

MAKE TEST OF WATER PRESSURE

Representative of Fire Underwriters Was in Town Friday Morning

A representative of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association was in Port Hope Friday morning and tests were made of the various hydrants.

The alarm was turned in at ten o'clock and the fire brigade soon responded. A line of hose was attached to the hydrant in front of J. T. Steen's and it was found that the water pressure was nearly one hundred pounds.

Five lines of hose, each 250 feet long were attached to the hydrants on the north side of Walton street, at the foot of the town and the streams of water were played into the creek. The tester on the hydrant showed a running pressure of 75 pounds.

Charles E. Edwards of Lakeside, Mich., was killed in car accident at Michigan City, Ind.

WILL BE NO APOLOGY IN CURRIE LIBEL

Reports that Frederick W. Wilson, publisher of the Port Hope Guide, was willing to apologise to General Sir Arthur Currie, but that his co-defendant, W. T. R. Preston, was not willing to settle, are declared to be untrue by Frank Regan counsel for Mr. Preston.

A list of forty names eligible for jury duty were placed before counsel for all parties. Each side today challenged twelve names, leaving 16 men on the list, from which twelve will be selected on the day of the trial, each side having two challenges.—Toronto Telegram.

P. J. Schaefer, 54, vice-president of First National Bank, Marshfield, Wis., was found dead in his garage from monoxide gas.

Raise in salary for 12,000 teachers and principals in Chicago's public schools is requested in resolution sent to Board of Education.

WOMAN SLAYER LODGED IN "PEN"

Doris MacDonald Arrived In Kingston On Thursday Afternoon

Doris McDonald entered the gates of the Portsmouth penitentiary at ten minutes past two o'clock Thursday afternoon to commence her life sentence, accompanied by a matron from Montreal and two male officers.

She arrived at Kingston Junction station on the Canadian National train at 2.02, being immediately whisked away in a waiting automobile, driven by a penitentiary guard. The curtains of the car being closely drawn, the only glimpse one could catch of Mrs. McDonald as she drove on the last lap of her journey was a close-fitting hat of some brown colored felt texture.

On arrival at the grim portals of the institution where she must spend the remainder of her life, according to the sentence which has now been meted out to her, the gates were flung wide open in readiness so that the automobile passed right inside.

Within a few moments the car reappeared with the matron who drove to a Kingston hotel immediately retiring to rest after telling the clerk that she was "too nervous even to register" after her journey.

Mrs. McDonald was stylishly dressed in a new light fawn spring coat with brown silk stockings and hat to match. She was not handcuffed or shackled in any manner, although one of her male guards had hold of her arm while moving from the train to the waiting automobile.

OSHAWA STRIKE STILL CONTINUES

Government and Other Officials Endeavoring To Effect an Amicable Settlement

At 10.30 last night, Hon. Peter Heenan of Ottawa got a hurry-up call from Oshawa to come in person to the scene of the strike at the General Motors, and the Minister dashed to the station and caught the night train for Oshawa. He will institute personal efforts to effect a settlement.

The strike situation with regard to General Motors' employees was placed on a working basis Thursday with the arrival of M. S. Campbell, chief conciliation officer of the Department of Labor, Ottawa. The possibility arose early of a settlement by Thursday night whereby the employees might go back to work today through negotiations conducted by Mr. Campbell with the management of the company and the strikers, but following a mass meeting in the Armories, the offer arranged by the departmental official was temporarily refused, to be considered at a later mass meeting.

Board Agreed To

After meeting the strike committee and the general manager of the General Motors of Canada, Limited, early on Thursday, Mr. Campbell, with permission from the department at Ottawa, engaged the Armories to address a mass meeting in which he announced that the management of the company agreed to a board of conciliation and that the men return to work this morning at the old scale pending the decision of the board.

The board would be composed of a representative chosen by the strikers and one from the company who would select a Chairman with both parties agreeing to the decision the board reached. The proposition was turned down by the men with the understanding that the situation would be fully threshed out today. Negotiations have not been severed but will be continued. Mr. Campbell is remaining in the city Friday to act as a medium for the negotiations.

The fact that the proposal was turned down does not eliminate the possibility that the strike will not be settled this week. The company has offered to take every striker back and those who have been engaged in place of the strikers will be located somewhere in the factory if the present proposed arrangements be satisfactory.

Communist propaganda appeared on the scene early Thursday, circulars being distributed at that morning's mass meeting, while representatives of the Communist party in the persons of Jack McDonald and W. J. McPherson addressed a meeting at Alexandra Park in the afternoon.

Disapprove Communism

Connection with this situation was emphatically repudiated by the strikers following their meeting in the Armories when the committee conferred particularly to express their disapproval of communism. The committee at the same time announced that an executive meeting would be held and that the proposal presented to them by Mr. Campbell would be considered Friday.

It was learned that a member of the audience in Alexandra Park addressed by McDonald and McPherson was Jimmy Simpson, prominent labor leader. He returned to Toronto but he will be in Oshawa to address the mass meeting. The outcome of the present situation is expected to be the formation of a union.

Strikers Steadfast

The strikers remain steadfast in their convictions, mass meetings and parades being the order of the day, apart from the negotiations conducted by the Labor representative from Ottawa.

The actual number of strikers was estimated to be 2,000. The trimmers, assembly line employees and a number of the paint and hardware departments were joined by half the stamper, the remainder of the girls from the trimming rooms, two hundred members of the export department and practically all of the main tenance men or "bull gang," as they are known. A new feature of par-

CANADIANS BACK FROM THE STATES

Immigration Reports Show that 32,217 Returned During Past 11 Months

In the eleven months ending February, 37,297 Canadians who had crossed to the United States, returned to the dominion, the department of immigration reports. Against this figure, 32,730 Canadian-born citizens, 3,103 British subjects with Canadian domicile and 1384 naturalized Canadians temporarily crossed the border.

