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THE GREAT CONFERENCE ENDS TO-DAY!

A TENDER FAREWELL

The General Conference will close its sessions today and consequently this is the last issue of the "Daily Bulletin." It is almost with a pang that we say farewell and pass, like the Conference itself, into a mere memory, for the intimacy between us and the Conference had become so close and so affectionate that we fain would have it continue. But once again we are reminded that in this world the sweetest experiences are often short-lived. It is not good for us that they last too long. In a final word we would thank a host of people for the hearty encouragement they have given the Bulletin. It was no light undertaking to run a daily Methodist paper, even for two weeks. There was no precedent to guide us and we could only conjecture how it would be received and how near the line between success and failure we might be driven; but we have nothing to complain of. We took over 500 subscriptions during the Conference session and issued over 2,000 copies daily, and we are full of gratitude. First the merchants of Victoria and Vancouver rallied to the idea most generously and we can only hope their public spirit in seeking to advertise our Province by such means will bring them good recompense, if not directly, then indirectly; they should soon be given evidence that by advertising in the Bulletin and so magnifying the West they had made all Methodists their friends and many their patrons. Then the Bulletin is deeply indebted to Dr. T. Albert Moore and his staff for placing every facility within our reach for full and accurate reports, and last, though not least, we greatly appreciate the ready help given us in the supply of "copy." Probably no paper ever published in Canada had on its staff at any one time a larger number of full-fledged editors and experienced journalists than the Daily Bulletin has had during its natural life. We were not allowed to publish names, or many of the contributions would have claimed the deepest interest--as probably in any case they did. But we can at least publicly thank those who may not be publicly named, and we wish them God-speed in their own distinguished offices. They helped us to make history by helping us to publish for the first time in the history of our Church, a General Conference daily paper. We wish their names could have been linked with the enterprise.

The Conference is not ended, though its membership is already greatly decimated; there are several important reports yet to come from Committees, e.g., Book and Publishing Report, Course of Study, Sociological, State of the Work, etc, etc. We can only say to our readers of this they may find an account in the next issue of the Western Methodist Recorder, our regular publication, wheih may be had for a year for one dollar. The September and October issues will contain carefully edited, condensed reports of the entire General Conference. Order this at once at the Bulletin table in the Church or by addressing Manager Methodist Recorder P. & P. Co., Victoria, B. C.

THE LEADINGS OF PROVIDENCE

Among the unplanned results of this great General Conference is the marked and magnificent leading of Providence.

Many earnest believing prayers have risen to heaven from all parts of the Dominion and Newfoundland, that the Victoria General Conference will be Divinely attended, guided, and filled with power.

"The prayers of saints to heaven ascend, grateful, accepted sacrifice."

The prayers of God's people have been heard and answered.

The presence of God has been wonderfully evidenced at every session. The leading of His Spirit has been an outstanding feature of all the gatherings.

Three instances of many that might be cited are given.

The question of the 'Foot-note" has been a veritable storm centre for over eight years; the question has been to the fore and feeling has grown more and more intense.

When the commission to revise the Discipline, proposed to eliminate the "Foot-note," and substitute a suggested clause, the Conference was immediately divided. It looked very threatening for a storm, and we trembled, when Professor Andrews rose with a beautiful clause touching the highest possible ground, and a clause which the Conference accepted almost unanimously. The "Foot-note" is dead and from the grave, touched by the finger of God, a new and most beautiful "Note" has risen to life.

What will pass into history as 'The Jackson Controversy" was the question feared weeks before the Conference opened. Many feared, prayed, and worked to avoid the discussion of a question of doctrine under such circumstances and at such a time. It would not down, and so we entered into the cloud with agony of spirit. The consciousness that the whole of Canada and far beyond was listening and waiting, made the hour painful with its intensity of feeling.

Then Dr. Watson rose with an amendment asking us to strongly and emphatically affirm our Saviour and God. Then the question of the infallibility of Jesus was introduced and again the peaceful solution moved beyond the line of vision. After an hour of agony of spirit, Mr. Rowell introduced an added clause affirming faith in the infallibility of Jesus. The Conference voted unanimously and once again the danger was over and we were awed and trusted in the presence of the Divine guidance.

How many times we have asked, and asked anxiously: "Who shall we find for the great offices of our Church?" When the hour came, how manifest was the presence of the guiding hand of God.

We can never forget that service of call and Penticostal baptism. It was grand and blessed beyond language to perceive the spirit in which the newly elected officers accepted their call to great tasks and great responsibilities.

This is the vital lesson for us all to learn. Perhaps the Conference will scarcely leave a greater lesson in Western Canada, groaning under the burden of a perilous materialism:—The Lesson of the Real Presence of God.

"God moves in a mysterious way,
His wonders to perform.
He plants His footsteps on the sea
And rides upon the storm."

COMMENT BY OUR CHIEF SCRIBE

A somewhat warm discussion arose over salaries matters of considerable interest to most people. Rev. Darwin felt a young ordained single minister should be put on a like basis to salary as ordained men. Said he: "There are some men who spend a large amount of time and money securing the best education they can, and unless they marry at once they must take a smaller salary, while some fellow with little education tumbling over himself to get married gets the advantage of a larger salary simply because he gets married.

Dr. Heartz and Dr. Sprague felt alarmed that the salary basis in the Far East was not so high as those in the Central Provinces. They argued that a large part of thei rliving came from Ontario and that living cost more with them than in Ontario. This was carried by the Conference.

Dr. Kilborn advocated the representation of the missionaries of West China in General Conference. It has been suggested that as the West China missionaries are members of the Conferences at home, but be this as it may, our men have but a remote chance of election and even if our men were chosen they could not properly represent the Home Conference. Some have suggested that we form ourselves into an Annual Conference. This is not advisable as present for it is desirable that we keep all our men on the same level as they are in the present council. The Chinese are not yet ready for a Conference with all its machinery of organisation. We are not asking delegates to be sent from China as such would involve a great expense, but that these delegates be chosen from the missionaries on furlough. There are 53 of us in China in the Mission Council and surely it is not fair that we have no representation.

Dr. McLaren—The parliament of Britain can legislate in all matters except that of turning a man into a woman and vice-versa. Dr. Kilborn's agitation is to endeavor to do this very thing ecclesiastically.

T. E. E. Shore—We are discussing here the interests of 14 million people whom we are seeking to evangelize. In a few years we shall have a score of hospitals, hundreds of mission schools, medical and high schools, and a Christian University. Surely we should not expect the Secretary of Missions to represent this entire field and if such is the case we ought to give them representation.

In the debate on the Jackson or New Theology controversy one delegate with fear and trembling asked that he be excused from voting as he did not feel he would care to stand anywhere but on the fence. It did not seem to occur to the brother that there was a door in every direction and that if he did not care to come in he had the alternative of getting out.

The Monday evening session of the General Conference was held in the First Presbyterian church .Several of the delegates stood at the door and said to others: This is our Church, walk in. We thank our Presbyterian friends for their kindness and assure them that we felt quite at home.

The Merry Widow hat of one of the lady reporters was more in evidence than usual in the session of the Conference at the Presbyterian Church, when some time after the opening of the session the hat walked deliberately and decisively and determinedly to the front.

Discussion arose over the report on Systematic Beneficence. The Committee advised the paying of $1,000 from the Missionary Fund and $1,000 from the Educational, Temperance and Sunday School Funds. The report was advocated by several, but opposed strongly by Principal Sparling. The Secretary, Dr. Moore spoke well of the work of the Association of Christian Stewards under the direction of Rev. R. Woodsworth. He would however not legislate along the line of the Committee's report. He thought Missions had largely profited by the work done by Mr. Woodsworth, but did not know that the other funds had so profited. Dr. Williamson thought the reports of the Committee should pass. He felt that Systematic giving as proposed in Mr. Woodsworth's plans would solve all our financial difficulties.

Dr. Stewart pointed out that the work of Mr. Woodsworth was interdenominational and the other denominations should help in this matter.

Mr. McGregor—Where R. W. Woodsworth goes you will find that thousands have come into our mission funds. He has given himself to this work and we ought to support him.

Thomas Hilliard—I am in sympathy with this work but we are asked to pay out money for interdenominational schemes. The debate closed with adoption of the report.

I came to this Conference, said the Secretary, expecting to leave it as I came. I cannot say when I can drop the work I have as Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance before the end of this year. Then too, in the new Department of Temperance and Moral Reform to which you have elected me I can see its importance. I feel that no man can handle that work as well as Dr. Chown, and so we have arranged between us that we shall work together to so handle the work that we can lay it down without loss to either department.

MINISTERS' VACATION

A clause is to be inserted in our Discipline directing the Stewards to yearly consider and make arrangements for the Pastors' holiday. The General Conference never came nearer the gates of Eden than at that great moment.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE

The great question of woman's suffrage in the Methodist Church of Canada was dismissed in about 10 minutes. The male suffragettes were evidently gone home and it was too early for the ladies to appear in the galleries and with flashing eyes subdue the mere male members of Conference.

Dr. Huff—I'm a woman's righter. You will remember I made a very able speech four years ago on Woman's suffrage. I believe women ought to have a vote, but there are not enough of us here to pass such legislation. Lost by 34 for, 65 against.

General Conference Proceedings

Transcript of Minutes

THIRTEENTH DAY—TWENTY-THIRD SESSION

Saturday Afternoon, August 27th, 1910.

Conference resumed at 2 p. m.

Rev. A. Carman, D.D., General Superintendent, in the Chair.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Benj. Hills, D.D., of Nova Scotia Conference.

On motion of Rev. S. J. Shorey, D.D.,

Seconded by Rev. S. G. Bland, D.D.

The vote on paragraph 413, 13 was reconsidered.

Moved by Rev. S. J. Shorey, D.D.,

Seconded by Rev. S. G. Bland, D.D.

That Item in the report of the Misrepresentation from the Mission Councils in the General Conference, be recommitted to said Committee for further consideration.

Consideraton of Item 17 of report of Committee was resumed.

Item 17 with sub-sections was adopted.

Item 18 was adopted.

Item 19, to delet paragraph 146 of the Discipline, "Each Annual Conference may appoint a Committee of ministers and laymen to negotiate with any Committee or Committees apointed by any other Evangelical Church, having for their object to so arrange Home Mission work within its bounds as to prevent such overlapping as is plainly hurtful to the advance of Christ's Kingdom.

Moved to adopt.

Moved in amendment by Rev. T. A. Moore, D.D.,

Seconded by Dr. A. Stewart,

That Section 146 of the Discipline be amended to read:

"Each Annual Conference, where there is not a missionary Committee shall appoint a Committee of Ministers and Laymen to promote Missionary education and self-support, and negotiate and conclude arrangements with other denmoinations, with the view to prevent overlapping in circuit and mission work in harmony with the policy of the Methodist Church.

The amendment carried.

Items 20, 21 and 22 adopted.

Item 23, Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 adopted.

Items 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38 adopted.

Moved by W. G. Hunt.,

Seconded by Rev. T. E. E. Shore,

That this General Conference memorialize the Dominion Government to call a convention of Indian Agents, Indian Missionaries, and teachers, with a view of getting a uniform and satisfactory system of work among the Indians and that this communication be forwarded by our General Secretary of Foreign Department.

On motion it was referred to Committee on Missions.

Moved by the Secretary of Conference.

That the order of business be suspended from time to time as necessary for taking of ballots for remaining elections. Carried.

On motion of Secretary of Conference it was carried that nominations by delegations for the Board of Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools be accepted and the persons so nominated are now elected members of that Board—also that nominations by Conference delegations for Board of Temperance and Moral Reform be accepted and the persons so nominated are now elected members of that Board. Carried.

The Chair submitted the following nominations for the Court of Appeal:

Rev. James S. Ross, D.D., Rev. S. F. Huestis, D.D., Rev. S. J. Shorey, D.D., Rev. R. N. Burns, D.D., Rev. W. I. Shaw, D.D., Rev. Alex. Langford, D.D., Rev. Stephen Bond, Rev. J. C. Antliff, D. D., Rev. W. R. Young, D.D., Rev. J. E. Mavety, Rev. Andrew Stewart, D.D., Rev. Tho. Manning, D.D., N. W. Rowell, Justice Maclaren, Judge Chesley, Alexander Mills, J. R. Inch, LL.D.. W. A, Briggs, J. R. L. Starr, F. E. O'Flynn, Edmund Sweet, Thomas Hilliard, Abraham Shaw, E. J. Davis.

A ballot was taken and the scrutineers retired.

Rev. S. G. Bland, D.D., presented report of Committee on Education.

Items 1, 2, 3, 4, g, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23, were adopted.

The Srutineers reported result of first ballot for election of members of Court of Appeal.

