

**PRESCRIPTION REASON**  
NO. 3  
Why You Should Have Prescriptions Filled at **WORTH'S Drugstore**  
RENDERING a service that many times is the difference between life and death, we must combine skill, precision and speed with fresh, pure drugs in each prescription we fill. That we have succeeded is evidenced by the gratefulness of our many patrons.  
PHONE 82

**Eastern Trust Annual Meeting**  
Steady progress during 1934 was disclosed by the Annual Report to the shareholders of The Eastern Trust Company, at the annual general meeting held here to-day as a result of conservative, soundly conceived policies and a vigorous, efficient management. The Company is now in the strongest position in its history, the Hon. F. B. McCurdy, P. C., President, pointed out. Regret was expressed at the deaths during the year of the Honorable W. A. Black, P. C., Chairman of the Board since 1922, and Mr. O. E. Smith, Vice-President, both of whom had been directors since 1908, and the Hon. D. A. Ryan, since 1926, a member of the Newfoundland Advisory Board. The Honorable Frank MacNamara was appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by Mr. Ryan's death. The remainder of the board was returned without change. Although all investments of the Company are entered at not more than market values and assets carried forward a year ago remain at their then low book figures, the balance sheet shows the capital account at \$1,306,888.17, an increase of \$37,079.33 over the year 1933. Evidence of the Company's co-operative efficient policy in regard to mortgages was shown in the fact that only two foreclosures took place during the year, and these under exceptional circumstances. Borrowers have sincerely endeavored to meet all interest and tax payments as well as instalments of principal, showing appreciation of the helpful attitude of the Company. Arrears of interest are at the lowest figure for several years past, so that the mortgage investments of the Company are in even better condition than at the end of 1933. Assets were shown to have mounted to \$5,917,359.48, an increase of \$1,343,888.02 over the preceding year. The Guaranteed Investment certificates showed marked evidence of the confidence of investors in them, increasing from \$3,965,969.91 to \$5,165,000.73 during the year. The Reserve Fund was strengthened by the transfer to it of \$25,000.00. This was done after providing for all known losses and for tax levies totalling \$28,000.00, writing down long held assets by \$2,338.12, paying the regular dividends, and carrying forward profit and loss balance of \$3,122.59. The report pointed out that The Eastern Trust Company is now in the soundest condition in many years. It was presented as a matter of pride that since its founding in 1892 with its chief direction and management drawn from the Maritime provinces, it has served Canada in many fiduciary capacities with marked success. Its clientele has steadily increased, attracted by its financial strength and sound principles.

**Central Guardian**  
This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertisements of a newsy nature may be inserted at 5 cents a word strictly payable in advance.  
CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE L-6798-7-12-312  
STRAND-MARCH 18-19.—The Blarney Stone. L-4226-2-9-4232  
SERIOUSLY ILL—Word has been received by Mr. Archie MacDonald, Rochford Street, of the serious illness of his brother Angus MacDonald of St. Croix, N. B. No particulars were given as to the nature of his illness.  
FUNERAL NOTICE—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion are requested to meet at St. James Church this afternoon at 2.15 to attend the funeral service of the late Dr. V. L. Goodwill. L-4907  
SECTION B DEBATE—Section B of P. W. C. Debating Society held their weekly debate yesterday with the vice president Mr. Frank Storey in the chair. The subject for debate was resolved that the nations of the world should adopt universal free trade. The vote was 3-1 in favor of the con side. The pro speakers were Misses Marjorie Campbell, Mary O'Neill, and Doris Gillespie. The con speakers were Misses Hester Wood and Rena MacPherson. The critic was Mr. James Toombs. At the close of the debate the Honorary President, Professor Blanchard gave a short talk to the students advocating that they study the question of universal free trade carefully.

**GIRL GUIDE NEWS**  
1st. Charlottetown Company  
Due to St. Peter's Cathedral Hall being closed for renovation, an impromptu meeting was held at the home of the Captain. The meeting opened with the Guide Promise, Law and Prayer, after which Margaret Fry was enrolled as a Guide of the Robin Patrol. Louise Cox was transferred to the Blackbird Patrol as Second, Joan Rood receiving her Patrol Leader's insignia. Josephine Pickard received her Second's stripe and lanyard in the Swallow Patrol. Betty Forsythe was promoted to Patrol Leader of the Canaries, with Ruth Sinclair as Acting Second, Helen Sherrin as now Acting Second of the Robins and Erna Andrew has been transferred to that Patrol. A competition in Morse was taken part in by those studying signalling, the remainder of the Company studying knots. A large amount of test work was done, and many tests for the tenderfoot badge passed. The meeting ended with a sing-song and Tape.  
2nd. Charlottetown Company  
Friday, February 22. Owing to the Prince Street School Ice Sports being held on the same evening, no meeting was held. As the West Kent School Ice Sports take place next Friday the Company will meet on Wednesday evening (to-night) instead.  
This is to be an important meeting and a full attendance is requested.