The charge that Canada is merely a port of passage for immigrants who go on to the United States, is refuted by the report which states that 47,722 British people entered Canada by the ocean ports, 22,624 people from the United States and 66,586 from other countries.

Using the departmental classification, desired classes of immigrants were in the majority. They included: English, 24,187; Scottish, 13,664; Irish, 8202; Welsh 1669; German, 9737; French 804; Belgian 1944; Dutch 1733; Norwegian 3989; Swedish 2733; Danish 3043; Icelandic 28; Swiss 547; a sum total of 82,280.

Added to these, the 22,624 from the United States, the total of preferred immigrants was 94,904 and of others, 42,028.

The immigrants went to all parts of Canada. Manitoba received 33,236 but these included many who landed in Winnipeg and later went to various destinations in other provinces. Ontario got the biggest individual quota, receiving 33,863 immigrants from overseas and 8359 from the United States; Quebec received 17,231; Nova Scotia, 1912; New Brunswick 1402; Prince Edward Island 213; Saskatchewan 13,659; Alberta 13,870; British Columbia 9072; Yukon and N. W. T. 31. There were three whose destination was not ascertained.

True to the demand, the greatest number of immigrants were in the farming classes, there being 53,245 males, 6333 females and 15,525 children. There were 5771 men, 980 women and 1601 children in the laboring category and in the mechanic class 6136 men, 1791 women and 1250 children. In the trading classes there were 3498 men, 1475 women and 824 children and in mining 654 men, 108 women and 143 children. The greatest single class was that containing 14,282 domestic servants.

There may be a trek of Canadians to Detroit but there is evidently a similar trek into Ontario, for 3734 immigrants entered Canada from Michigan and 2686 from New York state, these being the greatest contributions of any state.

British Columbia fields also looked green to Californians for 1235 of them came over the border to settle in Canada; Illinois sent 1019; Massachusetts, 1218; Minnesota 1584 and Washington 1791.

WHERE GOODS ARE MADE

Example Shows How Difficult it Is To Trace Them Is Quoted

Kingston—Instance quoted by the Whig-Standard is illuminating:— An example of how difficult it is to trace where goods are made, is shown by a dressing case showing that the wooden case was made from Norwegian timber, but was marketed in Denmark; the cardboard used came from Holland; the covering was of leather prepared in London; the mirror was Belgian; the tortoise shell-backed brushes were German; the tooth brush Japanese; the nail brush French; the comb was Italian; and the glass bottles were imported from Czechoslovakia.

There was the appearance of a band to head the strikers.

Production in the plant is almost at a standstill, and it is not definitely known whether other departments will leave their work if the strike is not terminated shortly. It is estimated that close to 3000 men are now idle.

Fifteen motor busses may replace trolley cars at Oshkosh, Wis.

Seven persons were killed in Ohio traffic accidents during one day.

MAY NOT ENTER BOX IN MONS LIBEL SUIT

Reported Optional Whether General Sir Arthur Currie Testifies Himself

There is a distinct possibility that when the now famous Currie libel action comes to trial, General Sir Arthur Currie himself will not figure in it. One of his counsel stated to the Star yesterday that the law makes it entirely optional with the plaintiff whether he enters the witness box.

If the defence, he said, were able to secure any admission during examination for discovery, from General Currie as to the truth of their alleged libellous statements about him, they would be at liberty to produce these in the trial, but it will rest with the general himself whether he sees fit to give in the witness box that personal account of his conduct of the battle of Mons which has been anticipated as the most interesting possible feature of the historic case.

From a list of forty names off the grand jury roll of Northumberland and Durham counties sixteen were selected as the jury panel for Sir Arthur's \$50,000 suit against F. W. Wilson and W. T. R. Preston.

The striking of the panel of sixteen was carried out in Sheriff D. J. Nesbitt's office with counsel for both sides present. The procedure adopted was that each side strike off a name in turn until 24 had been eliminated, leaving the sixteen that will be submitted to the judge at the opening of the trial. The plaintiff having requested a special jury from the grand jury roll, his counsel D. H. Chisholm, K.C., had the privilege of making the first challenge. Selections of the trial jury from the sixteen names will be carried out in a different manner. At the opening of the trial they will be drawn by lot and, subject to the right of each side to challenge two, the first twelve drawn will act.

Beyond a statement that ninety per cent. of the men on the panel are farmers, neither side would volunteer any information as to the sixteen who had been selected. Until twelve of them enter the box on the day of trial their names will be kept secret. The judicature act provides in fact that except at such times as are necessary for the purpose of the case they shall be kept "under lock and key" by the sheriff and his officers.

Frank Regan, counsel for W. T. R. Preston, stated that he would probably file a notice of motion returnable at Cobourg early in the week for an order requiring General Currie to answer certain questions put to him during examination for discovery and which he then refused to answer because he considered them irrelevant.

RECALLS DAY OF RELIGIOUS FERVOR

In Ancient Times Nova Scotia Communities Were Very Religious Places

The days when religious worship was practically 100 per cent. in most Nova Scotia communities in spite of the fact that to attend church on Sunday meant travelling a distance of five to twenty five miles, on foot, by rowboat or sledge were recalled recently in a paper read before the Nova Scotia Historical Society by Dr. M. D. Morrison on "The Religious exercises of the Early Presbyterian Settlers of Cape Breton." One of the most interesting passages of the paper was the description of the annual "open air communion" 1872, when thousands of ardent devotees sat five hours in a downpour of rain to hear the words of their minister and partake of communion. In those days in Cape Breton the "family altar" was a part of every home and "the wondrous music of the psalm" arose from every cottage.

Sabbath was the big day of the week. On that day no cooking was done, even the water was brought in the day before. The whole day was spent in religious exercises. The church often lay twenty five or thirty miles away, but from eight in the morning until eleven o'clock they travelled the roads always reckoning on reaching the church half an hour before the service.

GOLF CLUB HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Directors and Greens Committee Appointed at Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the shareholders and members of the Port Hope Golf and Country Club was held in the Carnegie Library Hall Thursday evening and the meeting was well attended.

The club enjoyed a prosperous year in 1927 and judging from enthusiasm manifested at Thursday night's annual session 1928 will be a gala season. Mrs. D. H. Chisholm gave an informal report of the activities of the lady members throughout the year.

The financial statement was presented by W. A. McCarthy and the financial conditions of the club was shown to be good.

Considerable discussion ensued at the meeting regarding the approaching activities of the season and the plans will be made for the encouragement of junior membership.

The following directors were elected, F. H. Briden, J. R. Bunting; J. B. Holland; W. J. Nesbitt and A. W. McCarthy.

Greens committee—F. H. Briden; J. A. Hume and L. T. Sylvester.

Men's game captain—W. J. Nesbitt.

The officers of the club will be elected at a subsequent meeting of the directors.

NEW ORDER IS PASSED

Commuters Now Will Be Able to Obtain Permits for 12-Month Period

Canadians and Americans whose places of business are in the United States and whose homes are on the Canadian side of the river and who wish to commute daily by automobile will be freed from customs annoyance by a new regulation of the commissioner of customs.

Under this regulation these persons will be allowed to bond their motor cars for twelve months instead of only one month as heretofore.

The only formality they will have to comply with in future after giving the bond will be that of reporting their cars outward every 30 days.

E. G. Odette, M.P., was advised by Commissioner of Customs Broadner that he had agreed to amend the regulations.

It is believed the new regulation will be an encouragement to United States residents to make their homes on the Canadian side.

CAR STOLEN IN TORONTO

Frank Taylor of Quay's Loses Ford Car in City Thursday

While in Toronto Thursday, Frank Taylor left his car parked and when he returned after making a purchase in a nearby store, found that the car had been stolen. Police authorities are on the lookout for it. The car is a 1925 Ford.

20 YEARS AGO TODAY

MARCH 30, 1908

Gone To His Reward
After an illness of nine weeks of cirrhosis of the liver, John Donahue, an old resident of Cavan Street, passed away today, aged 66 years.

COMING EVENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 2, Y.P.S. OF the United Church are putting on their Medical Missionary play "The Pill Bottle" which will provide splendid entertainment for 25c. 30-2td

A MEETING FOR THE ORGANIZATION of the Ontario Horticultural Society will be held in Bewdley Orange Hall, April 10th. A representative will speak or give lantern slides. All interested please attend. 29 9td 2tw

THE LADIES' AID OF ST. PAUL'S Presbyterian Church are holding an afternoon tea and sale of home baking in the Primary classroom on Wednesday afternoon, April 4, from 4 to 6. 27 8td

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Reg. 7.00 Tea Set, tan and blue; 23 pieces.....2.75

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SOFTBALL TEAM ELECTS OFFICERS

Bankers Organize for Coming Season and Good Team is Anticipated

The Bankers' Softball Team elected their officers for the 1928 season at the fifth annual meeting held on Thursday evening. The meeting was most enthusiastic and the coin jugglers are intending to place a strong entry in the league this summer.

Following are the officers:
Honorary Presidents—J. R. Bunting, W. J. Helm, N. G. Johnson and W. H. Roper.

President—F. R. O'Neill
Vice-President—Ab Lent
Secretary-Treasurer—J. Winfield
Executive—E. D. Brown, S. McCannell and Robert Melville.
Manager—Harold Tozer.

LET US HAVE YOUR COPY EARLY.

Persons having copy for tomorrow's issue of The Guide should have it reach this office as early as possible and not later than 10 a. m., to assure publication.

MORE FORTUNATE THAN AUSTRALIA

High Tariffs and Extremist Labor Action Hamper Development in Antipodes

In the committee on agriculture and colonization, W. J. Egan, deputy minister, said that "thousands of British people who have gone to Australia are now bombarding Canadian trade offices to see how they can get to Canada."

It is not surprising that this is the case. Financial conditions in Australia are by no means comparable to conditions existing in Canada. High tariffs—high beyond anything that would even be considered possible by any party in Canada—and extreme action upon the part of Labor has brought about conditions which have prevented the development of natural industries. Merchandise exports in Australia were \$11,688,266 less than for value of imports for the first six months of the Australian fiscal year. Customs revenues for January are down \$1,250,000 as compared with the previous January.

The reverse is the situation in Canada. Imports are up and exports slightly down for the 2 months ending January 31, but the trade situation is good, employment high and revenues swelling.

An indication of conditions can be gleaned from the movement of settler effects. The following table shows the movement of the past three fiscal years. (Years ending March 31.)

	Exports	Imports
1925	\$1,862,105	\$6,342,517
1926	7,545,351	6,271,891
1927	6,994,877	7,797,518

When we come, however, to the 12 months ending January 21 last, the situation is much better. Settlers coming to Canada brought in settlers' effects to the value of \$9,218,644 and exports for the same period were only \$8,848,547.

TRADE SHOWS GOOD INCREASE

Exports Exceeded Imports During Month of February—Liquor Traffic Is Greater

The trade for the month of February, 1928, was \$176,393,751, including imports of \$86,000,000 and exports of \$90,393,751. For the twelve months ending Feb. 29 total trade was \$2,347,646,338 of which \$1,099,118,958 was imports and \$6,248,527,380 was exports. The increase in total trade this year as compared with \$2,000,000 or \$1,000,000, a week.

Imports for consumption by Provinces for the month of February showed \$45,000,000 for Ontario, \$21,000,000 for Quebec and \$20,000,000 for the rest of Canada while exports for February showed Ontario with \$28,500,000; Quebec \$13,000,000; New Brunswick, \$10,700,000; British Columbia, \$31,000,000.

Imports from British Empire countries in February totalled \$18,562,000 and exports to these countries \$30,964,908, while for the year ended February Canadian imports totalled \$245,000,000, and Canadian exports \$502,000,000.

Imports from foreign countries totalled \$67,000,000 in February, exports to foreign countries were \$57,000,000, while for the twelve months imports totalled \$853,000,000 from foreign countries and exports to these countries aggregated \$724,000,000. The United States, of course, accounted for the bulk of this trade. Canadian imports from that country totalled \$713,000,000 and exports to the United States totalled \$478,000,000 for the twelvemonth.

More than 15,000,000 pounds of butter were imported in the twelve months ending February and worth of \$58,000,000.

for Ottawa last night in the second of their two game series in the National Hockey League preliminary playoff series and scored a 2 to 1 victory over their rivals from the capital. The Montreal team won the first game at Ottawa Tuesday night by a 2 to 1 count taking the round by three to one.

The Maroons, by their series victory, earned the right to meet the Canadiens, leaders in the Canadian section in a two game series, the winners of which will meet the United States sectional champions in the Stanley Cup series.

The Maroons' victory was well earned the locals displaying an unbeatable brand of hockey, which had Ottawa outclassed at every turn. The Maroons scored one goal in each of the first two periods, and after a temporary lapse at the start of the final frame, during which Ottawa scored their only goal, put up an air tight defence in front of Benedict which could not be penetrated.

Siebert scored the first goal of the game half way through the first period, when he grabbed the rebound of Stewart's shot and slipped the disc past Connell. It was a neat effort, in which the sturdy Maroon pair completely baffled the Senatorial defense.

Early in the second period Hooley Smith made it 2 to 0 when he shot between the two Ottawa defense men and fooled Connell with a slow, low drive.

Ottawa's lone goal came soon after the start of the final period, when Finnegan and Kilrea took advantage of a temporary lapse by the rear guard to coast in on Benedict. Kilrea did the scoring, his fast shot eluding Benedict. It was practically the last threat made by the visitors. They tried hard thereafter, but a strong Maroon defensive bulwark was thrown up in front of the net, which the losers could not penetrate.

PITTSBURG OUT

Although defeated by the score of four goals to two by Pittsburgh Pirates at New York last night, the New York Rangers, by virtue of the four to nothing victory in the first game Tuesday night, qualified to meet Boston in the final series for the championship of the United States group of the National Hockey League with a score of six goals to four on the round.

After playing a whole game and two periods in lifeless fashion, the winners cut loose in the third period with a burst of the speed and scoring ability like that which carried them from the cellar position in the league to a place in the playoffs in a few weeks.

Underground pipe organ is being built in St. Louis for actor's chapel of St. Malachy's Church, New York.

SPORTING SKITS

BASEBALL

Leafs in Shape

Wednesday's debacle was taken very much to heart by Manager O'Hara's clan collectively and individually and more especially by Don Hankins, whose erratic heaving made the Leafs look like anything but near big leaguers. The pitcher himself could not account for his inability to make the Spalding product behave, as control as a general thing is his long suit. He worked hard and earnestly at the workout trying to regain his effectiveness and before he left the mound he was splitting the plate and shading the edges with his old-time cleverness.

Collins in Earnest.

Collins also put in a busy afternoon and for the first time took his place on the slab and showed the gang a touch of high life from a pitching standpoint. The rugged veteran is rounding into form with great rapidity and when the Leafs shake the dust of Albany, Ga., from their devoted "dogs" a week from tomorrow the man who once made Ty Cobb back up should be about ready to display his wares. And he has plenty, including a "swift" that smacks into the old glove with a noise resembling a giant firecracker. He specializes in speed, but his repertoire comprises everything that a good, experienced boxman should have and he should cause the slugger in the International next summer lots of grief.

Leafs Play Saturday

Thursday practice was long and arduous, with all hands boiling out in the hot sun, the pitchers particularly being subjected to strenuous work. (Hankins, Satterfield, Fisher Reil and Lucas alternated in pitching to the batsmen and the most gratifying feature was the manner in which Shedy stepped into the sphere. He lashed the leather into all fields with much abandon and it won't be long before he will be in condition to get into the regular line-up. It is more than likely that the slim outfielder will get a chance to prove himself on Saturday at Columbus against the Southeastern team of that place. Always a top notcher the former Oriole should be better than ever this year as a result of his change to more congenial company. He was dissatisfied with his berth at Baltimore, Dun's nagging tactics getting his goat, but at that he batted better than .340 for the Birds, and if he does anything like that for Toronto there will be no occasion for fault-finding.

No Lack of Speed.

With Jacobson due to report the Leafs will have speed galore in the outfield, providing the latter can be induced to take his work seriously. He can hustle when he is in the humor but he wasn't inclined that way often enough to please Boss O'Hara last summer. With "Jake" on the job the Leafs' regular line up will probably be as follows:

Rabbitt right field; Shedy left field; Jacobson centre field; Alexander first base; Burke second base; Webb third base; Cote shortstop; and the catcher and pitcher. There should be plenty of power in this combination and speed as well. Rabbitt is a most dynamic young man and a fighter from the ground up and the

punch that goes with it. He will make the cash customers forget that such a player as Gilhooley ever existed. Cote and Rabbitt are a colorful pair and should add much aggressiveness to the aggregation.

NATIONAL RAILWAY EARNINGS

Gross Earnings for First Two Months in 1928 Higher Than 1927 Same Period

Substantial increases in the gross and net earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the first two months of this year are shown by the summary of earnings and expenses for the month of February. The gross earnings for the months of January and February totalled \$38,460,373 while for the similar two months of 1927 the gross earnings amounted to \$34,727,523.47, an increase during the current year of \$3,732,846.53 which is equivalent to an enhancement of 10.75 per cent.

For the first two months of 1928, the working expenses amounted to \$32,671,151.21 which compare with \$30,737,170.67 for January and February, 1927, an increase of \$1,933,440.54, or 6.29 per cent.

This leaves net earnings of \$5,789,221.79 for the months of January and February this year, which compare with \$3,989,812.80 for the first two months of 1927, an increase in favor of the first part of 1928 of \$1,799,408.99 an improvement of 45.10 per cent.

As a result of this increase the operating ratio for the first part of this year has been reduced to 84.95 per cent. as against 88.51 for the similar period of 1927.

During the month of February last the gross earnings of the National System amounted to \$19,588,702.00. In February, 1927, the gross earnings were \$16,950,686.66, an increase for February of this year of \$2,638,015.34, equal to 15.56 per cent.

In February last year the working expenses were \$16,120,491.28, which compare with \$15,192,974.80 in February, 1927, an increase of \$927,516.48 or 6.10 per cent.

The net earnings for the month of February last were \$3,468,210.72, while for February, 1927 they were \$1,757,711.86, an increase of \$1,710,498.86 or 97.31 per cent.

The operating ratio for the month of February just past was 82.29 as against 89.63 during February of last year.

GLEE SINGERS FROM ENGLAND

The Westminster Glee Singers, organized and directed by Edward Branscombe, gave one of their thoroughly enjoyable concerts on Wednesday night in Massey Hall, and were so enthusiastically applauded that after every number on the program had been encored there was still an insistent demand for more. The program was entirely British and entirely secular, except for two sacred numbers interpolated by a

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special request and also remarkably varied ranging from serious works by Arne and Purcell to "popular" items by Hatton and frivolous bits by Drummond and others.

Six boy sopranos and seven or eight men, divided into basses, tenors and male altos make up the personnel of these Glee Singers and they group themselves picturesquely, sitting or standing, in a different way for each song. Chorus by the men alone, the boys alone or both together; unison songs, part songs, madrigals; solos with or without the piano or choral accompaniment, quartets; glees, catches, folksongs; comic ditties, sailor chanteuses—this rich repertoire made the evening unusually interesting and delightful. The falsetto singing by the male altos is unfamiliar in Canada but it was warmly applauded last night.

Mr. Branscombe announced that the question of a return engagement in Toronto before the end of the season was still pending, but that Mr. Lawrence Solman, Manager of the Royal Alexandra Theatre, to whose initiative the Canadian tour of the Glee Singers is due hopes to present them here again before long in several different programs. This is good news. No one who likes a dash of good fun with his artistic pleasure, in a bracing British atmosphere, can afford to miss the capital Old Country entertainments.

The Glee Singers will appear here on Tuesday next, April 3rd, in both an afternoon and evening performance at the Royal Theatre.

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While in a dream at his home in Harland, Ky., Boyd Kelly shot and seriously wounded himself.

Snowbound for four weeks Ashland, Wis., has made connections with state trunk highway.

Mrs. Donna Maynew, 35, of Battle Creek, Mich., was killed when motor cycle collided with auto.

Chicago Association of Commerce reports city's annual business amounts to \$12,000,000,000.

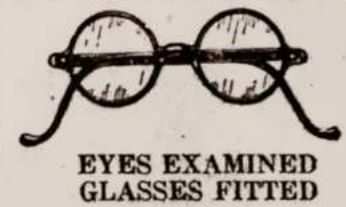
A local business man appeared before Magistrate W. A. F. Campbell Thursday and was fined \$100 and costs on a charge of keeping liquor in an illegal place.

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Among the mountains rills,
Are the fond dreams of early years—

As sacred to the heart,
When all the pleading scenes of life
A hallowed joy impart.

O, youth and love! like happy flowers
Rejoicing in the morn,
Think not that clouds or shady hours
Are followers of the dawn;

When earth, with every beauty crowned,
Sends forth a rich perfume,
And heavenly odors scent the day,
To call its fairest bloom.

What beauties cluster round us then,
To light our spirits up!
Aye, mingling hope's most precious wine
In life's more bitter cup;

While evermore the circling hours
New gifts of promise bring,
As brightest blooms and sweetest buds
Are kindred to the Spring!

Ah, youth has many a sunny side,
And many a golden gleam,
While whispering angels smiling share
The glory of its dream!

But time, with his attendant cares,
Must glide along the way,
And dearest hopes, with trembling yield
Before his ruthless sway.

Ah, they fill many a sorrow show,
And weep too many tears,
Who've trod with weak and feeble step,
This pilgrimage of fears,

For age doth many a story tell,
Of early memories strong,
Of youthful dreams and sacred hopes
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TO HELP YOU WITH YOUR INCOME TAX RETURN

To assist the income tax payers of this community in preparing their returns for the year 1927, due on April 30th next, the Bank of Montreal has issued a new edition of its booklet on

THE CANADIAN INCOME TAX ACT

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When Cæsar Was a Boy

The Forum was the common market-place for all of ancient Rome. Today a few crumbling columns stand as mute reminders of its former grandeur.

In our present day complex civilization, market-places have become scattered. It is no longer possible to visit them all in the morning—or even in a day.

Advertising, instead, has become the convenient Forum of modern buyers and sellers. If you are considering the purchase of a new car, you scrutinize the auto advertising. Or if it's a razor or a talking machine that you want, you turn again to the advertising. Here is the national market-place for merchandise.

Furthermore, as you leaf over those same pages of products, your mind is storing away for tomorrow a compact and valuable fund of information. Instinctively, you will remember those facts when you make your future purchases. Increase your store of knowledge by reading the advertisements regularly.

Advertising has become the common market-place of this 20th century.

THE GUIDE STORY

(Continued from yesterday.)

"I think I had better go now, Aunt Charity," she said, laying her fingers on Miss Charity's cold, wrinkled hands, "and ask Miss Ran some for some more of that pretty mauve ribbon. I find I shall have to have some more to make your new cap a success."

In another moment she had flitted from the room, throwing the doctor a second glance in which he detected triumph as well as mischief.

"She is a dear child, doctor," said Miss Charity tremulously, as soon as the door was closed, "and though I am grieved that her poor sister should be suffering from such a terribly trying complaint as nervous prostration still, doctor, I fancy this dear child will suit me far better. You were certainly most kind in studying my interests in every way, and I am grateful to you, as I hope I am to all the other kind people who try to please me. The young people of this generation are, I maintain, most thoughtful to old people, though my dear niece Olwen tries to prove the contrary from the books she reads, which seem to me unsuitable for the young, from what I have seen of them. But, as you say, doctor, I fancy I should have found the other sister a little depressing. Naturally you could not know not having seen her for so long, that she has become very silent and abstracted during the past three months. Dear Firefly spoke with very proper sisterly feeling about Gwendolyn, and is, I fear, quite anxious about her state of mind. It would be sad if she were to have any recurrence of this nervous prostration. Firefly actually informs me that she is so weak that she is unable to feed herself, and has to be given food every two hours. She must be a very delicate person, and I may be wrong and hard hearted, doctor, but I always think a delicate person is very dull, and I prefer a little brightness and animation, now that I am old and feeble myself, and unable to take much exertion. I think this pretty creature has an excellent disposition; she has been helping me all the morning with my little business matters, and already takes quite an interest in my orphanage, far more than Olwen. Firefly declared that she saw no difficulties in the matter, and remarked that it did indeed seem hard that I could not do as I liked with my own money. Just my own sentiments, as you remember."

Miss Granby, rather breathless from her long speech, lay back in her chair, and the doctor, who had been watching her closely enough to detect a worried expression in her eyes said gently—for the other wise bluff man could be very tender with old age and little children: "What is troubling you about it all, Miss Granby?"

"Ah, doctor, I am glad you have asked me that question!" A relieved look passed over Miss Granby's face. "I always said to Olwen that, whatever opinions she may hold to the contrary, I feel convinced you have a very sympathetic character, doctor. I will confide in you now, though the dear child implored me to make no appeal in her favor. You must not be vexed with Firefly for having confided

in me so quickly, doctor. I loved the pretty creature the moment I saw her, and as you know from the Scriptures, 'Love casteth out fear.' This morning she told me all her little story, how she was engaged to be married, foolish child to your friend and then when she found out her mistake, broke it off. Now, doctor, it may seem to you that the child was a coquette but you may take the word of an old woman who has known the world, she was wise to remedy her folly before it was too late. She is afraid you are still prejudiced against her, though she was but eighteen at the time, and that you will try to persuade her to go home. That is the trouble, doctor. She is a pretty creature, and if I can make her happy, and if she is not afraid of your disapproval, I should like to have her with me."

What could John say, with his keen eyes noticing the scanty breath and strained blue look around the old lady's mouth, the wistful gaze of the special pleader? In his heart he might call Firefly a designing monkey, but his words must not convey that idea.

"Why, Miss Granby, you are trying to make me appear a dragon! Be as happy as ever you can with your new baby. She will probably give you quite as much trouble as a real one. I am only too glad that you are so pleased with the young lady's experiment. Now, I want you in return for my peaceableness, to promise to stay quietly here in your bright little room all day and not go downstairs. You have been worrying and tiring your self, and if I don't see an improvement at my next visit which will probably be tomorrow—Firefly will have to be scolded, that's all."

"No, my dear man, don't do that," Miss Granby smiled up at him happily. "It is my fault. I grew interested in her little tales, and did not sleep well last night. I did not have my usual visitor, doctor, and it worried me."

"It was the unwonted excitement, Miss Granby," he said. "I feel sure your visitor will come tonight as usual. Good-by"

THE ART OF MAKING TEA

What To Do and What Not To Do To Get the Best Results

Mr. Spalding Black, on the staff of the Salada Tea Company, recently prepared an interesting leaflet entitled, "The Art of Correct Tea Making." Approximately 27,000,000 cups of tea are consumed every day in Canada and yet it is doubtful if one-tenth of this number is prepared with the necessary care to bring out the full flavor of the tea leaf so that this stimulating and refreshing drink may be thoroughly enjoyed. The following is from "The Art of Correct Tea Making":

"Tea is one of the kindest blessings of Nature. In its comforting indulgence, one can lose the worries of the day and forget the fatigue of effort.

"The full joy of a cup of this gracious beverage can only be reached when fine quality tea is used and ceremonial care exercised in its preparation to draw from each tiny leaf the essence of flavor and refreshment with which it has been endowed by Nature.

"In the countries of the East, where the drinking of tea has been enjoyed for thousands of years or more, the subject of preparing the leaf for consumption has become a fine art and a ceremony, but the full, delicious refreshment and healthful stimulation may be extracted from the fragrant tea leaves if the following rules are followed exactly:—

"Rule No. 1.—The best quality of tea must be used. The tea also must be fresh, to yield the full goodness.

"Rule No. 2.—The quality of the water used will affect the flavor of the beverage in the cup. Draw fresh, cold water and bring it to a hard bubbling boil. Never use water that has been boiled before. Sometime chlorine put in water to purify it will completely change the flavor of the tea. The water is to blame, however, and not the tea.

"Rule No. 3.—It is proper that only a crockery or china teapot be used, never one of metal or any other substance, if the pure and delicious flavor of the tea is to be drawn forth. Tea likewise should never be enclosed in a metal tea-ball.

"Rule No. 4.—The teapot must be scalded out with boiling water, and while it is warm place in it one level teaspoonful of tea for each cup required.