The following were elected in the order named:

Ministers—Rev. Jas. S. Ross, D.D., Rev. A. Stewart, D.D., Rev. S. J. Shorey, D.D., Rev. J. C. Antliff, D.D., Rev. Thos. Manning, D.D.

Laymen—N. W. Rowell, K.C., Judge Chesley, Justice Maclaren, A. W. Briggs.

A second ballot was taken for remainder of members of the Court of Appeal, and the Scrutineers retired.

Conference resumed consideration of report of Committee on Education.

Item 24 was adopted.

Item 25, on Board of Management of Albert College, moved to adopt.

Moved in amendment by J. J. Maclaren.

Seconded by Rev. T. A. Moore, D.D.,

That should the Charter of Albert College require further nominations for its Board of Management, the General Conference Special Committee have power to appoint such persons. Carried.

Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, were adopted.

Scrutineers reported result of the second ballot for election of members of Court of Appeal.

Rev. A. Langford, D.D. was declared elected. No laymen were elected.

A third ballot was taken for remainder of members of the Court of Appeal, and the Scrutineers retired.

Conference resumed consideration of report of Committee on Education.

Items 34, 35, 36 were adopted.

Moved by Rev. W. Glendennin that vote on Item 34 be reconsidered. Lost.

Item 37, moved that Item be read. Lost.

The Scrutineers report result of third ballot for election of members of Court of Appeal. J. R. L. Starr and A. Mills were declared elected.

On motion conference proceeded to election of the delegates of the Ecumenical Conference. The following nominations were made:

On motion the Secretary of Conference was instructed to cast a ballot for Dr. Chown. The ballot was cast and Dr. Chown was declared elected.

Nominations of laymen were made, as follows:

D. S. Curtis. Dr. D. Allison, Hon. G. A. Cox, C. D. Massey, F. E. O'Flynn, J. H. Chapman, I. Hilliard, J. W. Flavelle, N. W. Rowell, Dr. Inch, E. E. Sweet. Justice Brown, A. S. Argue, J. H. Carson, E. S. Hunt, Hon. G. P. Graham, J. Mills, H. Miller, E. J. Davis, G. H. Johnson, J. A. M. Aikens.

Report No. 13, of the Business Committee, was presented by Rev. A. E. Roberts, as follows:

1. Your Committe recommends that Conference have a session this evening from 7:30 to 10.

Moved to adopt.

Moved to amend by inserted 7:30 and 10:00.

The amendment was adopted.

2. Owing to the lecture previously arranged by the officials of the Church to be held on Monday evening next, your Committee has arranged for the session of the Conference that evening, to be held in First Presbyterian Church. Adopted.

3. That committees present their reports, after the order already passed has been exhausted, as follows:

1. Class Leaders and Local Preachers.
2. Superannuation Fund.
3. Itinerancy No. 2.
4. State of the Work.
5. General Conference Fund and Finance.

On motion this item was amended by inserting "Report of Committee on Salaries, after Education."

Announcements were made and Conference adjourned at 5:30 p. m., the Benediction being pronounced by Rev. C. E. Bland, B.A.

THIRTEENTH DAY—TWENTY-FOURTH SESSION

Saturday Evening, August 27, 1910.

Conference resumed at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. A. Carman, D.D., General Superintendent, in the Chair.

Rev. S. T. Bartlett, General Secretary of Sunday Schools and Epworth Leagues of Bay of Quine Conference, conducted devotional exercises.

Minutes of Twenty-third sessions were read and confirmed.

A ballot was taken for election of lay delegates to Ecumenical Conference.

The following were added to the list of Scrutineers: Rev. John Garbutt, Mr. F. B. Holtby, Rev. C. E. Crowell, Rev. H. W. Crews, Mr. A. H. Lambert and Rev. W. A. MacHaffie.

The Scrutineers retired.

Conference resumed consideration of the report of the Committee on Education.

Item 37, adopted provisionally, upon the balance of the report being adopted.

Items 38 and 39 were adopted.

Rev. Dr. Cleaver presented the following Resolution:

"Whereas, it is regrettable that during the past quadrennium, in the college teaching of our Church, orally and in publications, there have been set forth doctrines of an unsettling and injurious character.

"This Conference hereby expresses its strong disaproval of all such teaching as has a tendency to disparage the Deity and infallibility of Christ, while here upon the earth; to weaken the authority of Christ and His Apostles, or to discredit the Scripture as a trustworthy revelation from God;

"And further, this Conference condemns teaching of which the following are illustrations:

"1. The early chapters of Genesis 'are not history and they are not science; they contain no account of the real beginnings, either of the earth itself ,or of man and human civilization upon it.'

"2. 'Chrst assuimes the Mosac authorship of the Pentateuch and the Davidic authorship of the 110th Psalm; modern scholarship denies both.'

"3. 'A man may not do violence to his intellectual conscience at the bidding of any authority, however august, and such anappeal can accomplish nothing unless it be to discredit the authority itself.'

"4. 'On a question of moral duty Jesus is to be listened to on this matter, (the casting out of devils). He is simply to be ignored.'"

It was declared out of order.

Item 40:

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EDUCATIVE INFLUENCES IN A CITY

British Columbia, through its government has recently appointed a Commission to report upon the question of the site of its Provincial Universty. As yet no report has been forthcoming as to the results of their deliberations. The city of Victoria has many attractive features that might well incline the Commission to a report in its favor. We do not intend in this article to enumerate these. We wish to say that as far as possible every phase of our civic life that presents itself to the public eye should be educative in its tendency looking to the development of the citizens, young and old, along such lines as will strengthen the moral and spiritual forces of life, and that in such development will make for clean citzenship and the strongest manhood. That our churches, schools, colleges and universities have such an end in view may perhaps be beyond question, but it does occur to all that the play impulse within us and our desire for amusement should be given a similar direction. The true psychology of educaton works along the line of play mpulse and on no side of child life can impressions be more easily made nor be rendered so enduring. It is an old saying, but none the less true, that "As the twig is bent so will it grow," and the safety of our civic and national life lies the care exercised in the proper inclining of the twigs of early life. The sports and amusements in civic life may have more to do for its weal or woe than the sermons that are preached, or the lectures delivered therein. It will be a day of blessing to our cities when its dance halls and poisonous moving picture plagues are matters belonging only to history. Both of these forms of amusement are, however, only semi-public, and it is possible in some measure to limit the attendance of our youth upon them. More serious to our mind is the influence of some excursions and public picnics to which children are invited and in which they are invited to take a part, and in which are allowed autefers that are sure to leave impressions that will at least minimize in their thought the disastrous influences of strong drink. In the