**SIMPSON'S**  
Offers You the:-  
BEST VALUES  
EASIEST TERMS  
MOST FOR YOUR MONEY  
When you want to buy:  
FURNITURE  
BEDDING  
CHESTERFIELDS  
STOVES  
RADIO  
WASHING MACHINES  
BABY CARRIAGES  
Etc., Etc.  
TERMS  
Pay Only  
**10% DOWN**  
Balance in Ten Equal Monthly Payments ---  
NO INTEREST  
(Minimum Payment \$2.50)  
See Our Display... Compare Our Values  
VISIT THE SHOW ROOMS... NOTE THE ADDRESS  
**Lloyd W. Proude** SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE  
56-58 Grafton St. Charlottetown Telephone 602  
THE SIMPSON EASTERN ROBERT SIMPSON LIMITED

**VETERANS HAIL FIGHTING DAYS OF PAARDEBURG**

Memories of Decisive Event in South African War Recalled by Canadians Who Crossed the Seas to Take Part.  
Paardeburg, a British victory opening an engagement opened prematurely when a Canadian soldier tripped up a siren of empty meat tins, culminated 35 years ago today.  
Surviving Canadian veterans of the South African campaign of 1899-1902 are celebrating the anniversary with reunions from Halifax to Victoria. Fewer and fewer with the years, they recall the turn of the century when soldiering was a glamorous interlude and a military expedition over southern seas a gripping adventure.  
In Canada when the news of victory following the charge of the Royal Canadian Regiment arrived, the home folks made a public holiday, paraded the city streets in patriotic demonstrations and burned the effigy of Oom Paul Kruger, president of the "Zuid Afrik Republiek" in the public parks. The South African Republic has long since been absorbed in the Union of South Africa, a part of the British Empire.  
In 1900 all Canada was following the fortunes of its first contingent in the Expeditionary Force to South Africa. Not for nearly 100 years had the country sent a fighting unit to a foreign field. The Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, recruited from coast to coast, sailed October 20, 1899, to join the British troops. Detachments of the regiment had their baptism of fire early in 1900 in February the Battalion as a whole fought into the hands of the fighting line against the forces of General Piet Cronje, one of the most experienced of Boer leaders.  
For days the Canadians advanced with the British troops over the sandy veld on the trail of General Cronje's 3,500 sharp-shooting, hard riding troops. At Paardeburg Hill the Boers made a stand

and declined to be ousted. It was decided that on February 27, Majuba Day, anniversary of a battle in an earlier Boer War, when Cronje had inflicted defeat on the British arms, the Canadians should make an attempt to storm the enemy position.  
One of the Canadian survivors is Colonel R. K. Barker of Toronto, the Captain "Dick" Barker, commanding "C" Company. He graphically describes the Canadian part in the climax of the nine day engagement.  
"At 2 a.m.," Col. Barker relates, "we received the order to advance. It was dark and moonless as our men made their way over the veld. The sand muffled the sound of the marching men as they advanced arm-in-arm to prevent any from becoming lost.  
"We moved to within 33 yards of Cronje's camp without a word spoken or a command being given and there was no sound from the Boers. Engineers were about to start entrenching when one of the soldiers tripped over a wire."  
The Boers opened fire and the Canadians replied. Part of the regiment was ordered to retire but "C" and "H" companies held their lines on the south side of the river, on flanking the Boer trenches. Supports were brought up as the engagement continued. At 6 a.m. a Boer troop came into the open bearing a white flag. Cronje surrendered. It was one of the first victories for the British troops in the campaign.  
"The Canadians had played the most spectacular part in the last act of the drama at Paardeburg," says a historian, "but they had paid a heavy price for the honor."  
Monuments in various Canadian cities count 20 killed and 90 wounded in the Canadian battalion in the nine days of fighting.

**SADLY BEREAVED**—The sympathy of the entire community will be extended to Mr. William Martin, of the staff of the C. N. R. Hotel, in the death of his wife, who passed away early yesterday morning in the City Hospital following an operation some days ago. The late Mrs. Martin, who enjoyed a large circle of friends, was possessed of a most pleasing disposition which endeared her to all those with whom she came in contact. The Guardian joins in extending heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved husband.

**PERSONALS**  
After completing a three weeks' course at the Fishing Experimental Station, Halifax, Mr. LeRoy Cheverie has returned to his home at Souris.  
Mr. Jack Murdoch, P. W. C. student underwent a successful operation for appendicitis in the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Tuesday morning.  
Mrs. F. A. Randall of Moncton, and young daughter, Betty May, arrived in the city Monday night on a visit to Mrs. Randall's parents, J. J. and Mrs. Hornby.  
Miller's Worm Powders are a prompt relief from the stacks of worms in children. They are powerful in their action and, while leaving nothing to be desired as a worm expellant have an invigorating effect upon the illing system, remedying fever, biliousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, and other ailments that follow disorders caused by worms in the stomach and bowels.

**Noted Opera Singer Buried**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BOSTON, Feb. 26.—Mary Desmond, 67, internationally noted opera and concert contralto, was buried in St. Joseph's Cemetery here today. In accordance with a request made by the former opera star before her decease, word of her death was withheld until after the funeral.  
Up to a year ago when she became ill, Miss Desmond had been prominent in grand opera for 35 years. She was a native of London, and while singing at Covent Garden in that city was commanded to appear before the Kings, Edward and Queen Alexandra, and before King George and Queen Mary.

**Ejected For Creating Disturbance**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, Feb. 26.—The House of Commons had another disturbance over unemployment relief this evening.  
Major Walter Elliot, Minister for Agriculture, was speaking on agricultural matters when two men in the public gallery leaped to their feet and yelled "down with the unemployment act—down with the National Government."  
They hurled leaflets on to the floor and the men and plainclothesmen seized them. An angry hustled them from the gallery. A dozen others who appeared to be their comrades, although they created no fuss, were also shepherded outside.  
The leaflets were found to contain on behalf of the Independent Labor and Communist parties for united action by the working class to "smash the unemployment act and the National Government."

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**Advertising Rates—Payable in Advance**  
Central Guardian local, 4c per word; Western and Eastern local, 5c per word; Outside Canada, 6c per word; Memorial Notices, 7c per line; Lists of Floral and Spiritual Offerings, Cards, etc., 8c per name; Lists of Condolence 10c per line; Notices of Thanks and Appreciation, 7c per inch or 4c per word. Other rates on application.  
Minimum Charge for any advertisement twenty-five cents.  
NOTE:—2c per word, three lines or less for the price of two, strictly payable in advance.

**For Sale**  
CARDBOARD SUITABLE FOR lining outhouses, etc., 1c per sheet. Guardian Office. tf.  
FOR SALE—PIANO IN EXCELLENT condition. Apply Guardian. L-4843-2-28-31  
FOR SALE—EXPRESS WAGON or exchange for horse. Apply 12 Park Street, City. L-4901-2-27-31  
REGISTERED HOLSTEIN BULL, 2 years old. Apply Willis Bros., Kingston. L-4897-2-27-31  
FOR SALE—ROYAL TYPE-Writer in excellent condition. Apply Guardian Office. L-4903-2-27-31  
FOR SALE—AUCTION FORTY-Five, Bridge and Whist Score Cards. Guardian Central Job Printery. Nov 1-4tf  
CAPLIN AND DRY CODFISH FOR sale at reasonable price. Apply Paul Gallant at left entrance of Fish Market every Market day. L-4898-2-27-31  
NURSERY STOCK—APPLE TREES at 55c each. Plum and Cherry trees at 65c each and other fruit or ornamental stock at comparable prices. Write for catalogue. F. S. Reeves, Southport. L-4835-2-21-31  
FOR SALE—FISHING BOAT and Engine 23 feet long. Bruce Stewart 4 horsepower engine, 3 nets, quantity of trawl and glass floats. Price \$130.00, one hundred and thirty dollars. Neil S. McPhee, Miramichi, P. E. I.

**Miscellaneous**  
TRAPPERS—FUR FARMERS. SHIP your Prime Raw furs direct to a manufacturer, for better prices, we buy the year round. Mink, Muskrat, Weasel, Otter, Foxes etc. Price list, Tags, Todd's Fur Corporation, St. Stephen, N. B., or 577 Wash. Boston, Mass. N-1910-2-22-31.  
Female Help Wanted  
WANTED—CAPABLE RELIABLE maid. Good plain cook. References no other need apply. "M" Carleton. L-4777-2-23-29-28.  
Work Wanted  
GIRL WANTS HOUSEWORK. Apply Guardian. L-4906-2-27-31  
YOUNG MAN WISHES TO LEARN Butcher Making, three years experience at cheese making. Good references. Work most reasonable. Write R. M. care of Guardian. L-4896-2-27-31  
Male Help Wanted  
APPRENTICE WANTED TO learn Barber Trade, Short Course, expert training. Molar Barber College Halifax. N-353.  
To Let  
TO LET—NO. 11 CHESTNUT ST. Phone 408. L-4908-1f

**French War Veterans To Tour Canada**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LA HAVRE, France, Feb. 25.—Reservations have been received from French war veterans in every province of France to participate in the visit of French veterans to Canada and the United States this summer. It was learned here today. The veterans will leave here Aug. 9. Their first stop will be at Harbor Grace, Nfld., where they will be lodged by the organization of disabled veterans from that city. Later they will visit the principal cities of Canada and the United States.  
OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—(C.P.)—Dominion command of the Canadian Legion have had no intimation from French war veterans of their impending visit to Canada and the United States this year. J. R. Bowler, general secretary, said here today.  
"They did the same thing last year," said Mr. Bowler, "but they did not come near us."

**Plan Action Re Guardianship Of Quintuplets**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) TORONTO, Feb. 25.—The Ontario Government plans action regarding the guardianship of the Dionne quintuplets it was learned at Queens Park today.  
Hon. David A. Croli, Minister of Welfare and Municipal Affairs, has given notice that on Wednesday he will introduce "a bill respecting Yvonne, Amette, Marie and Cecile and Emalee Dionne and their guardianship."  
The Minister would make no statement as to the intent of his bill.

**PILE SUFFERERS**  
HAPPY RELIEF  
Specially prepared by means of Mecca Ointment—no pipe quick relief. Two kinds—No. 1 for itching piles (spratting and bleeding piles). No. 2 for external (itching piles).  
Order by number. No. 2.  
**MECCA PILE REMEDIES**

**French War Veterans To Tour Canada**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LA HAVRE, France, Feb. 25.—Reservations have been received from French war veterans in every province of France to participate in the visit of French veterans to Canada and the United States this summer. It was learned here today. The veterans will leave here Aug. 9. Their first stop will be at Harbor Grace, Nfld., where they will be lodged by the organization of disabled veterans from that city. Later they will visit the principal cities of Canada and the United States.  
OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—(C.P.)—Dominion command of the Canadian Legion have had no intimation from French war veterans of their impending visit to Canada and the United States this year. J. R. Bowler, general secretary, said here today.  
"They did the same thing last year," said Mr. Bowler, "but they did not come near us."

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**Hepburn Refuses Requests of "Drys"**  
TORONTO, February 26.—Assurance there will be no liquor advertising in Ontario and no sale of beer and wine in restaurants, was given by Premier Hepburn to a delegation from the Ontario Temperance Federation.  
Led by Roscoe Rodd, of Windsor, A. J. Irwin, president, Toronto, secretary and Dr. John Coburn, Toronto, the delegation asked the Premier to repeal the present beer and wine sale legislation or hold a provincial referendum on the question.  
Refusing to accede to the request, the Premier said: "Your particular field is that of education, eliminate the customers and there will be no sale."  
"Carry on your campaign of education," he said, "I am not prepared to grant your request; the time is not opportune."  
Dr. Coburn contended Ontario never had a chance to pass on the beer and wine legislation but it had been taken out of politics during the last election.  
He declared the present beverage rooms are worse than the old bar room.  
"Do you really believe that?" the Premier asked.  
Dr. Coburn replied the treating system and public drinking which characterized bar room days had come back and mixed drinking was a new development.  
Roscoe Rodd criticized the beverage room situation because the profit motive is involved.  
"You can speak by a referendum in any municipality," Mr. Hepburn pointed out.  
Mr. Rodd said the principle of local option is not as satisfactory as in former times because of speedy transportation now made possible by the automobile.  
He suggested where a beverage room application is made notice of this should be posted and a 30-day period allowed for protests.  
"That is in effect now," said E. G. Odette, liquor commissioner. "Any municipality is privileged to have requests submitted to them. London has done that so has New Toronto, we notify them of every application."  
Administration of the Liquor Control Act has been a knotty problem, Mr. Odette said.  
In Galt, Alexandria and Lancaster, he cancelled beer sale authorizations not because he had to but out of regard for the temperance people.

**Ejected For Creating Disturbance**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, Feb. 25.—The House of Commons had another disturbance over unemployment relief this evening.  
Major Walter Elliot, Minister for Agriculture, was speaking on agricultural matters when two men in the public gallery leaped to their feet and yelled "down with the unemployment act—down with the National Government."  
They hurled leaflets on to the floor and the men and plainclothesmen seized them. An angry hustled them from the gallery. A dozen others who appeared to be their comrades, although they created no fuss, were also shepherded outside.  
The leaflets were found to contain on behalf of the Independent Labor and Communist parties for united action by the working class to "smash the unemployment act and the National Government."

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**Hepburn Refuses Requests of "Drys"**  
TORONTO, February 26.—Assurance there will be no liquor advertising in Ontario and no sale of beer and wine in restaurants, was given by Premier Hepburn to a delegation from the Ontario Temperance Federation.  
Led by Roscoe Rodd, of Windsor, A. J. Irwin, president, Toronto, secretary and Dr. John Coburn, Toronto, the delegation asked the Premier to repeal the present beer and wine sale legislation or hold a provincial referendum on the question.  
Refusing to accede to the request, the Premier said: "Your particular field is that of education, eliminate the customers and there will be no sale."  
"Carry on your campaign of education," he said, "I am not prepared to grant your request; the time is not opportune."  
Dr. Coburn contended Ontario never had a chance to pass on the beer and wine legislation but it had been taken out of politics during the last election.  
He declared the present beverage rooms are worse than the old bar room.  
"Do you really believe that?" the Premier asked.  
Dr. Coburn replied the treating system and public drinking which characterized bar room days had come back and mixed drinking was a new development.  
Roscoe Rodd criticized the beverage room situation because the profit motive is involved.  
"You can speak by a referendum in any municipality," Mr. Hepburn pointed out.  
Mr. Rodd said the principle of local option is not as satisfactory as in former times because of speedy transportation now made possible by the automobile.  
He suggested where a beverage room application is made notice of this should be posted and a 30-day period allowed for protests.  
"That is in effect now," said E. G. Odette, liquor commissioner. "Any municipality is privileged to have requests submitted to them. London has done that so has New Toronto, we notify them of every application."  
Administration of the Liquor Control Act has been a knotty problem, Mr. Odette said.  
In Galt, Alexandria and Lancaster, he cancelled beer sale authorizations not because he had to but out of regard for the temperance people.

**Ejected For Creating Disturbance**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, Feb. 25.—The House of Commons had another disturbance over unemployment relief this evening.  
Major Walter Elliot, Minister for Agriculture, was speaking on agricultural matters when two men in the public gallery leaped to their feet and yelled "down with the unemployment act—down with the National Government."  
They hurled leaflets on to the floor and the men and plainclothesmen seized them. An angry hustled them from the gallery. A dozen others who appeared to be their comrades, although they created no fuss, were also shepherded outside.  
The leaflets were found to contain on behalf of the Independent Labor and Communist parties for united action by the working class to "smash the unemployment act and the National Government."

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**Assassination Attempt In Siam Fails**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BANGKOK, Siam, Feb. 24.—The country was quiet today following the first attempt at political assassination in 17 years of Siamese history here last week upon the brilliant young minister of defence, Luang Bipul Songkram.  
A lone assassin sprang at him while he was leaving a football match and fired two shots from a pistol, wounding the leader of Siam's modern, up-to-date war machine.  
Bipul, who played a leading part in suppressing during the revolution of 1933, was reported to be resting comfortably in a hospital, certain of recovery.  
The assassin was immediately arrested. Authorities did not disclose his identity. The defence minister was just entering his automobile when he was attacked.  
"Millions of dollars are being spent on the problems of armament; not one cent on the problems of disarmament."—Julian Huxley.

**State Medicine In Offing For Canada**  
OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—A medical member of the House of Commons, Dr. J. P. Howden (Lib. St. Boniface), candidly admitted doctors usually charged extra fees to patients able to pay them. Attempts were made to counteract the patients who could not or would not pay.  
The Manitoba doctor presided over Hon. Donald Sutherland, Minister of Health, the need of a survey as a basis for State medicine.  
The Minister said he believed "this country is gradually moving toward some form of State medicine." But it was necessary to approach the question slowly.  
State medicine would fall, Dr. Sutherland said, if all doctors were placed on panels irrespective of their qualifications and temperaments. For that reason alone, the subject must be approached slowly.  
The Government, continued Dr. Sutherland, recognized the need of co-operation with agencies who favored State medicine.  
Both doctors agreed the people were getting better medical service today than ever before. But Dr. Howden claimed the municipalities were paying for it and could not continue much longer. The only solution, he believed, was a national, non-compulsory system of State medicine.  
Another doctor, J. K. Blair (Lib. North Wellington), agreed caution was needed in approaching State medicine.