"Rule No. 5.—Now pour the boiling water on the leaves. Allow to

steep in a warm place for five minutes. Stir just sufficiently to diffuse the full strength of the tea. Then pour the liquid off the leaves into another heated vessel, unless served immediately. If poured off in this way, the tea will not take on a bitter taste which even the finest tea will do unless prevented from over steeping. Tea made according to these rules will be fragrant, delicious and completely satisfying."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EMILY MARIA LOUISE BAYLY, late of the Town of Port Hope, in the County of Durham, Spinster, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Chapter 150, Section 51, S.S., R.S.O. (1) 1927, that all persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of the said Emily Maria Louise Bayly, who died on or about the Nineteenth day of November, A.D. 1927, are requested to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Executors or to their Solicitor, on or before the Twenty-eighth day of April, A.D. 1928, their Christian and Surnames and addresses with full particulars in writing of their claims and a Statement of their Accounts and the nature of the Securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said Twenty-eighth day of April, A.D. 1928, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims, notice shall not have been received by them or their Solicitor, at the time of such distribution.

MARY FRANCES B. RODDIE, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, and WILLIAM JAMES ROBERTSON, Port Hope, Ontario, WILLIAM FREDERICK McMAHON, Port Hope, Ontario, Solicitors for the Executors. Dated this Thirtieth day of March, 1928.

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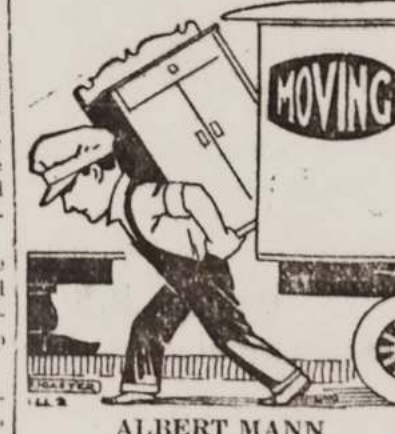
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POISE IN DANCING

Secret Lies In The Way You Carry Yourself.

The secret of dancing beautifully lies in the way the dancer carries herself. Here are some hints which may assist the amateur to obtain a good carriage.

Keep your head and shoulders back and retain your balance just as though you were dancing alone. Long steps are the vogue now. The temptation is to lean forward on your partner and allow yourself to be propelled along by him. Many girls make this mistake—that is why they seem "heavy."

The graceful dancer moves backwards with splendid poise. She carries herself with head and shoulders balanced. She takes her direction from her partner—but not her motive power. You can take longer steps when you move alone; you can glide back. It is difficult to glide over the polished floor when you are not balanced, resulting in steps that are just a little too short, and trodden-on toes.

Notice the gracefulness of a stage dancer when taking long, backward steps. She leans actually a little backwards in order to balance herself. You never see a "bad exponent of dancing attempting to glide with long steps backwards while leaning forward.

Lean forward while going forward and backward while going backward. When your feet are brought up together in a fox-trot step your body is upright, maintaining your balance.

Exaggeration, of course, is to be avoided. It is little more than a tilt of the head that supplies all the backward inclination required. Spectators notice nothing except that you appear graceful and poised. Your partner only notices that you are dancing exceptionally lightly. "Balanced loads are light loads" is an old maxim and may be applied to dancing.

Success and Genius

A common mistake among the young and inexperienced is that success in life comes only as the reward of flaming genius. The epochal events of the world, like the great accomplishments of nature, have been the result of slow but constant growth. Be thrifty with your time. Wasted hours are lost and gone forever, but the hours given to constructive labor or study will remain as faithful friends to help and strengthen you through all the years of your life.

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No. 8—To Ottawa1.10 a.m.
No. 10—To Montreal9.24 a.m.
No. 110—To Belleville (Sun. only)9.41 a.m.
No. 14—To Montreal10.42 a.m.
No. 28—To Brockville2.03 p.m.
No. 6—To Ottawa3.11 p.m.
No. 30—To Belleville7.55 p.m.
No. 18—To Montreal10.36 p.m.
No. 20—To Montreal11.50 p.m.
Daily—Nos. 8, 16, 14, 18.
Daily—except Sunday—Nos. 10, 6, 28, 30, 20.

Nos. 6 and 20 daily after May 15.

Going West
No. 19—From Montreal3.49 a.m.
No. 7—From Ottawa5.04 a.m.
No. 21—From Montreal4.44 a.m.
No. 17—From Montreal5.58 a.m.
No. 29—From Belleville8.55 a.m.
No. 27—From Brockville1.25 p.m.
No. 15—From Montreal3.58 p.m.
No. 5—From Ottawa6.42 p.m.
No. 109—From Belleville, (Sun. only)7.22 p.m.
No. 9—From Montreal7.56 p.m.
Daily—Nos. 19, 7, 17, 15.
Daily—except Sunday—Nos. 21, 27, 5, 9, 25, 6.

MIDLAND DIVISION
Junction Station
Departures
No. 92—Via Lindsay6.55 a.m.
No. 97—To Peterboro10.45 a.m.
No. 95—Via Lindsay4.00 p.m.

Arrivals
No. 96—Ex. Peterboro8.00 a.m.
No. 92—Via Lindsay1.17 p.m.
No. 94—Via Lindsay10.10 p.m.

These trains arrive and depart at the Down Town Station four minutes earlier and later than above schedule.

ORONO SUBDIVISION
No. 311—Mixed, leave Port Hope Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday7.20 a.m.
No. 309—Passenger, leave Port Hope Monday, Wednesday and Friday7.20 a.m.

No. 312—Mixed, from Whitby Jct. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arrive Port Hope5.45 p.m.
No. 310—Passenger, from Whitby Jct. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, arrive Port Hope8.40 p.m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC
Going East

Special Sunday Only2.27 a.m.
No. 20—To Montreal10.49 a.m.
No. 38—To Montreal2.53 p.m.
No. 604—To Trenton9.07 p.m.
No. 42—To Montreal11.58 p.m.

Going West
No. 41—To Hamilton4.53 a.m.
No. 608—To Toronto7.40 a.m.
Special—Sunday only6.45 a.m.
No. 19—To Chicago4.05 p.m.
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At the present time in York district, horse drawn fire apparatus have replaced modern fire trucks owing to their inability to plow a way through the mud. The fire fighting pumps employed in York district are similar to the one which gave a demonstration in Port Hope following the T.C.S. fire.

