FREE STATE PARLIAMENT REFUSES TO FREE PRISONERS

SMILES PREVAIL AT STRATHROY

Second Day of Fair Is Replete With Enjoyment and All Are Pleased.

BIG CROWDS ATTEND

Special to The Advertiser Strathroy, Sept. 19 .- With lavorable weather today and the double bill of attractions, Strathroy Fall Fair closed with monster crowds and a day replete with enjoyment, so that the president, Mr. John Currie, the secretary, Mr. David Donaldson, and the board of directors, who have made such strenuous efforts to make it a success, are tonight smiling with good cheer, in-stead of the looks of discouragement worn last evening after the day of

ing the judging of horses com-menced, Mr. James McFarlane of Allsa Craig judging light horses, and the heavy horses. The classes were all well filled, and as the quality of the animals shown was exceptionally good, there were some hot contests.

Year ewe, ewe lamb, 3 lambs and pen of sheep, E. Robson.

Leicester.—All classes won by Wm.

McLean & Sons. good, there were some hot contests. In the class for light foals the competition was especially keen, both were six foals, all from stallions loaned by the King to the Canadian their high lineage.

Fine Show of Horses.

In the heavy horses, the general purpose class brought out a large entry of teams so evenly matched amongst any of them. After viewing the large class of horses judged today and seeing the b. Parker. Heifer, 2 years, James number of beautiful turnouts, it is b. Parker, W. C. Pearson, W. McIntyre, Olaf Keleeher. Heifer, 1 year, James B. Parker, W. McIntyre, W. C. Pearson, W. McIntyre, W. McIntyre, W. C. Pearson, W. McIntyre, W. McI as many motor fans seem to think. At 2 o'clock the track was sufficifor racing, and it steadily improved enjoy the grand sport or harness horse racing certainly received a horse racing certainly received a thousand thrills as they watched from the packed grandstand and crowded grounds. The race for green forses found each entry with a good cheering following, but in the four driving heats from wire to finish of the 2.16 pace the crowds saw racing that will go down in the history of the fairs as worthy of special mention. Billy Abdel's win over Grattan by a head in the third and fourth heats to win the race seemed to be popular with the cheering crowds.

the most interesting the judging of lady drivers. There were three contestants, all of whom Edwards & Sons, W. E. Parker. Steer, 1 year, W. E. Parker, McLean & Sons, Steer calf, McLean & Sons, Edwards & Sons, W. E. Parker. drove exceptionally well and with grace and assurance. Some mis-understanding seemed to exist among Some mis- don. the spectators, as it was not thoroughly understood that only driving

Between heats of the racing, parades of the live-stock were shown. On account of the large number, the parade was split. The first part consisted of the winning cattle, the second part, of the horses. The part part, of the horses. The part that received most comment from the E. Parker.

roy baseball fans in their hard-hitting team and exceptional Borchert-McCandless battery was justi-fied. The locals won the baseball from Delaware by the score of to 2, which does not convey a real idea of the game, as it was a fast, entertaining exhibition, filled with thrills which held the interest of a tremendous crowd, although the horse-racing was proceeding at the It had been advertised that Ilderton would play Delaware today instead of yesterday, but this was unable to appear on account of several of their players being with the Lucan team playing in Turn to page 15, col. 3.

Clinton today, so the Strathroy team was substituted. Although today was an outstanding success from every viewpoint, it not thought by the directors that the receipts will be sufficient to make up the deficit incurred yesterday. Following are the results of the Strathroy-Delaware baseball game, by innings: Strathroy 200 103 21x—9 11 2 Harvey.

less; Johnston and Fletcher

Results of the Races. 2.40 pace or trot, purse \$300, mile heats:
Hoosier Lady, Thrower..... 3 1 1 1
Axmell, Dunfield, (Mackey)... 1 2 2 2
William Steele. Parsnips, Mrs. F.

Time: 2.29¼, 2.30, 2.29½, 2.34.

2.16 pace, purse \$300, mile heats:
Billy Abdel, Wilson 1 2 1 1
Joe Grattan, Galbraith,
(Currie) 2 1 2 2
Pilot Unko, Pierce 3 3 3 3 3
Tony Mack, Fraser, (Mackey) 4 4 4 4
Time: 2.15½, 2.15½, 2.15½, 2.17½.
Green race, purse \$150, half mile heats:
Eureka, Currie 1 1 1
Tom Dodge, Hodgins,

Tom Dodge, Hodgins,

(Wilsor)

Freddie T. Thrower

3 2 3 Prizetaker seed onions, William Steele.

Freddie E. Best collection of onions, Steele. Time: 1.09\%, 1.09\%, 1.09\4.

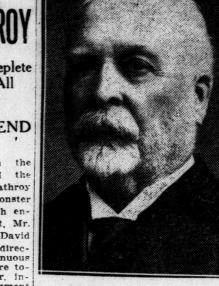
The following is an additional list

Steele. Best collection of onions, William Steele. Pumpkins, P. D. Alderson Squash, field, Jacob Throw-

SHEEP.

er. Hubbard squash, William Steele Squash, A. O. K., Miss T. Winters Judge, W. R. Trott, London. Sournown, all classes-David Mc-Shropshires.—Aged ram, W. White bread, Howard McLean; brown bread, Howard McLean; nut

Pearson. Year ram, Charlton & Sons. Pearson. Year ram, Chariton & Sons.
Ram lamb, Chariton & Sons. Aged
Bull, yearling, Thomas Douglas, Wm.
McLean & Sons. Bull calf, Wm. McLean & Sons, Ira Downer, Thomas
Ger; angel cake, Mrs. E. Hilton;
Spanish bun, Ivy Gregory; ginger Lean & Sons, Ira Downer, Thomas der; angel cake, Mrs. E. Hilton; ewe, Charlton & Sons, Year ewe, Spanish bun, Ivy Gregory; ginger bread, William Kinder; two-layer bread, William Kinder; two-layer G. M. Robertson. Ewe lamb, Charl-ton & Sons. Three lambs, Charlton cake, Mrs. Agnes Miller; pies, Mrs. George H. Parker; school luncheon, & Sons. Pen, G. M. Robertson. George B.
Hugh Turner.
Preserved Fruit — Strawberries
H Parker Downs, A.O.K.-Aged ram, McLean & Brigham. Year ram, A. O. Early. Ram lamb, McLean & Brigham, All raspberries, Mrs. George H. Parker; ewe classes, pen, 3 lambs and sheep, plums, Mrs. William McCutcheon;



T. Cosgrave was re-elected president of the executive council of the Irish THOMAS F. TOWERS, Sarnia, who celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his wedding last anniversary of his wedding last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Towers have numerous friends.

CATTLE. petition was especially keen, both Shorthorns.—Bull, over 3 years, in the class and for the special prize Thomas Douglas, Oliver McKean. given by the Thoroughbred Association for the best 1923 foal. There were six foals, all from stallions Douglas, Onver McLean & Sons, Oliver appearance the chamber differed the open sitting. In general tended the open sitting. In general tended the open sitting. In general tended the open sitting in the description of the abolition of the oath raised in the chamber. McKean. Heifer, 2 years, Wm. Mcdepartment, and all six were Lean & Sons, Thomas Douglas, partment, and an every evidence of Compbell Bros. Heifer, 1 year, Thos. Douglas, W. E. Parker, Wm. McLean Bryan Cooper, both formerly mem-& Sons. Heifer calf. Thos. Douglas, bers of the Westminster Parliament. Wm. McLean & Sons. Herd, Thos. of the government's policy, the Douglas, Wm. McLean & Sons. Herefords.-Bull, 2 years, Wm. ready two prominent Cork members The same McIntyre. Bull, 1 year, W. C. Pear-gle roadsters. son. Bull calf, W. C. Pearson. Cow, W. McIntyre, W. C. Pearson, James of the group, Richard B. Beamish and A. O'Shawnessy, have joined the

Judge.-Capt. T. E. Robson, Lon-

Agricultural-Brood mare, J.

Judge-James Norris, Mitchell.

wards & Son. Foal, D. N. Munro, W.

Edwards & Son. Single carriage, J.

Brood mare, L. Murlow, Charlton

Son, W. E. Parker. Foal, W. E. Parker, D. N. Munro, L. Murlow.

D. K. McCray. Span of horses, D. N.

Munro, Campbell Brothers. Special

single turnous, McLean Brothers, O. Quick, D. K. McCray, C. Linton, C. McLellan. Special, lady driver, O. Quick, Mrs. Giffen, Mrs.

Thoroughbred Association special 1923—Foal, D. N. Munro, W. Hawken

VEGETABLES.

Dooley, William Steele. Green Moun-

tain, J. N. Hilborn. Early Rose, D. Harvey. A. O. K., J. N. Hilborn.

Kinson. Mangels, yellow, William Steele. Golden Giant, William Steele.

K., Miss T. Winters.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Potatoes—Collection standard, D. Jarvey. Cobbler, J. N. Hilborn.

Judge-James McFarlane, Ailsa

Year old, Angus McLean.

Pedden.

Craig.

L. Murlow.

official government party. Labor Suffered. A conspicuous gap in the Labor benches showed the defeat suffered by the Laborites in the last election.
In the last Dail the Labor members Pearson. Heifer calf, W. McIntyre, W. C. Pearson, James B. Parker Parker. acted as the official opposition, but Herd, W. McIntyre, W. C. Pearson. now the Farmers are more numerous Aberdeen Angus.-Bull, 3 years, and hope to play that role, as seem-Wm. Buchanan. Bull, 1 year, Ed-wards & Sons. Bull calf, Wm. Buchanan, Edwards & Sons. release of prisoners. Wm. Buchanan, James B. Parker. Heifer, 2 years, Wm. Buchanan, Edwards & Sons. Heifer, 1 year, Wm. Buchanan, Edwards & Sons. Heifer

military office.

day's session from the last sessions Cowal Cemetery. