion Due to Amateurs.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 3.—Better regulations of wireless work will be discussed by the nations of the world next June, and Canada will participate in the conference.

Wireless has become more than ever recognized as an international business and better regulations are felt to be required for it. The International Congress of Radio Telegraphy has been called to meet in London June 3 to discuss improvements in regulations, and in the control of wireless on land and ocean.

Canada will be represented in the coming discussion by Mr. G. J. Desserats, deputy minister of the navy, and by C. P. Edwards, superintendent of wireless. They will be able to report that wireless has made substantial progress in Canada, and that the control is satisfactory, as every wireless station, whether put up by the Marconi Company or by an amateur, has to obtain a Government license, and the amateurs are strictly confined to the use of a wave length, which cannot interfere with naval or commercial wireless. Amateurs in both Vancouver and Montreal have had their attention called to the fact that there is a law for wireless which has a license, fine and imprisonment as features.

It is hoped that the United States will accept the recommendations of this congress, and thereby put an end to the confusion which a host of amateur enthusiasts on the Atlantic coast have brought about through lack of proper control.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers. 4

C. P. R. PASSENGERS SAVE FARMER'S BARN

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Harriston, May 3.—The crew and passengers of the afternoon C. P. R. express made an improvised fire department yesterday. The train was only two miles out of Harriston when Conductor Osborne saw flames shooting out of the big barn of Robert Morrell. He stopped the express and grabbing fire extinguishers the men ran to the barn. After some hard work the blaze was checked and the fine structure saved.

LAKE SAILORS ALSO IN NEED OF BETTER SAFEGUARDS

Sheet Anchor Discusses Present Conditions—Wireless Not Enough.

To the Editor of The Advertiser

In my letter, which you so kindly published in your issue of the 27th of April, a typographical error appeared, which I think it well to ask you to please correct. I stated that the "lifeboats" on a line of steamers sailing from Montreal to Quebec were improperly fitted, and that the "lifebelts" were rotten, and when I touched the latter they crumbled to pieces. The error occurs wherein you said it was the lifeboats that fell to pieces.

Signor Marconi has stated at the Titanic investigation that the ship-owners are too parsimonious in fitting out steamers, because they will not equip all their boats with the wireless system, and those that are equipped are not fully so. This is true enough as far as it goes, but the wireless telegraph is, after all, only a piece of mechanism that may easily get out of order, while lifebelts and lifeboats, properly looked after, will last a lifetime. Three years ago the Cunard liner Saxonia was in difficulty at sea, and wanted assistance; but the storm had rendered the wireless apparatus useless. Many a ship-owner of the present day does not care "tuppence" as long as the ship will pay dividends; whether it is in starving the crew, running them out and pocketing their wages, pretending not to see a sister ship in distress, or buying lifebelts loaded with iron instead of cork, it is all the same to him as long as the dividend is earned. Why, sir, it is the practice among some lines to shift lifeboats from one ship to another when the inspector comes around, in order to pass muster. Some of the inspectors "wink" at this; others are blind—it pays them.

A great deal of suffering could have been avoided if the press of this country had given space to my letters, sent them within the past three or four years, on this subject. Time and again I predicted a calamity unless the existing conditions were changed. I was complimented by the publishers on my letters, but they were declined. At last I sent a letter to a weekly paper published not far from London, hoping that they would accept it. But, no; they replied that "it would look better in a daily paper"! Now, we have these very papers bemoaning the loss of life on the Titanic, and loudly calling for a reorganization of the system that permits such things to occur. Such tactics are hypocritical, and consequently unfair to the public, whom they pretend to serve.

In one of the letters in qustion, I said that the British Board of Trade was at fault, and not the Dominion of Canada; because any scamp who can borrow, beg or steal a certificate can ship as a sailor; and in many instances the ship-owners aided and abetted them. I predicted a panic. That is the word I used, because I have the letter before me as I write now. The panic has arrived, but at what a terrible cost!

When the Bessemer was lost, The Advertiser said that "Canada needed a Plimsoll," and that "the lake sailors are without the protection afforded the ocean sailor." I replied then, Mr. Editor, as I do now; the latter is poor enough at best. One protection that the lake sailor should insist on is that each ship should have a light and loading mark; above or below which they should not be permitted to sail. It is simply suicidal to sail in some lake steamers as at present loaded, as long as the pilot-house is above water they take the risk. It should not be permitted, even if there are fools enough to attempt it. One poor fellow told me a year ago that if he did not go, someone else would. He lost his ship a month later, as I told him he would. (Name furnished if desired.)

In the loss accompanying the steamer Laurentian a few years ago, and the Hestia, when 35 lives were lost, it was proved at the inquiry that the boat tackle was rotten and the crew unable to row. In the former the passengers happened to be able to row; but think of the 35 widows, mothers or sisters, bereft of their only support, and how many dear little children fatherless!

One or two newspapers are clamoring for wireless telegraphy being made compulsory on all vessels, and they say that with this, little improvement is necessary in the lifesaving gear. The wireless is good as far as it goes, but it will never take the place of a good crew, good lifebelts and seaworthy lifeboats, stock gamblers to the contrary notwithstanding.

Now, as Tom Lawson would say, "The remedy." This, I hope, with your permission, to suggest in my next letter. Yours faithfully,

SHEET-ANCHOR.

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FOR SALE—A SMALL COOK STOVE, ideal for summer cottage, at 919 Colborne street. b

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FOR SALE—THOROUGHBRED RHODE Island Red cockerels, 1 year old, $1 50. H. Clark, 46 Craig street. 95c

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FOR SALE—FOLDING GO-CART, IN good condition, cheap. 20 Cynthia street. 95c

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PIANO FOR SALE—GOOD PIANO, ALMOST new, mahogany veneer; must be sold this month; buyer can arrange for monthly payments if necessary. For all particulars apply Box 13, Advertiser. 95c

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$35—ENGLISH BICYCLES—DETACHABLE tires, coaster brake, mud guards; guaranteed. Gurd's, 185 Dundas street. t

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Have yours put in A1 order for spring riding. Open evenings.

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We sell a Truss that is guaranteed. Come and see.

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G. R. KETTLE & SON,
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LARGE PEA COAL, $6 PER TON. ywt

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And household supplies. Cash or credit. Prices most reasonable in city. Open evenings.

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The Best Bicycle ever built, MADE IN CANADA by Canadian workmen, and costs you less money and worry than any cheap bicycle ever made. Call and see the BRANTFORD EXCLUSIVE FEATURES.

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ASPARAGUS AND RHUBARB ROOTS, cabbage, cauliflower and celery plants. Main & Collyer, South London. Phone 782. 81tf-ywt

$2.00 Buys a Good Shoe

At PAXMAN'S, 210 King Street, Next to Central Fire Station. t

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Spring means housecleaning and curtain cleaning. We can save you time and trouble by cleaning your curtains and household articles, and do it better than you can do it at home.

R. PARKER & CO.
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Ruling and Binding—Lowest Prices—Best Quality.

THE CHAS. CHAPMAN CO.
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ONE BEAUTIFUL ROSEWOOD PIANO, 7 1-3 octaves, fully guaranteed five years, at $100, payable $3 per month; and an elegant cabinet organ at $20, payable $1 per month. Heintzman & Co., 242 Dundas street, London. 68tf

WE HAVE A GOOD STOCK of free-burning anthracite chestnut coal, only

$6.50 Per Ton
GREEN & CO.
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OUR CUSTOMERS are saving money by using "LONDON" GAS ENGINES, for power; any purpose; 1½ to 60 horsepower.

The London Gas Power Company, Limited
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

PRICE OF BUTTER WAS EASIER TODAY

Eggs Advanced One Cent Per Dozen on the Local Market.

MEATS WERE STRONGER

Live Hogs For Monday Will Sell at $8 25 Per Hundred—Vegetables Plentiful.

The market this morning was rather small, but there were many changes in the prices of the various offerings. Hay remained steady and sold at prices ranging from $19 50 to $22 per ton. There was but one load of oats sold, this bringing $1 75 per cwt. Straw advanced slightly and is now quoted at $10 to $11 per ton.

The price of butter was a little easier, the wholesale price being 25c to 28c per lb.

Eggs advanced about ore cent per doz. in each of the several classes.

Maple syrup was rather scarce, and what was sold brought $1 25 per gal.

The price of meat was also stronger, dressed pork bringing $11 50, and one lot sold for $11 75 per cwt. Lamb and beef also advanced.

Mr. McIntyre announced that the price of live hogs for Monday would be $8 25 per cwt., and said that there was a chance that a better price would be paid.

Vegetables were pleatiful, and there was a falling off in the price of most of the varieties. Potatoes still remained at the same prices, $1 50 per bag wholesale and $2 per bag retail. There was a very strong demand for potatoes, and it is not likely that the price will change for some time. Celery was rather scarce this morning, owing to the fact that it is now between seasons. One gardener this mcrning brought in a quantity of mushrooms and sold them immediately after his arrival for 80c per lb.

The prices today were:

Grain, Per Cwt.			
Barley, per cwt.	$1 59	to	$1 60
Wheat, per cwt.	1 58	to	1 58
Oats, per cwt.	1 70	to	1 75
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Wheat, per bu.	95	to	96
Oats, per bu.	58	to	60
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	19 50	to	22 00
Straw, per ton	10 00	to	11 00
Dairy Produce.			
Butter, dairy, wholesale	25	to	28
Butter, store lots, lb.	25	to	25
Butter, creamery, lb.	32	to	34
Butter, fancy, retail, lb.	34	to	35
Eggs, dairy hall price	23	to	25
Eggs, fresh-laid, doz.	23	to	24
Eggs, crate, wholesale	22	to	22
Honey, sections, doz.	1 75	to	2 50
Honey, extracted, lb.	11	to	13
Maple syrup, gallon	1 25	to	1 25
Poultry, Dressed.			
Turkeys, large toms, wholesale	16	to	16
Turkeys, hens, wholesale	20	to	20
Turkeys, hens, retail	22	to	22
Chickens, per pair	90	to	1 50
Chickens, lb., wholesale	14	to	15
Chickens, lb, retail	16	to	16
Old fowl, per lb.	8	to	9
Poultry, etc., Alive.			
Turkeys, large toms, wholesale	14	to	14
Turkeys, hens, wholesale	18	to	18
Turkeys, hens, retail	18	to	18
Ducks, per lb.	11	to	12
Chickens, per lb.	13	to	13
Old fowl, lb.	11½	to	12½
Butchers' Meats.			
Last year's lambs, lb.	12	to	14
This years' lambs, lb.	8	to	9
Beef, young, cwt.	9 00	to	11 00
Dressed hogs, choice	11 25	to	11 50
Veal, per cwt.	7 00	to	10 00
Beef cows, cwt.	8 00	to	9 00
Mutton, per cwt.	10 00	to	10 00
Heavy hogs, cwt.	8 00	to	8 50
Stags, per cwt.	2 00	to	2 00
Live Stock.			
Select hogs, cwt.	8 25	to	8 25
Fat sows, cwt.	5 00	to	5 50
Small pigs, pair	6 00	to	8 00
Milch cows, each	40 00	to	60 00
Vegetables.			
Beets, per bu.	60	to	90
Parsnips, per bu.	1 00	to	1 25
Potatoes, single bag	2 00	to	2 00
Potatoes, per load	1 90	to	1 90
Carrots, per bu.	1 00	to	1 00
Celery, doz. bunches	1 00	to	1 00
Cabbage, per doz.	75	to	1 25
Onions, per bu.	2 00	to	2 25
Radishes, doz. bunches	40	to	40
Onions, green, doz.	30	to	30
Lettuce, doz.	40	to	40
Rhubarb, doze.	50	to	60
Turnips, per bu.	35	to	35
Hides, Wool, etc.			
Lambskins, each	1 00	to	1 25
Hides, No. 1, lb.	11	to	11
Hides, No. 2, lb.	10	to	10
Hides, No. 3, lb.	9	to	9
Wool, unwashed, lb.	12	to	12
Wool, washed, lb.	20	to	20
Calfskins, per lb.	14	to	14
Tallow, rough, lb.	2½	to	2½
Sallow, rendered, lb.	5½	to	6
Seeds.			
Red clover, per bu.	11 50	to	12 00
Alsike, per bu.	10 50	to	11 00
Timothy, per bu.	9 50	to	10 00

For Other Markets See Page 10

PRODUCE
CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

CHICAGO, May 4.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
May	115	116½	115	116¾
July	110¾	113	110¾	112¾
Sept.	107½	108⅞	107¼	108¾
Corn—				
May	79	80⅛	79	80
July	76⅝	77⅛	76½	77⅛
Sept.	74⅜	75⅛	74½	75⅜
Oats—				
July	52¾	53½	52¾	53½
Sept.	43⅝	44⅛	43⅝	44⅜
Pork—				
Sept.	19 35	19 50	19 35	19 47
Lard—				
Sept.	11 25	11 20	11 25	11 30
Ribs—				
Sept.	10 62	10 67	10 62	10 65

WINNIPEG, May 4.—Wheat closed: July $1 06.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Wheat closed: Sept. $1 09⅛.

LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFALO, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; good demand and strong. Veals — Receipts, 300 head; fairly active and 50 lower, $4 50 to $8 50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,000 head; fairly active, steady to 10c up; heavy, $8 10 to $8 15; mixed, $8 to $8 10; Yorkers, $7 to $8; pigs, $6 75 to $6 90; roughs, $7 to $7 10; stags, $5 to $6; dairies, $7 50 to $7 90. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 11,300 head; dull; sheep 25c lower; lambs 40c lower; lambs, $4 to $9; yearlings, $7 50 to $7 75; wethers, $7 to $7 25; ewes, $8 to $6 50; sheep, mixed, $2 to $6 75.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Cotton prices up to 2:30 p.m.: July, 11.18c; October, 11.32c.

TORONTO STOCKS
MORNING PRICES

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, May 4.—Opening prices today:

	Sellers.	Buyers.
Amal. Asbestos, pfd.	20	..
Black Lake, com.	1	..
Black Lake, pfd.	3	2
B. C. Packers A.	..	101
B. C. Packers A.	..	105⅜
B. C. Packers, com.	..	97⅜
Bell Telephone Co.	..	144¾
Burt, F. N., com.	114¼	117
Burt, F. N., pfd.	119	117
Canada Cement, com.	31	30½
Canada Cement, pfd.	..	89
Canada General Electric	109	108
Canada Machinery, com.	..	25
Canada Machinery, pfd.	85	84½
Canada Locomotive, com.	40¼	40
Canada Locomotive, pfd.	83	..
Canadian Pacific Railway	256⅞	255⅞
Canadian Salt	..	110
City Dairy, com.	57	55
City Dairy, pfd.	100¼	..
Consumers' Gas	195	194
Crow's Nest	80	..
Detroit United	..	86½
Dominion Canners	..	60
Dominion Canners, pfd.	101½	..
Dominion Steel Corp.	61¾	61
Dominion Telegraph	110½	106½
Duluth-Superior	80	..
Electric Dev., pfd.	..	78
Illinois, pfd.	94	92
Lake of Woods, com.	144	142
Lake of Woods, pfd.	122	..
Lake Supe for Corp.	29	..
Mackay, com.	83½	83¼
Mackay, pfd.	69½	..
Maple Leaf, com.	64	63
Maple Leaf, pfd.	102	101
Mexican L. and P.	..	80
M. St. P. and S. S. M.	141	..
... S. Steel, com.	94½	..
Ogilvie Flour, com.	..	126
Pacific Burt, com.	49	..
Pacific Burt, pfd.	90	..
Penmans, com.	58¾	..
Penmans, pfd.	87	..
Porto Rico Railway	79¼	79
Quebec L., H. and P.	50	..
R. and O. Navigation	124	122
Rio Janeiro Tramway	126¾	126½
Rogers, com.	..	176
Rogers, pfd.	..	112
Russell, M. C., com.	113	111
Russell, M. C., pfd.	115½	114
Sawyer-Massey, com.	..	37
Sawyer-Massey, pfd.	..	91
St. L. and C. Navigation	99	95
Sao Paulo Tramway	212¼	212
Shredded Wheat, com.	..	81½
Shredded Wheat, pfd.	93	90
Spanish River, com.	47¾	47
Spanish River, pfd.	92	90
Steel of Canada, com.	51	50¾
Steel of Canada, pfd.	94	..
Toronto Railway	135¼	135
Twin City, com.	106¼	104
Winnipeg Railway	212	..
Conlagas	..	690
Crown Reserve	..	500
La Rose	365	355
Nipissing Mines	800	775
Trethewey	67	53
Bank of Commerce	220	..
Dominion Bank	233	232
Bank of Hamilton	202	200
Imperial Bank	..	225
Merchants' Bank	198¼	..
Metropolitan Bank	..	196½
Molsons Bank	..	207
Bank of Montreal	..	248
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	275
Ottawa Bank	..	210
Royal Bank	233½	..
Standard Bank	..	233
Bank of Toronto	210	..
Traders' Bank	169	..
Union Bank	163	162
Canada Landed	..	157½
Canada Permanent	..	192½
Central Canada Loan	195	..
Colonial Investment	85	80
Dominion Savings	..	77
Hamilton Provident	..	135
Huron & Erie	..	205½
Huron & Erie, 20% paid	..	194
Landed Banking	..	140
London & Canadian	124	123
National Trust	..	204
Ontario Loan	..	164
Ontario Loan, 20% paid	..	152
Toronto General Trust	200	..
Toronto Mortgage	..	133
Toronto Savings	..	200
Union Trust	180	178
Black Lake, bonds	20	..
C. N. R., bonds	..	99
Electrical Dev., bonds	94	93¼
Laurentide Paper, bonds	..	108
Mexican Electric, bonds	..	83
Mexican L. & P., bonds	90½	..
Ogilvie Flour, bonds, B	91	..
Porto Rico Railway, bonds	..	92
Province of Ontario bonds	..	101⅞
Quebec L., H. & P., bonds	80	..
Rio, first mortgage bonds	103½	..
Sao Paulo, bonds	..	100¾
Spanish River, bonds	100	..
Steel of Canada, bonds	100¼	..

Morning Sales: General Electric, 65 at 108; do, rights, 332 at ¾, 41 at ⅝; Duluth-Superior, 65 at 79; C. P. R., 20 at 256⅛; Russell Motor, preferred, 35 at 112½, 25 at 112, 45 at 114; Maple Leaf, preferred, 29 at 101½; Lake Superior, 50 at 29½; Dominion Iron, 30 at 61⅜; Rio, 80 at 127, 150 at 127, 20 at 126, 25 at 126⅞, 25 at 126⅜; do, new, 41 at 124½, 20 at 124½; Pacific Burt, 121 at 48½; Spanish River, 50 at 47, 25 at 48, 100 at 47½, 25 at 47⅝, 25 at 47⅜; Sao Paulo, 50 at 212½, 100 at 212¾, 20 at 213, 25 at 212⅞, 95 at 212¼, 50 at 212; Locomotive, 49 at 40; Mackay, 75 at 83¼; Dominion Bank, 35 at 232; Union Bank, 20 at 163; City Dairy, preferred, 25 at 100¼; Colonial Loan, 20 at 80, 100 at 77; Cement, 50 at 30¾; do, preferred, 25 at 90½; F. N. Burt, preferred, 50 at 117½; Canadian Machinery, 50 at 25.

Montreal Stock Exchange—Morning Sales

Richelieu and Ontario Navigation, 40 at 123, 5 at 123¼, 175 at 123½; Sao Paulo, 125 at 212⅞, 50 at 213; Porto Rico, 10 at 78½; Power, 120 at 201½, 10 at 201¾, 20 at 202; Mexican, 100 at 83; Bell Telephone, 1 at 150, 10 at 151; Shawinigan, 100 at 136, 245 at 135½; Detroit, 1 at 66, 5 at 66¼; Rio, 125 at 127, 50 at 126⅝; Soo, 100 at 139⅝, 25 at 139½, 25 at 140⅛; Pacific, 25 at 256, 100 at 256½, 100 at 256⅝, 50 at 257⅛, 125 at 157, 3 at 256½; Telegraph, 2 at 150; Crown Reserve, 100 at 312; Laurentide, 10 at 178½; Smart Bag, 9 at 110; Smart Bag, preferred, 5 at 110; Textile, preferred, 45 at 101½; Canada Locomotive, 50 at 40; Ogilvie, 25 at 128; Iron, preferred, 10 at 103; Illinois, preferred, 10 at 92; Toronto Railway, 1 at 135; Spanish River, 15 at 46, 275 at 47½; Scotia, preferred, 1 at 125; Canada Cotton, 100 at 30, 6 at 28, 75 at 29½; Canada Cotton, preferred, 102 at 74, 255 at 74⅞; Montreal Cotton, 5 at 51, 25 at 50½, 50 at 52½; Ogilvie, preferred, 29 at 119; Steel Corporation, 75 at 61¼, 10 at 61½, 355 at 61; Cement, 1 at 30, 367 at 30⅛, 75 at 30¾; Cement, preferred, 240 at 90¼, 28 at 90; Sherwin-Williams, preferred, 65 at 98⅞, 25 at 98½, 35 at 98¾; Canada Car, 25 at 67; Canada Car, preferred, 100 at 104; Converters, 50 at 41; Dominion Canners, 25 at 60⅜, 25 at 60½; Steel of Canada, preferred, 10 at 89½; Coal, preferred, 60 at 115; Royal Bank, 15 at 233; Bank of Commerce, 6 at 227½, 10 at 227; Merchants' Bank, 3 at 153; Union Bank, 20 at 162¾; National Bank, 12 at 123½; Rio bonds, $5,000 at 92; Cement bonds, $3,060 at 100; Iron bonds, $2,000 at 94¾.

NEW YORK, May 4.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	83	83	81⅞	82⅝
Anaconda Copper	41⅞	42	41⅞	42
American Sugar	128½	..	..	..
Amer. Beet Sugar	69	70¼	69	70
American Foundry	58¾	58⅞	57¾	58½
American Refining	86	86	84¼	84¾
Amer. Cotton Oil	56¼	57¼	56	56⅝
Atchison, com.	105⅞	106	105⅜	105⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	109¼	109¼	108⅜	109¼
Brooklyn Transit	82⅜	..	..	..
Canadian Pacific	256½	257⅞	255½	257⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	78½	78⅝	77⅞	78¾
Consolidated Gas	142½	143½	142¼	143
Col. Fuel & Iron	28½	28¾	27¾	27¾
Erie, com.	34⅞	35	34½	34⅝
Erie, pfd.	54¼	54¼	53½	53⅝
G. Northern, pfd.	130½	131	130¼	131
Kansas & Texas	28¾	..	..	..
Louisville & Nash.	157½	158	157⅜	157⅜
Lehigh Valley	166⅞	168¼	166¼	168¼
Missouri Pacific	41	41	40½	40¾
New York Central	118½	118½	117⅞	118
Northern Pacific	118½	119	118⅜	118⅞
Norfolk & Western	113½	112¾	111½	112⅜
Ontario & Western	39	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	123¾	..	..	..
People's Gas	109¼	..	..	..
Reading	172½	173	171⅝	172½
Republic Steel	23	..	..	..
Rock Island	27⅝	28	27¼	28
Rock Island, pfd.	55¼	55½	55	55½
Southern Pacific	109⅝	111	109⅜	111
St. Paul	107⅞	108	107½	108
Union Pacific	169½	169⅝	168⅝	169⅝
U. S. Rubber	57½	57½	56⅝	57
U. S. S.	68⅝	69	68	69
Utah Copper	62½	62½	62	62¼

Increase in Capital.

TORONTO, May 4.—The Robert Simpson Company, Limited, of Toronto, has been authorized to increase its capital from $2,500,000 to $15,000,000. The increase is to be made by issuing 125,000 shares, of which 55,000 will be in preference shares. All the preference shares of the new issue, as well as those already issued, shall bear an annual dividend of six per cent. in addition to non-participating in any other profits, the holders of preference stock shall not exercise any voting rights or control the affairs of the company, and shall not be eligible for election as directors.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YORK, May 4.—The past week has witnessed a marked change in stock market sentiment, which was induced for the most part by the course of security prices. There has been outstanding for quite a period a rather extensive bull account, which was based primarily on the more satisfactory reports relative to the state of trade and on the theory that the adverse factors confronting the situation had in great part exerted their influence. The downward movement was accelerated by the professional operations for the fall and also by the uncovering of stop orders, all of which, in the absence of aggressive banking support tended to give the stock market a decidedly weak appearance. It may be well not to press the selling side too closely, especially as the technical position of the market has been greatly improved, and now that a short interest has assumed large proportions, the same can be reckoned as more or less of a sustaining influence.

PARIS EXCHANGE.

Paris, May 4.—Prices were steady on the Bourse today.

BERLIN EXCHANGE.

Berlin, May 4.—The Bourse closed lower today. The weakness was due to realizing caused by the break in Wall Street yesterday.

MAN CLAIMS HE WAS SOBER WHEN ARRESTED

P. M. Judd Orders Charge of Alexander Scott To Be Investigated.

Alexander Scott had an opportunity to go free without serious trouble at the police court this morning after being arrested last night for drunkenness, but persisted in talking at such length that his trial was finally ordered to proceed on Tuesday morning. In the meantime Scott was released on bail.

Scott wa sarrested last night by P. C. Cecil McRoberts, but the officer was not present this morning when the case was called. The prisoner first admitted that he had been drinking, but after he was discharged and was on his way out of the court room he complained that he was in good shape when taken in and should not have been arrested.

The police magistrate thought that the matter should be investigated, so the matter will be threshed out on Tuesday.

John Anderson, a colored man, arrested last night by P. C. Houlden, was the only other prisoner. John had not been around for intoxication for the past couple of years so he was allowed to go.

WILL ENTERTAIN ALUMNAE

Mrs. James E. Kerrigan Will Be Hostess of Gathering Monday.

Mrs. James E. Kerrigan, daughter of Hon. C. S. Hyman, and who is president of the Alumnae Association of Western University, is entertaining Provost and Mrs. N. C. James and the officers and members of the Alumnae Association, at her home, corner Riddout and Craig streets, on Monday evening next, from 8 to 10.

Mrs. Kerrigan is an ex-student of Western University, and was one of the most enthusiastic and popular students of her year. While in attendance at the university, she, with her contemporaries, established "No. 6," which is the reception-room of the girl students. That her interest in the institution has never waned is evidenced in the scholarship which she is offering to the third-year preparatory student reaching the highest standing. In case this standard is not sufficiently high, the right is reserved to give the scholarship to any other year student whom the faculty may recommend.

CHINESE FAMINE FUND

Donations Received By Mrs. (Rev.) F. A. Steven Now Total $374 62.

Mrs. (Rev.) F. A. Stevens wishes to acknowledge the following contributions to the Chinese famine fund:

Previously acknowledged	$348 81
Mrs. Grist, Strathroy	5 00
Additional from First Congregational Church	2 00
Rev. N. W. Walker	7 00
Anonymous	15
Christian Church	6 66
Nellie Angus	5 00

Total contributions to date $374 62

BEEKEEPERS MEET

Middlesex Association in Session in County Buildings.

The Beekeepers' Association of Middlesex is meeting in the county building today. The reports presented showed that the past winter has been a very hard one on the bees, nearly 40 per cent of the bees dying on account of the severe weather.

Plans were discussed in reference to demonstrations in the various apiaries throughout the district. The association also discussed the plan of entering the county competition at the annual horticultural show that is held in Toronto every November. The president of the association, Mr. Wallace, of Vanneck, presided.

Still Out.

The plasterers are still on strike. On Thursday there were a few who went back to work, but the ranks of the strikers were augmented by others. There are now about 35 men out, and they state they will insist on getting 45 cents an hour. Some of the contractors have offered 40 cents, but the men would not accept that.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Thomas Short, of Ottawa, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Logan, of Dreaney avenue.

A Dundas car left the tracks at the fair grounds loop shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon and delayed traffic on the line for a brief interval.

Joseph Comber, an employee of the Grand Trunk car shops, had the end of one of his fingers cut off while at work yesterday afternoon. The injury was dressed by Dr. McRoberts, who is acting for Dr. Seaborn during the latter's absence in Cleveland.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Healy, "The Pines," Strathroy, announce the engagement of their third daughter, Miss Alice Katherine, to Mr. Frank Wilber Vining, vice and deputy consul of the United States of America at Zanzibar, elder son of the late Mr. James B. Vining, and Mrs. Margaret Vining, of Jersey City, formerly of London, Ont. The marriage will take place in July.

Important Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Protestant Orphans' Home Board will be held on Monday afternoon at 3. Important business is to come up.

Dog Killed.

A well-bred bulldog terrier was struck and killed by an automobile at the corner of Dundas and Wellington streets this morning.

Writ for Alimony.

A writ has been issued by T. W. Scandrett on behalf of Carrie Calder, in which she claims alimony and interim alimony of ten dollars per week from James Calder.

Died in Winnipeg.

The many friends of Mrs. William Lumsden, formerly of this city, will regret to hear of her sudden death, which occurred in Winnipeg on Thursday, May 2.

Elected a Director.

Mr. W. E. Robinson, of this city, has been elected a director of the London Loan and Savings Company of Canada, in place of Thomas Kent, deceased.

Alleged Trespass.

The case in which David Stoneman and James Kennedy, of London Township, were charged with trespass and assault, was adjourned until next Saturday, when they will appear before Squire Chittick.

Appointment Likely.

It is quite probable that Mr. W. Dilger, of Detroit, will be named parks commissioner for the city. He is a high-priced man, but in addition to his work will lay out the city so that in a few years London will be known as the city beautiful, "He is a god man," said Mr. Gammage, one of the advisory committee. "He means business from start to finish and should be a good man for us."

Three-Legged Gosling.

Mr. Alex. Anderson, of Arva, has a three-legged gosling that is attracting considerable attention in the vicinity of his home. The other day a goose owned by him hatched eighteen goslings. On looking the new family over it was found that one of them had a third leg situated near its tail. It is the liveliest one of the outfit and shows no sign of inconvenience from its extra equipment.

Trip to Port.

The London and Port Stanley board, as well as other members of the city council, will go to Port Stanley Monday afternoon to discus the question of a new road up the Fraser Heights. The party will leave on the 2:30 p.m. train and will return by special. Mayor Graham was busily engaged this morning studying the maps of the city's property, both in London and at the Port. It is probable that the closing of certain streets crossing the London and Port Stanley tracks at the Port will be advocated. There are several owned by the village, and while not useful, the residents of the Port could cause much annoyance did they order them opened up.

Didn't See Officials.

Mayor Graham did not see the C. N. R. representatives when in Toronto on Friday. In fact, he failed to see several others he was desirous of interviewing in reference to matters of importance to the city. He did succeed in seeing the provincial health authorities, and having the plans of the incinerator passed. "I was unfortunate in missing nearly everybody I wanted to see," said his worship. "I have absolutely nothing to say on other important matters, demanding our attention at this time. However, there should be some important announcements shortly."

INCINERATOR PLANS HAVE BEEN APPROVED

Matter of Awarding Contract Will Come Up On Monday Night.

The plans and specifications for the incinerator for London have been approved of by the provincial board of health. Mayor Graham was in Toronto on Friday, and had an extended interview with Dr. McCullough, the secretary of the provincial board, and discussed the plans with him. Everything was found to be wholly satisfactory.

"The plans were approved of by the provincial authorities," said his worship. "Dr. McCullough said they were the most complete he had yet seen. The price was also found to be reasonable."

The awarding of the contract will come up at the council meeting on Monday night. Lawrie & Lamb, of Montreal, are the only tenderers, their figures being $39,750 for the plant.

MR. J. W. HENNESSY GOING TO CHATHAM

London Expres Clerk Is Given a Promotion.

Mr. J. N. Hennessy, who for some years has been clerk in the local office of the Dominion Express Company has been appointed agent of the same company at St. Catharines. Mr. Hennessy leaves on Monday to assume his new duties.

CONSTABLE LOGAN LOOKING FOR FRIEND

Borrowed Twenty Cents From G. T. R. Official and Then Quit Work.

After working for about an hour as a baggage handler at the Grand Trunk depot this morning, a man who had been found lingering about the platform, and who was given a job, suddenly rushed up to Constable Logan, and saying that he had just received a message that his little daughter had been run over by a street car, departed, after borrowing 20 cents with which to buy some liniment.

Since then nothing has been heard of him, and inquiry by The Advertiser at the street railway offices failed to elicit any information concerning such an accident.

The name of the man was not known to the G. T. R. authorities, as he was placed at work, when it was found that he had nothing to do. The company is in urgent need of a great many men in London, 50 being wanted at the car shops, 20 or more at the freight sheds, and a couple of dozen for track laying and section work.

POLICE HAVE BEEN ASKED TO LOCATE A LONDONER

Mr. Bert Mitcheltree Has Not Been Seen For Some Days.

The mysterious disappearance of Mr. Bert Mitcheltree, a young Londoner, well known to those connected with the Merchants' Baseball League as the pitcher for the butchers' team at Springbank last season, is worrying his family.

The matter has been reported to the police, but as yet no trace of Mitcheltree has been secured.

The young fellow attended a baseball meeting on Wednesday evening and was with a number of friends afterward. As far as can be learned no person has seen or heard of him since, and while it was at first thought that he would put in an appearance within a short time the police have now been asked to endeavor to locate him.

Personal Mention

Mr. John Orr, of Detroit, is visiting his parents in London before leaving for the west.

Miss Lillian Spindler, of Grey street, has left to spend the week-end with friends in Glencoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lethbridge, Strathroy, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lila Louise, to Roy S. McKay, of the postoffice department, London. The marriage to take place quietly at Strathroy on Wednesday, May 29.

The engagement is announced of Lila Louise, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lethbridge, High street, to R. S. McKay, of London. The marriage will take place quietly on Wednesday, May 29.

Mr. Knowlan, of this city, has gone to Belle River to take the place in the Home Bank of Mr. Dave, who is coming to London.

A Recital.

An exceptionally interesting recital was given Friday evening at Heintzman Hall by the piano pupils of Mrs. Gertrude Penhale Harrison. A large number of parents and friends greeted Mrs. Harrison and her class. The following pupils tok part: Helen Gleeson, Violet Baty, Kathleen Cox, Edna McCallum, George Kelley, Willie Alford, Agnes Bailey, Gladys Bailey, Mabel Carter, Leone Conley, Marjorie Alford, Cleota Barnett, Madeline McCoy, Thelma Tummonds, Miss Simmie, Marion Lashbrook, Ronnie Hart, Leone Keenan, Edith Riley, Kathleen Dwyer, Rose Collins, George Gibson, Jennie Hermann. The readings of Miss Jean Walker were greatly enjoyed.

WOMAN'S CANADIAN CLUB GIVES PRIZES

Pupils Will Write Essays on Patriotic Subjects.

The Women's Canadian Club is to be commended for its efforts to foster the patriotic spirit in the boys and girls of London. Prizes are being offered in each grade of the public schools, in the separate schools, and in Miss Zimmerman's schools, for the best essays on the following subjects: "The Power of the Vote for Good and Evil," "Why Does the City of London Send Members to Two Houses of Parliament," "Name Your Favorite Characters in Canadian History and the Reasons for Your Choice," "What Can We Do To Make London a Beautiful City," "The Growth of Canada, and of Canada's Industries in the Last Five Years." On Empire Day the awards will be presented in the various schools by leading members of the Women's Canadian Club, and members living in the vicinity of any school are invited to attend the ceremony, which will take place about 2 o'clock on May 23.

TRIAL WAS SET FOR GUELPH ASSIZES

Morrison vs. Bernhardt, a Case in Which a London Man Was Plaintiff.

In the case of Morrison vs. Bernhardt, which is an action to recover wages amounting to $1,800, a motion was made to postpone trial from the sessions commencing at Berlin on May 21st, until the fall non-jury sitting.

An order was made by Justice Cartwright at Osgoode Hall on Friday setting the trial for the Guelph assizes, commencing June 24th. J. H. Hancock for the motion, and E. W. Scatcherd for the plaintiff, who is now a resident of this city, while the defendant is a hotelkeeper of Galt.

COST OF LIVING IS SOARING MEAT PRICES ARE COMPARED

Table Which Shows the Quotations of a Week Ago and Those Now in Vogue.

The comparison of local meat prices a fortnight ago and those of today will give an idea of the advance of the high cost of living, where meats are concerned. Last week, meat prices advanced all over Ontario. Following is the comparison:

	Fortnight Ago.	Today.
Chuck roasts, per pound	12	15
Round stead, per pound	16	20
Sirloin roast	16	20
Sirloin, untrimmed	18	22
Pork chops	18	20
Pork, whole loin	16	20
Pork, shoulder	10	12
Pork, leg	14	16

Local dealers are not handling very much lamb at present, as the only meat of this kind obtainable is storage lamb, and there is not much demand for the storage kind.

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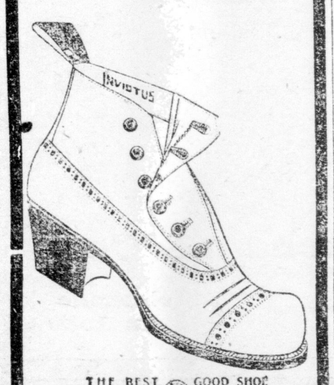

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NEW G. T. R. HEAD NOT YET NAMED

Report That Successor to C. M. Hays had Been Chosen Is Denied.

TAIT'S NAME MENTIONED

But Vacancy on the System Will Not Be Filled For Some Days.

Montreal, May 3.—Extra editions of two evening papers here today published items to the effect that the directors of the Grand Trunk Railway in London had held a meeting and chosen Sir Thomas Tait as successor to the late C. M. Hays. One paper attributed its dispatch to the Associated Press, but in answer to an inquiry a wire came from New York saying that the Associated Press had sent out no such dispatch, although they had heard from Canadian sources that such a rumor was afloat.

Grand Trunk officials here stated that they had heard nothing of the matter, and were inclined to be skeptical. They stated that no appointment was expected until after the visit of Mr. Smithers to Canada. Mr. Smithers is expected next week with several other directors of the company.

Mr. William Wainwright, acting president of the Grand Trunk Railway, is at present in Ottawa, and officials of the Grand Trunk here said that if such an appointment had really been made word of it would doubtless be sent direct to him.

ANTHRACITE MINERS TO HOLD CONVENTION

Will Meet on May 14th and Consider the Tentative Agreement.

New York, May 4.—After being in conference for four hours yesterday, the members of the three anthracite boards issued a call for a general convention at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on May 14, to consider the tentative agreement entered into by the sub-committee representing the operators and the mine workers, and which was rejected by the full committee of the miners in joint conference with the operators here on Thursday. The convention also will be urged to empower the committee of ten to enter into a second joint conference with the operators, and conclude an agreement subject to ratification by a referendum vote of the mine workers.

CARS OF AN EXPRESS ROLL DOWN THE BANK

Train Near Toronto on C. P. R. Wrecked While Rounding a Curve.

Toronto, May 4.—Of the eight cars which composed the day express from Montreal on the Canadian Pacific Railway for Toronto, seven left the rail at Sandbank, five miles east of Burkton Junction, at 5:30 o'clock last evening. Two baggage cars and a mail car rolled down the embankment, which at that point is about 30 feet high. The second-class car slid half-way down the bank and lay upon its side. All the other coaches were off the rails save the sleeper at the end.

Strange to relate, no one on the train was seriously injured. Two men went over the embankment in the baggage and mail cars, and one of them, Roy Maybee, a baggageman, living at 163 St. Germain street, Montreal, was cut about the legs and severely bruised. He was attended by Dr. H. B. Anderson, Bloor street east, who was on the train, and was subsequently taken to St. Michael's Hospital.

Passengers Escape.

Other passengers received scratches and bruises, and a shaking-up. The passengers in the second-class car, which slid half-way down the embankment and was supported by the cars behind, left it in the majority of cases by the windows. When the accident occurred the train was travelling at only about 25 miles an hour, as it was rounding a curve on a grade.

The cause of the accident has not yet been definitely ascertained. Some persons believed it to have been due to spread rails, others to a broken rail.

"SURVIVOR" IMPOSTORS

One Couple Had Not Been Out of Buffalo for Many Years.

New York, May 4.—Additional "survivors" of the Titanic disaster are turning up daily at the White Star Line offices, and at the quarters of the various relief committees, only to be proved to be impostors. Some do not try to get any money, but seem only to have a curious desire to be recorded as among the survivors.

A middle-aged couple from Buffalo appeared at the White Star Line office yesterday. They refused to take money, but told credible stories of how they escaped from the vessel and were picked up by the Carpatala but their names had not appeared in the lists. Investigation proved, according to the steamship officials that the couple had not been outside of Buffalo for seven years until their present visit to the city.

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TO ARRIVE IN JUNE

Will Make an Extensive Trip, Including All Points Between the Two Coasts.

Ottawa, May 3. — Arrangements have been completed for the visit to Canada of from 50 to 60 British capitalists, businessmen and manufacturers, representing, all told, something like two hundred millions. Conferences have taken place between Hon. George Foster and Mr. Leonard Palmer, of London, the originator of the trip. The party will include representatives of the London Chamber of Commerce, several British boards of trade, Vickers, Limited, Birmingham Small Arms Company, Commill, Laird & Co., and other big British industries.

They will sail from Liverpool on the Empress of Britain and May 31, and will arrive on June 6 at Quebec, where they will be officially welcomed to the Dominion. After a brief stay in the Ancient Capital they will proceed to the Martime Provinces, where a week will be spent in inspecting the resources of that portion of the country. Arriving at Montreal about June 15, they will afterwards proceed to Ottawa, where the visitors will be given an official welcome by the Dominion Government. They will subsequently visit Toronto and the chief points in Ontario, including Niagara and the Cobalt camp. Then proceeding west, the party will make an extensive tour of the Western Provinces and of British Columba about July 19, and will sail for Liverpool, where they are due to arrive about July 27, after a tour of 42 days in Canada. The various boards of trade as well as the civic authorities throughout the Dominion have already taken steps towards giving the visitors a welcome.

DID DUFF-GORDON BUY HIS RESCUE?

Knightly Act If Statement of Titanic Sailors Is True.

London, May 4.—At the Washington inquiry, several seamen testified that a wealthy Englishman distributed large sums of money to the sailors in one of the lifeboats and requested them to hurry away from the side of the Titanic.

In the sworn depositions at Plymouth, of Firemen Dilley and Hendricksen, it is stated that Sir Cosmo Duff-Gordon was the man, and he ordered them to get away from the side of the Titanic with the boat to which they had been assigned. Sir Cosmo said to them:

"Row away; I am a man of money." They received $25 each.

Sir Cosmo Duff-Gordon married a Guelph (Ontario) lady.

ROOSEVELT INVADES TAFT TERRITORY

Appeals to Negro Vote of Maryland For Support.

Baltimore, Md. May 3. — "I ask every decent colored man in the State of Maryland to see to it that no colored man sells his vote in this primary on Monday. The man who sells his vote is not only a traitor to himself, but is guilty of high treason to this nation and to the cause of democracy and to his race."

This was the opening note of Col. Roosevelt's campaign in Maryland today. "I would do anything to the unscrupulous white man of large means who buys votes. I would send him to the penitentiary. But I would also proceed to the limit against the colored man who accepts a bribe."

Col. Roosevelt had his car shot into the heart of the strongest Taft territory in Maryland shortly after midnight, so that when he awakened this morning his first straight shot was at the control and buying of colored votes, and an appeal to the colored man to vote without money. The town was Salisbury, the centre of importance on the lower end of the eastern shore of Chesapeake Bay. A large share of the Republican vote is negro.

He told them that he had been fighting for their rights all his life, and especially for their enfranchisement, and that if they were worthy of being fought for, and wanted to prove themselves deserving of the ballot, let them come out now and turn down dollars for principles in their vote, and vote as they wanted to.

FIRE IN TENEMENTS

Twenty Families Homeless and Loss of About $10,000.

St. John, N. B., May 4.—Fire in three wooden buildings in the tenement section, Main street, yesterday afternoon, rendered twenty families homeless and did $10,000 damages. Fire started in a barn near the New Brunswick Cold Storage Building, and spread to the houses so quickly that the firemen had to rescue two women from one of the tenements.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.
[Special to The Advertiser.]

Waterloo, May 3.—Heavy damage was done yesterday afternoon when fire destroyed the big barn and sheds of the Schneider Hotel, in St. Clements, a village twelve miles from this town.

Homeseekers' and Settlers' Special Trains to Western Canada.

Via Chicago and St. Paul, April 16, 23 and 30, and every second Tuesday thereafter until Sept. 17, inclusive. Tickets will also be on sale on certain dates via Sarnia and Northern Navigation Company. Special train will leave Toronto 10:30 p.m. on above dates for Edmonton and points in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, stopping at all points on Grand Trunk Pacific Railway west of Winnipeg. Through coaches and Pullman tourist sleepers will be carried, fully equipped with bedding and porter in charge. Berths may be secured in sleepers at a low rate. This is an exceptional opportunity for those wishing to take advantage of the remarkably low one-way settlers' rates or round-trip homeseekers' excursions through the American cities. No change of cars. Secure tickets and berth reservations from any Grand Trunk agent, or write A. E. Duff, district passenger agent, Union Station, Toronto. 75tf

MYSTERY SOLVED BY CONFESSION

Brother-in-Law of Murdered Trapper Admits to Killing Him.

SAYS IN SELF DEFENCE

Man Found Dead in Woods Near Lindsay Victim of a Family Feud.

Minden, Ont., May 3.—The mystery surrounding the murder of Louis Porter on the Cameron road on the evening of April 25 was cleared up today by the arrest of Arthur Ellis, brother-in-law of the murdered man, who confessed to the killing, but claimed that the shot was fired in self-defence. He also accompanied Inspector Reburn and Constable Welch to the scene of the crime, and showed them where he had placed the dead man's rifle.

Inspector Reburn and Constable Welch visited the home of Ellis this morning, and after a couple of hours' grilling, Ellis confessed to the murder. He was then placed under arrest and brought to Minden to appear at the adjourned inquest tonight.

Ellis' confession, which was repeated to the jury by the accused at the adjourned inquest conducted this evening before Coroner Progue, was as follows:

The Confession.

"I saw Lew Porter pass my house Thursday evening, April 25th. After he had passed I went down the road to hunt some stray cattle. I could not see them, and, coming home, went into the house and got my dog and gun and went up the road north. I met Porter in the swamp on the road coming south. I asked him if he had seen any cattle. He said, 'No. Are you looking for cattle? I thought you were looking for me.'

"I said: 'No, Lew, if I had been looking for you I could have found you long ago.'

"We had passed one another, and he swore at me, and said: 'If you want me now you can have me.' When he spoke like that, he turned and fired at me. I threw my gun to my shoulder, and said, 'Lew, that is enough.'

Fired Three Shots.

"I went on down the road as far as the commons, and turned around, and was going back. After I got across the swamp I saw Porter coming towards me on the road. I stepped off to one side and hid behind a small balsam tree. After Lew had passed I spoke to him, and as soon as I did so, he wheeled and fired at me, the bullet being embedded in the tree just past my face. Then I fired two or three shots at him, and he apparently kept coming towards me. When I saw him drop I went towards him and as he was apparently dead, I dragged him in on an old road about twelve feet from where the body was found."

Wrote to Father.

Ellis used an Enfield rifle, which was also found in his house after the arrest. He was desirous of giving out all information regarding the tragedy, and stated that he expected he would be hanged for the crime. He wrote the following letter to his father before accompanying the officers to Minden

"11:15 a.m., Miner's Bay, Ont., May 3.—I am arrested for shooting Lew Porter and I admit doing it. Of course, it was self-defence. Please excuse me for telling you what I did. I will be taken to Minden. I want you to pick up everything around here and rent the place to someone, as I don't expect to get a trial until fall. Come to Minden as soon as you can and see me. Yours truly, A. A. ELLIS."

The prisoner is now confined in jail here, and will appear next Monday evening, May 6, together with all witnesses, for a final hearing.

FATALLY INJURED.
[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, May 3.—Struck by a train of cars being switched in the Michigan Central yards last midnight, Christian Waugh, a yard employee, was so badly injured that his death resulted this morning. No one saw the accident. Waugh was 45 years old, and leaves a widow.

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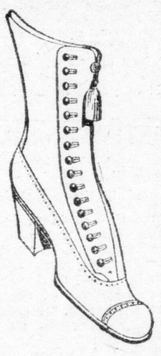

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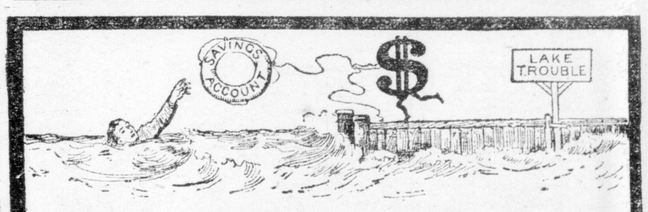

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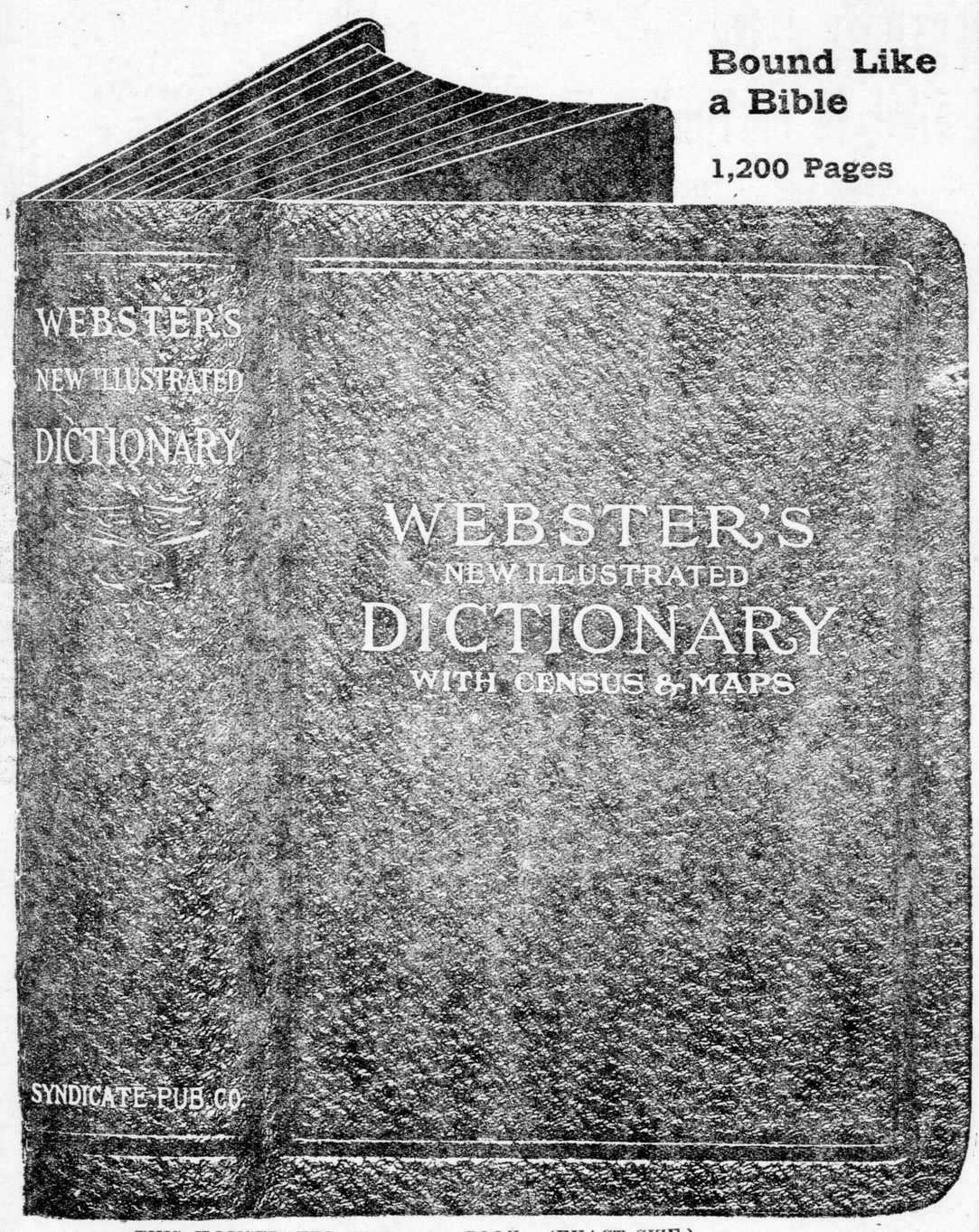

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The dispatches speak of the manoeuvre also as resulting in heavy loss of life.

The Italian dirigibles had previously been used for reconnoitring, and a few bombs had been dropped.

This was the first instance in the history of the world where airships have been used at length as war machines, and kept at the task until an entire camp was wiped out.

No particulars of the loss of life had been received other than the laconic reply of the Italian commander that it "was very heavy."

The Turks tried to utilize their field pieces to destroy the dirigibles with shrapnel, but they could not fire at sufficient elevation, and the explosives fell far short.

NET RESULTS OF INQUIRY

New York, May 4.—The net results of the Titanic investigation and the proposed recommendations of the Senate committee that has been conducting the inquiry here and in Washington, were described yesterday by Senator Smith, chairman of the committee.

The recommendations will include double bottoms for all large vessels, full lifeboat equipment, searchlights, danger signals, double watches at night, two-man wireless service, and avoidance of the northerly track in the iceberg season.

TITANIC VICTIM WAS BURIED AT HARRISTON

Funeral of Mr. George Graham Was Very Largely Attended.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Harriston, May 3.—The remains of the late George Graham arrived here today. The special train from Toronto was accompanied by a large delegation of sorrowing friends and fellow-workmen from the Eaton Company. On the arrival of the draped train, the remains were taken to the Methodist Church, where service was conducted by Prof. Bowel, of Toronto, assisted by Rev. C. T. Bennett, after which they were conveyed to Harriston Cemetery for interment, followed by one of the largest crowds ever assembled in the cemetery. The numerous flowers which were conveyed in two carriages testified to the esteem in which this young man was held. The deepest sympathy is extended Mrs. Graham and relatives.

GREENFLL APPOINTED

Will Be One of the Commisioners for Peace Arbitration.

Ottawa, Ont., May 3. — The Canadian Government has appointed Dr. Wilfrid Grenfell and Prof. Prince as commissioners to arrange with British and American commissioners for the celebration of the hundred years of peace between Great Britain and the United States.

LEVEE BROKE.

Baton Rouge, La., May 3.—The Mississippi River protection levee in front of Bayou Sara, La., broke at 11 o'clock. According to the report here there is no chance to save the town from inundation.

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TOOK TEN BODIES FROM THE COFFINS

Sensation Develops at Halifax Funeral Service Over Titanic Dead.

JEW'S REMAINS TAKEN

Hebrew Rabbi to Have Them Buried With Ceremonies of Their Race.

Halifax, May 3.—A sensation was created at Fairview Cemetery this afternoon when the funeral services began over the bodies of the unidentified Titanic dead. A big crowd was present, a military band was there and half a dozen clergymen were on hand to officiate in the interment exercises.

The plan for the burial was to inter the bodies in a long trench, each body numbered and a corresponding number to be placed on a slab over the graves when filled up, so that the remains could be exhumed should this be necessary in the future.

Ten Bodies Missing.

When the officials, including representatives of the White Star Line, arrived, it was found that ten bodies were missing. The interment went on, however, of the incomplete number in spite of some confusion. It developed when inquiries were made that the ten vacant graves should have been occupied by the remains of Hebrews and that the bodies had been taken away this forenoon by the Jewish Rabbi with some of the principal Hebrews of the city, and had been deposited in the mortuary room of the Jewish Cemetery.

Open Coffins at Cemetery.

The rabbi had been given nine Hebrew bodies at the morgue after his report to the registrar of deaths that he had found them to be Hebrews. This was all right, but the rabbi said he had had no opportunity of examining the other bodies at the cemetery awaiting interment which had been taken out previously to his investigation at the morgue. He therefore repaired to the cemetery, opened the coffins waiting for interment, satisfied himself that they were bodies of Hebrews and forthwith, with some assistance, had them taken to the Jewish burying ground.

Dangerous To Wait.

Nothing was said to any of the officials about his intention, but the rabbi acted thus promptly, he says, because if he had waited the burial would have taken place, and it would have been too late. The authorities' action is awaited.

The burial permit distinctly states that the interment was to be at Fairview Cemetery. The rabbi went over all the bodies at the morgue and reports that of 190 brought in by the Mackay-Bennett, 43 are Hebrews.

Of the 98 bodies still in the morgue, 43 have been claimed by friends and shipped to destination; permits for the burial of 58 unidentified have been issued and the baby boy will be buried tomorrow by the crew of the Mackay-Bennett.

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Mr. Charles Oram, formerly of this city, but now homesteading near Herbert, Saskatchewan, in writing to friends here, gives an interesting description of a day's trip on the trail, and tells of some of the difficulties encountered along the route.

"Five teams started out while it was yet dark, on the trail leading due north toward the Saskatchewan River, across which our destination lay, a total distance of 50 miles. Being the first week in April, the air was uncomfortably cold until the sun crept above the horizon. We saw several fine flocks of ducks, and now and then a coyote would slink across our trail. The snow having only recently thawed, there were quite a number of soft, boggy spots in the trail, as well as sloughs, around which we were forced to go. Stopping places with the opportunity to feed at, are sometimes far between, so we pulled into a farmyard presently and made ourselves and horses comfortable, the owner being away. Before leaving we all left enough to cover expenses on the kitchen table.

Crossing the Saskatchewan.

"We were desirous of crossing the Saskatchewan River before dark, a distance of 16 or 18 miles away. From this point onward, our party became split up, some being loaded lighter could travel faster; another had stopped to unload some oats, and Harry and I found ourselves alone on the most difficult part of the trail, and one which we had not travelled before. The river, for several reasons, stands out as a distinct feature on the trails in this section of Saskatchewan, chiefly because it is the only place where trees are to be found. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon we reached the top of the brakes and commenced the descent. The only way to descend is to lock a wheel, and even then, the horses have all they can do to hold the load back. The general method is to run one wheel against the soft bank, but this can only be done in places where the trail has been cut through an extra steep hill. Everything went along nicely with us until we came to an extra steep hill with a sharp turn at the bottom and a coulee in the bend of the trail. I was driving the leading team, and halfway down the load seemed to swerve toward the coulee despite all my efforts to keep it out. When we reached the bend in the trail, I could not stop the team, and we were rapidly sliding toward the coulee. Realizing that something had to be done, and that quickly, I turned the horses out far enough to almost lock the wheels, just missed the edge of the coulee and nearly upset against the steep bank on the opposite side of the trail.

A Splendid Sight.

"The Saskatchewan River is about one-half a mile wide, and runs between brakes which rise to a height of 600 feet, gradually receding in various grades until the distance from bank to bank is from three to three and one-half miles. We passed through about 100 yards of bush, and drew up to give the horses a rest before starting to cross the half-mile of loose sand which lay between us and the river. We had already heard of the reputation of this sand bar, and heartily wished we were across it. We could see where the tracks of prevous teams had sunk in six inches. I have already said that we were heavily loaded, and it hurt to see the horses, with already a thirty-mile journey to their credit, forced to pull for every ounce that was in them. It was impossible to pull more than 50 feet witsout a rest, and to make matters worse the loads settled down whenever we stopped, and we found it necessary to dig out from in front of the wheels to get a start; even then we had to try two or three times. The boys say that a retired preacher, who is located close to us, described the river brakes as "One of God's most beautiful creations," but when he got stuck on the sand bar with his team of oxen he attributed the creation of it to a different region altogether! We were anxious to reach a farm about eight miles further on before dark, and the day was now rapidly drawing in. The ferryman and his assistant came up at this time, and with their help on the wheels we were enabled to start once more, and reached the ferry without further adventure.

A Tough Journey.

The sun was just setting as we landed on the other bank of the river. So far our journey had been down hill, but now, at the end of the day, we were face to face with the 600-feet rise to the prairie above, and then another three miles to the nearest house. The horses were tired out, but after a brief rest we began the ascent. Coming down had seemed bad enough, but to face the hills with a load of about 3,500 pounds, just at dusk, made a man begin to think that if homesteading was an inviting investment, it is, nevertheless, one which calls for great fortitude on the part of the homesteader. Our journey up the brakes was one long procession of stops and starts, hills being climbed only after the greatest efforts. We got half-way up, and the horses refused to pull more. We then held a council of war. We did not know where we were, and it was quite dark, so we finally decided to abandon the loads and, with the horses, make for the nearest place. Presently we could see a light off to the east. It came from a Norwegian shack, but our hopes dropped to zero when the man told us he had absolutely no room. After much urging, he finally consented to make room for the horses by turning his cows out to pasture, and also prepared a place for us to sleep on some hay in the barn. Our host spoke truly when he informed us he had no room, for when we took supper in the house, we noticed that there were four men, a woman and three children to sleep in a 12x16 shack. The barn was 24x24, and in it were four oxen, four horses, two geese, a sheep, a calf and about twenty chickens. The latter roosted just above the only available place where we could lay down. However, it was useless to quarrel with our bed. I don't think either of us ever slept so well before, in spite of the fact that one ox broke loose, the calf walked over us once, and the geese inspected us thoroughly and started to warble sweet "lullabys" at 3 o'clock in the morning. A good sleep refreshed us, and the next morning we started off whistling to get our loads, and everything went along splendidly until we reached our destination, having made a fair journey."

TO HONOR AMUNDSEN

Brilliant Reception Awaits Explorer at Buenos Ayres.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, May 4.—Dispatches having been received here announcing that Captain Roald Amundsen, the discoverer of the South Pole, is leaving Australia for Buenos Ayres, the Norwegian colony here is preparing a brilliant reception in honor of the explorer. The steamer Fram, bearing Captain Amundsen and his party, is expected to reach this city at the end of the present month.

CONFISCATED FISH.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, May 3.—Two cases of yellow pickerel were confiscated here today by Game Warden Chauvin, and turned over to the Home for the Friendless. One of the consignments was found at the Pere Marquette depot, and a huckster was trying to dispose of the other one. The warden is now endeavoring to locate the man who shipped the pickerel out of season.

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The distribution of dictionaries has proved such a popular idea that the clerks in the Dictionary Department are being kept busy all day long showing the books to those who are anxious to see what they are going to get as soon as they have collected six consecutive coupons. Not one book will be given out until the six days expire. It is expected that sets of coupons will begin to arrive with a rush then.

For increasing the vocabulary the books would be hard to beat, for their convenient size and compactness renders all of them ready for reference. No. 1 is a beautiful book bound in limp leather like a Bible. No. 2 is half leather binding. No. 3 is bound in plain cloth. There are 11,000 synonyms and antonyms in the dictionary.

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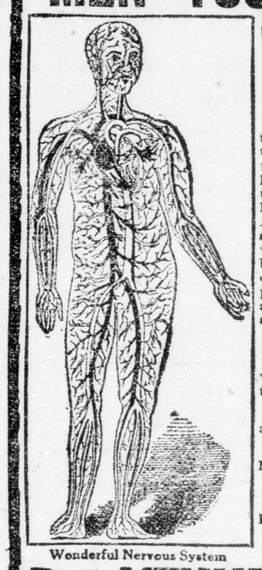

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GIANT PARADE AT NEW YORK AS PLEA FOR WOMAN'S VOTE

Twelve Thousand Women and Three Thousand Men Will Take Part In Demonstration at the American Metropolis—Millionaire's Wife To Head One of the Divisions.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, N. Y., May 4.—The weather man provides a warm sun and a cloudless sky today for the biggest woman's suffrage demonstration in New York's history. For nearly a year preparations for the great parade have been under way, and there was little for Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch and her assistants to do today except to marshal the various divisions of their forces for the big parade at 5 o'clock, and the mass meeting in Carnegie Hall at 6.

The 15,000 women—and men, too—who had asked for places in the parade, received a last word of exhortation from Mrs. Blatch during the morning. "Remember," she said through a printed card with which each would-be parader was provided, "You march for the mightiest reform the world has ever seen. The orderly appearance of our procession depends upon each individual marcher. The procession will start at 5 o'clock, and not one minute later. Remember, the public will judge, quite illogically, of course, but not less strictly, your qualification as a voter by your promptness."

The men marchers, Mrs. Blatch thought, might reach 3,000 in number. They will be led by R. C. Beadle, secretary of the Men's League for Woman's Suffrage.

The programme of the parade provided for a procession made up of eleven divisions, led by an equestrienne squad of 100 riders, a band, and a company of outdoor suffragettes.

Mrs. Belmont In It.

The eleventh division, bringing up the rear of the parade, was assigned to Mrs. O. P. H. Belmont's organization of department store clerks, preceded by the newly-organized baby carriage brigade. In order that Mrs. Belmont's followers might feel no hesitation at appearing in their workaday clothes, she announced that she would wear a white suit "three years old," and one of the 29-cent parade hats, which were officially selected by the suffragette leaders a few weeks ago.

The tenth division, which comprised the regular members of the woman's suffrage party, hired a dozen bands for their section of the parade, and provided each marcher with a yellow pennant and a tiny yellow electric torch.

TRACTION LINE TO INGERSOLL IS WITHIN THE POSSIBILITIES

London and Lake Erie Co. Are Willing to Consider a Proposition.

The extension of the London and Lake Erie Traction line from London to Ingersoll is within the possibilities this year. A charter for this route was secured some time ago by a company, but nothing definte was done towards building the road

Of late, however, better railway accommodation is in demand, and it is understood that the farmers between London and Ingersoll, together with businessmen from the latter place have begun to interest themselves in the matter.

The directors of the London and Lake Erie Company have not officially discussed the scheme as yet, but it was announced today that they would listen to any deputation that may come from the municipalities interested. While they are discusing extensions to Delaware and Aylmer, this line could be considered and probably constructed with the others.

Will Consider a Proposition.

"If a proposition were made to the directors, there is no question but that they would consider it," said Manager Mower, of the Traction Company. "The other municipalities have come to us regarding extensions to Aylmer and Delaware, and negotiations have now reached a most important stage. It is most likely that both divisions will be constructed in the very near future. If the ratepayers along the Ingersoll route desire a line, there is no question but that the directors would give the matter their most serious consideration."

In reference to the meeting in Aylmer Friday afternoon, Manager Mower is enthusiastic. Strong speeches in favor of the extension were made by Mr. David Marshall, M. P., Dr. Sinclair, Mayor Wright, and others.

"I was particularly struck with the statement of Mr. Marshall," said Mr. Mower to The Advertiser. "In making his address, he turned to Mayor Wright and said, 'If we do not get this line, it is your fault.' They seem to want it badly, and I am confident it will be constructed."

NO IMPROVEMENT IN MABEE'S CONDITION

Chairman of Railway Commission Still in Critical State.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, May 4.—At 10:30, St. Michael's Hospital reported there had been no improvement in Judge Mabee's conditions since midnight, but that the patient had passed a fairly restful night.

ARRESTS HIS MAN AND DROPS DEAD

A Gananoque Policeman Expires While on Duty.

Kingston, Ont., May 4.—After making an arrest and placing the man in the lockup, Policeman James Shine, of Gananoque, dropped down on the sidewalk on Friday afternoon and expired shortly afterwards. Heart failure was the cause of his death. Deceased came to Gananoque from Ireland twenty years ago to act as servant for the late Rev. Father O'Gorman.

Mrs. James McQueen and family, of 63 Sackville street, East London, wish to thank their many friends in London and St. Marys for the kidness and sympathy shown to them in their sad bereavement. 97u

STORED LIQUOR

First Case Under New Act Was Heard at Galt.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Galt, May 3.—The first prosecution in Ontario under the new act which prohibits the storing of liquor in a local option municipality was heard in the local police court this morning. The defendant was George Ellison, who conducted a distributing agency for the Lion Brewery, of Berlin. The information was laid by Chief of Police Gorman, after Ellison had neglected to remove a stock of liquor from his premises according to the order of License Inspector R. H. Knowles. Ellison was defended by James Haverson, K.C., of Toronto, who admitted that an offence against the law had been committed, but asked for a suspension of sentence because his client could hardly be expected to comply with the law within so short a time after it had been passed. Magistrate Blake deferred judgment for a week.

FIRST JAP TO JOIN.

New York, May 4.—A. Yamada, a buyer for the Japanese export trade, is the first Japanese ever elected to membership in the New York Cotton Exchange. There has been an increasing number of Japanese cotton buyers appearing in the cotton markets of the south in recent years, but until recently the Japanese merchants had never thought it worth while to obtain membership in the country's largest contract market.

Japan's cotton-spinning industry has made rapid strides in the past few years, and she is competing sharply in the markets of the Far East with European and American manufacturers. Japan and China have so far this year taken 488,000 bales of American cotton, compared with 147,000 bales last year.

DEDICATION ON SUNDAY OF ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH

His Lordship Bishop Fallon and Many Priests Will Be Present.

The new Roman Catholic Church at the corner of Duchess avenue and Cathcart street, South London having been practically completed, will be dedicated tomorrow morning at 10:30 by His Lordship Bishop Fallon, to St. Martin of Tours, and will be known as St. Martin's Church.

A large number of the priests of the Diocese of London will be in attendance in the morning, when the celebration of the solemn dedicatory mass will take place. The bishop is to be assisted by Rt. Rev. Mgr. Aylward as high priest; Rev. Father West, of St. Thomas, as first assistant deacon; Rev. Fr. Valentine, assistant deacon; Rev. Father Hanlon, rector of the new north end parish, of St. Michael's, whose church is now being commenced, as deacon of the mass; Rev. Fr. Tobin as subdeacon, and Rev. Father Tierney as master of ceremonies.

Rev. Father Tobin, assistant rector of St. Mary's Church, East London, will preach the sermon.

A Handsome Church.

The new church of St. Martin's is a very handsome structure, and is situated on the corner of Duchess avenue and Cathcart street, adjoining St. Martin's Separate school. The new parochial residence is adjacent to the church, and is linked directly with the vestry.

The edifice is beautifully finished, and while work has not been completed, several of the memorial windows have been installed. One particularly handsome art window, "The Resurrection," is the gift of Bishop Fallon.

The main altar was donated by Mr. Martin O'Sullivan, and the sanctuary lamp by Mr. Joseph Pocock. A splendid pipe organ has been installed in the choir gallery.

The edifice has a seating capacity for about 550 people, while the auditorium beneath will accommodate 600.

St. Martin, to whom the church is to be dedicated, was Bishop of Tours during the fourth century, and being an uncle of St. Patrick, exerted his good influences for the education to the work of the church of the apostle of Ireland.

The New Parish.

The new parish was created in January of 1911, and Rev. Father F. X. Laurendeau, then of Wingham and St. Augustine, was placed in charge. The Catholics of the city south of the River Thames and of Westminster Township are within his jurisdiction.

The rector has worked incessantly since being given charge of the work, and the results of his earnest endeavors are now shown in a manner very gratifying to his people.

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TRAIN WILL RUN AN HOUR LATER

Railway Commission Orders a Change on the G. T. R. East of St. Thomas.

LONDON NOT SATISFIED

To Accommodate Travellers From This City the Train Should Leave St. Thomas at 7 o'Clock.

The Dominion railway commission has ordered the Grand Trunk east from St. Thomas to run a train an hour later than usual in the morning, and the time of its departure will be 6:35 in future. As a result of this the Pere Marquette train that formerly left London at five minutes to 5 in the morning will leave an hour later, at five minutes to 6.

This is an advantage, but it does not satisfy some of the members of the city council, and the London and Port Stanley board will be asked to take steps to further improve the service.

"The train for the east should leave St. Thomas at 7 o'clock," said Ald. Bennett. "If that were the time the Pere Marquette train would leave at 6:20 a.m., giving us a very efficient service from London. It is my opinion that some action should be taken, and the service restored to where it was formerly."

At the Lakeside.

In addition to this question, the London and Port Stanley Board will take up a number of other questions on their visit to Port Stanley on Monday. The most important will be the construction of a roadway up Fraser Heights, and the closing of Smith street. It has been learned that the council of Port Stanley will not assume the responsibility for maintaining the road. Last year's council were willing to do that, but the representatives of the citizens this year refuse to accept that responsibility. In consequence, there may be objections to giving the village the right to change the road.

"I do not know whether or not the London and Port Stanley Board have the right to give a road for vehicular traffic up the Heights," declared Ald. Richter. "As a body they are concerned only in improving the paying qualities of the road. Giving a good road up the hill will not do that; in fact, it may detract from our earning powers."

Ald. Spittal took the opposite view of the matter, and declared that it was the duty of the board to make Port Stanley as attractive as possible to bring people there.

Good for the Road.

"The more attractive we make the Port, the better it will be for our road," he declared.

However, these and kindred questions will precipitate a lively discussion on Monday afternoon, when the aldermen visit the Port.

SEEKS LOST HUSBAND AMONG TITANIC BODIES

Mrs. James McCrie, of Sarnia' Has Left for Halifax on Sad Mission.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, May 4. — Mrs. James McCrie has left for Halifax in the hope of identifying her husband among the bodies recovered from the ill-starred Titanic. Mr. McCrie was on the list of second-class passengers and it is possible that his body may be among those recovered. The many friends of Mrs. McCrie sincerely hope that the bereaved wife will be successful in her mission and bring the body home for burial. The affair is a particularly sad one, and citizens of the town will do everything possible to aid the widow. Mr. McCrie died a hero, as did his fellows, and people here are prepared to acknowledge him as a fellow-townsman.

GODERICH WAS ABLE TO SUPPLY THE FIELD

Territory Two Miles By Five Miles on Which to Manoeuvre Cavalry.

Major G. C. W. Gordon-Hall, of the military headquarters here, returned Friday evening from Goderich, where he has been making arrangements for the military camp to be held there in June.

His efforts to secure a large field for manoeuvring were highly successful, and the troops will have a district two miles from north to south, and about five miles from the lake east.

In response to his efforts the farmers in Colborne Township have agreed to allow the troops the use of their land, and in this way the increased area has been obtained. Most of it is pasture land, with few buildings, and few acres under cultivation. The physical features lend themselves to military work.

The work of preparing the ground will be commenced at once, and everything will be ready when the camp opens.

ECHO OF BERLIN CHRISTMAS TRAGEDY

Men Responsible For Wood Alcohol Poisonings Heavily Punished.

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, May 4.—The trial begun on March 26 of the men accused of being responsible for the wood alcohol poisonings, which occurred at Christmas among the inmates of the municipal night shelter for the homeless, ended today.

A druggist named Scharmach, who secured and prepared the deadly spirits, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment. Two salesmen named Zastrow and Meyen were each given two months in jail.

The indictment against the accused, which specified 89 cases of death and 5 of total blindness from the effects of wood alcohol poisoning, alleged the violation of the pure food law by the preparation and selling of harmful substitutes, and thus causing serious bodily harm. The figure 89 given as the number of deaths was taken merely for convenience. Many more deaths in the past, it is now known, were due to wood alcohol poisoning, and the sale of the deleterious liquor is known to have been going on for years

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ESSON, OF PETROLEA, GETS TERM IN THE REFORMATORY

Judge Recommends Five Years in Ionia and Urges Youth to Study Hard and Get All the Education He Can.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Huron, May 4.—Judge Law, in circuit court at 9 o'clock this morning sentenced George Esson, of Petrolea, Ont., convicted of manslaughter, to serve from four to fifteen years in Ionia, the Mirchigan reformatory, with a recommendation of five years.

In pronouncing sentence, Judge Law said: "I want you to attend night school there and become better educated. Be a good young man and they will treat you well. Under no condition will I recommend shortening your sentence until the four years have passed, as it is the only thing that will make a man of you. After that, if you behave you can be paroled."

None of Esson's relatives were present in the court room, and only five people heard the sentence pronounced. Esson took the judgment very calmly but appeared more impressed and amenable than ever before. As he was being led away he remarked: "I wish they would catch the other fellow before I leave."

INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION WILL GIVE A PRACTICAL TRAINING

Rev. H. H. Bingham Tells of the Advantages of It for the Young.

Industrial education has the heartiest support and sympathy of Rev. H. H. Bingham, pastor of Talbot Street Baptist Church. He sees in it possibilities of molding the lives of young men and women, and directing their endeavors along useful and productive lines. Mr. Bingham was a student under Chancellor McKay, of McMaster University, who resigned that position to accept the principalship for the Technical School in Toronto, and received a great deal of inspiration from him.

"The industrial night school is certainly a great thing," he stated to The Advertiser. "It has given young men and young women an opportunity to fit themselves for a practical life in the future. There are many who are unable in the daytime, because of the necessity of earning their living, to get the training they desire, and as a result the night industrial classes have filled a great need here."

A Practical Training.

"Speaking on the broad question of technical education, it is the practical training that fits young men to take their position in the industrial world. When a student in McMaster University, Chancellor McKay was greatly impressed by the great field technical education offered for influencing the life of the young men and women of the country. He resigned his position as chancellor of the university to go into this work. We endeavored to keep him in university work, and he did come back, but his heart was in the technical work, and he became principal of the Toronto Technical School. He always impressed us students of the enormous opportunities there were for helping men and women in this great and growing Dominion. We have never got away from that influence."

MUNICIPALITIES ARE READY TO GUARANTEE TRACTION BONDS

London and Lake Erie Directors Met Representatives of Different Places To Be Benefitted By Extension of the Line From St. Thomas to Aylmer.

The municipalities through which the proposed extension of the London and Lake Erie Traction Company from St. Thomas to Aylmer will pass, have agreed to guarantee the bonds.

At a conference held on Friday afternoon in Aylmer, between representatives from Aylmer, Yarmouth Township, Malahide Township, and St. Thomas, this decision was arrived at, and a committee appointed to allocate the amount each municipality is to contribute.

Messrs. W. K. George, George B. Woods, Toronto; T. H. Purdom, K. C., John Purdom, John Milne and Manager Mower, of London, represented the Traction Company. They went to St. Thomas in the morning, where they were met by Mayor Price, and Mr. A. E. Horton, president of the board of trade, and other prominent members of the city council and other bodies.

They then went over the proposed line along Talbot street. Engineer Bell, of St. Thomas, accompanying them. It was found that the line would be comparatively easy of construction, the only expensive part being that at New Sarum hill.

On reaching Aylmer a conference was called, at which Mayor H. H. Wright, of Aylmer, presided.

Advantages of the Line.

Mr. W. K. George, president of the company, explained the situation. The Traction Company were anxious to extend their line to Aylmer. They were willing to deal fairly and justly with the municipalities, and any proposition that might be made would be carefully considered.

Mr. George pointed out the advantages of such a line. It would give Aylmer connection with St. Thomas and London and would open up a very rich territory. There was no question about the road paying. It was a very fine country from every standpoint, and as the Traction Company was paying, this adjunct surely would do the same.

The method of financing these roads, as indorsed by both the Provincial and Dominion Governments, would be for the municipalities to guarantee the bonds for a certain amount.

The Cost.

The proposed road would cost about $240,000, and could be bonded up to $20,000 a mile.

The municipalities would lose nothing, as they would be absolutely protected. The London and Lake Erie had always treated their constituents fairly. The proposed line would simply be an adjunct to a paying concern, not a new proposition, hence there was no doubt about its success.

The question was discussed at some length by the delegates, and the following resolution, indorsing the principle of guaranteeing the bonds up to $20,000 a mile, was passed unanimously:

"That the principle of the guarantee of bonds to the extent of $20,000 a mile, for construction of the Traction line to Aylmer, is approved by this committee."

Warden Anderson, reeve of Yarmouth Township, and Dr. Sinclair, both supported the resolution.

Apportioning the Amounts.

The amount each municipality was to guarantee was also discussed, and it was decided, on motion of Warden Anderson and Reeve Michael McKnight, of Malahide, that a committee of two representatives from St. Thomas, Aylmer, Yarmouth and Malahide Townships, be appointed to allocate the proportions each is to pay.

This committee will be selected later and will go into the matter of the guarantees thoroughly.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

New York, May 3.—Arrived: Lusitania, from Liverpool; Mendosa, from Genoa.

Rotterdam—Arrived: Lituania, from New York.

Havre—Arrived: La Savoie, from New York.

Yokohama—Arrived: Keemun, from Victoria, B. C.

Quebec—Arrived: Willehad, from Hamburg; Sokoto, from Mexican ports; Sicilian, from London; Lake Manitoba, from London.

Vancouver—Arrived: Maroma, from Yokohama.

New York, May 4.—Arrived: Baltic, from Liverpool; La Provence, from Havre.

CORDOVA CELEBRATES.

Cordova, Alaska, May 4. — The first anniversary of the Cordova "coal party" was celebrated here today, commemorating the excitement of a year ago, when a pile of British Columbia coal was pushed off the dock as a protest against delay in opening the coal fields of Alaska.

By proclamation of Mayor Richard J. Barry, business houses were closed. Flags hung at half-mast, to deplore the lack of desired congressional action.

A street parade and a meeting in a local theatre were included in the programme.

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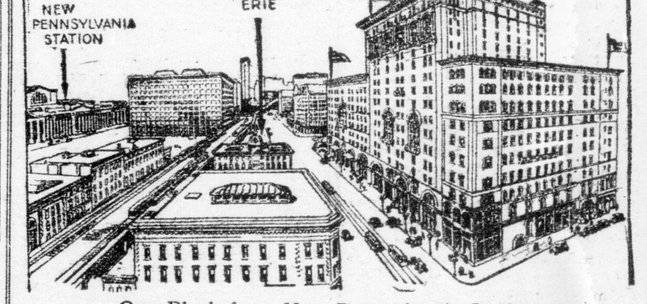

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St. Andrew's Services.

Rev. A. Logan Geggie will preach at both services in St. Andrew's Church on Sabbath. Dr. Ross is taking anniversary services for Rev. James Rollins in St. Andrew's Church, Peterboro, and will lecture there on Monday evening. Mr. Rollins will supply Mr. Geggie's pulpit in Parkdale next Sabbath.

Industrial Classes.

Principal Beal, of the Industrial School, will be at the Alexandra School tonight to meet the parents of prospective students for the day industrial classes. The idea of technical education is growing, and already a large number of applications have been received. Mr. Beal is anxious to meet all those wishing to join the classes, as well as the parents.

Sunday Appointments.

The following are the Huron College appointments for Sunday, May 5, 1912: Rev. Principal Waller, Watford; Rev. Prof. Wright, Parkhill; J. A. Shirley, B. A., Tyrconnel; F. N. Harding, All Saints', Windsor; E. Jacques, Dover; A. S. H. Cree, London Township; A. A. Trumper, St. David's; H. C. Light, St. Mark's; R. E. Charles, Dean's Bible Class; W. B. Moulton, Milverton; W. H. Boyd, Trinity; C. Abbott, Muncey; R. Lee, Drumbo; F. Lewin, Aged People's Home; Rev. J. Edmonds, Granton; Rev. A. A. Bice, St. Mark's.

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PRESENTED TO KING.

London, May 4.—The members of the Panama-Pacific Exposition commission, of which John Hays Hammond is president, was presented to King George at Buckingham Palace today by United States Ambassador Reid.

The King inquired as to the plans of the exposition, which is to be held in San Francisco in 1915 in celebration of the completion of the Panama Canal, and ccanned with interest the etchings and plans of the buildings presented to him by the commission.

His majesty expxressed the opinion that the California spirit, which rebuilt the city of San Francisco after the great fire and earthquake of April, 1906, was sure to make the exposition a success.

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Upper Lake Steamers.

The first Canadian Pacific steamer for Sault Ste. Marie, Port Arthur and Fort William, will leave Port McNicoll Saturday, May 4. Steamboat express will leave Toronto at 12:45 p.m., arriving Port McNicoll at 3:55 p.m., making direct connection with steamer.

EXTRA FINE COFFEE.

We had a call today from Mr. H. J. Schwartz from the States. Mr. Schwartz is here interesting out grocers in his refined ground, knife cut, "Monibak Coffee." Mr. Schwartz says one pound of their coffee will make 70 cups of extra fine coffee that cannot be excelled in cup quality. One feature, they claim, which their name implies, is that satisfaction is guaranteed or your money back. He says a trial is all that is necessary to prove all they claim. This coffee goes through a cleaning process of six times before roasting; then it is knife-cut and most all chaff and impurities eleminated from same.

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Ald. Richter Objects to Water Commissioners Appealing to the Hydro Commission.

CITY'S RIGHTS IN CASE

Water Commissioners Have No More Right to Overcharge People as a Whole Than to Overcharge an Individual.

Ald. Richter.

At the meeting of the finance committee of the city council on Friday afternoon, Ald. Richter expressed his opinion quite freely concerning the action of the water commission in requesting the hydro-electric commission to settle the dispute regarding the rates for street lighting.

"Of course, I think the hydro-electric commission will settle the matter, but I do not think the commission did the right thing in getting them to use the club on us," he declared. "The proposition is a very simple one, so far as we are concerned, and there was no need for the dispute arising. The commissioners set a price on street lighting. It was our right and privilege to see whether or not that rate was proper. The city council has no more reason to be charged more than is proper than an ordinary customer, nor should we get power any less. So when we got the proposition, we sat down and figured out what we were paying per horsepower for light.

"We did not cook up any figures of our own, but we took the standard rates of the water commissioners, which are approved of by the hydro-electric commission.

What City Is Entitled To.

"Ordinary consumers are allowed to purchase light on a power basis, and scores are doing that today. Well, we took the amount we used, and the price it was being sold at, and figured that we were entitled to receive light at a certain figure. It is a simple proposition—so many horsepower used to cost so much a horsepower.

"We are told that the proposition simply bristles with technicalities, and Chairman Pocock instances the proportion that the city should pay for the use of poles, etc. That is simply a matter of accounting, and I can see no need of expert technical knowledge required to meet that question.

"I still insist that we could have got together and settled the matter without difficulty. If Mr. Glaubitz, who is an expert, had met us and reasoned the thing out, we would readily have found out whether either of us was reasoning from wrong premises, or whether we had made an error in calculation. That is a simple matter. That is why I suggested that City Auditor Jewell be one of those to be present. There are certain things in connection with the scheme that he is thoroughly acquainted with, and he could solve some problems for us in a very short time. However, we were not allowed to have this conference, and we were denied the right to go through the books.

The City's Case.

"I hope that when the hydro-electric commission do adjust the matter that we be allowed to present evidence and argue our own case. The investigation, or whatever it might be called, should not be loaded—it should be perfectly unbiased and open. Then we can see exactly where we stand."

As a result of the controversy, an account for $2,560 for lighting streets in April was laid over. It was decided by the committee that the question should be settled before any more money is paid over.

FOREST IS HAVING RECORD BUILDING YEAR

Big New Canning Factory and Many Fine Residences Are Under Way.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Forest May 4. — Another busy season in the building line has commenced. A large staff of workmen are busy on the new building, being erected by the Dominion Canners Company at a cost of $34,000. The new Methodist parsonage is under way, a business block is in contemplation for William Lochead, and a number of private residences are going up.

Dr. H. Pickering, who recently moved east from Edmonton, with his family, has decided to locate in Forest, and will build a fine residence on Main street.

Mrs. Fred Dupee, who has been here with her grandmother, Mrs. Gammon, for the past month, left on Friday for La Valee, Rainy River District, to join Mr. Dupee, who has located there.

Stanley Wall and Norman Kennedy, of Plympton, left for La Valee, Rainy River district, to spent the summer.

Dr. A. E. Thompson, of St. Clair, Mich., is spending a few weeks here with friends, for the benefit of his health.

The second annual banquet of the A. Y. P. A. was held in Christ Church and was a great success. The sumptuous supper prepared by the ladies was served at 8 o'clock. Dr. F. A. Walters president, was toastmaster. The toast to the King was responded to by the National Anthem; "Our Country," by Dr. J. P. Hubbard and H. J. Pettypiece; "Our Church," by the rector, Rev. D. J. Cornish and Churchwarden Coffey; "The Ladies," by O. B. De Jersey and T. T. W. Naylor, and Rev. S. L. Smith; "Our Society," by H. O. Lane; "Our Guests," by R. R. McFarlane, Harold Steele and Albert Bell; "The Gentlemen," Mrs. W. J. Porte and Miss G. Bailey. A quartette was given by R. McFarlane, E. A. Rawlings, G. W. Harvey and C. Cole. Miss Ella Webster gave a vocal solo and Messrs. Walters and Cole a duet.

The Women's Institute is beautifying the park this afternoon by planting trees and flowers.

Duncan McIntyre and daughter, Miss M. McIntyre, of Kinnaird, have moved to Forest, and are occupying the house which Mr. McIntyre recently purchased on Albert street north.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Parkinson, of Detroit, took place here yesterday. The remains arrived here on the 2:27 p.m. express and were taken to the Methodist Church, where the service was conducted by Rev. A. J. Thomas, pastor. Deceased was a former resident of Bosanquet and was a sister of Isaac Hodgson.

Rev. R. C. Evans, of Toronto, bishop for Canada of the Latter Day Saints, visited Henry Hueston this week.

Miss Jessie Steele is in Toronto taking vocal lessons from Allerton Furlong, late of Covent Gardens, England.

BYLAW CARRIED

Aylmer Main Street Will Be Widened Imediately.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Aylmer, May 3.—The bylaw to purchase the Scott property and widen Centre street was voted upon yesterday and carried by 169 majority. A large number of the ratepayers turned out, andthe contest was one of the warmest ever waged over a bylaw.

The regular and annual meeting of the Aylmer Women's Institute was held in the council chambers of the town hall. Dr. Bakus presided. The secretary's and auditors' reports were read, and officers were elected for the year as follows:

President—Mrs. D. McClennan.

First Vice-President—Mrs. H. Hemingway.

Second Vice-President—Mrs. T. W. Copeland.

Secretary-Treasurer—Miss N. Copeland.

Assistant—Miss M. Arkell.

Directors—Mesdames Brown, Farthings, Kidd, Copeland, Griffin and Garner.

District Director—Mrs. M. Kidd.

Representative to District Annual Meeting—Mesdames Brown, Hemingway, Garner, McClennan and Copeland.

Auditors—Mrs. L. A. Brown, Mrs. A. Gillett.

Following the election of officers, the Misses Lydia and Cora Gibson delighted the large number of ladies present with two humorous recitations. Mrs. Wrong then read a very interesting paper on the great artist, Rembrandt, speaking of his life and some of his famous pictures. Mrs. Hemingway gave an address on the beautiful capital of the United States, Washington, describing some of its magnificent buildings and parks. Both were extremely interesting, much enjoyed, and appreciated by everyone.

The Misses Arkell and Dr. Bakus very kindly treated the ladies to a dainty lunch at the close of the meeting. There was a large attendance, 20 new members being enrolled.

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ISSUE TO BE TRIED HERE.

Toronto, May 4.—Mrs. Amy McLaren, of Galt, applied to Mr. Justice Middleton yesterday for the custody of her two infant children left by her husband when he went to work in Cleveland in the custody of friends at his at Galt and Kincardine. His lordship directed an issue to be tried at London. In a similar case, where the father and the grandmother of Blanche Hart, a 13-year-old girl, whose mother died when Blanche was a baby, his lordship interviewed the interested parties and reserved judgment. The little girl was left by the father with her grandparents when she was a baby, and now the child prefers to remain with them.

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Some Sidelights On the Early History of Wallaceburg Town

An Interesting Letter Written by Lord Selkirk in Reference to Settlement of Land.

[Staff Correspondence.]

Wallaceburg, May 2. — Early Canadian history contains many interesting narratives of the old pioneer days, when the virgin forests were as yet uncut, and the great wilderness, unknown and unconquered, stretched up to the very doorsteps of the few hardy colonists who braved its mysteries and dangers to build their little settlements upon the fertile, uncleared soil, and sow the golden grain where the sturdy oak or waving pine had flaunted boastfully for centuries before. So today when one enters the town of Wallaceburg, either by rail or boat, and gazes upon the bustling municipality of prosperous industries, or notices the rich, level farms that compose the surrounding country, it is both instructive and interesting to reflect that here, where every evidence o fmodern progress is well exemplified, stands a town whose annals overflow with historical anecdotes that lead one back to the times when the crafty Shawnee hunted and fished on the banks of the rippling Sydenham, or Lord Selkirk's sturdy Scotch settlers raised their log-hewn cabins on the famous Baldoon estate.

The Baldoon estate was a tract of land owned by Thomas Douglas, Earl of Selkirk, who settled upon it a colony of Scotch people, somewhere around the year 1800, and these colonists were in all likelihood the legitimate founders of the present town of Wallaceburg. A letter written by Lord Selkirk in the year 1805 to Lieut.-Gen. Peter Hunter, possesses certain illuminating features that serve to throw some light on the subject and is worth publishing.

Lord Selkirk to Lieut.-Gen. Peter Hunter.

London, Feb. 1, 1805.

Dear Sir,—You are no doubt informed of the sickness which prevailed last autumn in my new settlement at Baldoon, on the Chenail escarte. You will recollect that I stated to you some local circumstances which rendered it probable that the situation could not become healthy till the adjacent islands can be appropriated and improved. Though I have no doubt, therefore, that the situation will ultimately become a very desirable one, yet there seems an absolute necessity that the settlers should in the meantime be accommodated with some situation for their dwellings not exposed to the same disadvantages. After a minute examination of the ground, I am confident there is no spot in the township which is likely to be free from this inconvenience at present, except at a distance from navigable waters, the accommodation of which is indispensable in the present infant state of the settlement. The spot in which the settlement is begun is, in fact, the most eligible the township affords, and is situated on the boundary adjoining the Shawanese Township, at a short distance within which the land rises, and is sheltered from the marshes in a manner that gives every reason to expect it will be healthy. I am therefore anxious that a few lots should be marked off in an eligible part of the township to be granted to my settlers. I do not wish for any appropriation thereof for myself, being perfectly satisfied with the townships already assigned to me for the location of the land I am entitled to. I presume that by this time it is ascertained that there is no Indian title to the Shawanese Township, and that it is as equally open to settlement as any other. If that point is not yet clear you will allow Mr. McDonald to procure the consent of the Indians to our occupying as much as is requisite for the object in view. This accommodation is of such essential necessity to the settlement that without it I have great doubts whether the settlement may not break up and disappear, which I am confident you would regret as a loss to the province as well as to myself individually, and I therefore trust you will not refuse this request. I have received your letter of Sept. 21st, and am sorry to see that you acquiesce in the opinion of the council, which appears to me to be founded on mistaken principles; but I shall not take up your time with any further argument on the subject. I remain, dear sir, your very obedient servant, SELKIRK.

The First Ship Launched.

Two or three sailing schooners lying along the docks of the Sydenham River calls to mind another important feature of the town's history: the rise and fall of the lumbering industry and the growth of Wallaceburg as a maritime port. Lumbering was practically the same here as elsewhere, and therefore it is not necessary to elucidate further on that phase of the subject, but it may be of some interest to delve briefly into the marine annals of the place. Away back in the beginning of the year 1812 a resident of the community, a man named MacDougall, built and launched a small vessel, which he named the William Wallace. This was the first boat ever constructed in the town, and carried small cargoes of grain from here to the various trading posts on the lakes. Later on in the course of the century, the forests of waving trees began to fall beneath the lumberman's axe, and the shipbuilders waxed exceedingly busy turning out vessels to transport the products of axe and saw, and the navigable Sydenham became a very creditable highway for the busy shipping.

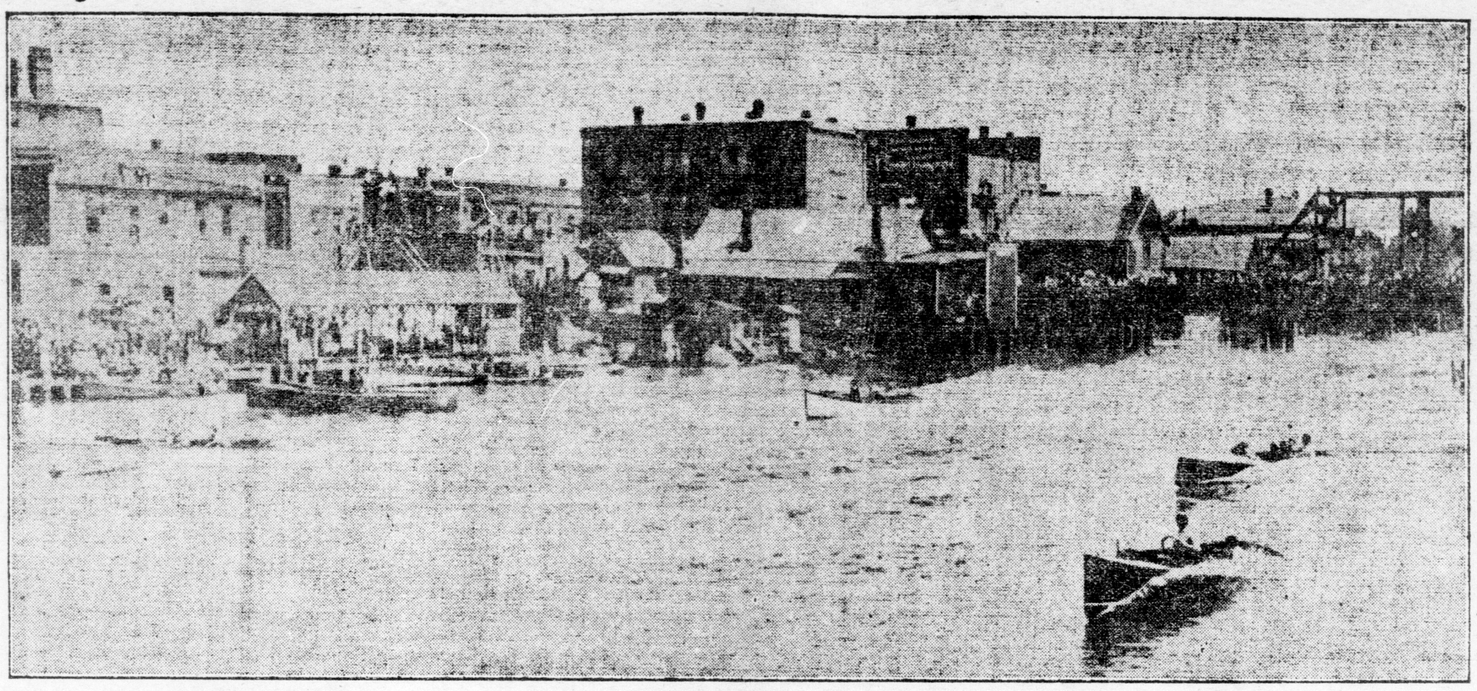
Along about 1845 or 1850, a little schooner called the Sydbad, owned by the Hon. Malcolm Campbell, left Wallaceburg with a cargo of staves for the old country. This was quite a trip for a lake vessel to make in those days, and serves to illustrate the fact that the traffic of this little port extended perhaps farther than that of many cities such as Detroit, Cleveland, or Buffalo, which prided themselves on their marine shipping.

The Grave of Tecumseh.

In Lord Selkirk's letter, reference is made to the Shawanese Township, on which the Shawnee Indians lived, which remins one that the greatest of Canada's Indian chiefs was a member of this tribe, and spent no small portion of his life hereabouts. Historians have raised many discussions as to where this brilliant red chieftain was laid to rest after the memorable battle of the Thames, and many burial places have been assigned to him, but Squire MacDougall, the venerable police magistrate of Wallaceburg, whose grandfather, Laughlin MacDougall, was the first settler of importance here, takes no stock in any of the theories advanced, and firmly contends that Tecumseh's remains were interred on St. Anne's Island, near the mouth of the Snye Carte in St. Clair River.

"When I was a boy," said the squire, "an old Indian and his wife used to come and visit at our place quite often. This old fellow was 'aide-de-camp to Tecumseh, and was with him when he died at the battle of the Thames. We had heard that the chief's remains were taken to St. Anne's Island, and buried, and we often questioned this old red man and his wife about it. They would not deny it outright, but always refused to tell where the body had been concealed, saying that they had promised never to reveal the grave. The aged couple lived on St. Anne's, and by their little cabin a tall pole was standing. For years we could hear the beating of Indian drums on the island, and I believe that the pole marked the departed warrior's grave, and that the drums were beaten in mourning for Tecumseh, which is a customary rite among the red men."

Mr. MacDougall is also authority for the statement that in the early days large quantities of tobacco were grown in this vicinity, the land being particularly adapted to its culture.

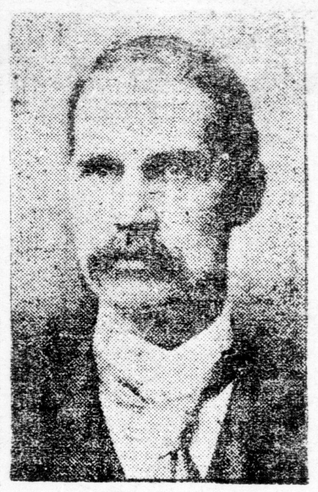


SCORES OF CRAFT OF MANY KINDS PLY ALONG THE WATERFRONT OF WALLACEBURG AFTER NAVIGATION HAS OPENED.

Old Resident Says Bones of Tecumseh Are Interred in St. Ann's Island.

"A Crime Committed in Name of Liberty" Bonar Law's Bitter Speech Against Home Rule

Unionist Leader Says Government Will Smash Parliamentary Machine If It Tries to Put Bill Through Without Consulting People---Says Ulster People Regard Home Rule With Horror, and Complete Autonomy Would Be Better Than the Present Measure.



BONAR LAW.

Bonar Law, the Unionist leader, made an uncompromising speech against the home rule bill in the House of Commons just before the first reading. Among Opposition cheers he rose to reply to the Government speakers, and said in part:

If this bill is a final settlement, if it is a permanent working arrangement between the two countries, well and good. But if not, the Irish members will have their own parliament, they will present their demands through that parliament in a way which is just as constitutional as the way they do now as members of this House, and, by the admission of the Prime Minister, we should be absolutely precluded from refusing that constitutional demand, whatever it is—whether for a change in our restrictions, or for complete autonomy, or for complete independence. (Opposition cheers.) In these circumstances it is very important to consider whether or not this bill can be a final settlement. The honorable member for Waterford (Mr. John Redmond) told us again the other day that he stands where Parnell stood. Mr. Parnell in a speech in 1891 in reference to the home rule proposals which Mr. Gladstone was then recommending to the country, said: "Ireland refuses to admit any English veto. She declines to obey the orders, so far as her own business is concerned, of any Imperial or English minister." If, therefore, the honorable member stands where Mr. Parnell stood he cannot accept this bill as a final settlement.—(Opposition cheers.) In his speech on the third reading of Mr. Gladstone's last bill the honorable member said: "This bill is not a final settlement, because, in my opinion, of necessity no partial grant of autonomy can be a final settlement." This is a partial grant of autonomy. Therefore it cannot be a final settlement.—(Opposition cheers.)

"It Cannot Last."

But I do not think it matters in the least what honorable gentlemen below the gangway now say, or even what they now think. They themselves would be the first to admit that they cannot set a limit to the aspirations of their countrymen. Therefore what does matter is whether or not in the nature of things this is a measure which can be a permanent working arrangement between the two countries. Is there any member in this House who honestly believes that this can be a final settlement? It is a constitution which none of our self-governing colonies would submit to for a week. It cannot in the nature of things last. Now I am ready to say for myself—and I believe I represent the views of the great majority of my friends on this side of the House—that if it were necessary or if it were possible to grant home rule—and for reasons which I shall give later I do not think it is possible—I would grant it fully and completely. I would give to Ireland precisely the same powers which are enjoyed now by Canada, and I would do it for this reason. By that arrangement you would have a chance of a friendly Ireland. Under this bill there is absolutely no hope of a friendly Ireland.—(Opposition cheers.) If things go wrong in Ireland in any way, and inevitably they must go wrong sometimes, there will be a party in the Irish Parliament, and probably the whole of the Irish Parliament except the Unionists, and perhaps they may have taken the view by that time.—(Ministerial cheers.) Well, if we drive them out, I do not see why they should be expected to continue friendly to us—(Opposition cheers)—there will be a party in the Irish Parliament which will lay all the blame on the restrictions which this House imposes upon them. That is inevitable. What will be the result? The agitation will remain as strong as now, with this difference, that you will have given that agitation in the Irish Parliament a leverage which will make it infinitely more dangerous than it is at the present moment—(Opposition cheers.) In this matter there is no half-way house. Irishmen must either regard themselves as citizens of the United Kingdom, they must take their chance with the rest of us in the British House of Commons in which they are represented as much as we are—(Opposition cries of "More")—well, perhaps that will not continue forever—(Opposition cheers)—they must take their good fortune under that arrangement, or they must be regarded as a separate nation, as the Prime Minister called them, entitled to all the rights of nationalities, and if they are that, then you have no right, moral or any other kind except force, to interfere with anything which they desire to do.

Irish Members at Westminster.

The second ground on which the Prime Minister justified the bill was the congestion of business in this House, and he actually suggested that the bill was going to remove or mitigate that congestion. But we are to have 42 Irish members in the House, and there is no one who has even spent a year in this House who does not know that 40 members, if they are in earnest—not to speak of 40 Irish members—(laughter)—can take up all the time which which the House can possibly give them on any subject of controversy in the Irish Parliament. Every subject which has caused animosity there will be discussed over again in this parliament, and our last state will be worse than our first. —(Opposition cheers.) What right have they to interfere with English and Scottish business? — (Opposition cheers.) If the Irish are to be here at all, why do you reduce the numbers? They have a right to be represented according to their population or they have no right at all.—(Opposition cheers.) If the Irish are partners in the United Kingdom your bill gives them too few members. If they are not partners it gives them 42 members too many.—(Opposition cheers.)

Fiscal Unity and National Unity.

I ask the House to look at these wonderful financial proposals. You are certainly going to set up one new industry in Ireland, the industry of smuggling. — (Ironical laughter and Opposition cheers.) Just think what the proposals mean. The Irish Parliament is to have the power to reduce to any extent it likes any duties imposed by this Parliament. Take the duty on tea and tobacco. Suppose they make the duty on tobacco half what it now is. In that case you will have not only the custom house arrangement just as complete as now with any foreign country, but more than that. The kind of tobacco I smoke costs 6d. or 7d. If the duty in Ireland were half that amount the price would be between 3d. and 4d. It would pay me and it would pay every consumer in England, to have his tobacco—and his tea—from Ireland by package post.—(Loud Ministerial laughter and Opposition cheers.) You are not only setting up a system which will mean that every ship which comes from Ireland to the United Kingdom will have to be examined, but every package, every passenger's luggage must be examined. It will mean that every parcel which goes through the post will have to be opened.—(Ministerial laughter.) And that is the proposal of a free trade government!—(Opposition cheers.) Up till now not only the practice but the whole experience of mankind has shown that the first and essential step to national unity is fiscal unity. Take the case of the United States. It was not the War of Independence that made the United States a nation. After the War of Independence, when they had different fiscal systems, there was so much jealousy between the states—those inland and those on the seaboard—that they were on the point of war with each other. It was the work of Alexander Hamilton to give one fiscal system to the whole of the United States, and by so doing he made the United States a nation. And you are upsetting such an arrangement.

The Protections for the Minority.

The next point to which I would direct your attention is the guarantee for the minority. They are very important, to judge by the speeches of those who are in favor of the bill. What are the protections for the minority? There is first the Senate. The honorable member for Waterford very ingenuously told us he was in favor of a nominated Senate. Of course he is in favor of it, or it would not be in the bill.—(Loud Opposition cheers.)

The appointments will be made by the honorable gentlemen below the gangway.—(Opposition cheers.) Then we have the veto. The Prime Minister made great play with it. So did the honorable member for Waterford. He says that it is exercised in regard to our great self-governing dominons. He is entirely wrong. It is never exercised in regard to any matter of domestic interest in those dominions. (Opposition cheers.) I know enough of Canada to know that if any government were to attempt to exercise it both parties in Canada would unite in opposition to the Government —(Hear, hear.) Nothing is more certain in the world than that one democratic parliament cannot control another democratic parliament. — (Opposition cheers.) The honorable member for Waterford suggested that if the Irish Parliament were to pass something obviously unfair to the minority we should reject it. But the Irish party would not think it unfair, and the moment we rejected it the Government would resign. They would be supported by the Irish Parliament. No other government could take their place, and we would either have to give way or take away again the government which we are now giving them.—(Opposition cheers.)

Religious Liberty.

The next set of guarantees were with regard to religious liberty. I have hardly ever spoken upon this subject, and I dislike to speak about it, for, whatever my views in other respects, I am certainly not bigoted in religion.—(Hear, hear.) The honorable member for Waterford has told us that there is nothing he resents so much as this charge that there would be religious intolerance under the new Parliament. So far as the honorable member is concerned I accept in the full what he says. I do not believe that he would be more apt himself to exercise that intolerance to a Protestant than I would be to a Roman Catholic. But will he have the power?—(Opposition cheers.) Nine-tenths of the Protestants in Ireland believe that

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Wireless Saves Many Lives In the Past Nine Years

Two and Three Thousand Persons Owe Their Lives to It—Some of the Notable Shipwrecks Where It Was Invaluable.

There can be few men living today more entitled to feel they have benefited their day and generation as well as the unborn heirs of the planet than the remarkable band of men in the British Postal Telegraph Service, who, under Sir William Preece, first investigated the mysteries of wireless telegraphy, and Signor Marconi, who made its use commercially possible. Today between two and three thousand souls are in safety who, ten short years ago, would have had only the barest chance of surviving the horrors of shipwreck in mid-Atlantic. And all this because one summer's morning in Gray's Inn road in the early eighties a telephone linesman heard on an overhead line the Morse code messages being transmitted on an insulated cable running under the street a hundred feet below. His pole and wires were properly insulated, and yet the message could still be heard. Sir William Preece has told how the man came to him to solve the mystery; how they nearly threw away the key at the beginning of the search by trying to stop the wireless transmission; and how at last finding they could not stop it, they turned it to account in the public service first in Scotland between an island and the mainland when a cable was broken, and then in Wales.

The story of the disaster to the Titanic provides a record in life-saving by wireless. The nine short years since its general adoption after the wreck of the St. Louis in the January of 1903 have, however, been full of instances in which its saving power, if one may put it so, has been demonstrated. It was in December, 1903, that the first use was made of wireless telegraphy in life-saving. On that date the Kroonland, of the Red Star Line, from Antwerp, with 900 passengers on board, encountered a fearful gale 150 miles west of the Fastnet. Her steering-gear was smashed, and the huge ship became a menace to herself and others. On board was a wireless installation, and the C. Q. D. signal for help was sent flashing out over the waters. Crookhaven was first to "pick up" the signals, and in the teeth of the gale tugs were soon on the way to find the liner. In an hour and a half those on board had got their instructions from Antwerp, via Crookhaven, and a few hours later were being towed into Queenstown and safety.

Three months later, in March, 1904, the New York, which had stranded at Cape La Hogue, and in May of that year the Friesland, which was in difficulties through a broken propeller shaft, both found help by the same means. But it is perhaps the case of the liner Republic, in January, 1909, which will be best remembered. One of its effects was to make famous Jack Binns, the wireless operator on board. Outward bound with 761 souls, the Republic, of the White Star Company, was rammed while 70 miles south of Nantucket by the steamship Florida, of the Lloyd Italian Line. With his instrument-room wrecked, Binns stuck to his post, sending out continuously his appeal for succur. Soon it was heard and answered by the sister ship, the Baltic, which arrived hardly more than in time to avert heavy loss of life.

In the October of 1907 the Poulsen apparatus on the SS. Lituania has been instrumental in saving 864 lives when the vessel, crowded with emigrants, ran agound at Skillinge, in the Baltic. The message was picked up at Herr Poulsen's laboratory at Lyngby, near Copenhagen, and in a few hours relief vessels and a salvage boat from the Danish port were alongside. The use of wireless in the recent wreck of the SS. Delhi, and when the Cunard liner, the Slavonia, stranded at Flores, in the Azores, is in every one's mind, as well as the rescue, but a week since, of the passengers and crew of the burning Ontario, bound from Baltimore to Boston. Less sensational but none the less useful, was the rescue of the disabled C. P. R. liner Montrose in July, 1909. The vessel had collided with an iceberg in a dense fog, and it was wireless that brought H. M. S. Brilliant to her aid.

Only a few weeks back the Osterley, thirty hours out of Colombo, homeward bound, met a four-masted schooner on fire and abandoned, drifting in the current between the Red Sea and Colombo, and right in the "steam lane." In a few hours it had become a partially-submerged derelict, a danger and menace to all who do business in the great waters. Before nightfall the Osterley, in reply to wireless messages, learned that the crew had been saved by a French ship, and had also informed Lloyd's agent at Bombay, and thus warned the shipping of the world of the danger. At the Lizard, at Malin Head, and at other such points many a gallant ship has found in her wireless installation the means of saving her from disaster in the fogs. The time must shortly come when no ship will no more think of sailing without such an installation than of puting to sea without lifeboats. When that day arrives the perils of the great waters will be immeasurably lessened, and the sum of the world's gratitude to the men who discovered and developed the system will, or should be, correspondingly greater.

William Stead; the Tornado Of English Journalism

[A. G. Gardiner, of London Daily News.]

William Stead has had the funeral that he would have desired. He loved the flare and sensation of life, and had the courage that courted danger, mounted with it, rejoiced in it. He would have been splendid on the battlefield. Indeed, all his life was a battlefield to that gay and combative soul. And I fancy that in the tremendous hour when the dawn broke over the doomed Titanic there was no more gallant and self-forgetful spirit than that of the brilliant journalist who has gone to his rest in the great waters. He had his faults—many of them, for was he not human? But, right or wrong, he had that shining and selfless bravery that is the rarest and most precious attribute of men. The hotter the fight, the higher rose his spirits; the more foes there were, the merrier he became. He might be suppressed in times of dullness; but when there was work to be done or danger afoot, or even gaity to be enjoyed, he emerged the natural leader of men. I have seen him challenge hostile meetings with a daring that would have been insolent had it not been so good-humored and so calculated, and I have seen him head the revels of a Bavarian village fete so triumphantly that even today I think his name must be a legend around the shores of the Chiem-see.

And what a journalist he was! He burst on London thirty years ago—the portent of a new spirit. He crashed into the sanctities and respectabilities of Fleet street, and the place has never been the same since. Much that he did was wild, extravagant, even foolish; but it was always vital, always charged with some passion, sincere, however mistaken, some ideal noble even thought, besmirched. Besides the flare of this torch that flashed to the skies the taper lights of Fleet street were extinguished. You could not contest the stage with this tumultuous man who swept into your midst like a tornado, interviewed kings and popes, demanded a new navy with the authority of Jove, would proclaim the dawn of universal peace in one mood, sentence a great stateman to life-long obscurity in another, and shock the proprieties in a third by dragging into its midst the subject about which society preserves a conspiracy of silence.

His devouring curiosity and his capacity for belief—some called it his colossal credulity—led him beyond the borderland of sense into that infinite region of mystery that invests our little island of fact. He came at last to dwell in the world of spirits more even than in the world of men. Communications with the unseen was to him less a matter of doubt than your presence at the table. I first met him many years ago at a north country town, where he had gone to test a young medium, and the last communication I had from him was a request to visit his home at Wimbledon to witness the powers of a new and wonderful vehicle of the unseen. The death of his son some years ago deepened his interest in these things. He would talk of his conversations with the spirit of his son as familiarly as if he had left him in the next room. Indeed, to him he was in the next room.

These predilections undermined his influence. There is nothing the British public so distrusts as intercourse with spirits. It is, I think, a relic of the ancient horror of witchcraft. Stead paid the price of the "crank," and he paid it quite knowingly and willingly. His indifference to consequence, indeed, was in him, as in most men who emerge from the commonplace, a powerful, driving force. He never cared what happened, or what men thought; but crashed full-steam ahead.

No one was so incalculable. The only certainty about him was the unexpected. He would start on a whirlwind campaign for peace and presently turn up preaching "two keels to one." It was he who started the first of all our modern naval alarms, and was the true author of the Spencer programme. He thundered against the South Arican War, but was the most militant champion of Cecil Rhodes. He would have given his life any day for freedom, and was the apologist of the Tsar.

You could not conjugate so irregular a verb. He himself did not bother to conjugate himself. It was enough for him to be himself, to drink the delight of battle, or to go his own wayward, impetuous path—

Do I contradict myself?

Very well, then, I contradict myself.

I am large. I contain multitudes.

He loved adventure for its own sake, had no petty pride, and even when famous all over the world would revel in a journalistic "scoop" with the joy of the youth on the first rung of the ladder. Stead may be a little mad, as some people say," said Lord Fisher to me once, "but he is the first of journalists. I know because he beat me so hollow in a match in which I had all the cards. It was when the Prince of Wales returned from Canada. I took every precaution to keep the press at bay. Stead hired a little dinghy, came up to the warship in the twilight, scrambled up the rope ladder—a daring feat for an elderly landman—got on deck, marched along with his own superb assurance, talked to officers who never dreamed that such an air could belong to an intruder, returned, tumbled down the ladder, and gave

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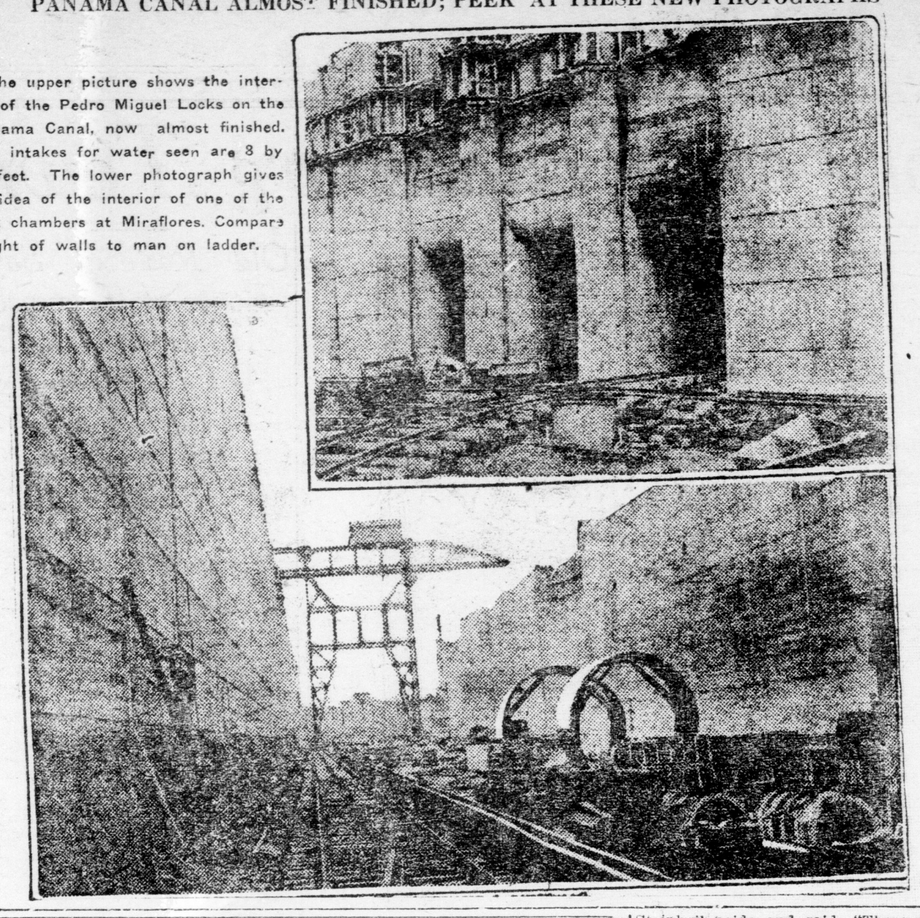
THE LATE W. T. STEAD.

PANAMA CANAL ALMOST FINISHED; PEEK AT THESE NEW PHOTOGRAPHS

The upper picture shows the interior of the Pedro Miguel Locks on the Panama Canal, now almost finished. The intakes for water seen are 8 by 14 feet. The lower photograph gives an idea of the interior of one of the lock chambers at Miraflores. Compare height of walls to man on ladder.



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Madame Steinheil's Tragic Story Memoirs of a Parisienne

[From the London Daily News.]

Today, under the title of "My Memoirs" (Eveleigh Nash, 10s. 6d. net), Mme. Marguerite Steinheil gives her life story to the world. When first we behold her she is five years old, happiest of children, adoring — and adored by—her mother and father, M. and Mme. Japy. At the age of 20 she marries M. Steinheil, 20 years her senior, a cousin of Meissonier and himself a painter— but colorless in character as in his works, a man "sans volonte," a weakling, the very last companion for the young, vivacious, and brilliant Marguerite—"Meg," as she is called. A year after marriage there takes place a domestic rupture so serious, so complete that when matters of importance have to be discussed, M. and Mme. Steinheil, although living under the same roof, discuss those matters by letter; the correspondence being carried from room to room by Mariette Wolff, the wrinkled, brown-faced old cook.

M. Steinheil produces mediocre pictures in his studio, whilst Madame entertains so charmingly, so brilliantly that her salon becomes one of the favorite places of rendezvous of "le Tout Paris." Cabinet ministers, judges, magistrates, elegant worldlings, everyone "who counts" in the Amazing City takes tea in the tastefully furnished house in the Impasse Ronsin. Here is Zola. Over there are Massenet, Bonnat, Anatole France, Pierre Loti, Francois Coppee. President Felix Faure meets Mme. Steinheil, and immediately is captivated by her wit and beauty. "Flowers and invitations are rained" upon her from the Elysee. She becomes the president's confidante, even his counsellor. Until the sudden death in 1898 of Felix Faure, Mme. Steinheil is the "Queen of Paris." But ten years later, during the night of the 30th and 31st of May, 1908, the elegant, the much sought-after house in the Impasse Ronsin is the scene of the appalling double murder of M. Steinheil and his mother-in-law, Mme. Japy; and "le Tout Paris" shuns the salon, and terrible insinuations are made here, there, and everywhere against Mme. Steinheil.

In November of 1908, arrest of the "Queen of Paris" on the charge of strangling her husband her mother. For a whole year she remains in prison, is bullied and distracted by M. Andre, the examining magistrate. After an eleven days' trial in the dim, stifling, oak-panelled Paris Assize Court, Mme. Steinheil is acquitted. And she seeks refuge in England where she begins the writing of her Memoirs.

Presidential Documents.

In the short compass of a newspaper article it is impossible to do justice to one of the most dramatic, one of the most extraordinary autobiographies ever presented to the public. Four hundred and seventy pages, and not a page that does not thrill or mystify, excite pity or indignation, set one marvelling at the social, political and judicial life of the Third French Republic. The Affaire Steinheil is as complicated as the Dreyfus Affair, and no less ugly and sinister. It bewilders, it terrifies, it depresses; and finally Mme. Steinheil leaves it where it originally was—a ghastly, an inpenetrable mystery.

As in the Paris assize court, Mme. Steinheil here declares that the assassins of her mother and her husband were three men in black robes and a red-haired woman, who, ere committing thed ouble murder, bound her (Mme. Steinheil) down to her bed and dealt her so violent a blow that she lost consciousness. Money and jewellery were carried away—but for the first time Mme. Steinheil now expresses the opinion that the assassins had come in search of certain documents belonging to the late Felix Faure which they knew to be hidden in the house of the Impasse Ronsin. These documents were the President's Memoirs, a "secret history" of the Third Republic, in which Mme. Steinheil had collaborated during her almost daily visits to the Elysee. The president had begged her to remove them to her own home for safety. They were of the highest political significance. And there was a conspiracy on foot to obtain possession of them.

For pages and pages Mme. Steinheil holds forth upon these documents and also upon a mysterious pearl necklace given to her by Felix Faure, which was also coveted by "conspirators." As in the Dreyfus affair, any amount of vague, shadowy conspirators—praticularly a "mysterious German," who lurked about the Impasse Ronsin and after the murder, disappeared, and has been seen no more. From this point onwards in Mme. Steinheil's volume one lives in an atmosphere of the dizziest incoherency and mystery. The Yellow Journalists of Paris invade her house, threaten and terrorize her until, in her desperation, she loses her head and makes all kinds of false accusations.

A disgrace to France are the methods of the examining magistrate. The "dossier" against Mme. Steinheil, prepared by the magistrate, numbers 15,000 pages — 2,000,000 words; and through studying the dossier the unhappy woman discovers that friends and acquaintances once so eager to pay court to the "Queen of Paris" in the Impasse Ronsin salon now repudiate and calumniate her, that her replies to the examining magistrate have been distorted, and that her past life (yes; even at the age of five!) has been so misrepresented as to make her out a monster of "depravity."

For weeks Mme. Steinheil lies in a nursing home in the country. Then, one night, the journey to London in the charge of a doctor. But London has been informed of the "Tragic Widow's" arrival.

A Projected "Disappearance."

But if Mme. Steinheil's autobiography is crammed with drama, tragedy, and mystery, throughout, it there runs a note of poetry, of humor, of sound common sense. Without the latter quality, how could she have been the counsellor and confidante of the late Felix Faure? During the Fashoda crisis, and in the early frenzied days of the Dreyfus Affair, he told her all his fears, anxieties, woes. Had it remained with the President of the Republic, England and France would have been at war.

But of Mme. Steinheil, he had an extraordinary idea. Once whilst at Havre, the President invited her, her sister, and a friend to take an afternoon sea-trip on his yacht. When some way from shore he led Mme. Steinheil aside and said—"There are supplies and coal on this vessel for many days. We are going to cruise for a week or so. Let those who are responsible for the present state of affairs extricate themselves as best they can from the disgraceful position in which they have placed themselves—and me." The "present state of affairs" was the Dreyfus Affair—and Felix Faure, a confirmed anti-Dreyfusard, was "blind with anger." It needed all Mme. Steinheil's powers of persuasion to induce Felix Faure to return to harbor. She told him, "A President cannot disappear for a week."

Through Felix Faure's influence, Mme. Steinheil secured all kinds of Government appointments for her friends—who promptly deserted and repudiated her after the Impasse Ronsin murders.

After being the "elegant," the "brilliant" Mme. Steinheil (after being—to her friends the "radiant" and "irresistible" "Meg") she becomes the "Tragic Widow," and the "Red Widow," and (in the words of savage, hoarse-voiced old Henri Rochefort) "the Black Panther." Never—even in Paris—such a life story. Never such a history of intrigues sentimental, political, judicial; of mysteries sombre and lurid; of power, triumph, and terrific downfall. But. . . Mme. Steinheil has triumphed once again. At the close of her "Memoirs" she writes—"I cannot doubt that by now my innocence is established in the eyes of the reader; I even venture to believe that I may have won his, or her, sympathy." Of the reader's sympathy, she may rest assured. It is equally safe to predict that her candor, her courage, and the brilliancy of her literary style will not fail to win her hosts of new admirers and friends.

WILLIAM STEAD

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his paper the only great story that appeared in the press the next day."

That was William Stead—fearless, adventurous, undeniable, ready to beard and emperor for a cause, or climb a rope ladder for a paragraph, happy if he was the scoff of men, indifferent to praise or blame, only asking to be in the thick of the fight, giving and taking blows.

His last fight is over, and no one who new him will doubt that he went down like a brave man. A. G. G.

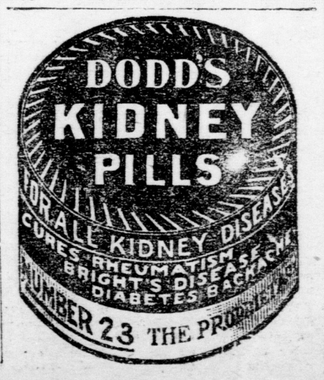
ANIMALS PAID BACK.

"The most interesting, if not the most significant, feature of the vivisection report is that which deals with the benefits conferred by animal experimentation on the animal world," says the New York Nation. "Anthrax, rinderpest, Texas cattle fever, glanders, swine erysipelas—those and other devastating diseases are better understood and better dealt with as a result of animal experimentation.

"Thus, man, it is asserted, is more than the arrogant lord of earth, winning immunity for himself through pain inflicted on the brute creation. He pays back to the animal world in its own coin more than he demands in the share of animal pain and animal mortality."

CLERICAL POVERTY.

"Very few have the remotest idea of the stress of poverty under which many of the beneficed clergy of the diocese of London are suffering, and which is endured in silence in the most heroic manner in order that it may not be even suspected by their parishioners that they are in want," says the London Diocesan Magazine. "The facts which are confidentially disclosed to the committee of the Queen Victoria Clergy Fund from time to time would stagger churchmen whose wants are abundantly supplied."



"A CRIME COMMITTED IN NAME OF LIBERTY"

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under this Parliament they would suffer religious disability. The honorable member for Mayo said this was not a question of religion, but of ascendency. What about the Presbyterians in Ireland? Up till 1886 they belonged to the party opposite. They supported Catholic emancipation and the disestablishment of the Irish Church. They supported all Mr. Gladstone's bills. I know many of them. I have read the writings of many of them. I have seen no reason to believe that they are a body more intolerant than men of the same religion in Scotland. Yet with absolute unanimity they do fear religious disabilities under Roman Catholics. I do not say they are wrong. I do not say they are right. But do not be under any illusion. The only safeguard is the tolerance of Irish majority. The honorable member for Oxford University said yesterday that Protestant preachers could be prevented by act of Parliament from preaching. No act of Parliament would be necessary. The executive Government would deal with it in precisely the same way as the home secretary dealt with a man in London who was making speeches which were thought to be improper. In Grattan's Parliament there never was an Irish executive. It was a British executive, and the life and liberty of the individual does not depend upon your legislature but upon your executive.—(Opposition cheers.)

The Position of Ulster.

The position of Ulster makes it impossible for you to grant home rule. I cannot understand on what grounds of justice, in the face of the principles on which they justify this bill, the Government can pretend that they are going to force the people of Ulster to submit a Government which they detest and abhor.—(Opposition cheers.) Why did they give the bill at all? It is because, according to the Prime Minister, we here do not understand the sentiments and the point of view of the Irish people. Do the Nationalists understand the point of view of the men of Ulster? — (Opposition cheers.) The gulf between these two peoples in Ireland is really far wider than the gulf between Ireland and Great Britain. The men in the northeast corner are as homogeneous as the Nationalists in other parts. The Prime Minister spoke of them as a small minority? It is true that they send only about twenty members to this House, and, what is more important, the votes of these members are not for sale. — (Loud Opposition cheers.) They are not a small minority. The Nationalists of Ireland, as compared with the Nationalists of the United Kingdom are about one-fifteenth of the population. In Belfast and the surrounding counties, where feeling is overwhelmingly Unionist, there are a million of people, something like a quarter of the whole population of Ireland. If, therefore, there is any ground for saying that Nationalist Ireland is entitled to separate treatment against us, the ground is far stronger for saying that Ulster is entitled to separate treatment against Nationalist Ireland. — (Opposition cheers.) What is regarded as one of the greatest crimes of despotism in the past? It is the transference of the allegiance, against their will, of small nationalities. That has always been considered the greatest crime. It is a fact that these people look upon their being subjected to an executive Government taken out of a Parliament in Dublin with as much horror, and I believe with more horror than the people of Poland ever regarded being put under the subjection of Russia. You are proposing to commit this crime — (Opposition cheers)—and to commit it in the name of liberty.

The Belfast Demonstration.

As the House knows, I was present last week at a gathering of these people. — (Opposition cheers.) It is really difficult for me, and I am afraid it is impossible to tell the House what I saw, and to express what I felt without those who were not witnesses of it thinking that I am talking not only with exaggeration but bombastically. I am glad to say that there were a large number of members of this House who did witness it, and they will know that no words I can use will adequately express the impressiveness of what we saw. I have been present at many great political demonstrations, perhaps as large as have been held in this country in recent years, but this gathering was not like any of them. It really was not a political demonstration. It was the expression of the soul of a people.—(Opposition cheers) —and I believe of a great people. — (Opposition cheers.) They say they will not submit except by force to such a Government as you are proposing. And how are you going to oppose this? I know that in what I am going to say, I run the risk of being told that I am unworthy of the position which I hold. I will take that risk—(Opposition cheers)—for I think I have another duty, and that duty is to impress upon this House if I can, and to impress upon the country so far as my words can reach, the reality of the situation in Ireland. These people in Ulster are not under any illusion. They know that they cannot fight the British army, and when honorable gentlemen below the gangway say that we are urging soldiers not to shoot us they are quite wrong. They know that if the soldiers receive the order to shoot they would have to obey it, and Ulstermen would have no resentment against the soldiers for obeying it—(Ministerial laughter and Opposition cheers.) But it is literally true that these men are ready, in what they believe to be the cause of justice and liberty, to lay down their lives.—(Opposition cheers.) How are you going to overcome that resistance? I do not mean anything offensive, but do you believe that any Prime Minister could give orders to shoot down men whose only crime is to have refused to be driven out of our kingdom and to be deprived of the privileges of our citizenship? The thing is impossible. All your talk about detail and the union of hearts and the rest of it is sheer sham. This is a reality. It is a rock, and on that rock this bill will be broken.

What the Prime Minister Has To Gain

I said earlier I was going to discuss the methods under which it is proposed to carry this bill. The Prime Minister on Thursday seemed to me, I may have been mistaken, to suggest that I would hesitate to repeat what I had said in Belfast. (Cheers.) I do not know why he should have that impression. I said not a word in Belfast which I do not believe to be literally true and demonstrably true. (Cheers.) I am glad to have the opportunity not only of repeating it here, but of proving it here. (Opposition cheers.) The right hon. gentleman asks us with that air of injured innocence to which we are accustomed — (Opposition cheers)—what has he to gain. He had everything to gain. He had eighty Irish votes to gain—(Opposition cheers)—and he had place and power, the rewards of ambition which have always been regarded as the last infirmity even of noble minds. He had something else to gain—the ascendancy of his party, and this Government, more than any other Government which ever existed in the United Kingdom, has always put party interests before the interests of the country. (Loud cheers.) What had he to lose? He had to choose between seeing the people's budget rejected by the representatives of the people and abject surrender. He chose surrender. (Opposition cheers.) Practice has made him perfect. I said he was bringing forward this bill not from conviction but from expediency. Does not the whole history of the last 20 years prove that he was right? During the whole of that time he and his party have never touched home rule except when they were dependent on the Irish vote. (Opposition cheers.) During their career of Opposition they never once moved an amendment for home rule from these benches.

Mr. Asquith's Record.

The Government went to the country on the Parliament bill, which had two definite sides—a rearrangement of the relations betwen the two Houses and also a reformed House of Lords. Napoleon gave to France a new proverb, "False as a bulletin." The Government have given to us a new proverb—"Lying as a preamble!"—(Loud Opposition cheers.)—They gave us a pledge as definite as any man in this world. They acknowledged the pledge and the right honorable gentlemen described it as a debt of honor. The debt of honor must wait until he has paid his debt of shame. —(Loud Opposition cheers.)—They have not paid the debt of honor. Why? Ask honorable gentlemen below the gangway. The honorable member for Waterford would not vote for the reform of the House of Lords. That was enough. Why would the honorable gentleman not allow them to keep their debt of honor? For one reason, and a very good one. He knows that the only chance of passing this bill is that the people of this country should not be allowed to say a word about it.—(Opposition cheers.) He knows that any second chamber, however constituted, however democratic would not allow any change of this kind to take place until it had been referred to the electorate. (Renewed cheers.) Well, they have played their cards very skillfully. The member for Waterford has played his game very skillfully, but I think it is the wrong kind of game from his own point of view. If this bill were openly submitted to the people of this country there would be a difference between the Unionists in England and the Unionists in Ireland. Now there is none. We can imagine nothing which the Unionists in Ireland will do which would not be justified against the tricks of this Government. (Opposition cheers.) And you will not succeed. You have taught us to divide the United Kingdom into units. We represent one unit—England. Has she nothing to say on a question like this? I say to the Government and to the member for Waterford, "You will not carry this bill without submitting it to the people of this country, and if you make the attempt you will not succeed. You will succeed only in breaking our parliamentary machine. (Loud Opposition cheers.)

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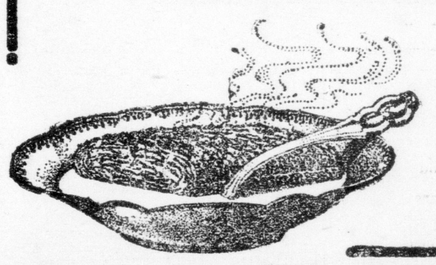

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London Nation: Last Monday the Prince of Wales left for France, "to learn French." It is announced that in order to "perfect himself" in the language, the Earl of Chester (by which title he is to be known during his residence in France) will, as often as possible, attend lectures in the Sorbonne and in the College de France on the other side of the street—not as a matriculated student — he is too late for that, and, besides, his time is short —but as one of "le grand public" who, in their thousands, all day long from November to mid-July, hie them to the Mount of Sainte Genevieve, for the free lectures (les cours publics) that have been a distinguishing feature of academic Paris ever since Abelard, in the eleventh century, and close to the spot whereon the new Sorbonne stands, originated them. For a young man hungering to combine the acquisition of "perfect French" with the gratification of a philanthropic curiosity and a literary taste, the Sorbonne is the ideal resource. And to an English prince, interested in the future of universities among the restless democracies that are knocking the old order to pieces, it should offer this additional attraction — it is unique, or at least the most finished, instance in the world of direct vital contact between the people and the university. It is also the most cosmopolitan institution of its kind in the world. According to the annual report of the university, just published, of the eighteen thousand students attending the Sorbonne and its allied institutions, three thousand five hundred are foreigners, nearly three times as many as there were three years ago.

According to these figures, the student population on and about "The Mount" is about as large as it was in the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth centuries, when it was drawn from every nation in Christendom — and when (the point is worth noting) the English contingent (the Anglorum turba of the old chroniclers) usually swamped all the rest in numbers, and (would you believe it?) in industry and ability. The chroniclers put the total student population at twenty-five or thirty thousand—an exaggeration as Mr. Rashdall argues in his admirable "History of the Medieval Universities." There may have been fifteen thousand, distributed over the Latin quarter, from the summit of "The Mount" to the labyrinth of dingy streets where MSS. were sold, and for cash down, lent out, and students lodged and masters lectured in cellars and garrets, onwards to the Seine and its Parva Pons (the modern Petit Pont), where many an English schoolman harangued to his open-air audience. John of Salisbury, Richard of Bury, enthusiastic lovers of medieval Paris and students of her schools, often passed that way. And Dominus Jocius, of London town — one would fain know more about that pilgrim to and from the Holy Land who is supposed to have founded and endowed the first college of the Studium Generale, which some time later became the University of Paris. So there was an Anglo-French entente of a noble sort, many a century before that other entente, whereof the prince's grandfather, Edward the Peacemaker, "Notre Edouard" of the Parisians, was the artificer; the sort of entente which Goethe hoped might spring up between France and the fatherland.

Much is there for the Earl of Chester to brood over, "coach" himself up in, if ever he goes strolling along the Boul' Miche, by Richelieu's Chapel of the Sorbonne and the home of the Cluniacs. From that venerable region there issued the founders of Oxford, who in their turn inspired the founders of Cambridge, St. Andrew's, Glasgow and Aberdeen. By every educated Englishman—whether a member of any of these institutions or not—"The Mount" will ever be held in veneration. "The Mount" is the Alma Mater of academic Europe. Some of the customs of the Studium Generale of medieval Paris, extinct elsewhere, survive by the banks of the Don and the Dee—a pleasing reflection, at least to one son of the northern university.

As already said, the old chronicler's figures were exaggerated. Allowing for absences, attributed not merely to irregularity, the student population of the present day actually in residence is about twelve thousand, including the foreign contingent. Among the foreigners the absentees are few. The foreigners come from almost every country under the sun. The majority are Russians. Poor they are, as a rule, miserably poor, but ardent and laborious, and finding in the humanest city and freest university of the world the spiritual sunshine and the scope for their best energies, denied them in the ill-fated land of their birth. Japanese, Turks, Bulgars, Roumanins foregather with the English, Americans, Germans, Italians, in the Richelieu, Guizot, Descartes, Turgot theatres of the Sorbonne, and in the Salles of the College de France, first child of the Renaissance. Most of the foreign students are young ladies. Should the Earl of Chester attend a lecture, say by M. Faguet, in the Amphitheatre Richelieu, perhaps on the romantic movement in literature, he would find the front benches pretty well monopolized by his youthful fellow-countrywomen, all alert, and busy with their note-books. The present writer one day asked a Sorbonian lecturer in modern history for his opinion of the English girls. He praised les Anglaises (the English) up to the skies. "They are first-rate listeners," said he, "they are quick at seizing points; those of them who go in for diplomas show a remarkable grasp of the subject; the essays they write for the certificat d'etudes Francaises form a large part of the collection selected for the honor of a place in the university library."

The annual opening of the Cours Publics—free lectures, free to all the world—is one of the most interesting events in the intellectual life of Paris. All the lectures in the College de France are free. In the Sorbonne they are divided between le grand public, who are free to enter, and the regularly matriculated students, whose tuition is "reserved." The French educational ideal is association between the people and the state's highest intellectual organism the university. The scope of les cours libres is magnificent. It includes the whole range of literature, ancient and modern, philosophy, history, art, economics, sociology, science. Nor is there anything in the world comparable with the finished Sorbonian art of exposition before those audiences from le grand public. The best that is known and thought in the world, set forth in the best French spoken in the world, and the matchless Gallic lucidity and esprit Gaulois—such is the theme of the free popular lectures of the Sorbonne. Do not suppose that because they are free they must be superficial. An idle ignoramus at one of these lectures would find himself at sea. "L'ignorant desoeuvre qui s'y egare s'y sent vite en pays etranger," (the ignorant idler who strayed in there would quickly feel himself in a strange country) lately said, with perfect truth, the vice-president of the university, M. Laird. The influence of the university upon the public, through this secular custom, has been and is great. And the masters of the art have been aware of it and proud of it. "Je regrette cette petite tribune d'ou j'exercais quelque influence sur les hommes qui se meleront de l'avenir." The man who said that was Guizot, a Sorbonian professor of les cours public before he became a minister of state. The free popular lectures delivered by Guizot and some of his more distinguished colleagues were specially distributed throughout France by the newspapers.

The career of the Sorbonne suggests a question of paramount import—the place of the university in a modern democracy. From this point of view, it seems a hopeful sign for the new era at whose threshold England and the civilized world have arrived, that this illustrious institution, the new Sorbonne, is the work of a republic, and the pride of the most democratic people in Europe. Sacrifice of the life of the spirit to "applied science," technical instruction, severely utilitarian ends, is one of the dangers that beset an epoch of capitalist-proletarian unrest. It would mean barbarism, or, to adopt another figure of speech, attempting life in a world without atmosphere. But while all the technicalities have a splendidly liberal bed in the university of Paris, the Sorbonne—the soul and glory of the university—stands for the general culture, the humane culture that constitutes the incomparably best preparation for all whose destiny it may be to "consecrate" themselves, as a Sorbonion would say, to the social and political service of the new epoch; to serve, as Matthew Arnold said of Heine, as brave soldiers in "the war of the liberation of humanity." With its philosophic "science" and faculty of letters, the Sorbonne embraces the whole field of "humane" interest. It answers more closely than any institution of its kind to the Platonic conception of the philosopher—as "the spectator of all time and all existence."

In the England of the coming race, to what extent will London University fulfil the ideal of association with and direct influence upon the people? "We salute you, dear colleagues, in our own names and the names of our great predecessors, the guardian spirits of our ancient house. May your Alma Mater be destined to a career as long and as glorious as hers! Vivat, crescat, floreat!" These were the words of the first deputation (six years ago) from the college and the Sorbonne to the London professors assembled in their university hall. The ideal university for the capital of the British Empire is an alluring dream, though one may not witness its realization. But, meanwhile, the vigorous provincial universities of the new type —Manchester, Birmingham, Liverpool, Leeds and the rest—are advancing on the democratic path. And in the organization of these institutions, planted as they are in the midst of an industrial, commercial, utilitarian population, nothing is more remarkable than the high place they accord to humane studies.

THE INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

May 5, 1912.

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Poverty and Riches. Luke vi:20-26; xvi:19-31.

Golden Text—A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth. Luke xii:15.

1. Verse 20—Wherein consists the blessedness of poverty?

2. Did Jesus mean that it was blessed to be poor or in the fact that the poor were to be delivered from their poverty?

3. Why should the poor be more entitled to the kingdom of God than the rich?

4. Verse 21—When a good man is hungry or when he weeps, is he going through, for the time being, the best possible experience for him and is therefore blessed? Give your reasons.

5. If hunger is necessary in order to getting and enjoying food, and if weeping is an essential preparation for laughter, why are not these experiences blessed?

6. With the world and human nature constituted as at present, would it be a blessing or a curse, and why, if all hunger, weeping and other pain were impossible?

7. Verses 22-23—Wherein consists the blessedness of being hated for Jesus' sake?

8. Under painful circumstances, even when recognized as blessed, is it always possible to be joyful and happy? Why or why not?

9. If, for example, we are now suffering great pain, which is the result by and by in infinite pleasure, why would not a realization of the truth make our hearts glad?

10. Verse 24 — What is the one great penalty of riches?

11. What can you say for or against the statement that it is wicked to be rich and virtuous to be poor?

12. Verse 25—What is the great woe to those that, having plenty of food and worldly amusement, have no desire for spiritual joys?

13. Verse 26 — Is it possible for a man who is well pleasing to God to have all men speak well of him?

14. XVI:19-23 — How is it that in all time some have been very rich and some very poor?

15. Which, and why, tends most to goodness, great poverty or great riches?

16. Why did the poor man go to heaven and the rich man to hell?

17. Why is there no necessary vice or virtue in being either rich or poor?

18. Verses 24-26—What does this story teach concerning any alleviation of the suffering of the lost?

19. Verses 27-31 — If Wesley and Knox were to come back to the earth and preach, would they win more people for Christ than they did when here before? Give your reasons.

Lesson for Sunday, May 12, 1912. The Law of Love. Luke vi:27-38; Rom. xiii:8-10.

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The Law of Love. Luke vi:27-38. Rom. xiii:8-10.

Golden Text—Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. Rom. xiii:9.

1. Verses 27-28—What benefit is it to us, to the cause of God or to our enemies if we love them?

2. What is implied in loving our enemies?

3. Why is it, or not, natural for us to love our enemies?

4. If being desirous of loving our enemies and we do not succeed, what means should we adopt to accomplish our desire?

5. Verses 29-30—Granted that it is the duty of all of us to love our enemies, is it also our duty under all circumstances when we have been smitten on one cheek to turn the other also and if one steals our cloak to let him steal our coat also? Give your reasons.

6. If a man is not willing to turn the other cheek and give up his coat after having his cloak stolen, provided this was the will of God in any given circumstance, what would you say of such a man?

7. Why is it, or not, essential for a Christian to hold himself in readiness to do anything God may clearly command, no matter how unreasonable it may look to him?

8. Verses 31-34—Wherein ought a Christian to be better than a sinner in his treatment of his fellows?

9. Is it easy or difficult, and why, for a truly good man to literally treat others as he would like to be treated?

10. When Christian men loan money does Christ mean that they should not be careful to be properly secured, or does he simply mean that there is no more merit in such a transaction than an ordinary sinner would be entitled to?

11. Verses 35-36—Which is generally the better way to help those in need—to loan them money without security or to give it to them?

12. What is the reward or profit for loaning money without security to the needy with the sole object of helping them?

13. What is implied in being merciful as God is?

14. Versus 37-38—What does Jesus mean by judge not, condemn not and forgive, and what results follow such actions?

15. What right have we to expect if we give liberally of our money that God will cause our fellow men to give with superabundance to us?

16. Rom. xii:8-10—In what spirit should we give, rule and show mercy?

17. What relation has Christian love with right living?

18. To what extent does love make us prefer others to ourselves?

Lesson for Sunday, May 19, 1912. The Old Law and the New Life. Matt. v:17-26.

He:—"My heart beats for you alone."
She:—"Nonsense! That's your watch ticking!"—London Opinion.

THE ART OF LIFE

Selected by Edwin Markham

[Written for The London Advertiser.]

Dr. Horatio W. Dresser in his volume called "Human Efficiency" (published by G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York: $2 50) makes a study of the psychology of the principles of human activity. He considers the term "efficiency" as only a synonym for the art of life, for adaptation to nature. I select a few paragraphs from the chapter entitled "Our Energies and Their Control":

"The principle of efficiency tends to assume quantitative forms at first, through the dominance of commercial standards, and because of the use of methods involving the economical use of time. This tendency, carried to the extreme, would make of every man a machine for the production of the greatest amount of good work in the shortest time. To permit this tendency to rule would involve the surrender of the higher interests of human life, and man would cease to be human.

"Efficiency implies the best use of all our powers so far as may be consistent with the steady pursuit of one interest, vocation or profession, to which we give ourselves for the sake of being genuinely practical. The end is self-realization, the contribution of our share to the world's work, to the arts or the sciences. Hence self-coerciveness should no more rule than the coercion of authority.

"The right to live, to express, is inalienable, sacred. The human organism is an instrument for the realization of this moral ideal. Mind and body move along together. Therefore we cannot expect to make satisfactory headway unless we take them both into full account. Control at the centre, mental efficiency, is the ideal and the means whereby moral efficiency may be secured.

"In a widely-read article by Professor James on 'The Energies of Men,' attention is called to the fact that there are various levels of energy, and times when the amount of energy available is greater, while at other times one appears to be cut off from the sources. Closely connected with these fluctuations of energy are the inhibitions which check our energy in many ways.

"We are restrained, for example, by literality and decorum, and so hedged in that we are unable to attain fulness of self-expression. It is plain that there are reservoirs of energy not habitually tapped. That these hidden reserves exist we know from the fact that at times we gain our 'second wind,' hence we are able to press on and work even after becoming decidedly fatigued.

"Again, we accomplish a great deal under excitement, or unusual circumstances. The inference is that if we possessed spontaneity or self-abandonment we might frequently draw on our hidden resources.

"If I have been in the habit of taking long walks into the country, I may well take advantage of my 'second wind' and walk five, ten, even fifteen miles after I am weary; since my organism, well trained in that sort of exercise, may not be brought into full activity until I have passed beyond the initial fatigue. The next day I may be aware of no ill-effects, and in a few days may be able to repeat the performance.

"So, in many kinds of work in which people regularly engage, it may be possible to continue day after day turning off an exceptional amount of work without any undesirable result.

"This should be true of all whose powers are trained to work systematically, especially those who are happy in their work. The normal individual ought to be able to labor a goodly number of hours without being made unpleasantly conscious of his organism.

"That there is enormous waste of energy in the human organism is a fact to be considered by itself before we set out in quest of hidden reserves. Only by more advantageously employing the energy at hand can we expect to conserve and organize that which is wasted. Our first promising discovery is likely to relate to the nervous system, since it is right use of nervous energy which underlies mental efficiency. Without doubt the nervous system is capable of far more work than we usually get from it.

"Yes, whatever the real or apparent power of the nervous system, it is primarily a question of the individual who makes full use of his powers, or habitually behaves below his highest point of activity, as the case may be.

"To make good use of our powers we must engage in a work which we believe worth while. Granted an inspiriting ideal which calls the best from the self, the question is, Where shall one begin in the effort to master the energies of the organism and employ them to advantage?

"If able to command sufficient repose to analyze a subject carefully, discerning its parts, arranging them in order, singling out essential points and formulating laws, you have already made several attainments in this direction.

"Such control implies the ability to adopt a point of view and follow it logically to its conclusions, and this implies command of the brain. It also involves the mechanism that secures external order and system, insures confidence and enables one to strike out and reach a goal.

"Some people show in a few minutes' conversation why they have become neurasthenics. That is, they speak with enormous waste of energy, using their powers like the person who does three days' work in one and then rests for three days to recover from the excess. To catch one's self in the act of forging ahead is to realize what a whirlwind of excitement is ordinarily taking place within, what tensions, frictions and strains still remain to be overcome.

"One can hardly learn precisely what is taking place without at the same time seeing what should be done. Catching one's self in the act, one is able to trace effects to causes. Hence, one sees at what point the organism must be cared for in a wiser way, just where the centres of nervous activity must be overcome. But all this calls for more self-knowledge and composure as the basis for control of the organism. This in turn demands a simpler life, with more time for reflection."

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There is the hurry at breakfast, the hurry to work, the hurry to accomplish the daily stint, the hurry at lunch, the hurry home, the hurry to meet evening engagements.

There is no time for rest or sleep, no time for the nerves to renew their lost vitality, no time for the body to rebuild its wasted tissues, no time for digestion or assimilation of food—the spirit of hurry is everywhere, and few can escape its influence.

As a result of this constant strain you find yourself irritable at slightest provocation, and wonder why it is so. Did you ever realize before that you are almost always making an effort to be on time—that you are almost always in a hurry?

In the youth of our grandfathers paralysis, locomotor ataxia and nervous prostration—diseases so common to-day—were rarely heard of, because the nervous system was not always kept at highest tension, as it is to-day.

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Oh, if you could only get away from it all to some quiet place to rest and to let nature restore your wasted system. But you cannot. Business must be attended to. You must be at your daily grind. Then what is to be done? Many have solved this problem by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and now rejoice in health and strength. They were just as much run down and discouraged as you are, but persisted in this treatment until their old-time vigor and vitality were restored.

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EXPRESS WHAT IS IN YOU

By Dr. Frank Crane

[Written for The London Advertiser.]

Of all the various grounds of happiness that have been imagined and advertised, the surest is this:

To express what is in you.

The more one thinks of that and turns it over and over, trying its bearings on different phases of life, the more one is convinced that here, and here alone, is the secret of efficiency, or real success, of scientific (i. e., not authoritative) morality, and so of happiness.

Just look at it. "To express what is in you": that means to create.

As religion teaches us that we are the children of God made in his likeness, so our greatest pleasure is of the same kind as his, which is creation.

Hence, the noblest of passions, love, in its fullest manifestations is bound up with the creative instinct.

No woman ever did a dearer piece of work than to have a child, to reproduce her own life in another life.

And to express what is in you is the secret of that most moral, most anti-criminal, most mind-sane and body-healthy thing in which a soul can function to wit: Work. The joy in work I reckon the chief conserving instinct of the race.

For in every ore of us is a desire to make something. It is noticeable in children. Their play shows it. They build houses, sail boats, ride horses and contrive and produce constantly in the nursery.

The pleasure of being stuffed and waited upon, to loll in silks and eat unearned dainties is not natural, but late and artificial. Children love to do and do.

So, if a man has wood carving in his blood he will never be happy till he carves wood. Another man is born with sculptor of marble blown in his metal, another with the passion to speak in public, another for banking, another for poetry, another with the itch for writing.

Every soul comes into the world with an inborn craving, a propulsion in some certain direction. Let him find and follow it. That way lies his happiness.

When a man does that kind of work, pay is the least part of it; the business itself is his meat and drink.

The men who are running the world's locomotives and tilling the world's crops and writing the world's books are not doing it for money; they are doing it for fun. They may deny it and laugh; but rob them of their work and they would be miserable.

Their work is the expression of what is in them.

I said, too, morality.

For, when you think to the bottom of morality, nothing is so utterly, purely moral as doing as you please.

The very fact that this night land you in crime shows how moral it is. For the sinner who does what he desires is simply a known sinner, who is always a healthier subject than the undiscovered sinner, the man full of wrong wants controlled.

For real morality consists not in governing one's vile instincts, but in getting rid of them.

Herein Jesus was the wisest teacher, who said that the only sensible morality was to be "born again," which simply means that we should not aim at the fool's task of eternally repressing bad desires, but at the intelligent task of ousting them.

Express what is in you. So doing you will come to encourage and cultivate the better parts of you. You will be shamed from lowness.

Let the soul go; and the more beautiful forms of its life will outgrow the uglier.

This is a very perilous doctrine, because it is so true. The only real safe doctrines are those that are half false.

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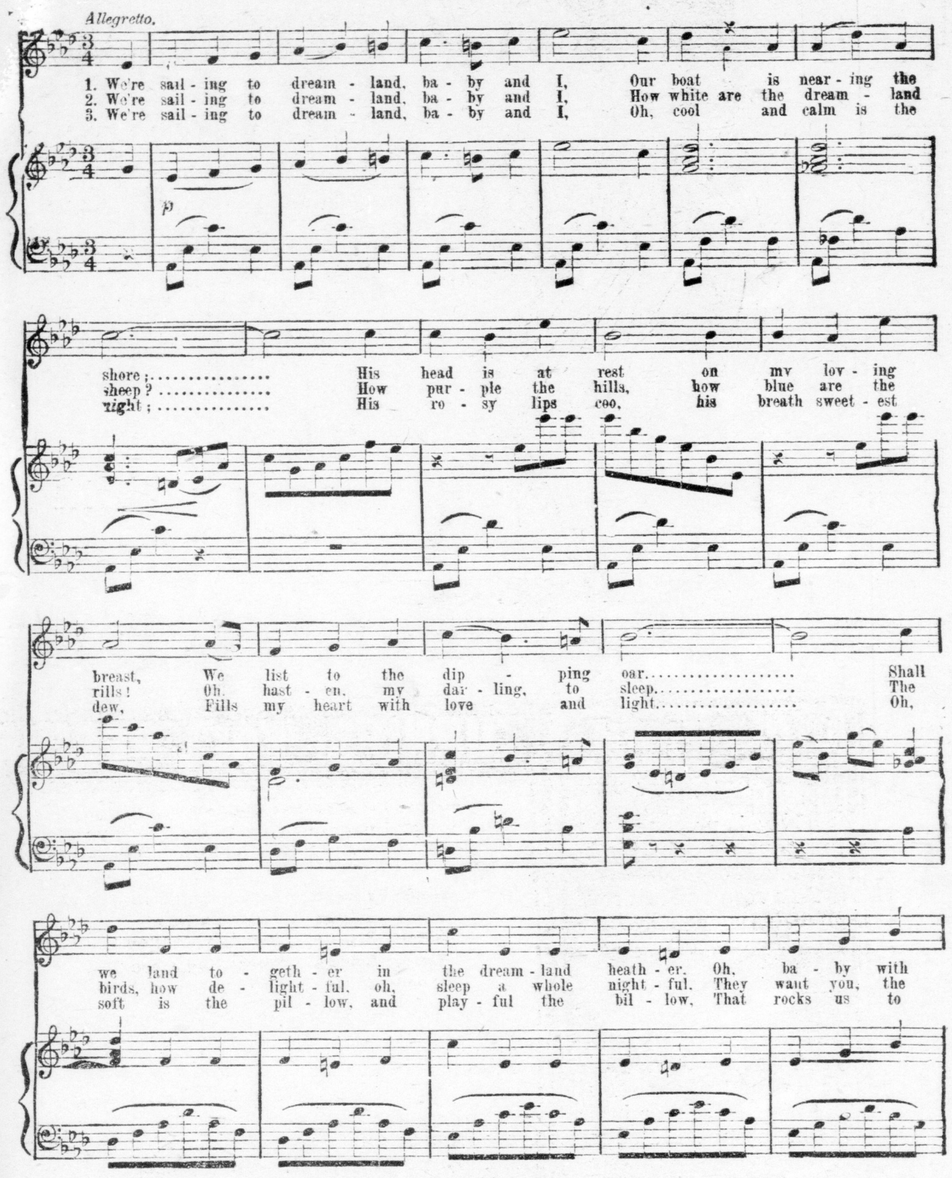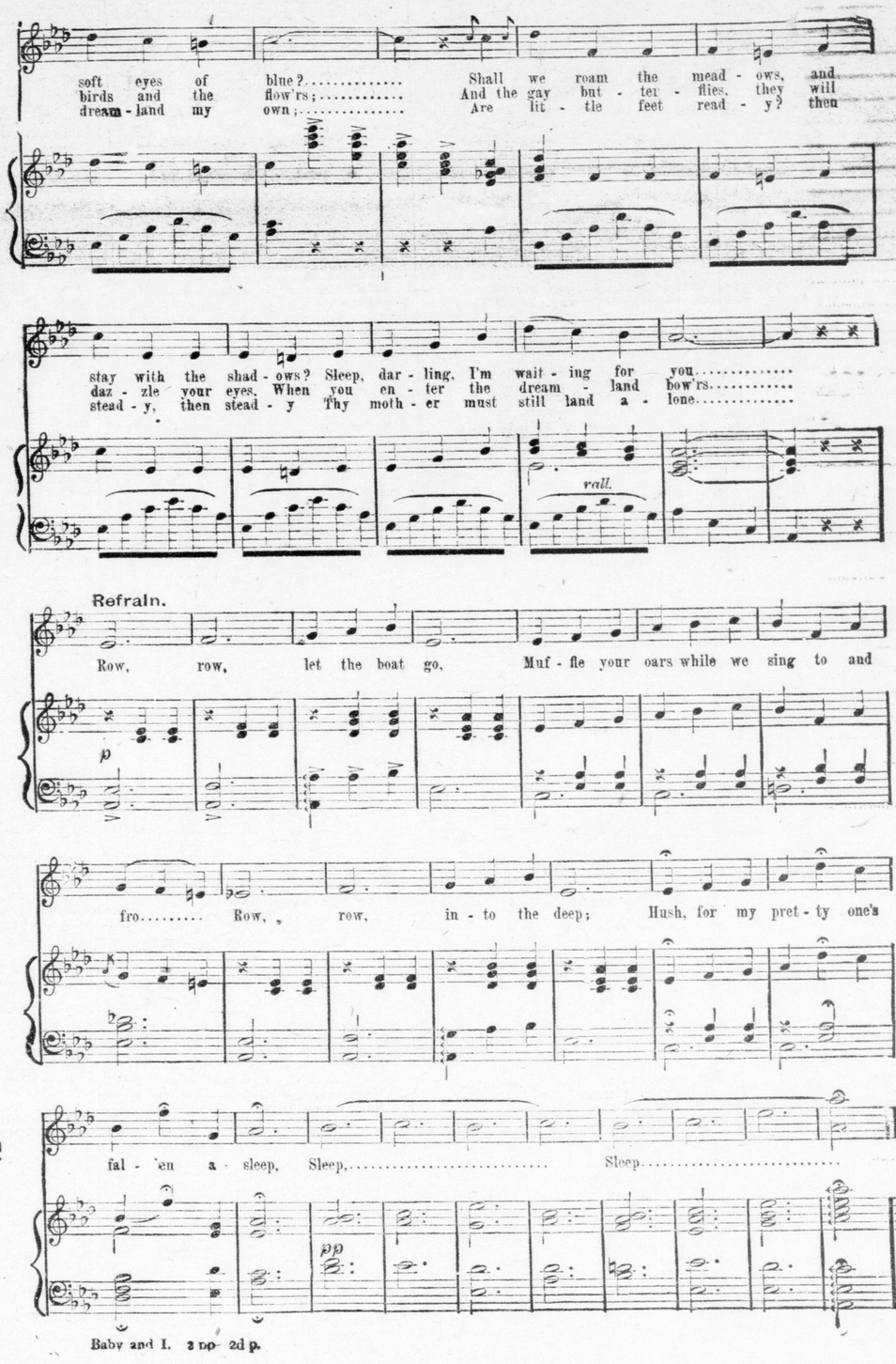
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HENRY JENKINS HELD RECORD FOR LONGEVITY; LIVING TO AGE OF 169

[Spencer L. Hughes, M. P. ("Sub Rosa"), in London Daily News.]

A few days ago I saw some reference in a paper to a man who was described as being the oldest bachelor in the Kingdom—a single gentleman who had escaped the two common lots of man, marriage and death, for about a hundred years. He received congratulations from the very highest quarters—presumably on his length of life and not on his single condition. It does not follow, however, that the elderly gentleman is even now out of his danger, for there is at least one instance of a man in this country over a hundred years old leading a bride, or being led by her, to what fine writers love to describe as the hymeneal altar.

Of course I allude to tough old Tom Parr, who faced the music of the wedding march when he was 122, and when he may be supposed to have reached the years of discretion. It was not his first adventure, however, as we may learn from certain pleasing verse written by John Taylor, the Water Poet.

A tedious time a Batchelour hee tarried,
Full eighty years of age before he married.

Having described the lady, whose maiden name was Jane Taylor, the poet adds:

With her he liv'd yeares three times ten and two,
And then she dy'd (as all good wives will doe).
She dead, hee ten yeares did a widower stay,
Then once more ventured in the wedlock way,
And in affection to his first wife Jane
He tooke another of that name again.

This would appear to have been a very delicate compliment to the memory of the first Mrs. Parr, but I am not sure that it is correct.

At any rate Granger, in his "Biographical History of England," says of Parr:

At a hundred and twenty he married Catharine Milton, his second wife.

The name is of small consequence—the fact remains that at 120 or 122, Tom went into double harness again, and he survived the experiment more than thirty years. It is to be feared that he was rather a rake, for when well over a 100 he had to stand in a sheet in his parish church to do penance for some breach of the moral law. The poet places that remarkable incident on record in this way:

That for lawes satisfaction 'twas thought meet
He should be purg'd, by standing in a sheet;
Which aged (He) one hunderd and five yeare
In Alberbury's Parish Church did weare.

So far from feeling ashamed, old Mr. Parr seems to have looked back upon the incident with satisfaction.

I say that because when at the very end of his long life he was presented to Charles I., the following conversation took place.

King: You have lived longer than other men; what have you done more than other men?

Mr. Parr: I did pennance when I was an hundred yeares old.

It was by no means an edifying reply—and I imagine it would have been more to the taste of the second Charles than the first.

Old John Parr is generally mentioned as the oldest Englishman on record, but I am inclined to doubt this. I have a curious old book entitled "Potraits, Memoirs and Characters of Remarkable Persons From the Reign of Edward the Third to the Revolution, collected from the most Authentic Accounts Extant"—most of the remarkable people being scoundrels. I am pleased to make an exception in favor of Henry Jenkins, and he is the man whom I back against Tom Parr in regard to age. I know that some works of reference say that Henry died when he was only 116—but that will never do. He was "going strong" at that age, and had more than 50 years of life left in him.

One Mrs. Ann Saville, who knew the old boy, says that he came begging to her house at Bolton-on-Swale, Yorkshire, and he was then between 162 and 163, far beyond the old age pension limit. This was in 1663, so that Henry was born about 1500 or 1501. The lady asked him "what public thing he could longest remember," and according to the book his reply was "Flodden Field." The battle of Flodden Field was fought in September, 1513, and one thing which made Henry remember was the fact, as he says, that:

I was sent to Northallerton with a horse load of arrows, but they sent a bigger boy from thence to the army with them.

He also remembered that the king was away in France and that the Earl of Surrey commanded.

Jenkins could neither read nor write, but all the details he gave about the battle, such as the use of bows and arrows, the absence of the King and the command by the Earl were correct. He said that he was not allowed to go beyond Northallerton with what may be called the reserve ammunition, as he was only twelve years old, and that fact confirms his having been born about 1500 or 1501. Advocates of the simple life will be able to point to this old man as a proof that plain living leads to longevity, for it is said of him:

In the last century of his life he was a fisherman, and used to wade in the streams. His diet was course and sour, and towards the latter end of his days he begged up and down. And I have heard some of the country gentlemen affirm that he frequently swam in the rivers after he was past the age of one hundred years.

This beats old Parr altogether, and I like to think of good Henry Jenkins, when more than five score years, taking a header into some Yorkshire stream and enjoying a swim.

Let me quote some more evidence of his age:

In the King's Remembrancer's Office in the Exchequer is a record in a deposition of a cause, by English bill, between Anthony Clark and Smirkson, taken 1665, at Ketterings, in Yorkshire, when Henry Jenkins, of Ellerton-upon-Swale, laborer, aged one hundred and fifty-seven, was produced and deposed as a witness.

In 1665 he was really, or should have been about 164 years old, but most of us find that when we get more than 150 we are apt to make little trival slips in dealing with such details. And it is interesting to know that

there were also four or five in the same parish that were reputed all of them to be over 100 years old, or within two or three years of it, and they all said he was an elderly man ever since they knew him.

He was certainly no chicken even when these other Yorkshire worthies first appeared on the scene.

Was Henry married—and if so, how often? These are questions I cannot answer. If he lived and died a bachelor he is certainly the hero of the longest successful defense on record. But so far as I can make out no poet has sung the story of his life, which may be reckoned with one of the long and simple annals of the poor. Though not figuring in verse, Henry is not without his monument, for one was erected to his memory in 1743 at Bolton, in Yorkshire, and it bears an inscription that resembles his life in being long.

This is how the inscription begins:

Blush not, Marble,
To rescue from oblivion
The Memory of
HENRY JENKINS,

It is to be hoped that the marble carried out this reasonable request. There is, indeed, nothing on record about Henry for which the marble or he himself need have blushed. At the end of a long and eloquent tribute, which sounds throughout like a front bench peroration, we come to something that is not always to be found in front bench perorations—a statement of fact, viz.:

He lived to the amazing age of
169.
Was interred here December 6,
1670
And had this justice done to his
memory 1743.

After this I think I am entitled to ask "Whaur's your Tommy Parr the noo?" Parr was born in 1483, seventeen years before Jenkins, but Tom died in 1635, or thirty-five years before Henry. So Jenkins holds the record.

S. L. H.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF FIRST CHINESE REPUBLICAN PARLIAMENT.

This photograph, just received from Nanking, China, shows the first Chinese Republican Parliament in session, with Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the provisional president, in the chair.

THE EXCEPTIONS.

[Detroit Free Press.]

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SPECIAL SENATE COMMITTEE TAKING TESTIMONY ON CAUSES OF TITANIC DISASTER.

This news photograph shows the special Senate committee in session in the gorgeous new Senate caucus room, where the investigation of the Titanic disaster is going forward. 1, Senator Perkins, of California; 2, Senator Smith, of Michigan (chairman); 3, Senator Newlands, of Nevada; 4, Senator Fletcher, of Florida; 5, J. Bruce Ismay, managing director of the White Star Line. All the men sitting near Ismay along the side of the room are White Star officials.

SOME RECENT SAYINGS IN GREAT BRITAIN

Col. de Burgh.
The hooligan is all right; he only feels he must do something or burst. Get him in hand and see that he bursts in the right direction. — At Northampton.

Miss Flanuala de Danaan.
Society invariably displays resentment towards extravagance in any class but its own.—In the "Ladies' Field."

Mr. J. M. Richardson.
The man in love with himself seldom has a rival.—In the Smart Set.

Sir Edward Russell.
People seem to think nowadays that one of the rights of intelligence is to be a law unto yourself.—At Woburn-hill.

Mr. M. A. R. Tuker.
We cherish an inveterate habit of attributing to our forefathers virtues which their degenerate sons do not boast.—In the Pall Mall Magazine.

Rev. E. Lloyd Jones.
To save people from ever knowing the bitterness of poverty is better than relieving those who are in the grip of it.—At Rhyl.

Mr. Lucien Wolf.
People are much more frequently alarmed by the mysterious than by the obvious.—In the Graphic.

Prof. Rippman.
The writing of the English language was better in the time of King Alfred than at the present day. — At Birmingham.

Rev. H. M. Hughes.
The dominating spirit of the present day is one of awakening to the value of possibilities.—At Cardiff.

Mr. Samuel Barrow.
If all men had to earn all they lived upon they would know better how to use money and how to save it.—To the Leathersellers' Company.

Prebendary E. B. Cook.
Religion, like the measles, can only be caught through personal contact. —To the Parents' Educational Union.

Mr. G. K. Chesterton.
You cannot have a great tragedy that is not founded on a great admitted system of morals.—At Bradford.

Rev. W. E. Chadwick.
It would perhaps have been a better thing for the world if charity had never been invented.—At Norwich.

Canon Masterman.
Out of the ignorance people have of all conditions of life other than those of the little circle in which they live grow many of the most dangerous misunderstandings of our time.—At Birmingham.

Mr. R. H. Tawney.
The crude psychology which regards the body and mind of a child as two separate things is dead.—To the National Union of Women Workers.

Bishop Boyd Carpenter.
If we could only get rid of some of the ambiguity in naguage and thought we should be a happier people.—At Brighton.

Rev. Stuart Bicfield.
Ordinary people rather suspect an educational subject that gives children pleasure in school hours — At Birmingham.

Rev. J. H. Saxton.
The really great-hearted man does not necessarily agree with everybody.—At Northampton.

Sir William Lever.
Fortune knocks at the door of everybody; but we ought not to expect it to kick the panels in. — At Manchester.

Dr. Clifford.
The man who says he is not his brother's keeper is now outside the circle of respectability.—At Norwich.

The Bishop of Hull.
The theory that our sins are simply the survival of certain animal instincts is plausible, but it will not work.—At Hull.

Dr. Ramsay.
Modern civilization produces a great deal too many idle people.—At Preston.

Lord Robert Cecil, M. P.
Women, on the whole, are a more practical sex than men.—At Newcastle.

Mr. F. A. W. Gisborne.
To discuss war in its ethical aspects is as futile as to discuss the ethics of famine and pestilence.—In the Empire Review.

Mr. R. R. Buckley.
It is well to remember that the millennium does not lie in the past. —In T. P.'s Weekly.

Mr. Desmond MacCarthy.
The virtues of a book, even of a good book, do not necessarily keep.—In the Eye-Witness.

Mr. Noel Heaton.
Every smut that lodges on a building or a statue carries the active agents of destruction. — At the Smoke Abatement Exhibition.

Rev. A. J. Lewis.
Only the man who can excite the interest and curiosity of his pupil can be called an expert teacher. — At Tenby.

Mr. T. M. Heron.
The artist should bring himself into touch with modern life, not shut himself up to revel in classic beauty. —At Bradford.

Mr. J. R. Clynes, M. P.
Poverty is the costliest thing in the country.—At Liverpool.

Mr. Arthur Stannard.
Majorities can often be made unrestful; but they do not initiate movements.—In the Bristol Times and Mirror.

Rev. Leonard Sykes.
The present age does not believe in the finality of the scrap-heap.—At Hull.

Miss A. M. Hellier.
The national level of a people depends on the level of its women. — At Manchester.

Mr. Alfred Waring.
The theatre of ideas should always be producing plays which are just a little beyond thep ublic. — At Manchester.

FRISCO PLANS FOR GREAT EXHIBITION

Panama-Pacific Show Will Cost More Than Any Other Ever Held—$80,000,000 To Be Spent.

San Francisco is planning to entertain the world on a grand scale in 1915. Before the city had been selected as the location for the Panama Canal Exposition more than $17,000,000 had been publicly contributed in California for the big show. Since then the public fund has reached $22,000,000. It is estimated that more than $80,000,000 will be expended on the exposition.

Several sites will be occupied by the buildings, but according to a writer in Harper's Weekly, they will be units in a superb group. The two principle sites are at Harbor View and in the west side of Golden Gate Park. Harbor View lies as a crescent on the bay half way between the ferry and the sea. Golden Gate Park faces the Pacific Ocean and runs back to the city. A winding boulevard will be the link between these two sites. A trackless trolley will run over it and it will be a permanent addition to the city's attractions.

At Harbor View will be located the Midway and other features that lend themselves to brilliant electrical effects. An existing lagoon will be converted into a superb yacht harbor; an aquarium will be located there and the most marvellous collection of the strange and brilliantly colored fish of tropic waters will be brought together.

Also at Harbor View will be located great structures to house the heavy exhibits that may be unloaded from ocean-going vessels directly upon the grounds. Among these will be the manufactures and machinery buildings, the Palace of Liberal Arts and the buildings to house industrial features.

Lincoln Park is a lofty knoll 150 acres in area, 200 to 300 feet above the waters of the Golden Gate. The park will be adorned with terraces and statuary and an observation cafe, glass closed and of several stories. But the crowning achievement will be the St. Francis Memorial Tower, a huge commemorative edifice which, like Bartholdi's Statue of Liberty, will welcome vessels from afar.

Plans have been accepted and the tower will be 850 feet high, including the shaft and a granite anchored base 220 feet square. The shaft will be 85 feet square, of steel construction and of marble and terra cotta veneering. The approximate cost will be $1,000,000. From its summit one will be able to look almost straight down upon the waters of the Golden Gate, 1,100 feet down.

From Lincoln Park south to Golden Gate Park the distance is almost one mile. Between these parks the exposition directors have secured a connecting strip of 200 acres of privately owned land, which will be devoted to the use of foreign concessionaries, to live stock exhibits, to gardens, and doubtless to exhibits from Alaska, Hawaii and foreign countries.

One of the most notable foreign concessions will be that just proposed by the Chinese merchants of San Francisco, who have at their command many millions and are enthusiastic. A Chinese display of large dimensions will be surrounded by a model of the great wall of China.

The concession will be built at a cost of $1,000,000 and it is planned to have the whole work completed by the latter part of 1914. Junks, sampans, temples, and pagodas will be included within the concession, and the visitor may, if he wishes, take a rickshaw or automobile around the top of the great wall.

Golden Gate Park will be the site of the permanent structures which will remain after the exposition. Among the striking structures here will be a huge concrete coliseum to surround an existing stadium with a seating capacity of 75,000 people and in architecture like that at Rome. Awnings will shade it and it is planned that an automobile racetrack shall pass into the stadium.

A marble art gallery with the noted paintings of the world will be among the features, while a chain of lakes at different levels will be connected by a working model of the Panama Canal. In Golden Gate Park Japanese and Chinese residents of the Pacific coast may build typical edifices in which their societies can meet, and their archives may be kept.

Perhaps the most remarkable and unusual feature will be a wonderful series of Chinese, Japanese and Hawaiian gardens. The rarest plants of the tropical Orient will be shown with those of more temperate regions. The marvels of Oriental gardening as developed for centuries, will be expounded and a wonderful Hawaiian water garden is planned. Many acres will be comprised in this exhibit.

All told, San Francisco will spend more than $100,000,000 in public improvements within the city itself. The State of California has voted $9,000,000 in bonds for piers and improvements on the San Francisco waterfront, aside from the $5,000,000 it has appropriated for exposition purposes. The construction of that portion of the scenic boulevard which will be in the Presidio is among the works which it is anticipated the Government will undertake, while the Presidio affords a splendid opportunity for the most comprehensive military and Government service display ever made.

The ferry building at the foot of Market street will be the entrance to Exposition City, with a grand court of honor and probably viaducts to permit visitors to pass from either side of the street. Near the junction of Market and Van Ness will be established a civic centre with a great auditorium to accommodate conventions during the exposition. A new city hall to replace the one demolished in 1906 will form the nucleus of the civic centre, and Mayor Rolph announces that this structure, to be built in classic style, will be completed by March 1, 1915.

Private capital will erect a grand opera house at the civic centre and other structures within a considerable radius will be built or remodelled to conform to the general architectural design. Telegraph Hill, looming 287 feet above San Francisco Harbor, will be terraced and surmounted by the tallest wireless tower that can be constructed; from the tower messages will be flashed to ships passing through the Panama Canal.

The exposition will have at its opening event a battleship parade through the Golden Gate, composed of a composite navy of the fleets of the world. This fleet, the largest ever brought together, will be reviewed by the President of the United States and foreign dignitaries at Hampton Roads and will then proceed via the Panama Canal to the Golden Gate, arriving in San Francisco Harbor about two weeks after the exposition opens. From unofficial advices it is anticipated that more than one hundred foreign battleships, in addition to those of the United States, will participate in the display. Every nation in the world that has a battleship will be represented, says President Moore.

Following the assemblage of battleships in San Francisco Harbor will come a succession of major events at intervals of two months apart, with minor events between. Among the major events will be a series of parades and pageants of the nations of the Orient lasting for a week. Down the streets of San Francisco in exposition days will pass such Oriental pageants as the world has ever seen. China, Japan, the Philippines, India, and other Oriental nations will join in a series of displays which will rival the Durbar in magnificence and perhaps surpass the Durbar in viewpoint of diversity by reason of the many nations represented.

QUEER VOCATIONS OF BREAD WINNERS

They Range from Cockroach Shoer to Saintmaker—Undertaker's Solicitor Among the Vocations.

When a friend of mine in Kansas City told me his business was "bottled smoke," I exclaimed: "Ho-o-ly smoke," says a writer in the Chicago Tribune. It's a long trip from that to "saintmaker," and some other occupations have the startling titles of "rented letters," "second-hand tombstones," "bottled smoke," "undertaker's solicitor," "lawyer's snitch," "professional mourner," "business adviser," "oil well Looter," "corporations psychologist," "burial fund collector," "tree faker," etc., though the latter's designations are not chosen by members of the profession. This list will do for the present purpose, which is merely to suggest some of the curious vocations by which men, and a few women, make a living under the tutelage of "the mother of invention."

If you don't like your present job, try one of these. If it's "smoke" you have the packing house people for your customers. Instead of sending a boy into the "smoke-house" to make the kind of fire out of hickory chips that will never blaze, but will make his own eyes hurt like blazes, you send a lot of men into the woods to burn a small forest into smoke, which is condensed till it becomes liquefied, put into bottles and sold to packers and others who kill hogs where no trees are to be found. That enables people to cure their pork anywhere with little trouble.

There is the second-hand tombstone dealer who comes to the aid of the first-hand dealer and uses the stones that have been thrown back on his hands. He runs a sort of misfit establishment. By polishing it down a bit and filling up the incisions with putty or cement, he manages to get up a good stone for those who want something that would otherwise be beyond their means. He buys at a low rate from the first-hand dealer and sells cheap, but at an advance.

The solicitor for the undertaker plies almost as serious a trade. Some men make a success at it. It is not known whether they stand in with the druggist and the doctor or not. They are almost invariably cheerful and tactful men, though somewhat grave in their tendencies. And, speaking of the solicitor, reminds me of the "snitch." The snitch is a lawyer's solicitor and evidently not reputable either in or out of the profession. He not only watches to turn business in the direction of his employer, but he makes it a point to stir up busines. He can frequently induce people of feeble or vindictive minds to go to law and to engage his employer to conduct their suits when wisdom would suggest arbitration or oblivion for their troubles.

Over in Paris they have a select few who follow the business of "saint making"—cultured people who study the lives and characters of the old saints for the purpose of getting up models from which images are made for the eager trade.

Some of the fake lines of work are well enough known, too well, in fact. Some are unique and can be spoken of without fear of suggesting them as desirable vocations to any readers of this story. Here is a young negro who made his living for a whole year collecting money to bury other negroes who were in imminent peril of being buried in potters' field or not being buried at all, but cut up by the doctors. Sympathetic negroes came to his aid with enough to make him a comfortable living a whole year, till he was arrested the other day.

The occupation of "business adviser" is a growing one, and there is room for a great many more occupants of it. The "adviser" is called in when business is getting bad, and he looks it all over to see what's the matter with it. He studies the plans on which it is run, learns the habits of the employees, the cost and income, and then advises how it can be improved, or recommends an assignment. He must be an expert to be able to grasp a business, and he has a chance to prove a useful man.

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[London Corespondent Manchester Guardian.]

Reading through the Prime Minister's speech on the introduction of the home rule bill, I was surprised to come across a phrase that strongly reminded me of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's ideal of imperialism. Mr. Asquith, in the course of his short peroration, said "They (the self-governing Legislatures) have solved under every diversity of condition—economic, radial and religious—the problem of reconciling local autonomy with imperial unity." I have succeeded in tracking down the saying of which this put me in mind. If it be of any interest to your readers to know, it was uttered by the Grand Old Man of Canada on April 26, 1907. It was—"The Imperial maxim ought to be Imperial unity, but local liberty and local autonomy."

A WHISKERLESS AGE.

Manchester Guardian.

The two Parliamentary groups which you reproduced today show an interesting contrast with the group in Parliament tonight. In the 1886 one it will be observed that there is a great deal more whisker than could be found in a similar group nowadays. Even Mr. Chamberlain, it will be noticed, is wearing side whiskers, which he has since sacrificed. In the 1893 group we see Mr. Balfour with side whiskers, a decoration which he also has abandoned. The development of fashion in this matter has been a curious one. In a Corn Law group there would not be a great deal of whisker, but the whisker fashion increased gradually, and in the sixties, after the Crimean War, beards came into vogue as well. Today the fashion is almost universal of clean shaving, with the occasional exception of a moustache. Beard and whiskers have practically disappeared.

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"The one thing that I consider most important in making commercial vessels near unsinkable is providing means for pumping water out in the event of a serious collision and subsequent leak. There should be a large donkey boiler on the upper decks so the water entering the lower portions of the ship could not cripple the pumps.

Under the present system the boilers are down in the bottom of the ship where the water can first reach them."

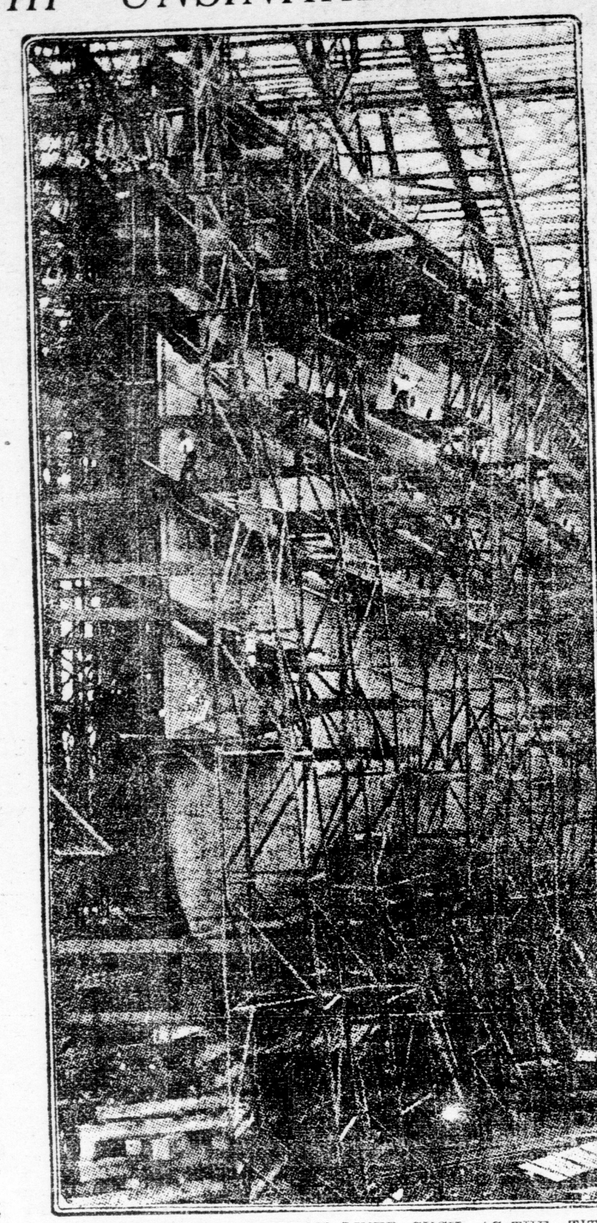
"The unsinkable ship is the ship composed entirely of bulkheads, which would be no ship at all," said Charles H. Cramp, of the famous Cramp shipbuilding concern.

"The vertical bulkhead or watertight compartment, such as the Titanic's, is worse than useless," said Capt. George A. Chaddock, a former officer of the Cunard line, and a life long student of shipbuilding. And then he tells how a near non-sinkable ship may be built.

"Now in the event of a pierced hull, a flooding of only one end or one side of the ship takes place. This causes the vessel to assume a dangerous angle and to plunge down in the water weighted part. If the wound is a deep one, the vessel sinks so quickly that the boats cannot be launched soon enough. The angle of the ship makes the launching of life craft difficult and also increases the panic tendencies of the passengers and crew.

"My plan is to abandon the vertical bulkheads and substitute horizontal bulkheads. In other words, each deck would be a self-contained and seaworthy ship by itself. There would be sliding iron hatchways and when closed would be integral with the hole in the iron deck. The hatches now used are made of wood and are immediately blown or washed upward by the inrush of water, permitting the flooding of hold after hold in the injured part of the ship and rendering quick foundering inevitable.

"This plan has stood the test of examination by the most competent minds and would make the loss of ships rare indeed. Where loss is inevitable it would give the largest opportunity for the salvage, both of life and property. It remains for the public opinion of the world to compel the ship owners to do what they know to be right."



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A Poet's Children
Hartley and Sarah Coleridge

[From the Nation, London, England.]

"A Poet's Children: Hartley and Sara Coleridge." By Eleanor A. Towle. (Methuen. 10s. 6d. net.)

It is generally a melancholy pursuit to follow the careers of the children of great poets. It is often sufficiently doleful to consider the uninspired old age of the poet himself without descending to the banalaties of his children. Politicians often reproduce the political faculty in their children; a Chatham is followed by a Pitt the younger; a Henry Fox by a Charles James Fox. The logical faculty and the faculty for high scholarship are often transmitted, as we see in the notable cases of the Mills and the Arnolds. But poetry is different. The poet must not only have the poetic temperament, he must combine with it the impulse and the will to create. The conditions favorable to its growth may more often be found for two or more children of the same parent than for the two generations of father and son. Thus we have D. G. Rossetti and Christina Rossetti; and in another branch of literature the Bronte sisters, or the two Kingsleys. In Samuel Taylor and Hartley Coleridge we have the rarer case of a great poet followed by a son who was at least a poet of fine quality.

If we would study the actual and the all too-probable fate of a poet's children we could scarcely find better examples than Hartley and Sarah Coleridge. Mrs. Towle has not written her book mainly from this point of view. She has studied her subjects zealously and intelligently. She has given a sufficiently full picture of the assembly of poets, poets' wives, and poets' children which turned Grasmere and Keswick into the eternal objective of literary pilgrims. There is Wordsworth, benevolent, aloof, idealizing children at a discreet distance; the kind and faithful Dorothy; Southey, shown in the best possible light, less pompous than usual, romping with the children, instructing them working hard among his books; Mrs. Coleridge, a commonplace and unpoetical lady; and Coleridge himself, who came to be but a rare visitor to the Lake country. He "ought not to have had a wife or children," said Lamb; "he should have had a sort of diocesan care of the world—no parish duties." Mrs. Towle has set forth most of what is known about Sara and Hartley—that is to say, a great deal about their youth, as is to be expected, and far less about their more mature years.

Sara is eminently the child of a genius. William Collins, the artist, paints her when she is fourteen years old. Woodsworth writes an idealistic poem about her. Southey coaches her in Latin and Greek. She becomes expert in French, Italian, German and Spanish. Before she is twenty she has translated a Latin book, "An Account of the Aibipones, an Equestrian People of Paraguay." It is much to the credit of the Cumbrian air that she came through her youth without a nervous breakdown, though her health was never good. Nevertheless she was so beautiful that it is said that when she entered a theatre the audience stood up to see her pass; and even Lamb, who detested bluestockings, wished that he had just such a daughter. "God love her . . . at her years, to be doing stupid Latin into English, when she should be reading or writing romances."

Sara, in fact, was beautiful, of a serious disposition, and intellectual. She was well qualified to talk about her father's philosophy; she could hold her own in any abstract disputation. Beyond that she has no interest for us. The books which she wrote are not books which anyone today, except a biographer, would dream of reading; and her opinions upon the Tractarian movement, upon which the author dwells at some length, had no influence upon her contemporaries or upon posterity, and have no intrinsic importance.

But the case of Hartley is different. Hartley not only shows the early promise of a poet; in large measure the promise is realized. He, too, suffered from the intellectual storm and stress of his boyhood, from the poetical forcing-house which too early brought out his precocious talent. Mrs. Towle draws many comparisons between the father and son, showing how the irresolution, the instability, the lack of control descended in fatal measure to the younger. Her whole account of Hartley is dominated by the idea of his marred maturity, his besetting vice of drunkenness, the settled melancholy, the utter failure of a degenerate; his biography becomes the record of an unhappy progress towards moral collapse. This view of Hartley, we venture to say, is somewhat misleading. His practice of drinking was rather the symptom than the cause of his partial failure. His habit of introspection made him allude often to his "downward declension," his "impotence of will," his "melancholy recklessness"; but the two last qualities had appeared in his boyhood, long before that day when the failure to win the Newdigate led him to a bout of desperate drinking. He was always irregular in his habits, and lacking in the power of prolonged concentration. But neither the story of his later life in the Lake country nor the evidence of his own poetry confirms the author's account of him as a man plunged always in the depths of misery and weighed down with the sense of his own guilt. He took delight in the rustic society of the neighborhood, and his personality was long remembered with affection. He writes often with fanciful humor, and even with glee. Children, flowers, friends, passing objects, constantly inspire him to verse—to verse which is far from melancholy.

Surely the truth of the matter is that Hartley was one of those unfortunate people who are doomed to grow up at too tender an age. We have seen how his sister, Sara, was pushed too early along the path of erudition, and won the pity of Charles Lamb. But Sara had not the superfine constitution of Hartley; there was not so much in her to be killed by such treatment. She merely grew up into a clever, agreeable, and otherwise commonplace lady. But Hartley grew up to a heritage of maimed nerves, which could not support him through the creative act of great poetry. While he is a young child, his striking expressions and demeanor draw attention, in that circle alive to the least imaginative hint, so that everyone is alertly watching him, and pondering his least act. His father remarks that he "puts the food into his mouth by one effort, and makes a second effort to remember it is there and to swallow it." Again, his father says, "an utter visionary, like the moon among the clouds, he moves in a circle of his own making." Someone hears him saying, regretfully, "It is a pity I is always thinking of my thoughts." "It is not now," someone said in his hearing, "but it is to be." His reply shows the sort of mental environment to which he was accustomed. "If it is to be," he said, "it is." We doubt if German philosophy is the best training for young children. In Hartley the consequent nervous exhaustion did not produce meningitis at six; but it produced drunkenness at twenty-one.

S. T. Coleridge was never handicapped by having a visionary poet for a father. If he had, perhaps he would never have written "The Ancient Mariner," "Christabel," and "Kubla Khan"; and, as someone has truly said, the rest of his poetry is not superior to the best that his son wrote. Wordsworth was inclined to depreciate Hartley's poetry, and to prefer his prose. Curiously enough, Hartley seems to owe more to the style of Wordsworth than to that of his father; he appears more imitative than he is, owing to the fact that he often brings in tags from the older poets, even allowing himself to write:

"The cowslip, maiden of the mead,
And primrose of the 'river's brim'—"

And yet he is essentially different both from his father and from Wordsworth. He has, what neither of them had, a sense of humor. He is more lightly fanciful, ready at any time to toy with poetry, and to write, if need be, an impromptu in an album. His love-poems have rather the song-character of the Caroline love poets than the passion of the Romanists. But, in his feeling for Nature his reflectiveness, his sensibility to the deeper emotions, he belongs wholly to the nineteenth century; he continues the Wordsworthian spirit, seldom descending to that bathos of which Wordsworth was so often guilty. But among the great poets he cannot be ranked. There is no single poem or verse which we could quote and quote again. For Hartley, possessing as he did the full poetic sensibility, was denied the spiritual energy or ascendary which is necessary to the creation of a supreme poem.

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THE DEATH OF DANTON

[By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory.]

In the guillotining of Danton, which took place one hunderd and eighteen years ago, the world was given an apparently unanswerable argument against the truth of the doctrine known as the "Survival of the Fittest.

With the single exception of Napoleon, then practically unknown to fame, but with all his titanic might waiting to show itself, Danton was the greatest, and, at heart, noblest, man in all France. And his great head was cut off at the order of Robespierre, one of the smallest and vilest of then living men!

The more we learn of the French revolutionary period the higher becomes our estimate of Danton—"a rough-hewn giant of a man," as Carlyle puts the case, whose figures of speech, and also of action, are all gigantic, whose voice reverberates from the domes.' Always his total freedom from cant is one thing; even in his briberies, and sins as to money, there is a frankness, a kind of broad greatness.Sincerity, a great rude sincerity of insight and of purpose, dwelt in the man; a man who could see through many things, and would stop at very few things, who marched and fought impetuously forward."

Tempestuous as Danton was, at heart he was a lover of kindness and justice. Already he has been cleared of many of the charges of cruelty that have been brought against him, and as the evidence, pro and con, accumulates it becomes more and more certain that Danton meant to serve his country unselfishly and well, and to serve it with the effusion of as little blood as possible.

With all his Niagara-like impetuousity he was far from being a demon. A very high and by no means kindly disposed authority says of Danton that "to passionate fervor for his popular cause he added a certain broad steadfastness and an energetic, practical judgment which are not always found in company with such enthusiasm as was his."

With heroic courage and preseverance did Danton try to compose the furious quarrels between Jacobin and Girondin. From start to finish he set his face like flint against the Hebertists, with their cry for "blood, more blood." Always did he strive for some sure, safe, right foundation midst the hell of passion and unreason that raged around him.

But in vain.

When informed of his death sentence he replied: "My dwelling will shortly be in nothingness. As to my name, you will find it in the Pantheon of History."

Danton died as fearlessly as he had lived. Standing on the platform beside the guillotine, he threw back his majestic visage, and, looking straight at the executioner, said, "Presently you will show the people my head. It will be well worth their while."

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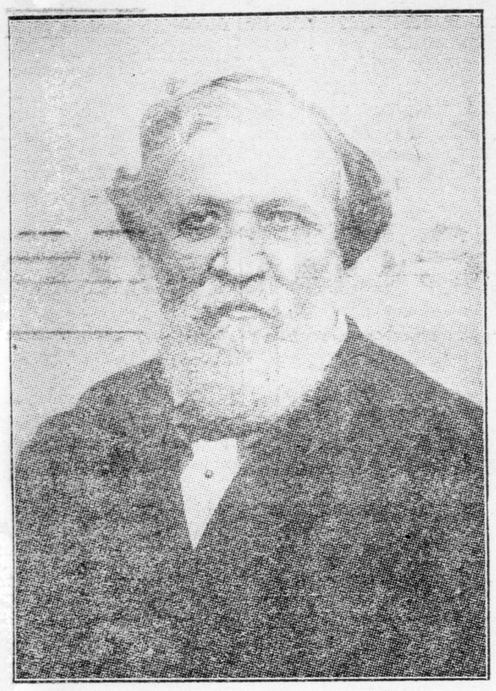


ROBERT BROWNING, from a photo taken in 1861.

By M. MacM.

ROBERT BROWNING was born in Camberwell, a suburb of London, on May the 7th, 1812, which will be one hundred years ago exactly on Tuesday of next week. The centenary is to be kept in Westminster Abbey, on Tuesday afternoon, from three to five. Lord Crewe, who has written on Browning, is to preside at the convocation in College Hall, the use of which has been granted by the Dean of Westminster, while the speakers will include the Archbishop of Canterbury, Edward Dowden, Sir Oliver Lodge, Arthur C. Benson, Stropford Brooke, and William Watson. The Browning Society of New York is to celebrate the centenary. In Toronto the day will be marked by a gathering of Browning lovers in the Physics Building, Toronto University. Addresses will be given by Rev. Dr. Law, Sir Edmund Walker, and others, and celebrations are planned for other Canadian cities.

Although it is a hundred years ago since Browning was born, it is still possible to converse with people who were his friends, and who knew him intimately. He died in 1889, and up to his death he was apparently not an old man in failing strength, but old in wisdom and in kindness. Mr. Edwin Gosse wrote in 1811, with Browning's consent, and indeed under his direction, some notes on his life and work, to correct the many mistakes which were made at that time as to the events of the poet's life. Mr. Gosse's essay appeared in the Century Magazine, and was, after Browning's death, published in book form with the addition of personal impressions, the book being called "Personalia."

Loved to Be Understood.

IT is to "Personalia" that the student of Browning must turn if he would form the most intimate and the most charming impression of the poet. It is evident, too, that "Personalia" struck the note which Browning approved in biography. Everyone knows that the poet abhorred prying curiosity, but like every other human being, he loved to be understood. There is a paragraph in "Personalia" which, more than anything else that the present writer knows gives a happy picture of Browning, as an old man, the proof and example of his "best is yet to be." It was in the summer of 1888. He had been much feted and proposed that he and Mr. Gosse should seek retirement from the crowd in the beautiful Fellows Garden at Trinity.

"A little tired and silent at first, he was no sooner well ensconced under the shadow of a tree in a garden chair than his tongue became unloosed. The blue sky was cloudless above, summer foliage hemmed us round in a green mist, a pink mountain of a double-may in blossom rose in front. We were close to a hot shrub of sweet briar that exhaled its balm in the sunshine. Commonly given to much gesticulation, the poet sat quite still on this occasion; and the perfect quiet being broken only by his voice, the birds lost fear, and came closer and closer, curiously peeping. So we sat for more than two hours, and I could but note what I had had opportunity to note before, that although on occasion he could be so accurate an observer of nature, it was not instinctive with him to observe. In the blaze of summer, with all the life of birds and insects moving around us, he did not borrow an image from or direct an allusion to any natural fact about us."

Mrs. Woods, whose husband is the Master of the Temple, and whose father was Dean Bradley of Westminster, in her lecture in Toronto this winter spoke of Browning with the greatest reverence and affection. After the lecture she chanced to say that with regard to Tennyson it was always necessary when discussing him with any of his family to speak as if he had not had a single foible at which a friend might smile with due tenderness, still keeping reverence for his greatness. With Browning it was always his wish that he should be treated with no other than the attention paid to an ordinary man.

Mrs. Woods said that Browning was passionately fond of flowers. If one wanted to please him to take him flowers was one sure way. She wanted her youngest son to meet the poet, who was a friend of hers. He was then staying with Jowett at Oxford, and there they visited him, carrying flowers with them. But Jowett and Browning were both out. They met them, however, on the street, and gave Browning the flowers.

Always Ready to Talk.

SOME years ago the writer happened to meet on shipboard a New England woman who was a doctor. She was quite an elderly woman, seventy or so, and had then practised some thirty years. She spoke of her travels, which had been extensive, and happened to mention that she had traveled with Browning and his sister in Italy. It seemed impossible to believe that one actually was speaking to a person who had known Browning, and talked with him. But she assured me that it was quite true and that she had had long talks with him. She also volunteered the information that Browning was an easy person to meet, and willing to talk to anyone with intelligence. Mr. Gosse in "Personalia" says that Browning was accessible. "He rather hastened forward with both hands full of entertainment for the newcomer, anxious to please rather than hoping to be pleased."

He could snub when occasion arose. Mr. Gosse makes the remarkable statement that no one who was intimate with Browning could have been disappointed with him. "He was so many-sided that there may be room for any picture of him that is quite sincere and personal, however slight it may prove; and in the case of Mr. Browning far more than of most men of genius the portrait may be truly and boldly drawn without offence. There is no prominent feature of character which has to be slurred over, no trick or foible to be concealed. No man ever showed a more handsome face to private friendship, no one disappointed less, no one upon intimate acquaintance required less to be apologized for or explained away." One remarkable characteristic of the Browning Centenary is the fact that Mr. Gosse's words commend themselves wherever they are read. Browning, who asked no favor because he was a genius, lived such a life that after a hundred years his failing have not been overlooked nor forgotten, they have been only the small inevitable failings of a man who lived at his best.

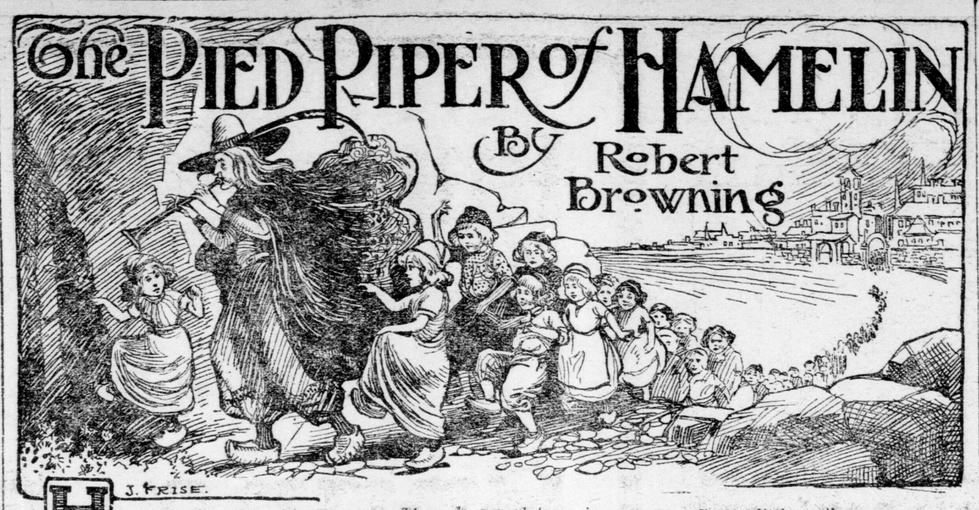
Always an Optimist.

BROWNING'S poetry is wrought of thought and optimism. His optimism is of the kind which attracts people in trouble. The distressed never feel that Browning does not know what sorrow means. Apparently he deliberately refused either to write a despondent line or to permit himself to doubt that "God's in His Heaven, all's right with the world." The following lines from "Paracelsus" are said by Mr. J. A. Symons to have been Gordon's favorite passage in Browning's poetry.

"I go to prove my soul!
I see my way as birds their trackless way.
I shall arrive! what time, what circuit first,
I ask not: but unless God sends His hail
Or blinding fireballs, sleet, or stifling snow,
In some time, His good time, I shall arrive;
He guides me and the bird. In His good time!"

BROWNING'S JOKE

TENNYSON is said to have remarked of Browning's "Lordells" that he only understood two lines which were both falsehoods, one at the beginning and one at the end: "Who will may hear Sordello's story told" and "Who would has heard Sordello's story told." Speaking of the same poem in after life, Browning is reported to have said: "When I wrote that poem only two knew what I meant, God and myself—now God alone knows"—or words to that effect.



There is a real town in Germany called Hameln, and it is said that a strange man once charmed all its rats away in the summer of the year 1284. Legend also says he charmed the children away because the Mayor and townsmen refused to keep their promise to pay him. Browning put the story into verse for the amusement of a little child

HAMELIN town's in Brunswick,
By famous Hanover city;
The River Weser, deep and wide,
Washes its walls on the southern side.
A pleasanter spot you never spied,
But, when begins my ditty,
Almost five hundred years ago,
To see the townsfolk suffer so
From vermin, was a pity.

II.

Rats!
They fought the dogs, and killed the cats,
And bit the babies in the cradles,
And ate the cheese out of the vats,
And licked the soup from the cook's own ladles,
Split open the kegs of salted sprats,
Made nests inside men's Sunday hats,
And even spoiled the women's chats,
By drowning their speaking
With shrieking and squeaking
In fifty different sharps and flats.

III.

At last the people in a body
To the Town Hall came flocking:
"'Tis clear," cried they, "our Mayor's a noddy;
And as for our Corporation—shocking
To think we buy gowns lined with ermine
For dolts who can't or won't determine
What's best to rid us of our vermin!
You hope, because you're old and obese,
To find in the furry civic robe ease?
Rouse up, sirs! Give your brains a racking
To find the remedy we're lacking,
Or, sure as fate, we'll send you packing!"
At this the Mayor and Corporation
Quaked with a mighty consternation.

IV.

An hour they sat in council;
At length the Mayor broke silence:
"For a guilder I'd my ermine gown sell;
I wish I were a mile hence!
It's easy to bid one rack one's brain—
I'm sure my poor head aches again,
I've scratched it so, and all in vain.
Oh, for a trap, a trap, a trap!"
Just as he said this, what should hap
At the chamber door but a gentle tap?
"Bless us!" cried the Mayor, "what's that?"
(With the Corporation as he sat,
Looking little though wondrous fat;
Nor brighter was his eye, nor moister
Than a too-long-opened oyster,
Save when at noon his paunch grew mutinous
For a plate of turtle green and glutinous).
"Only a scraping of shoes on the mat?
Anything like the sound of a rat
Makes my heart go pit-a-pat!"

V.

"Come in!" the Mayor cried, looking bigger:
And in did come the strangest figure!
His queer long coat from heel to head
Was half of yellow, and half of red;
And he himself was tall and thin,
With sharp blue eyes, each like a pin,
And light, loose hair, yet swarthy skin,
No tuft on cheek nor beard on chin,
But lips where smiles went out and in;
There was no guessing his kith and kin;
And nobody could enough admire
The tall man and his quaint attire.
Quoth one: "It's as my great-grandsire,
Starting up at the Trump of Doom's tone,
Had walked this way from his painted tombstone!"

VI.

He advanced to the council table:
And, "Please your honors," said he, "I'm able,
By means of a secret charm, to draw
All creatures living beneath the sun,
That creep or swim or fly or run,
After me so as you never saw!
And I chiefly use my charm
On creatures that do people harm,
The mole and toad and newt and viper;
And people call me the Pied Piper."
(And here they noticed round his neck
A scarf of red and yellow stripe,
To match with his coat of the self-same check;
And at the scarf's end hung a pipe,
And his fingers, they noticed, were ever straying
As if impatient to be playing
Upon this pipe as low it dangled
Over his vesture so old-fangled.)
"Yet," said he, "poor piper as I am,
In Tartary I freed the Cham
Last June, from his huge swarm of gnats;
I eased in Asia the Nizam
Of a monstrous brood of vampire-bats:
And, as for what your brain bewilders,
If I can rid your town of rats,
Will you give me a thousand guilders?"
"One? Fifty thousand!" was the exclamation
Of the astonished Mayor and Corporation.

VII.

Into the streets the Piper stept,
Smiling first a little smile,
As if he knew what magic slept
In his quiet pipe the while;
Then, like a musical adept,
To blow the pipe his lips he wrinkled,
And green and blue his sharp eyes twinkled
Like a candle flame where salt is sprinkled;
And ere three shrill notes the pipe uttered,
You heard as if an army muttered;
And the muttering grew to a grumbling;
And the grumbling grew to a mighty rumbling,
As out of the houses the rats came tumbling.
Great rats, small rats, lean rats, brawny rats,
Brown rats, black rats, grey rats, tawny rats,
Grave old plodders, gay young friskers
Fathers, mothers, uncles, cousins,
Cocking tails and pricking whiskers,
Families by tens and dozens,
Brothers, sisters, husbands, wives—
Followed the piper for their lives.
From street to street he piped advancing,
And step by step they followed dancing,
Until they came to the River Weser.

Wherein all plunged and perished—
Save one who, stout as Julius Caesar,
Swam across and lived to carry
(As the manuscript he cherished)
To Rat-land home his commentary:
Which was, "At the first shrill notes of the pipe,
I heard a sound as of scraping tripe,
And putting apples, wondrous ripe,
Into a cider-press's gripe:
And a moving away of pickle tub boards,
And a leaving ajar of conserve cupboards,
And a drawing the corks of train-oil flasks,
And a breaking the hoops of butter casks:
And it seemed as if a voice
(Sweeter far than by harp or by psaltery is breathed) called out, "Oh rats, rejoice!
The world is grown to one vast drysaltery!
So munch on, crunch on, take your nuncheon,
Breakfast, supper, dinner, luncheon."
And just as a bulky sugar puncheon,
All ready staved, like a great sun shone
Glorious scarce an inch before me,
Just as methought it said, 'Come bore me!'
—I found the Weser rolling o'er me."

VIII.

You should have heard the Hamelin people
Ringing the bells till they rocked the steeple;
"Go," cried the Mayor, "and get long poles!
Poke out the nests and block up the holes!
Consult with carpenters and builders,
And leave in our town not even a trace
Of the rats!"—when suddenly, up the face
Of the Piper perked in the market place,
With a "First, if you please, my thousand guilders!"

IX.

A thousand guilders! The Mayor looked blue;
So did the Corporation, too.
For Council dinners made rare havoc
With claret, moselle, vin-de-grave, hock;
And half the money would replenish
Their cellar's biggest butt with Rhenish.
To pay this sum to a wandering fellow
With a gipsy coat of red and yellow!
"Beside," quoth the Mayor, with a knowing wink,
"Our business was done at the river's brink.
We saw with our eyes the vermin sink,
And what's dead can't come to life, I think.
So, friend, we're not the folks to shrink
From the duty of giving you something to drink,
And a matter of money to put in your poke;
But, as for the guilders, what we spoke
Of them, as you very well know, was in joke.
Beside, our losses have made us thrifty.
A thousand guilders! Come, take fifty!"

X.

