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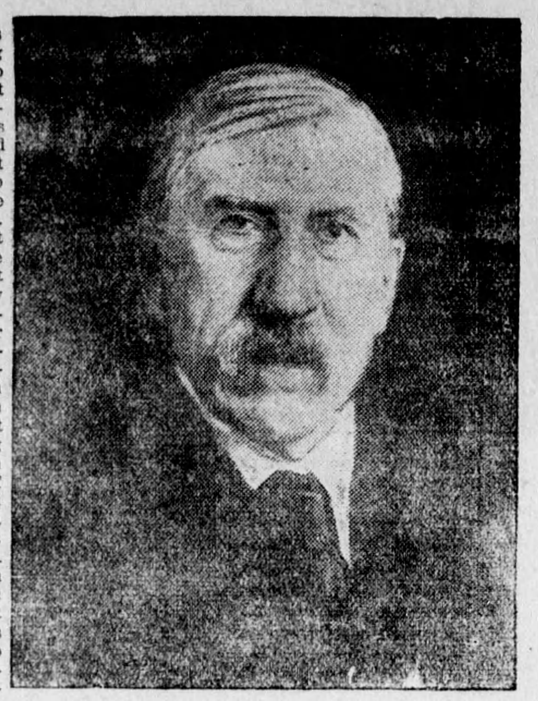

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In the days when interesting people came to Canada to find it freshly interesting there was nobody could reveal the spirit of the land to them like George Ham of the C.P.R. It is said he put Major Pond of the United States out of business. Why go on a wearisome lecture tour under that impressario's guidance when George Ham could transport you to Winnipeg and on through the delights of the Rockies in all the comfort of a sumptuous coach? Great personages beseech him to call them by their first names. He has loaned matches to kings and potentates and autographed photogravures of his features for admiring authoresses of best sellers. There did once seem to be a time when the truly great would not venture to come to Canada without first ascertaining whether George Ham could receive them. He is said to have got so "fed up" with dukes and royal bodies that he did not mind, for a change, escorting untitled personalities of international fame. Many men whose signatures command imperious power would no more think of forgetting to send him their Christmas cards than they would dream of neglecting a royal command. He is so very much persona grata with all kinds of people in Who's Who, when he arrives in London the court circular has to be enlarged to publish the invitations issued in his honor. Now he has achieved the signal honor of an unpaid-for mention in the exclusive Morning Post. It feels relieved to know that even if the League of Nations be jeopardized, the official entertainer of the C. P. R. is keeping his health and revelling in his high spirits. This bright though aristocratic London paper says George Ham is the Mark Twain of Canada. It claims his jests are beyond computation. He will yet go down to fame as having originated one joke. He has been as generous with his humor as he has been a profitable acquaintance for professional jokesmiths. As he never has patented any of his inimitable quips he often laughs at them when he hears them on the stage, until he realizes that they were of his own making. You may have heard of the Cincinnati millionaire he took to Muskoka. While there the plutocrat was attacked by brigands from Toronto. The chief brigand later complained to the police that in the encounter his watch and chain had been stolen. It should be added that George Ham was not out with his Cincinnati charge when the watch and chain were stolen. Thousands of personages who have enjoyed seeing Canada have testified to how much their enjoyment was due to his kindly wit and indefatigable attention. They have paid tribute to the courtesies he knows so well how to extend in behalf of his railway. But perhaps one of the best tributes ever paid this incomparable humorous cicerone of the railway ties, was a copy of verses by Mr. Neil Munro, the Scottish author. He sang how George Ham had "freighted laughter ten thousand miles," when acting as uncle, aunt, brother, father and grandfather to a party of British scribes. They think in Britain that not to have known George Ham of the C. P. R. is to display ignorance of the Empire's geography.

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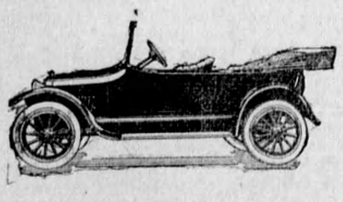

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A very pretty marriage was solemnized at Yonge Street Methodist Church, North Toronto, by Rev. W. J. Smith, on Wednesday evening, April 28th, when Hazel Colman of Toronto was married to William R. Buchanan of Flesherton. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked lovely in beautiful ivory taffeta trimmed with pearls, and an embroidered white tulle veil decorated with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses and sweet peas. She was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Lillian Buchanan, who looked charming in a paon blue taffeta and a white picture hat. She carried a bouquet of ophelia roses. She was also attended by her sister, Miss Emma Colman, who was becomingly gowned in a pretty taffeta of the same shade with a hat to match. She too carried a bouquet of ophelia roses. The groom was assisted by Mr. Whitney Colman and Mr. George Buchanan. The groom's favor to the bride wsa a hand engraved wrist watch and to the bridesmaids gold pendants and to the groomsmen engraved signet rings. During the signing of the registrar Miss Ruby Dunnett of Toronto sang very sweetly to a large audience "Because." Miss Ockley, organist of Yonge Street Methodist Church, played the wedding march. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, Alcorn Ave, after which Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan left on a motor trip, the bride travelling in a smart suit of navy tricotine with a small hat to match. They will reside at "Bonnie View," Flesherton.

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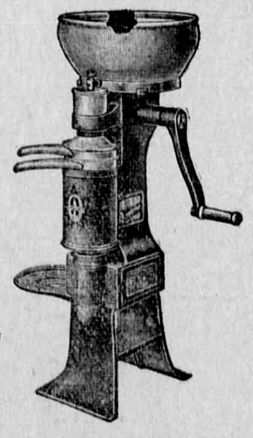

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Harry Rossell, the 11-year-old son of Mr. Mike Rossell of the South Line, Brant, was drowned in the Saugeen river at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, about a mile south of Hanover. The lad was crossing the river on a log with his dog in his arms, when the animal gave a jump, and overbalancing him precipitated the lad into the water, where he was washed under by a strong current. The alarm was given by some young lads who witnessed the tragedy, and although the river was dragged for the remains, it was not until 3 p. m. the next day that the body was recovered half a mile from where he had fallen in.—Bruce Herald and Times.

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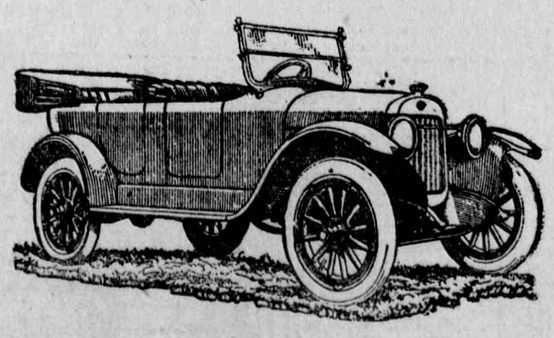

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