Unpaved streets are the rule in that section of the city, and optimistic motorists who forsake Yonge street, find themselves instantly mired in axle-deep mud, and dependent on benevolent or mercenary teamsters for assistance.

Bread and milk wagons manage to cover their routes with some little difficulty, and on almost every street pass mired or temporarily abandoned motor cars and trucks. Pedestrians who get on the wrong side of the street have to walk some distance to find an intersection or other fording place.

Such conditions, cannot, however, interfere with the furnishing of efficient fire and police protection in that locality. Fire Chief Russell fore saw such an eventuality when he placed the very best of horse drawn apparatus in the Montgomery Avenue and other outlying halls, and the hose and ladder wagons are able to plow at a gallop through the mud where the most powerful of trucks would be hopelessly stuck.

Those accustomed to the annual spring rains and mud conditions in North Toronto state there is no prospect of a betterment of conditions for some time to come.

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Thunder and lightning during a snowstorm seems—well, unusual, to say the least, but then to have a hail storm added, as occurred today at noon is perfectly unreasonable. Looking at it another way, it's better by far to have the hail storm now than just before the day of harvest.

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The largest and most important business deal to be transacted in the Bay of Quinte region in many years is the recent purchase of the E. C. Metcalfe Canning Company's plant and business at Deseronto by the Associated Quality Cannery, Ltd. of Toronto. By acquiring the Deseronto factory, the new company will have under its control two or three plants in the eastern and five in the western part of Ontario.

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A local musical critic, who returned from Toronto, says that the Westminster Glee Singers are most delightful and we notice that today the plan opened and sold unusually well. To be sure of a seat look sharp and get it right away.

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The prize of a couple of weeks ago at the Bowlers' Stag Euchre was presented to the winner, Mr. W. D. Stephens, who is a player of great renown, both on the "green" and at the euchre table. The prize was a pair of trousers 6" by 8" size, kindly donated by Mr. A. E. Andrews. Bill says he's going to wear the pants from now on, but the boys just said, "Try an' put 'em on, Bill!"

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At the conclusion of the Capitolian revue at the Royal Theatre last night, Al Stagg stated that as Jimmy Thomas, the popular comedian of the organization, had recently become a proud daddy, his associates would welcome the opportunity to join in extending congratulations. On behalf of the management and the Capitolians, amid loud applause, he then presented Jimmy with a beautiful silver mug for the baby. Even though the recipient was as much surprised as he had been the previous night, when a practical joke was staged at his expense, he was not at a loss for words, and expressed his appreciation in suitable terms.

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Speaking of old coins, Mrs. H. W. Johnston, Cavan street, has two cop per coins: one of the reign of George III, dated 1806 and another George I, dated 1723.

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The Madoc Review is out strong for a covered skating rink. Three citizens have offered to put up \$1000 each, if the balance can be raised by subscription. When a covered rink for Tweed was first suggested there were a lot of pessimists who thought that it could never be made to pay. With gate receipts of \$780 from two games last week the pessimists have all become optimists.

—If Port Hope sport fans went at things with the same enthusiasm and energy as they do up there, we would have better sports equipment, livelier games and a lot more fun. When the summer sports start, get in the swim—bowl, play ball, play tennis, play something and turn out to cheer them at games in which you don't play.

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The Guide is really too modest in its efficiency as an advertising medium. Last Thursday a regular customer advertised an instrument, use ful and good, but for which he had no further use. One Guide delivery boy had been started only about fifteen minutes when the first telephone call rolled in and we were kept busy thereafter. Needless to say a very satisfactory bargain to buyer and seller was made and another demonstration carried through that it pays to advertise in the Guide.

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During Monday night's heavy rain much damage was done to the bridges and culverts and roads generally were badly impaired. On the Shelter Valley road between Grafton and Vernonville, the big wooden bridge at the Vernonville end went out. Just above it the bridge at the Eddystone branch of the same road followed suit, while above it again the one leading into the old Gillespie flour mill was also washed away. On the road south of Vernonville, a culvert went out at Mr. Wait's, while further down, at the foot of Hinman's hill, one culvert went out and a small bridge is all but gone. The same conditions prevail we understand, throughout

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the township. In the united counties it is reported that altogether some ten important bridges have gone out on the county roads. It looks as if the councils are in for some large expenditures this year.

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The boys had a good time at the Bowlers' Smoker and Euchre in the A.O.F. Hall last night. Mr. W. R. McTaggart got 97 points and Mr. W. R. Jex got 92 and won second prize. The booby prize was awarded to Mr. C. Pillsworth for being so able in keeping his score down.

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The Iroquois Club staged a delightful box social at the Veterans' Hall Thursday and the large crowd had an enjoyable time. Excellent music was furnished.

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Rev. Ernest Harston L.L.B., who has accepted the invitation to the pulpit of Simcoe St. United Church, Oshawa, in succession to Rev. Dr. McDougall, will assume his new pastorate at the beginning of July. Mr. Harston is now concluding a successful first year's pastorate at Campbellford United Church where he is held in high regard and there is regret over his approaching departure.

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A depressed looking fellow strolled into a cafe around lunch hour. The waiter bustled up.
"What will you have, sir? Some cold shoulder?"
"No, thanks; I had that this morning."
"Well, then, tongue, sir?"
"No thanks, I'll get that tonight."

AUCTION SALE

The household effects of the late Mrs. Reid of Brown St., will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, April 4th, 1928, at ten o'clock, consisting of kitchen furniture, range, tables, chairs; dining room, walnut table, chair and sideboard; living room furniture; bedroom furniture, beds, bedding, walnut bookcase, walnut tables, dishes, curtains, rugs, piano, clocks and a lot of other articles. About four tons of coal and 40 jars of fruit.

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