The Piper's face fell, and he cried:
"No trifling! I can't wait, beside!
I've promised to visit by dinner-time
Bagdad, and accept the prime
Of the head cook's pottage, all he's rich in
For having left, in the Caliph's kitchen,
Of a nest of scorpions no survivor:
With him I proved no bargain-driver,
With you, don't think I'll bate a stiver!
And folks who put me in a passion
May find me pipe after another fashion."
"How?" cried the Mayor, "d'ye think I'll brook
Being worse treated than a cook?
Insulted by a lazy ribald
With idle pipe and vesture piebald?
You threaten us, fellow? Do your worst,
Blow your pipe there till you burst!"

XI.

Once more he stept into the street
And to his lips again
Laid his long pipe of smooth straight cane;
And ere he blew three notes (such sweet
Soft notes as yet musician's cunning
Never gave the enraptured air)
There was a rustling that seemed like a bustling
Of merry crowds justling at pitching and hustling,
Small feet were pattering, wooden shoes clattering,
Little hands clapping, and little tongues chattering;
And, like fowls in a farmyard when barley is scattering,
Out came the children running.
All the little boys and girls,
With rosy cheeks and flaxen curls,
And sparkling eyes and teeth like pearls,
Tripping and skipping, ran merrily after
The wonderful music with shouting and laughter.

XII.

The Mayor was dumb, the Council stood
As if they were changed into blocks of wood,
Unable to move a step or cry
To the children merrily skippping by.
Could only follow with the eye
That joyous crowd at the piper's back.
But how the Mayor was on the rack,
And the wretched Council's bosoms beat,
As the piper turned from the High street
To where the Weser rolled its waters
Right in the way of their sons and daughters!
However, he turned from South to West,
And to Koppelburg Hill his steps addressed;
And after him the children pressed.
Great was the joy in every breast.
"He can never cross that mighty top!
He's forced to let the piping drop,
And we shall see our children stop!"
When, lo, as they reached the mountain-side,
A wondrous portal opened wide,
As if a cavern was suddenly hollowed;
And the piper advanced and the children followed,
And when all were in to the very last,
The door in the mountain-side shut fast.
Did I say all? No! one was lame,
And could not dance the whole of the way;
And in after years, if you would blame
His sadness, he was used to say:
"It's dull in our town since my playmates left.
I can't forget that I'm bereft
Of all the pleasant sights they see,
Which the piper also promised me.
For he led us, he said, to a joyous land,
Joining the town and just at hand,
Where waters gushed and fruit trees grew,
And flowers put forth a fairer hue,
And everything was strange and new.
The sparrows were brighter than peacocks here,
And their dogs outran our fallow deer,
And honey bees had lost their stings,
And horses were born with eagles' wings:
And just as I became assured
My lame foot would be speedily cured,
The music stopped and I stood still,
And found myself outside the hill,
Left alone against my will,
To go now limping as before,
And never hear of that country more!"

XIII.

Alas, alas, for Hamelin!
There came into many a burgher's pate
A text which says, that heaven's gate
Opes to the rich at as easy rate
As the needle's eye takes a camel in!
The Mayor sent East, West, North, and South,
To offer the Piper, by word of mouth,
Wherever it was men's lot to find him,
Silver and gold to his heart's content,
If he'd only return the way he went,
And bring the children behind him.
But when they saw 'twas a lost endeavor,
And Piper and dancers were gone forever,
They made a decree that lawyers never
Should think their records dated duly
If, after the day of the month and year,
These words did not as well appear:
"And so long after what happened here
On the twenty-second of July,
Thirteen hundred and seventy-six;
And the better in memory to fix
The place of the children's last retreat,
They called it the Pied Piper's street—
Where anyone playing on pipe or tabor
Was sure for the future to lose his labor.
Nor suffered they hostelry or tavern
To shock with mirth a street so solemn,
But opposite the place of the cavern
They wrote the story on a column,
And on the great church window painted
The same, to make the world acquainted
How their children were stolen away;
And there it stands to this very day.
And I must not omit to say
That in Transylvania there's a tribe
Of alien people who ascribe
The outlandish ways and dress
On which their neighbors lay such stress,
To their fathers and mothers having risen
Out of some subterranean prison
Into which they were trepanned
Long time ago in a mighty band
Out of Hamelin town in Brunswick land,
But how or why, they don't understand.

XIV.

So, Willy, let you and me be wipers
Of scores out with all men—especially pipers;
And, whether they pipe us free from rats or from mice,
If we've promised them aught, let us keep our promise!

LOVE STORY OF THE BROWNINGS

One of the Most Beautiful In the History of Romance.

ROBERT BROWNING'S love story is one of the most beautiful of history. His wife was Elizabeth Barrett, herself one of the immortals. Their friendship began when Browning wrote to her commending one of her poems.

"I had a letter from Browning the Poet last night," she writes to her old friend, Mrs. Martin, "which threw me into ecstasies—Browning the Arthur of Paracelsus, the king of the mystics."

The correspondence, once begun, did not flag. The allusion to his poetry in "Lady Geraldine's Courtship" had doubtless put an edge to his already keen wish to know her. He became her frequent visitor, and kept her room fragrant with flowers. He never lagged, whether in friendship or in love. We have the strange privilege, since the publication of the letters between the two, of following the whole course of this noble love story from beginning to end, and day by day. Browning was six years younger than the woman he so passionately admired, and he at first believed her to be confined by some hopeless physical injury to her sofa. But of his own wish and resolution he never doubted. Her hesitation, in her regard for his liberty and strength, to burden him with an ailing wife, she has recorded in the sonnets afterwards published under a slight disguise as "Sonnets from the Portuguese." She refused him once, "with all her will, but much against her heart," and yielded at last for his sake, rather than her own. Her father's will was that his children should not marry, and, kind and affectionate father though he was, the prohibition took a violent form, and struck terror into the hearts of the three dutiful and sensitive girls. Robert Browning's addresses were, therefore, kept secret, for fear of scenes of anger which the most fragile of the three could not face. Browning was reluctant to practice the deception; Elizabeth alone knew how impossible it was to avoid it. When she was persuaded to marry, it was she who insisted, in mental and physical terror, upon a secret wedding. Throughout the summer of 1846 her health improved, and on the 12th of September the two poets were married in the St. Marylebone parish church. Browning visited it on his subsequent journeys to England, to give thanks for what had taken place at its altar.

Father Never Forgave Her.

ELIZABETH'S two sisters had been permitted to know of the engagement, but not of the wedding, so that their father's anger might not fall too heavily on them. For a week Mrs. Browning remained in her father's house. On the 19th of September she left it, taking her maid and her little dog, joined her husband, and crossed to the Continent. She never entered that home again, nor did her father forgive her. Her letters written with tears to entreat his pardon, were never answered. They were all subsequently returned to her, unopened. Among them was one she had written, in the prospect of danger, before the birth of her child. With her sisters her relations were, as before, most affectionate. The poet's journey was full of delight. Where she could not walk, up long staircases or across the waters of

MRS. ELIZABETH BARRETT BROWNING.

the stream at Vaucluse, Browning carried her. In October they reached Pisa, and there they wintered. They were both admirable economists; not that they gave time and thought to husbandry, but that they knew how to enjoy life without luxuries. So they remained to the end, frugal and content with little.

For climate and cheapness they settled in Italy, choosing Florence in the spring of 1847, and remaining there, with the interruptions of a change to places in Italy such as Siena and Rome, and to Paris and England, until Mrs. Browning's death. It was at Pisa that Robert Browning first saw "The Sonnets from the Portuguese" poems which his wife had written in secret, and had no thought of publishing. He, however, resolved to give them to the world. "I dared not," he said, "reserve to myself the finest sonnets written in any language since Shakespeare's." The judgment, which the existence of Wordsworth's sonnets renders obviously absurd, may be pardoned. One of them is printed herewith:

HOW I LOVE THEE

HOW do I love thee? Let me count the ways.
I love thee to the depth and breadth and height
My soul can reach, when feeling out of sight
For the ends of being and ideal grace.
I love thee to the level of every day's
Most quiet need, by sun and candle light.
I love thee freely as men strive for right,
I love thee purely as they turn from praise.
I love thee with the passion put to use
In my old griefs, and with my childhood's faith.
I love thee with a love I seemed to lose
With my lost Saints. I love thee with the breath,
Smiles, tears, of all my life; and, if God choose,
I shall but love thee better after death.
—From the Sonnets to the Portuguese.

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HOW TO STALK THE WILD FLOWERS

By J. W. Muller, 33rd Degree Naturer

THE Naturer must get at the wild flowers through botany. Botany is not a form of secret society. It is a science.

It was produced in the Dark Ages during an extra dark spell. Its underlying principle is to attach dead languages to plants.

Botany's great advantage is that the student does not find it hard to tear himself away from it. Very healthy Naturers often succeed in tearing themselves away from it after the first page.

The Naturer who has successfully evaded botany can get a complete idea of the science from the following condensation.

Botany recognizes two classes of plants. The first class is plants that grow from roots, such as wild flowers. The second class is municipal plants. These grow from grafts.

Every wild flower is a vegetable. Example: the cauliflower.

Every vegetable is not a wild flower. Example: the cold slaw.

Botany confines itself strictly to the vegetable kingdom. The animal or zoo kingdom is treated by a science named zoology. Between them lies an intermediate kingdom known as the near-vegetable.

The near-vegetable comprises two important species: the tramp and the canned tomato.

Sometimes the animal and vegetable kingdoms are almost mixed up, as in the skunk cabbage and the skunk. There is, however, one difference between these. The skunk cabbage is easier to catch. Nature-Critics claim that this is no advantage.

The Naturer May Also Meet a Large Creature With Flat Glass Eyes.

Botanists and zoologists also differ radically about the cow. The Italicised flavor often noticed in early spring milk has led advanced botanists to class the cow as a vegetable, belonging to the onions. Many zoologists, however, still class the cow as part of the animal kingdom, belonging to the cheeses.

Some of these disputes are violent, such as the dispute over the place held by that common and yet little understood organism, the chicken salad.

These are the only important points of botany. In a really useful book on botany there should be about four hundred other pages. These are very important. They are used for pressing the wild flowers.

The Naturer can forget all the rules and still be a foremost botanical expert by remembering one broad natural law. It is that the animal kingdom can walk and the vegetable kingdom cannot.

The largest representative of the vegetable kingdom is the country. It can be recognized easily by applying this rule. In this country live the wild flowers.

The country is also known as the lure of the wild. It is mostly covered by thin vegetables with fish hooks. These are underbrush.

Beneath this underbrush the Naturer will find the wild flowers sitting in flocks or standing thoughtfully on one leg.

While stalking them, the observant Naturer may observe that suddenly he is hurled into the air. As he recoils to earth, he will observe that he is impaled and trampled on. On closer observation he will find that this is due to a bull. This bull should be gently disengaged from the wild flowers before they are picked.

The Naturer may also meet a large creature with flat glass eyes. This is a botanist. If the Naturer can catch a young one alive, he may be taught human speech.

The habits of wild flowers also are not an infallible rule for finding them. The eel grass, for instance, lives in water, as the Naturer might expect. But the dogwood does not live in a kennel.

The easiest wild flower to collect is the wild barb wire. A splendid collection of this plant can be made by simply walking through it. It is similar to the cultivated species, but has handsome white flowers known as blackberry blossoms.

Young wild flowers come inclosed in capsules. The old flowers shoot these capsules from pistils.

Very large capsules are known as bulbs. The flower is inside of these and is developed by a time exposure.

There are also flowering shrubs. These are made in many different colors, but their flowers are all alike in growing on strong wooden handles while the other wild flowers grow on thin green ones.

The most important wild flowers in the world are the wild mint and the rye. Leading American intoxicologists have obtained wonderful results by mixing their juice.

Other almost equally important wild flowers are the sourcrout and the gherkin.

Wild oats are not true wild flowers. They are cultivated. This cultivation is done by rakes.

Another flower that is not a true wild flower, despite its wild appearance, is the flower of speech. It is cultivated exclusively in conservatoriums.

The Animal Kindom Can Walk and the Vegetable Kindom Cannot.

The most dangerous wild flower to hunt is the orchid. A predacious creature lives on the orchid and attacks Naturers with its bill. This creature is known as the florist.

Among our most gorgeous wild flowers are the wild millinery. These grow on vegetables known as hats. One dollar's worth of wild millinery and one dollar's worth of hat produce a compound vegetable technically termed confection. This confection costs fifty dollars.

A wild flower marvellously easy to identify is the thistle. The Naturer who wants a thistle need merely squeeze various flowers between his hands. He will recognize at once when he squeezes a thistle.

The thistle is noted as being the favorite food of the donkey. Scientists consider this as throwing a more interesting side-light on the donkey than on the thistle.

The daisy is highly prized for its usefulness to the arts. It produces the beautiful spring poems entitled "Lines to a Daisy."

There are also water-flowers, such as water-lilies. Water-lilies sit in schools, paddling slowly with their leaves, which therefore are known as lily pads. They are immensely popular with Naturers who cannot swim.

The wildest water-flowers are the wild currents, which are found in rivers near water-falls. They are much used for floating logs. When they get tangled up, these logs produce the well-known current jam.

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NO PERIL OF THE DEEP SO UNCONQUERABLE AS ICEBERG

Monsters Weighing Million Tons Sweep Through Foam—Men Powerless to Destroy Them and They Often Travel in Fleets.

The terrible fate of the Titanic has called attention, as it was never called before, to the awful menace of the icebergs that sail the Atlantic main, the merciless, voiceless, spectral pirates of the sea.

Those that threaten the Atlantic liners nearly all have their home ports—which they never see after their launching—among the fiords of Western Greenland. The shipyards in which they are built are the vast glacier streams of that strange, frozen continent, which is buried from shore to shore under a sheet of solid ice that must, in many places, attain a depth of a mile or more. From the lofty central plateau the glaciers flow toward the sea on all sides, moving, as they near the coast, from fifty to a hundred feet per day, sometimes from a thousand to two thousand feet deep. Huge masses are broken off by the action of the waves, and then they float away, towering up, sometimes to a height of two hundred feet. Icebergs often cruise in company, and sunken beneath the water. The total tonnage of Greenland's icy fleet, annually launched into the sea, has been calculated at not less than a thousand million tons.

Many single monsters belonging to this fleet no doubt weigh a million tons. All the battleships of the world combined could not successfully contend with one of these white Dreadnoughts, which gleam in the moonlight or loom through a fog with ghostly lights and spars of tottering ice. Among all the perils of the deep, none is so dreadful, so unconquerable, so absolutely unapproachable as a great iceberg. If all its upper part could be shot away the berg would simply rise mysteriously out of the depths and be as formidable as before. Sometimes thousands of tons of ice are discharged from the sides of a melting berg, but it only shakes itself or rolls over, churning the ocean to foam, and there it towers again, more fearful, perhaps, than at first.

The only way in which the peril of the icebergs could be removed would be by destroying the ice sheets of Greenland. As the bergs are launched from the western coast they are caught in the Labrador current, flowing southward along the American shore on the landward side of the gulf stream—when the Labrador current is often called "the cold wall"—and then they begin their career of menace and destruction by steering directly across the lanes followed by the ocean liners on their shortest and quickest way to northern Europe. Every mariner who enters that part of the ocean in the season when the frozen fleet from Greenland sets out, knows well the kind of danger he has to face. Those who are cautious keep away from it—those who are seeking a "record" sometimes take the chance and brave the danger.

Men Powerless To Destroy an Iceberg.

Once launched there is no way in man can destroy an iceberg; only the slow action of the sunshine and the sea water can do that. It cannot be blown up, it cannot be broken to pieces, it cannot be steered away into another course, it cannot even be approached with safety. Its immense frozen mass chills the air and the water, and in this way the thermometer may reveal its presence even when it has concealed itself from sight behind the curtain of mist and cloud created by its own cold breath. Icebergs often cruise in company, and a ship may find itself suddenly involved in a whole fleet of them, some with towering "fighting-tops," and some running almost entirely submerged, like a flotilla of monstrous submarines. Some of the reports indicate that the Titanic went down in the midst of such a squadron, that was widely scattered over hundreds of square miles.

There is no regularity in the setting out of Greenland's destroyers. In some seasons the icy cruisers are relatively few and small; in other seasons they come flocking down by thousands. Reports from ships furnish practically the only source of warning to mariners. If it were practicable to establish observing stations in the north, more effective warning might be given.

Greenland Is a Mystery.

Greenland is a mystery. The existence of so vast a mass of land, completely buried in ice, at so great a distance from the pole, is unparalleled. It is not only by its annual fleet of icebergs that Grenland interferes with the affairs of happier and sunny lands, for it is probable that the relative coldness of the eastern part of America is largely due to the icy presence of Greenland. Remove or strip it of its frozen burden, and a rise of several degrees in the mean temperature of this part of the world would, mostly likely, be experienced. There is evdence that Greenland has not always been buried by an ice sheet but we do not know through precisely what convulsion of nature its once congenial climate was lost.

We have to accept these things as they are. We know that the Ice King who now rules Greenland will continue annually until a new geologic age begins, to launch his terrible fleet, and the only wise course is to steer clear of it; or, if we will face its dangers, then to be prepared with the means of saving every life that our foolhardiness endangers. When a faster ship is built it ought to be the boast of its owners, "We can now take you across the sea, by a safe route, in the same time that the other ships require in running the gauntlet of the icebergs."

REASONS WHY WOMEN SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTES

Miss M. H. Coyne Writes Arguments for Suffrage—Would It Hurt the Homes?

[By M. H. Coyne.]

One reason frequently given for withholding the franchise from wives is the fear lest it promote domestic infelicity. Outside of legislative halls can any scheme be devised more calculated to promote conjugal discord than the act which debars a married woman from voting but gives the right to a person who is at the time a freeholder in his or her own right, or (if a man) whose wife is a freeholder of real property within the municipality of sufficient value to entitle him to vote at any municipal election. The woman cannot be permitted to vote on her own property, but her husband can vote on it, even if he be so worthless that she is obliged herself to earn the taxes that she may retain it.

Recent legislation in Ontario, New Brunswick and Manitoba has made it possible for a man to do as he will with a policy of insurance taken out in favor of his wife.

This will force those interested to find a new wording for the familiar advertisement: "Insure your life and buy your wife a sewing machine, and when you die your wife will rejoice," for the husband can alienate the insurance money and the wife will be ignorant of the fact until he is very dead.

A Boy and His Mother.

This will force those interested to vote while her husband lives is certainly putting a premium on single blessedness for women.

Then, when the son comes of the full age of twenty-one, without further preparations, without himself possessing property, he, too, is competent to exert the franchise from which his mother, who surely knows as much as the boy, is debarred. Then, did women possess it you would not need to seek the mother or sister in barroom or saloon, the place to which the unscrupulous politician finds it to his own interest to lure the son, and where the boy rapidly learns more and even worse lessons than politics can teach.

We are told married women do not need representation, for their husbands represent and vote for them. Do they? What about the Conservative wife represented by a Liberal husband, or the reverse? On her property too. Our legislators have not treated men in this fashion, but all who can qualify have the full franchise, not even marriage being a bar.

What, too, about the vote for the married man, which, if his "better half" was allowed to express her convictions, should count two ballots cast, as compared with that of the bachelors? Is it not six married men as against half a dozen bachelors? Another premium on celibacy.

Many of these restrictions date their reason for being, back to the dark ages, when they were, perhaps, very good laws for the necessities of the times, but the person who would argue in their favor in these altered conditions would simply prove that it was not justice he sought to give.

Women in War.

A reason often given for withholding full franchise is that in case of war women cannot fight in defense of her home. Ancient history does not bear out this assertion; and how often in the old fighting baronial times the lady of the castle has defended her lord's feudal stronghold. The amazing courage and ferocity of Cetewayo's women soldiers will be remembered, also the Boer women fighting in their trenches in the late South African war, and the public funeral accorded a few weeks ago to the Chinese woman, leader of her Amazons, goes far to belie that excuse. Yet we think our Canadian legislators will scarcely wish to make our women liable to military service.

When Hargraves invented the spinning-jenny he and those who upheld him met with not only wordy abuse, but their very lives were endangered, their mills burnt down, and it was argued that for every additional thread so spun one worker must starve. Did it so prove? Ask England's merchant princes, as they marshal their armies of spinners and weavers, or ship vast bales of cotton or woollen goods to all parts of the world.

When Guttenberg invented printing he was loudly accused of having intercourse with the devil, and as the invention found its way from country to country of Europe those who made use of it were loudly denounced in the same way; the very name survives and today printer's devil is the nickname for the latest apprentice in a printing office.

The people who bravely dared to introduce those great protections for wet or stormy weather umbrellas and rubber overshoes were mobbed and pelted with stones.

All Were Persecuted.

Philanthropists, who sought to add to the extremely limited foods of European people by introducing potatoes from America, or oatmeal from Scotland were put to the same martyrdom.

Abolitionists, who sought to free the blacks of the West Indies, encountered storms of abuse in and out of the House of Commons, and it took over forty years' hard work of the ablest and most nobly self-sacrificing men in the United Kingdom to carry the vote that at last wiped that foul stain off the escutcheon of Britain.

The list would be too long if we attempted to sum up those who, like William III., have wrung from defeat greater gains than others could compass from victory won. Not William of Orange alone could. He who fails fighting in freedom's cause, striving for the welfare of mankind, living may be mocked by the blatant crowd, but his life and its influence will echo sweet music all down the corridors of time.

'Tis ages since Persia's drink-crazed monarch, at the evil suggestions of disloyal courtiers, deposed from her high estate his beloved queen for refusing, arrayed in her royal robes, to present herself at their orgy, to challenge the admiration of the drunken crew. The names of the great lords are forgotten, the king's own identity is disputed, but whereever woman is respected, because self-respecting, the noble example of Vashti, who valued womanly modesty and worth above the greatest royal estate then in the world above life itself, even above the deadly wrath of the kingly husband she loved and who loved her, is venerated, so vanquished and discrowned Vashti today sways far more admiring subjects than Persia's world-known monarch ever ruled.

In our own day, recall the storm of abuse and foul asperations that met the noble Plimsoll's efforts to secure seaworthiness in the vessels that left England's ports. Being an emotional man, he was forced from the bar of the House of Commons that he might not render himself liable and be made to suffer punishment—as the suffragettes, for instance, are today made to suffer, because they, like him, demand that law shall bestow justice.

The high moral grounds, too, that are taken by those who defend a wrong cause would be laughable were it not that they pitiably mislead the ignorant.

Slavery, for instance, was an ordinance of the Almighty, and his anger would surely fall upon those who sought to do away with so benign an institution.

Benefits of Reform Bill.

Lord Russell's reform bill would upset the whole fabric of British justice and produce injuries indescribable. Today all political parties proudly point to the wonderful benefits it has bestowed on Britain.

Among those seemingly vanquished, those whose enemies gloated over his supposed downfall, we must reckon the Son of Man, "He who was despised and rejected of men," and today "sits on his throne at the right hand of God." He, the greatest moral reformer who ever trod the earth, was the first to lift woman to her proper place when he rebuked his stern followers for driving the women and children to the background, which men then believed the proper place for beings so inferior.

"Suffer the little children to come unto me," but the little ones must be carried or led by the mother's tender hand—"for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Today woman asks the right to be allowed to be consulted concerning the laws which are to be a "wall of defence" around her children, that they may be secure of their noble inheritance. Beware, ye men of Canada, how ye drive her back lest your rebuke be sterner than was given to the men of old, for your opportunities have been greater and your claims are far beyond theirs. Remember, where much is given, much shall be required.

For a time, therefore, White Ribbon sisterhood and other suffrage-seeking woman's societies, we will meekly accept the honor of belonging to the vast army of the misunderstood and vanquished, knowing that the time rapidly approaches when the song of triumph shall be ours.

THE TITANIC AND AFTER BIG SHIP COMES TO STAY

Such Is the Opinion of One Writer—Limit to Speed But Not to Tonnage — The New Mammoths.

[By Hugh Martin in London Daily News.]

While the world is waiting for the full story of the Titanic's misfortune, its impulse will evidently be to "find a reason." That is the first consolation human nature always seeks in the face of disaster. Though we cannot tell exactly how it happened, we know why it happened, is quite a common mental attitude. The gigantic size of the wrecked liner offers in the present instance an obvious peg upon which to hang an explanation. Indeed, so true is this that a shrinking, half conscious but none the less operative, is bound to be felt by a great body of the travelling public against embarking in these vast floating cities — a shrinking that will only cease when the shock of yesterday's news has been blunted by time. Moreover the collision of the Olympic and Hawke and the fact that an accident due to suction was narrowly averted when the Titanic set out upon her unlucky maiden voyage are bound to be coupled in the public mind with the present incident.

Not Too Large.

Is there any foundation for the suggestion that the size of ships is being allowed to outgrow the power of men to control them? All expert opinion is against such a theory. There would seem to be little doubt that, at any rate on the high seas, the truth is exactly the reverse; the bigger the ship the smaller the chance of shipwreck. Steadiness in handling, such is the great sea virtue which a mammoth vessel of today can boast in far higher degree than could the ships of twenty years ago. The rough and ready explanation is that the larger the vessel the more waves it can take at a time, and, provided that its speed is not excessive, the greater the regularity of running. In fact, a big ship with adequate power behind it is actually declared by the sailors to be more "manageable" than a small one.

When, however, the behavior of a ship in narrow waters is considered, the trend of opinion is found to be different. Recent experience has proved that with ships of the Titanic class there is a constant danger of minor mishaps when in or approaching port, and minor mishaps are only symptoms of major risks. It is this problem, bound up closely with the vital question of harbor accommodation for leviathan liners, that is exercising the minds of shipping magnates and naval engineers alike.

The 100,000 Ton Liner.

One thing is certain; the mammoth ship has come to stay. Lord Pirrie has expressed the opinion that the 100,000 ton liner is a possibility of the twentieth century. Mr. Booth, chairman of the Cunard Company, holds the less romantic view that the future of the trans-Atlantic trade lies with the 40,000 to 50,000 ton passenger-freighter; in other words, that the Olympic and Titanic represent the normal, as against the gigantic or abnormal type of Atlantic ferry boat. However that may be, the Cunard line have resolved to go one better than the White Star, and are accordingly building the Aquitania at Clydebank; while the Hamburg-American line are responding with the Imperator. That the Titanic is—or was—by no means the last word in big boats even for the present decade, may be gathered from the following figures:

	Length feet	Breadth feet	Gross tonnage
Titanic	882½	92½	46,328
Aquitania ..	910	95	50,000
Imperator ..	910	95½	50,000

The figures for the Aquitania and Imperator must only be taken as inside estimates, for the rivalry between the English and German lines has been so sharp that more than one alteration in design has already been made. These vessels will not be launched till 1913. Each is costing a million and three-quarters to build, will burn some 800 tons of coal a day, and carry four thousand passengers and a crew of about a thousand.

Profits.

What, it will be asked, is the advantage aimed at by this constant increase of bulk? The answer is contained in one word—profits. The big boat is the supremely comfortable boat, and therefore attracts passengers. It is also the boat with large cargo-carrying capacity in proportion to the power expended. It draws revenue from every source open to the shipowner. Provided there are people and things to fill it—and both people and things are passing in larger number every year between the two continents—it pays better than its smaller rival. That is why the race for a speed record has become a race for a tonnage record. Beyond a certain point specialization in speed spells bankruptcy. That is why the piling up of tons instead of knots will only be limited in future by the capacity of the harbors of the world.

The problem of the next fifty years has to be tackled by the civil engineer, not by the naval engineer. It is the problem of dock-making, not of shipbuilding. The coming of the 1,000-foot liner is testing to the utmost the resources of every famous harbor in Europe and America, and rival harbor boards are struggling with little short of dismay to prepare for the annually increasing call upon their capital and enterprise. But for the fact that dock and harbor making is a much more difficult and more tedious than ship-building, the growth of the floating city would undoubtedly have been swifter, amazingly swift as it has actually been. Instead of a 45,000 ton Titanic, a Titanic of 606,000 tons might have been holed by Sunday's iceberg, and 5,000 instead of 2,000 souls placed in jeopardy.

Mourning at Southampton Where Titanic's Crew Lived

The City Steeped in Gloom—One Woman Dies on Hearing of Disaster—Sad Cases.

Some of the cases of bereavement are pitiful in their poignant sadness, says the Southampton correspondent of a London daily. In William street three young girl wives, each with a baby, are mourning the loss of husbands.

On April 11 a mother in Bear's street, after giving birth to twins, died on hearing of the disaster. Her husband was on the Titanic.

Down in the little narrow streets of Northam and Shirley every other house had friend or relative on board the liner when she left port last week.

One of the saddest cases is that of Mrs. May, of York street. She has no news of her husband and son, a fireman and cook respectively. She herself has ten children to keep. The son is 23 years of age, and was married eleven months ago. The young couple have a little baby girl, and live together with Mr. and Mrs. May, sen., and family in the little York street cottage. This was the father and son's first voyage together, but the son would not have gone to sea had he not been deprived of his ordinary work on land through the coal strike. May, sen., was prevented from joining his old vessel, the Britannia, through a bad leg, and it was only on the day before the Titanic sailed that he decided to sign on owing to hard times at home. He expressed his intention of rejoining the Britannia on the return of the Titanic to Southampton.

There are innumerable instances of missing sons, whose widowed mothers and little sisters and brothers have looked to for their sole support. The case of Mrs. Gear, of Bond street, is exceedingly pathetic. Her husband, a trimmer, and she were married just a year ago on Monday, the day the Titanic went down.

Pitiful news also comes from Fritham, in the New Forest, the home of a family named Hickman, of which there are eleven members. Three of the the brothers and the wife of one of them were on board the Titanic. One had been abroad for years, and was returning with other members of the family who had decided to seek their fortunes in the new world. It was originally intended to make the journey before Easter, but the coal strike intervened.

DREAM SAVED TRAIN FROM WRECK.

Awakening from a sleep in which he had dreamed that a nearby trestle on the Southern Railroad had been washed away, O. T. Kitchens, a section foreman, although suffering from illness, arose from his bed and went to South River, six miles from here, before dawn, to discover that his dream was a reality.

The foreman found that the stream, swollen by heavy rains, had carried away a trestle spanning a 65-foot chasm. He knew that a passenger train en route from Atlanta to Columbus, Ga., soon was to arrive at the opposite side of the river, but he had no means of reaching that point to warn the engineer of the danger, and the river in three-quarters of a mile wide.

Standing on the bank the man put his hands to his lips and repeatedly hallooed for half an hour. Finally, he heard an answering shout and he called out a warning to J. E. Daniel, the man who had heard him. Daniel flagged the train as it neared the brink of the stream.—Atlanta Journal.