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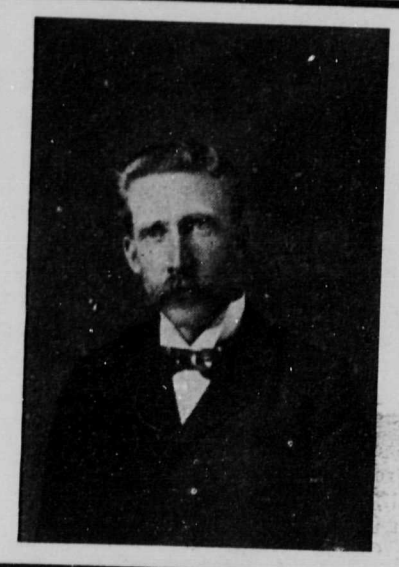

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GENERAL CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

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"(2) The Board of Education shall, upon receiving any complant or complaints from any college board under the provisions of this paragraph, select five persons, being ministers of good repute for their knowledge of questions of doctrine, who shall constitute the Committee of Trial in the case, and name the presiding officer, who shall be one of the General Superintendents and who shall have all the powers and duties belonging to said officer.

"All the principles and proceduce relating to trials, as set forth in the discipline, shall mutatis mutandis be followed."

Moved by Rev. J. W. Colley, and seconded,

That Item 40 be laid on the table. Lost.

Moved to reconsider vote on Item 39. Lost.

Moved in amendment by W. C. Hunt,

Seconded by Rev. J. S. Ross,

That Item 40 be amended by adding the following words after "College Board," "or from five members in good standing of the Methodist Church, who have laid a complaint to the College Board and no action taken within sixty days."

The amendment was adopted.

Item 40 was adopted as amended.

Items 41 and 42 were adopted.

Item 43—"Amend paragraph 284 of Discipline, by inserting a new sub-paragraph after sub-paragraph 3, as follows:

"In case a complaint is received by the Board from any College Board, as provided in paragraph 254a, the Board shall appoint a Committee of Trial as provided in said paragraph, and name the presiding officer thereof."

Moved to adopt.

Moved in amendment by Rev. J. S. Ross, D.D., and seconded,

That the paragraph be amended by adding the following after the words "thereof" in the last line; "Who shall be one of the General Superintendents, and who shall have the powers and duties belonging to said officer." Carried.

tem 44 was adopted.

Moved by Chancellor Burwash that Items 37 to 43 be adopted as a whole as amended.

Rev. S. Cleaver, D.D. moved to amend the report by inserting in Item 37 of the report (the preamble) the resolution he had already brought before the Conference.

After discussion it was agreed that as the resolution did not contemplate legislation it be withdrawn for the present, and afterwards presented as a substantive resolution.

Memorial No. 13 was called for and read.

Moved that the first order of the day on Monday be the introduction of the resolution of Rev. S. Cleaver.

Moved in amendment that Rev. S. Cleaver, D.D. be heard immediately on the adoption of the report.

The amendment was lost and the motion carried.

The report was adopted as a whole as amended.

Report of Scrutineers on first ballot for election of lay delegates to Ecumenical Conference.

C. D. Massey, N. W. Rowell, K.C., J. A. M. Aikins were declared elected.

Announcements were made. Conference adjourned at 10 p. m., the Benediction being pronounced by Rev. A. Stewart, D.D.

FIFTEENTH DAY

Sunday, August 28, 1910.

The morning service opened at 11 o'clock when a sermon was preached by Rev. Wm. Briggs, D.D., the Book Steward, of the Toronto Conference.

At 4 p. m. a Conference on Evangelism was conducted by General Superintendent-elect Rev. S. D. Chown, D.D.

At 7:30 p. m. N. W. Rowell, K.C., gave an account of the recent World's Missionary Conference at Edinburgh, Scotland.

SIXTEENTH DAY—TWENTY-FIFTH SESSION

Monday, August 29th, 1910.

Conference opened at 8:30 p. m.

Rev. A. Carman, D.D., General Superintendent, in the Chair.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. D. McCamus, of London Conference.

Minutes of the Twenty-fourth Session were read and confirmed.

Moved by Rev. T. Albert Moore, D.D.,

Seconded by Rev. J. S. Williamson,

That in the editing of the Journal of Proceedings of this General Conference all College Degrees be omitted, except in the certified lists of delegates and reserves from the several conferences, and in the lists of members of the General Conference Boards and Committees, and the Boards, etc, of the Universities and Colleges. Carried.

Conference took up the order of the day—the resolution of Rev. S. Cleaver.

Moved by Rev. S. Cleaver, D.D.,

Seconded by F. W. Winters,

Whereass, it is regrettable that during the past quadrennum, in the colelege teaching of our Church, orally and in publications, there have been set forth doctrines of an unsettling and injurious character, such as:

1. The early chapters of Geneisis "are not history and they are not science; they contain no account of the real beginnings, either of the earth itself, or of man and human civilization upon it."

2. Christ "assumes the Mosaic authorship of the Pentateuch and the Davidic authorship of the 110th Psalm; modern scholarship denies both."

3. "A man may not do violence to his intellectual conscience at the bidding of any authority, however august, and such an appeal can accomplish nothing unless it be to discredit the authority itself."

4. "On a question of moral duty Jesus is to be listened to; on ths matiter (concernng the casting out of devils). He is simply to be ignored."

Therefore, this Conference expresses its strong disapproval of this, and all such teaching as has a tendency to disparage the Diety and Infalibility of Christ, while here upon the earth; to weaken the authority of Christ and His Apostles, or to discredit the Scriptures as a trustworthy revelation from God.

Moved by Dr. A. D. Watson,

Seconded by Rev. Principal Sparling.

That whereas, the matters contained in the resolution now presented are in their nature such as call for the most careful and mature deliberation of thos best fitted to adjudicate in such matters, and inasmuch as this General Conference, which is by constitution and usage a legislature, rather than a court of trial, and cannot give that patient and clam deliberation to these matters which the interests of great truth and highest fellowship demand; having provided legislation embodying a method of procedure in cases of supposed departure from the teaching of Methodism, which we believe will not tend to stifle the candor of our professors, yet will serve to keep inviolate the integrty of our Methodist doctrine, and at the same time hold firm the confidence of our people; therefore,

Resolved, That having provided adequately for cases such as are referred to in the resolution, this General Conference reaffirms its allegiance to Christ as King and Saviour and God and its faithful adherence to the Word of God, which liveth and abideth forever; that as in His Word God has spoken to us by His Son, we acknowledge Him as the infallible Teacher as well as Revealer of the things of God.