**State Medicine In Offing For Canada**  
OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—A medical member of the House of Commons, Dr. J. P. Howden (Lib. St. Boniface), candidly admitted doctors usually charged extra fees to patients able to pay them. Attempts were made to counteract the patients who could not or would not pay.  
The Manitoba doctor presided over Hon. Donald Sutherland, Minister of Health, the need of a survey as a basis for State medicine.  
The Minister said he believed "this country is gradually moving toward some form of State medicine." But it was necessary to approach the question slowly.  
State medicine would fall, Dr. Sutherland said, if all doctors were placed on panels irrespective of their qualifications and temperaments. For that reason alone, the subject must be approached slowly.  
The Government, continued Dr. Sutherland, recognized the need of co-operation with agencies who favored State medicine.  
Both doctors agreed the people were getting better medical service today than ever before. But Dr. Howden claimed the municipalities were paying for it and could not continue much longer. The only solution, he believed, was a national, non-compulsory system of State medicine.  
Another doctor, J. K. Blair (Lib. North Wellington), agreed caution was needed in approaching State medicine.

**PROVES TOO CAUTIOUS**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Eugenie Borsch, 39, wanted to be certain today that robbers wouldn't get the \$800 she planned drawing from a bank to purchase a new automobile. She stuffed a revolver in the front of her dress for protection. The weapon discharged accidentally and killed her.  
Application Rejected  
"We have turned down more applications than we have granted," he went on. "In the City of Toronto we turned down twice the number we granted."  
While in the whole province there are 1,071 hotels selling beer along with 235 clubs there are in Detroit

**PROVES TOO CAUTIOUS**  
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Eugenie Borsch, 39, wanted to be certain today that robbers wouldn't get the \$800 she planned drawing from a bank to purchase a new automobile. She stuffed a revolver in the front of her dress for protection. The weapon discharged accidentally and killed her.  
Application Rejected  
"We have turned down more applications than we have granted," he went on. "In the City of Toronto we turned down twice the number we granted."  
While in the whole province there are 1,071 hotels selling beer along with 235 clubs there are in Detroit

**ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION**  
On the evening of January 30, 1935 the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Todd gathered at their new home in Stanchell to present them with a well filled purse and address. The following is the address:  
Dear Flora and Albert—We your friends and neighbors of Stanchell and surrounding districts gather here this evening in your honor. First of all we take the privilege of welcoming you into the district of Stanchell although the welcome may seem cool, in our hearts there is one more precious than gold. We have gathered here this evening not only for a good time, but also to get acquainted and form an everlasting friendship.  
To you, Flora, we join in wishing you health and happiness, during your wedded life.  
To Albert, who for some time has resided in our district we wish you all the success of a happy and prosperous farmer.  
Now may we ask you to please accept this gift not at all for its value but for the token of friendship that goes along with it. Our one desire is that you will add to your comfortable and luxurious home something to remember us by in future years. Now once again we join in wishing you health, wealth, and happiness now and in the future.  
Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbors of the surrounding district.  
Mr. Todd in a short speech thanked them for this kind act shown to his wife and himself, and assured them that a hearty welcome would await all those present in their new home at any time in the future.  
All joined in singing "For They're Jolly Good Fellows," after which the bride and groom were escorted to the altar. The rest of the evening was spent in music and dancing.

**LADY HECTOR MACNEAL SEARCHES FOR SON**  
(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Lady Hector MacNeal arrived in New York today from Bermuda to seek custody of her eight-year-old son, Carroll Livingston Wainwright, Jr., who stowed away to New York to visit his father last Thanksgiving.  
The former his wife, Wainwright was too ill to discuss her plans, however, and required an ambulance to carry her from the ship's pier to her hotel.  
When the child fled from Bermuda Lady MacNeal announced she was coming to New York to get her son.  
Lady MacNeal and Carroll Livingston Wainwright, Sr., of the socially prominent Wainwright family, were divorced in 1932 at Reno, Nev.  
Mrs. Carl F. Wolf, the boy's grandmother, said the child is "with his father in the country."

Announcing "CHEVROLET" New Series  
Now on Display in Our Showrooms—Call and See Them—A. HORNE & CO