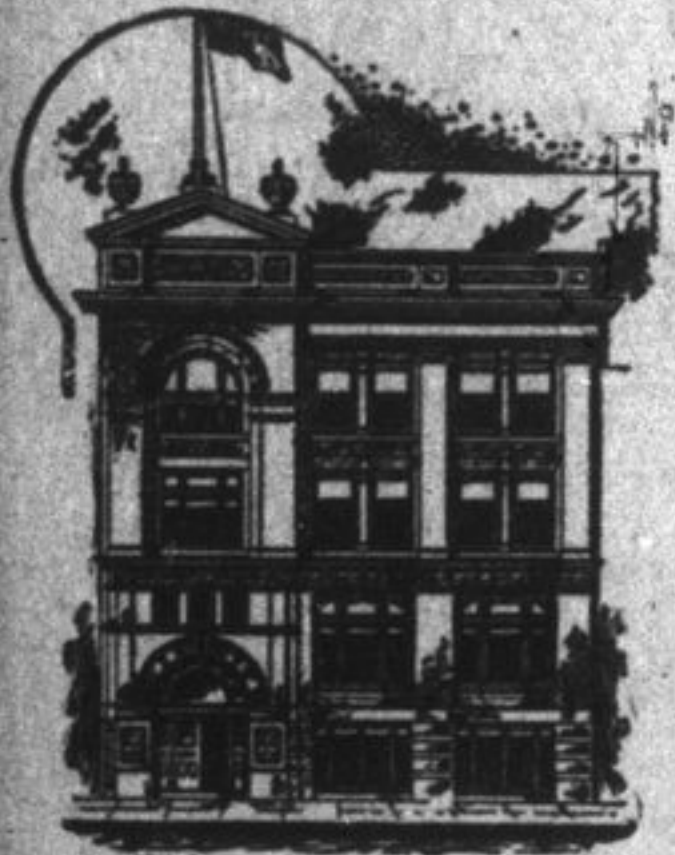


THE BRITISH WHIG 93RD YEAR.



Published Daily and Semi-weekly by THE BRITISH WHIG PUBLISHING CO., LIMITED, KINGSTON, ONT.

W. RUPERT DAVIES, President

TELEPHONES: Business Office 243, Editorial Rooms 2412, Social 2413, Job Department 2414

SUBSCRIPTION RATES: One year, in city, \$7.50; One year, by mail to rural offices, \$2.50

OUT-OF-TOWN REPRESENTATIVES: TORONTO—F. W. Thompson, 100 King Street West

Letters to the Editor are published only over the actual name of the writer.

THE QUESTION OF PURE MILK. The question of pure milk is the most important one that is facing Kingston to-day.

As recalled in The British Whig last night, the statement has been publicly made at a meeting in this city, of a responsible body of citizens, that much of the milk that is being sold in Kingston to-day is from herds that are afflicted with tuberculosis.

Pure milk is the right of every child in Kingston, and the Board of Health and the Council will earn the everlasting gratitude of the mothers in this city if they take steps to make sure that nothing except pure milk is sold in this city.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

the poor and for the welfare of all the other classes of Irish society. When they went to Ireland the national anthem was regarded as a political air and in those days of Home Rule tension was not sung.

TOO WET TO WIN. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, New York, is being talked of for Republican candidate for governor of New York state.

THE CROW NUISANCE. Jack Miner, Kingsville, calls the crow a flying rat and says it spreads hog cholera. In his view he thinks the black tribe should be exterminated.

MASTERPIECE OF MAN. At a gathering of publishers in Syracuse, N.Y., Mr. Crove Patterson, editor of the Toledo, O., Blade, characterized the newspaper as one of mankind's four greatest institutions.

A SNAPPY PARAGRAPH. G. R. Geary, M.P., had the Ottawa parliamentary people by the ears. His maiden speech was good, at least the first paragraph. Listen to it:

JUST "WE TWA." Lord and Lady Aberdeen have written a joint story of their two admirable lives, called "We Twa."

GIVE AND TAKE POLICY. Premier Taschereau is demanding reciprocity in the matter of pulpwood between Quebec and the United States.

HAIR AND BEARDS. There is a little Russian town named Munjor, in the Kansas prairies, and there is a tragic situation in that town.

BISE THOUGHT. TRUST IN THE LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

their fathers' orders. To make matters worse, the fiances of the engaged girls have agreed to abide by the order. Revolt is in the air, however. Some of the girls talk of going away and getting jobs in other towns.

EDITORIAL NOTES. Cheer up laddies. Marbles will be in play in about six weeks.

All sorts of weather the past week for all sorts of people. What kind did you favor?

Some 250 electric lines are using motor coaches, compared with sixteen in 1920. The result has already been felt in better transportation service.

Uncle Sam is said to be dubious about the purchase of Alaska being a profitable investment. There is a suspicion that Russia slipped an icicle down his back.

Germany, if she beats Henry Ford to the process of manufacturing three-cent aluminum, will be able to pay off all her war debts at the expense of the rest of the world.

Toronto is claimed to be the best lighted city in the world. It may be but its style of illumination is certainly not a dream from an artistic viewpoint.

Corn is finding a place on Albertan ranches. And the corn promises not only to be of great permanent benefit to the dry sections of the south, but it will help also to stabilize the agricultural industry of the province.

The proposal to abolish all references to the Great War in school text books is not well conceived. Fifty years hence, says the Brockville Recorder and Times, we don't want Canadian children reading from U. S. school books that Uncle Sam defeated Germany.

During the next two years it is expected that \$80,000,000 will be invested in the pulp and paper industry of Northern Ontario. The work will give employment to 14,000 additional workers directly, and for numberless wage-earners indirectly, as the money passes down through the channels of trade.

The Peterboro Examiner expresses the opinion that if Premier Ferguson is going to wait until rural sentiment calls for the passage of township school board legislation, it is going to be a long time before Ontario will see the scheme in operation.

Over in the United States one's ancestors can be slandered and libelled and there is no recourse at law. An old far western scout was pictured in a film as a drunkard and a "squaw man." His daughter sued the moving picture company for libel.

Disappointing Gain. Hamilton Herald: What ticks Sir Henry Thornton so much is, that the more plainly grows the fact that the C.N.R. is convalescent, the louder becomes the walls of the loud-er Montreal mourners over its hopeless condition.

Fear the Death Penalty. Flint Journal: It is a noticeable fact, bearing on this problem, that in the countries where the homicide record is lowest, the man who does commit murder is not only ready to hang, but has a prompt and short trial and few or no appeals to higher courts.

American Classics. Manchester Guardian: The United States Bureau of Information has drawn up a list of 40 "classics" for children, urging that every boy and girl should read them before reaching 16.

She'd Feed Him. Tramp: Could you spare a poor man something to eat? Housewife: I'll call my husband. Tramp: No, thanks, ma'am! I'm no cannibal.

TABLE WATERS. GURD'S GINGER ALE. GURD'S SODA WATER. ADANAC GINGER ALE. CANADA DEST. VICHY LEMONADE. ADANAC SPRING WATER.

News and Views. Disappointing Gain. Hamilton Herald: What ticks Sir Henry Thornton so much is, that the more plainly grows the fact that the C.N.R. is convalescent, the louder becomes the walls of the loud-er Montreal mourners over its hopeless condition.

Fear the Death Penalty. Flint Journal: It is a noticeable fact, bearing on this problem, that in the countries where the homicide record is lowest, the man who does commit murder is not only ready to hang, but has a prompt and short trial and few or no appeals to higher courts.

American Classics. Manchester Guardian: The United States Bureau of Information has drawn up a list of 40 "classics" for children, urging that every boy and girl should read them before reaching 16.

She'd Feed Him. Tramp: Could you spare a poor man something to eat? Housewife: I'll call my husband. Tramp: No, thanks, ma'am! I'm no cannibal.

TABLE WATERS. GURD'S GINGER ALE. GURD'S SODA WATER. ADANAC GINGER ALE. CANADA DEST. VICHY LEMONADE. ADANAC SPRING WATER.

News and Views. Disappointing Gain. Hamilton Herald: What ticks Sir Henry Thornton so much is, that the more plainly grows the fact that the C.N.R. is convalescent, the louder becomes the walls of the loud-er Montreal mourners over its hopeless condition.

Fear the Death Penalty. Flint Journal: It is a noticeable fact, bearing on this problem, that in the countries where the homicide record is lowest, the man who does commit murder is not only ready to hang, but has a prompt and short trial and few or no appeals to higher courts.

American Classics. Manchester Guardian: The United States Bureau of Information has drawn up a list of 40 "classics" for children, urging that every boy and girl should read them before reaching 16.

She'd Feed Him. Tramp: Could you spare a poor man something to eat? Housewife: I'll call my husband. Tramp: No, thanks, ma'am! I'm no cannibal.

TABLE WATERS. GURD'S GINGER ALE. GURD'S SODA WATER. ADANAC GINGER ALE. CANADA DEST. VICHY LEMONADE. ADANAC SPRING WATER.

of iron," and John Bennett's "Master Skylark." The fame of these three books can hardly be termed universal.

The World Court. The friends of international co-operation need have no doubts about the victory they have won.

The first four reservations are the harmless ones. No. 1 declares that the United States enters into no "legal relation" with the League of Nations and accepts no obligations under the Treaty of Versailles.

No. 2 provides for American participation in the election of judges. No. 3 deals with payment of the expenses of the court. No. 4 provides that the statutes of the court cannot be amended without our consent.

No. 5, however, is a serious and important reservation, and in our opinion a constructive and valuable one. It deals with the so-called advisory opinions and makes two points in regard to them.

It provides first that the present rules of the court, under which advisory opinions are rendered publicly, shall not be changed. This is a real safeguard against a danger, which undoubtedly existed, that at some time a majority of judges would agree to render secret opinions.

There ought to be no possibility of secret opinions, and this reservation makes them impossible as long as the United States is a member of the court. The reservation is due to Senator Borah's agitation, and friends of the court should be grateful for it.

No. 5 also provides that unless the United States consents the court shall not render an advisory opinion touching any matter in which the United States has or claims to have an interest. This sounds as if we were asking special privileges.

But that is not the case. If we were a member of the League we should have a permanent seat on the Council. From that position we should have power to prevent the Council from asking the court for an advisory opinion, because, as Senator Walsh pointed out, "the Council proceeds by unanimity."

Therefore "this gives the United States exactly the same power (as that enjoyed by a nation represented on the Council) by denying to the court the jurisdiction to entertain a request for an advisory opinion with respect to any question concerning which the United States claims an interest."

This reservation will probably tend to increase the frequency with which the United States consults with the Government members of the League. The provision in No. 5 that the signature of the United States shall not be affixed until the powers which belong to the court have agreed by an exchange of notes to these reservations sounds inconvenient, but should be fairly simple in practice.

It involves the writing of about one hundred letters. Besides the reservations there are two resolutions. These do not concern the rest of the world. The only debatable part of these resolutions is the assertion that no dispute involving the United States may be submitted to the court by the Executive unless the Senate has agreed by special or general treaty to have it submitted.

This is a domestic American question which arises out of the century-old conflict between the Senate and the President. We do not like this resolution, but it is an old story and it was to be expected. In practice it may not turn out to be so bad as it looks, for a President who wanted to submit a question to the court could negotiate a treaty, and if he had any powers of leadership it is doubtful whether the Senate would dare to vote against judicial settlement of a question that might otherwise lead to war.

The Senate by its vote of adherence has now put itself under moral obligation to submit justiciable questions to the court. For these reasons we regard the vote to adhere as a victory for the friends of the court. They have prevailed over the inertia and the hostility in both parties. They can take courage. They can press forward with new confidence for the next phase of American participation in the organization of peace.

His For Keeps. "Pardon me, sir, I am soliciting donations for the church rummage sale. What do you do with your old clothes?" "Why, I brush them and fold them carefully at night, and I put them on again in the morning."

She'd Feed Him. Tramp: Could you spare a poor man something to eat? Housewife: I'll call my husband. Tramp: No, thanks, ma'am! I'm no cannibal.

TABLE WATERS. GURD'S GINGER ALE. GURD'S SODA WATER. ADANAC GINGER ALE. CANADA DEST. VICHY LEMONADE. ADANAC SPRING WATER.

News and Views. Disappointing Gain. Hamilton Herald: What ticks Sir Henry Thornton so much is, that the more plainly grows the fact that the C.N.R. is convalescent, the louder becomes the walls of the loud-er Montreal mourners over its hopeless condition.

Fear the Death Penalty. Flint Journal: It is a noticeable fact, bearing on this problem, that in the countries where the homicide record is lowest, the man who does commit murder is not only ready to hang, but has a prompt and short trial and few or no appeals to higher courts.

American Classics. Manchester Guardian: The United States Bureau of Information has drawn up a list of 40 "classics" for children, urging that every boy and girl should read them before reaching 16.

She'd Feed Him. Tramp: Could you spare a poor man something to eat? Housewife: I'll call my husband. Tramp: No, thanks, ma'am! I'm no cannibal.

TABLE WATERS. GURD'S GINGER ALE. GURD'S SODA WATER. ADANAC GINGER ALE. CANADA DEST. VICHY LEMONADE. ADANAC SPRING WATER.

News and Views. Disappointing Gain. Hamilton Herald: What ticks Sir Henry Thornton so much is, that the more plainly grows the fact that the C.N.R. is convalescent, the louder becomes the walls of the loud-er Montreal mourners over its hopeless condition.

Fear the Death Penalty. Flint Journal: It is a noticeable fact, bearing on this problem, that in the countries where the homicide record is lowest, the man who does commit murder is not only ready to hang, but has a prompt and short trial and few or no appeals to higher courts.

American Classics. Manchester Guardian: The United States Bureau of Information has drawn up a list of 40 "classics" for children, urging that every boy and girl should read them before reaching 16.

She'd Feed Him. Tramp: Could you spare a poor man something to eat? Housewife: I'll call my husband. Tramp: No, thanks, ma'am! I'm no cannibal.

TABLE WATERS. GURD'S GINGER ALE. GURD'S SODA WATER. ADANAC GINGER ALE. CANADA DEST. VICHY LEMONADE. ADANAC SPRING WATER.

News and Views. Disappointing Gain. Hamilton Herald: What ticks Sir Henry Thornton so much is, that the more plainly grows the fact that the C.N.R. is convalescent, the louder becomes the walls of the loud-er Montreal mourners over its hopeless condition.

Fear the Death Penalty. Flint Journal: It is a noticeable fact, bearing on this problem, that in the countries where the homicide record is lowest, the man who does commit murder is not only ready to hang, but has a prompt and short trial and few or no appeals to higher courts.

American Classics. Manchester Guardian: The United States Bureau of Information has drawn up a list of 40 "classics" for children, urging that every boy and girl should read them before reaching 16.

BIBBY'S Emphatically Suit and Overcoat Clearance Sale! Prices have been most emphatically reduced for immediate disposal of season's end lots, sold-outs or broken sizes. This is really a remarkable event when you consider the materials offered, the styles they have been fashioned into and the skilled workmanship that tailored them. Offered in this sale are double and single breasted models — Cheviots, Worsteds, Herringbones — popular Blues and Browns. The Overcoats are beauties—all this season's models. Three special groups — \$18, \$25, \$35 BIBBY'S Big Sale Shirts \$1.95

Condensed Annual Statement. Increase over 1924. New Business issued (Ordinary) \$71,516,357.00 \$8,341,152.00. Business in Force (Ordinary) 417,703,158.00 37,061,438.00. Income 19,478,795.16 2,615,549.40. Assets 73,176,969.74 9,255,736.59. Liabilities 70,375,398.04 8,896,123.56. Gross Surplus Earned 3,962,402.35 382,092.58. Provision for Future Profits to Policyholders 7,236,072.00 890,873.00. Unassigned Profits and Contingency Reserve 2,801,571.70 359,613.03. IMPORTANT ITEMS: (1) A large increase in new business production. (2) Business in force substantially increased. (3) Interest on policy proceeds, profits, etc., maintained at 6%. (4) Expense rates have been reduced. (5) Mortality only 34 1/2% of the expected. (6) Assets have been increased to over \$73,000,000.00. (7) Income nearly \$20,000,000.00. (8) Surplus earnings nearly \$4,000,000.00—the largest in the Company's history. THE Great-West ASSURANCE Life COMPANY - WINNIPEG. HEAD OFFICE W. G. BAILEY, P. J. LAWLESS, R. H. WADDELL, Representatives, Kingston, Ont.

THERMOMETERS. For inside the house and outside. Clear reading and accurate, with mercury or spirit column. Bath Thermometers in wood-en protectors—something that ought to be in every house where there is a baby. Clinical Thermometers—these are not much use unless absolutely accurate. We carry only guaranteed lines. Dairy Thermometers for the butter and cheese maker. Veterinary Thermometers in metal protectors. DR. CHOWN'S DRUG STORE PHONE 343. 135 PRINCESS STREET

Which Way Do You Buy? There are two ways to buy Coal. The expensive way is to merely assure one's self of two thousand pounds at the lowest price. The economical way is to assure one's self of the greatest number of heat units per two thousand pounds. You are buying heat, remember; not just coal. Thrifty buyers recognize the obvious fact that value is determined by heat units; realize it is heat units, not "just coal" that keep one warm. Call Phone 9 to-day and save YOUR money. Crawford FOOT OF QUEEN STREET PHONE 8. THE HOME OF GOOD COAL

Looking to the West. Ottawa Citizen: There is no thought of domination on the part of the west in dominion politics, not even of arrogating the power to itself which is being gradually yielded by Upper and Lower Canada. But there is every likelihood that political power is henceforth to be more decentralized. British Columbia, the prairies, and the maritime provinces may speak with as much weight of opinion as Ontario and Quebec. It should be all to the good, in the progress of Canada towards national unity, that the prime minister came from a western constituency.

DR. CHOWN'S DRUG STORE PHONE 343. 135 PRINCESS STREET. Looking to the West. Ottawa Citizen: There is no thought of domination on the part of the west in dominion politics, not even of arrogating the power to itself which is being gradually yielded by Upper and Lower Canada. But there is every likelihood that political power is henceforth to be more decentralized. British Columbia, the prairies, and the maritime provinces may speak with as much weight of opinion as Ontario and Quebec. It should be all to the good, in the progress of Canada towards national unity, that the prime minister came from a western constituency.