Carried almost unanimously.

On motion of L. Hilliard the order of the day was suspended in order to take up the report of Committee on Superannuation Fund.

On motion the report of Superannuation Fund was taken from the table.

I. Hilliard moved as a substitute to the item of the report and the amendments, that the report be amended by inserting after the word "fuel" the words "and amount raised for horse-keep on Domestic Missions."

And that the words be struck out from "and in addition" down to "Sunday School Aid Funds," and that the following be inserted:

"And in addition to the foregoing percentage based as aforesaid, each Circuit and Domestic Mission shall be required to contribute annually during the next quadrennium a sum equal to three and a half per cent of the average amount raised and reported to the Conference during the past quadrennium, on the following connexional funds, viz: Missionary (general) Superannuaton, Educational, General Conference, Contingent, Union Church Relief and Sunday School Aid Funds."

Moved in amendment by Rev. A. J. Irwin,

Seconded by Dr. A. D. Watson, to substitute:

"That the basis be the salary and the assessable funds as at present, saving that the givings be averaged for the past good reunion, and that the rate for the coming quadrennium be six per cent on this average. Lost.

Moved by Rev. J. H. White,

Seconded by

That the amendment of Mr. Hilliard be amended by striking out the clause referring to horse-keep on Domestic Missions.

The amendment to the amendment was lost.

The amendment was lost.

The substitute was lost.

The amendment to amendment by Rev. J. Rankin, D.D., was lost.

The amendment to amendment of which notice had been given by Rev. T. E. E. Shore, D.D., was put and carried.

The amendment by Rev. C. S. Deeprose was put and lost.

Item 4 as amended was adopted.

The report was adopted as amended as a whole.

Report of Committee on Salaries was presented by Rev. R. J. Elliott.

Moved to consider them item by item. Lost.

Moved to adopt.

Announcements were made.

Report of the Business Committee No. 14 was read.

"Your Committee recommends that the remaining Committee reports be taken up in the following order:

1. Memorials.
2. Systematic Beneficence.
3. Salaries.
4. Discipline No. 1.
5. Discipline No. 2.
6. Discipline No. 3.
7. Book and Publising.
8. Local Preachers and Class Leaders.
9. Supernumeray.
10. Itinerancy (No. 2.)
11. State of the work.
12. General Conference Fund (No. 2.)
13. Sunday School and Epworth League.
14. Deaconess Movement.
15. Sabbath Observance.
16. Course of Study.
17. Church and Parsonage Aid.
18. Church Property.
19. Statistical.
20. Skill and King.
21. Sociological.

Adopted.

Conference adjourned at 12:30 with benediction being pronounced by Rev. J. J. Ferguson, B.D.

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CORRECTION

In yesterday's report of Dr. Burwash's address given in reply to Rev. D. Cleaver's remarks, it was stated that "The German theory regarding Christ's Humanity and Deity was that His Divinity was veiled, and that John Wesley's theory was that He emptied Himself of the Divine fulness during His earthly life and regained it at His exaltation." This report is not a correct statement of Dr. Burwash's remarks and we desire to correct the report, as follows: The German theory is the "kenosis" theory, viz: that Christ emptied Himself of the Divine fulness during His earthly life and regained it at His exaltation. And the English theory is that His Divine fulness was veiled during his earthly life, and that John Wesley in his notes on Phil. 2:618 accepts both theories, and further, that Geo. Jackson unhesitatingly accepts the interpretation of John Wesley on the humanity and deity of Christ as found in John Wesley's notes.

Rev. J. C. Speer, D.D., of Toronto, a former pastor of the Metropolitan Church, will preache in that church next Sunday evening, and also give one of his popular lectures on the following evening, under the auspices of the Metropolitan Ladies' Guild.

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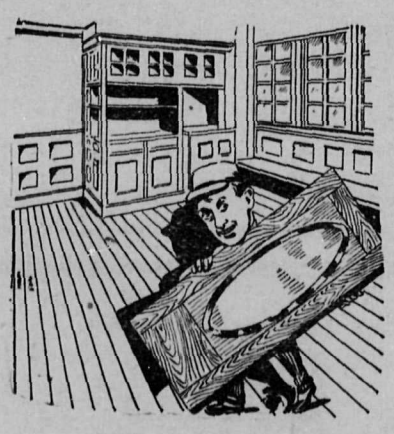

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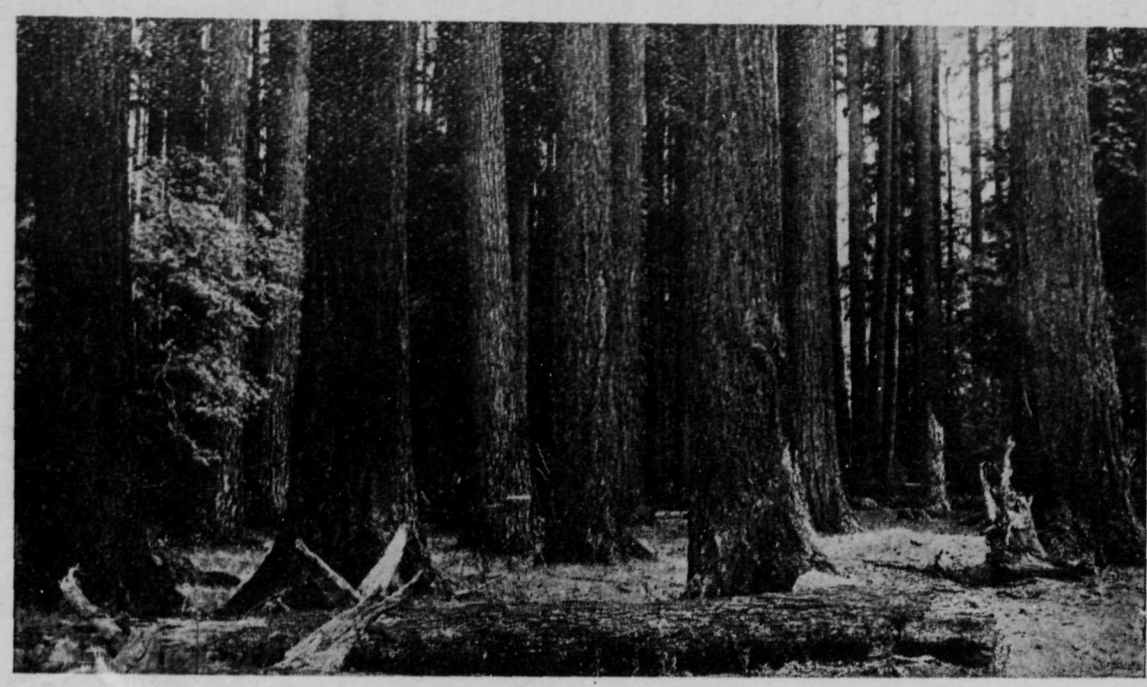

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THE SUNDAY SERVICES

Sermon by Dr. Briggs.

The morning sermon of the last General Conference Sunday (Aug. 28) was by Rev. Dr. Briggs, the Book Steward, who spoke with eloquence and unction on the Bible, from the text, Pslam 119:v.129, "Thy testimonies are wonderful." He began by referring to the amplitude of the Psalm in applicaton to all human needs. Whether in sickness or health, sorrow or joy, storm or sunshine, battle or peace, whether the person be sinner or saint, there was something adaptable to everyone from this wonderful harp of varied chords. Nos. 1, 19 and especially 119, were notable as expressing the highest phases of Divine law. The latter was the Psalmist's great hymn of duty.

The Bible at large, however, would be the speaker's theme—the royal book of the English tongue. The miracles attest God's omnipotence; its prophecies attest God's truth. They shine clearly over ruins of cities and nations once powerful and populous. All scripture is given by inspiration of God—else how such marvelous coincidences and agreement between writers of varied birth and condition and widely separted by the centuries? But the testimony of a clean heart was after all the highest testimony to the Bible's inspiration.

Wonderful was the Bible for its diversities of style, though with unity of purpose manifest through it all. Hence divers manners as well as divers persons were illustrated in its pages—some in simple language, others in the highest imagery; others marked with Oriental glow—with infinite varety, addressing itself to divers faculties as well as divers men. Some saw the truth in dogma; some in simile; some in counsel; some in God's love and forbearance. How Romans accords with David; Jeremiah with Proverbs.

"O, wonderful things in the Bible I see,
But this is the dearest, that Jesus loves me!"

The Bible's versatility appealed also to the student of nature, and science and art draw confirmation and embellishment from it. The noble Christian classics—Baxter, Bunyan, Taylor, Milton, Doddridge, Knox, Matthew Henry, Whitefield, the Wesleys, found a true fount of inspiration here. The deep and wondrous verse of Shakespeare derived suggestion from it; a large volume had been compiled of Shakespearean allusions and quotations arising out of the Bible. Likewise masters of poetical literature, from Spencer, Cowper, Montgomery to Tennyson, proved by their works the value to them of the Bible. It is fitted to guide in every age and relation of life. Sir Walter Scott on his death bed bore testimony that "There is but one book, the Bible." It is the charter of glory to millions. For faith we turn to Abraham; for weakness to Moses; for patience to Job; for clinging tenderness to Ruth; for paternal love to David; for fraternal forgiveness to Joseph; for firm friendship to David and Jonathan; for devotion to God's mission to Paul, but above all that is perfect and holy to Christ. All others betray some imperfection; Christ only displays not the slightest mixture of evil or shade of deformity.

The great design of the Bible is to make us like Christ; to aid us to get hs spirit in us, to follow in his footsteps, to become the temples of indwelling deity. Let us receive with meekness the ingrafted word able to save our souls. To the preacher he would apply the anecdotal quotation, "Mangle your grammar rather than lose your grace." The doctor was delighted that General Conference was taking up the evangelical note. This should be pre-eminent in our hearts, never to doubt the Bible. There were some , as Disraeli had put it, "In the inconvenient profundity of their intellects," who had assumed to revise the sacred volume. Don't let it be persecuted, amputated, dissected. What it has done for millions it will do for millions more. Other books have lost their power, but this shall endure forever. Its the blessed medium of transmission of the plan of salvation, of redemption in Christ, of the wideness of redeeming love. Don't have it as a transient guest, but fix it in the heart as a constant treasure. It sings to us of our heavenly home—may we all reach it!

ECHOES OF THE SECOND WEEK

One cannot but recognize the fact that many of the delegates are getting anxious to see the end of the Conference and get back to home and regular work. That so many of our leading laymen have been willing to travel so far and stay so long shows the very great interest taken by them in the affairs of the Church. A good deal of time has been taken by the Fraternal Delegates in their addresses and farewells. This week we had some eloquent words from the messengers of the two great Methodist bodies in the United States. Senator Booth from Oregon and Dr. Brown from San Francisco had an evening at their disposal and were cordially welcomed. Their words met with a hearty response. Dr. Du Bose of Nashville gave us an illustration of a true Southerner. His words and metaphors and illustrations will long be remembered. It seems a pity that more time cannot be given to the cultivation of these fraternal relations.

Elections were given a prominent place in the business of the week. The results were in every case just what had been expected for months, and the officers-elect were given to understand they had the support of the entire Conference. The new General Superintendent-elect is so widely known and has had such an opportunity to become familiar with the whole Dominion, the delegates knew the man whom they were electing, and made no mistake. The querry in some minds is and it finds expression on many lips, "Is the General Superintendency a life job?" It has been in the past. Is it to be be continued? Such was not the intention at the beginning. One not familiar with Methodist economy might ask, "How many officials does it require to do the business of the Methodist Church?" Were the roll of officers-elect to be called it would take some time. The "man behind the gun" is hidden by the noble army of officers in front. The Union question has for the present been settled and the arena of debate transferred to the Annual Conferences and District meetings of 1911. The debate did not bring out any striking statements. The legal aspects were discussed by two well known jurists, whose voices are often heard in our Church Courts. Their views were widely divergent. If such learned counsellors and justices can not agree as to the tenure of Church property it will be hard for the average trustee to decide whether or not the property he holds in trust for the Church is property over which he can exercise any authority. The theologians of the Conference, both lay and clerical, took a hand in the creed in the proposed Basis. It was evident that the man in the pew is not indifferent as to the exact statement of the creed to which he is asked to subscribe. Like the elections to office the result of the vote was a forgone conclusion before Conference opened. The tone of the debate was good. The speakers seemed with few exceptions to feel the importance of the subject. There was a willingness to hear both sides of the case discussed. Some who favored Union were a little impatient when telling points were made against their proposition. The good brother who spoke after Prof. Patton revealed the fact that in the past and in dealing with problems and semi-political opponents, he had cultivated the habit of attacking his opponent rather than proving the correctness of his own position. The poorest kind of argument is ridicule, and yet it frequently carries the crowd. There was as far as one could see no desire to prevent the sending of the proposed basis to the people for consideration. The simple question was, shall it go with the approval of the Conference or shall it go without such expression of opinion. The singing of the Doxology after the vote was taken was not in good taste, to say the least. Those who voted to send the basis to the people without expressing approval were just as loyal to the Church as those who voted the other way, and to sing "Praise God from whom all blessings flow," because these were fewer in number than the others, does not seem to be the manifestation of a good spirit.

It requires some ingenuity to harmonize the action of some speakers made during the week. One day when it was proposed to lengthen the pastoral terms it was urged that the Church would suffer should the preacher stay longer than four years. Some of those who argued thus were departmental officers and men who were not in the pastorate. The next day these men were enthusiastic in their advocacy of a Union in which every vestige of the itinerancy is obliterated. Mr. Blank argues on Tuesday that he can stand his present pastor for four years and no longer, and even three would be better. On Wednesday the same Mr. Blank argues that in the interests of Union he would be willing to retain his present pastor for any number of years. Perhaps some Higher Critic will explain the reason for this difference of view. The frequent application of closure would have the approval of many more if it reached the right men. Some are determined to speak on every subject, and as soon as they have spoken will cry, "Vote, vote." The venerable superintendent has a hard time occasionally in keeping order. Occasionally a star rises and calls the attention of the Conference to the fact that the Chairman is wrong. A unique thing has happened a couple of times during the week. The star gave more light than the ruling orb. It only proves the truth, no one is infallible. The Conference at last summoned sufficient courage to make a change in the famous "foot-note." Not that any permission is given to do that which is forbidden in the rules, but opportunity is given for the individual to exercise his own judgment in interpreting the rules. This has been the contention of many for years and the remarkable unanimity of the vote making the change is ominous for good. In the new Church, after Union, there will be no rules. These, with all the precious heritage of Methodism will become ancient history. The new note of Evangelism sounded on Friday night is a hopeful note. It will meet with a hearty response. The only fear is official evangelism, and yet some organization seems necessary. The Conference should endeavor to get along without another general officer. That was a wise move in the missionary work which gave the W. M. S. an interest in the Sunday School work of the Church. Some say it is the Sunday School that makes members for the W. M. S., and others say the W. M. S. makes teachers for the Sunday School. It may be hard to determine which is correct, but the more intimate the relations between the different departments of the Church the more satisfactory will be the work done. The cordial co-operation of the W. M. Society will mean far more to the general work of the missionary department of the Church than is represented by the financial aspect of the case. The policy of the centralization of the management of our mission work in Toronto received a jar on Saturday when the Conference adopted a constitution for an Annual Conference Missionary Committee. It has been claimed that there was not sufficient power given to those who were responsible for local missionary work. The route was too long and difficult. There is a general feeling that the legislation is a step in the right direction. Those who were anxious to increase the strength of the General Board of Missions by making a number of ex-officio members were not good tacticians. They might have succeeded by takng it piecemeal, but to ask the Conference to add at once eight and possibly ten ex-officio members to a board which already numbers forty, was more than that conservative body could stand. Some thought it might mean that the tail would wag the dog.

The long looked for storm on theological questions was trying to break on Saturday night. The work of the week had been very taxing and the hour was late, but still there was enough electricity in the air to make trouble. It was found impossible to reach a discussion of the main question, owing to the number of points of order to be settled. A discussion may be avoided by the introduction of such methods, but the shelving of a question is not a settlement of it. There has been a vast amount of business transacted during the week. The hours have been long—the elections many—the issues important, the discussions earnest, the eloquence wonderful, the fund of good nature exhaustless and the presence of God's Spirit clearly manifest. A few hours more and the Conference of 1910 will have passed into history.

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EDUCATIVE INFLUENCES IN A CITY

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daily press of this city we notice the nouncement of a picnic to be held on September 3 under the auspices of employees of the B. C. E. Railway in the city. There are to be held hirty-three sporting events, in several of which boys, girls and women are to take part. There are several egitimate and desirable prizes to be iven, but what of the following that re offered among others:

Gents race: First—Two bottles of whiskey; second—one bottle of whiskey.

Fat man's race: Third—Two bottles of whiskey.

Old men's race: First—Three bottles of whiskey; second—two bottles of whiskey; third—one bottle of whiskey.

Strand Hotel Race: Third—Two bottles of whiskey.

Managers, Superintendent's and Foremen's Race: First—Four bottles of whiskey; second—three bottles of whiskey; third—two bottles of whiskey; fourth—one bottle of whiskey.

Committeemen's Race: Third—Forty-eight bottles of beer.

Tug of war: Ten gallons of beer.

Sports of legitimate kind is desirable in every community and should be encouraged, but think of men supposed in their play, as in their work, to be an example to our youth, putting themselves in the public gaze of boys, girls and ladies and running races for whiskey! Managers and superintendents of a railway corporation and old men running races for whiskey! Such is certainly not intended to impress Victoria's visitors with the high moral standard of her people, and in our judgment is an insult to the numbers of her citizens who aspre to nobler things and who desire to see less than this would seem to imply her to be a whiskey-soaked city.

If San Francisco thought worth while to exclude the Johnson-Jeffries fight to save for herself a popular national exhibition in 1912. We think there are some things Victora must exclude from public exhibition to save her civic life from moral degeneration.

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The organ consists of four manuals and pedals and contains some fifty-three speaking stops, which are grouped each side of the player, and thirty-four couplers, etc., which are operated by rocking tablets placed above the Solo manual. The thumb-pistons, for the easy manipulation of the stops, are placed between the manuals and are twenty-five in number. There are also five foot-pistons which control the stops and couplers.

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A study of the subjoined list of stops will reveal to those acquainted with organs and organ construction the great amount of 16 and 18-foot tone and also the great variety of solo stops. There are four different wind-pressures ranging from 3 1-2 to 7 inches.

Compass of Manuals CC to C.61 keys

Compass of Pedals CCC to F.30 keys

	Feet	Notes
1. Double Open ..	16	68 A
2. Open Diapason (large)	8	68 A
3. Open Diapason (medium)	8	68 A
4. Violin Diapason	8	61 G
5. Dopple Flute...	8	68 A
6. Stopped Diapason	8	61 G
7. Salicional	8	61 G
8. Walde Flue	4	61 G
9. Octave	4	68 A
10. Twelfth	2 2-3	68 A
11. Fifteenth	2	61 G
12. Mixture	3 ranks	183 G
13. Trumpet	8	61 G
14. Posaune	8	68 A
Swell Organ		
15. Bourdon	16	68
16. Open Diapason (leathered) ...	8	68
17. Clarabella	8	68
18. Stopped Diapason	8	68
19. Viola di Gamba.	8	68
20. Voix Celete	8	56
21. Aeoline	8	68
22. Principal	4	68
23. Flauto Traverso	4	68
24 Piccolo	2	61
25. Cornet	3 ranks	204
26. Bassoon	16	68
27. Cornopean	8	68
28. Oboe	8	68
29. Vox Humana...	8	68
Choir Organ		
30. Open Diapason.	8	68
31. Melodia	8	68
32. Dulciana	8	68
33. Harmonica Flute	4	68
34. Violina	4	68
35. Flageolet	2	61
36. Clarinet	8	68
Solo Organ		
37. Gross Flute.....	8	68
38. Gamba	8	68
39. Harmonic Flute.	4	61
40. Harmonic Piccolo	2	61
41. Tuba	8	68
42. Cor Anglais....	8	68
Pedal Organ		
43. Double Open (7 acoustic)	32	30
44. Open Diapason.	16	30
4g. Open Diapason (from No. 1 metal)	16	30
46. Vlolone	16	30
47. Bourdon	16	30
48. Gedackt (from No. 15).....	16	30
49. Octave (from No. 44.....	8	30
50. Octave (18 from 47)	8	30
51. Violoncelle (18 from 46).....	8	30
52. Trombone	16	30
53. Trumpet (18 from 52)	8	30

Pistons

5 adjustable to Great.
5 " to Swell.
3 " to Choir.
3 " to Solo.
4 " to Pedal.
1 reversible Solo to Pedal.
1 " Swell to Pedal.
1 " Great to Pedal.
1 " Choir to Pedal.
1 adjuster.
4 adjustable foot-pistons acting on all stops and couplers.
1 foot-piston Great to Pedal.

Pedals.

1 Swell Pedal.
1 Swell Pedal for Croir and Solo.
1 Cresendo Pedal.

Mechanical Registers

54. Great to Pedal.
55. Swell to Pedal.
56. Choir to Pedal.
57. Solo to Pedal.
58. Swell super to Pedal.
59. Solo super to Pedal.
60. Swell to Great.
61. Choir to Great.
62. Solo to Great.
63. Solo to Swell.
64. Solo to Choir.
65. Swell to Choir.
66. Swell sub to Great.
67. Swell super to Great.
68. Swell sub to Choir.
69. Swell super to Choir.
70. Solo sub to Great.
71. Solo super to Great.
72. Great sub G.
73. Great super A.
74. Swell sub.
75. Swell super.
76. Choir sub.
77. Choir super.
78. Solo sub.
79. Solo super.
80. Tremulant to Swell.
81. Tremulant to Solo.
82. Chimes to Great.
83. Chimes to Swell.
84. Chimes to Choir.
85. Chimes to Solo.
86. Chimes to Solo.
87. Chimes super to Solo.
88. Tremulant to Choir.

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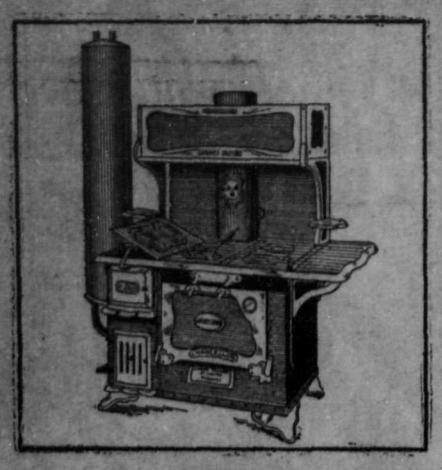

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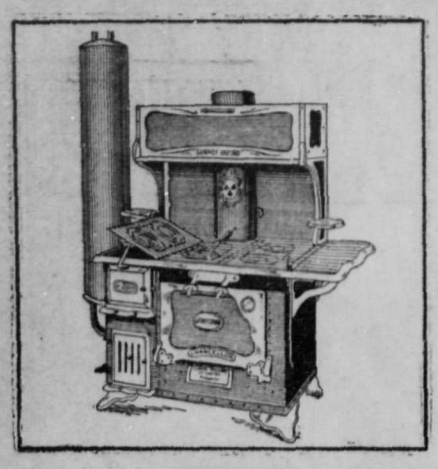

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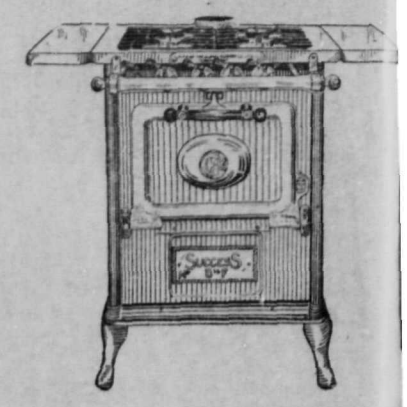

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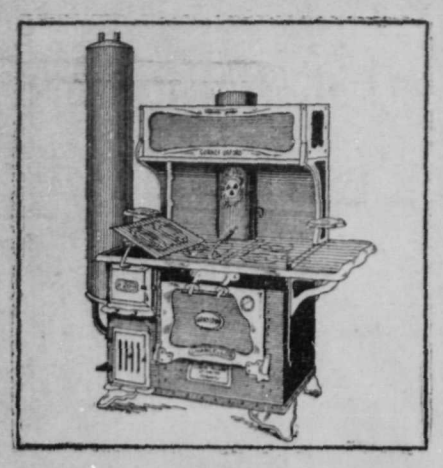

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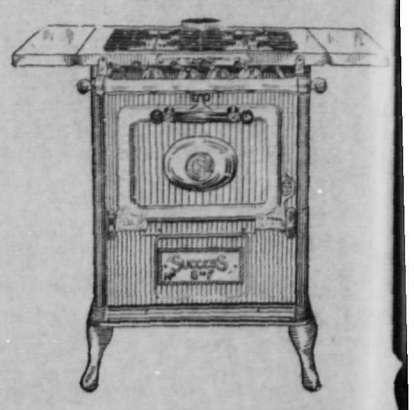

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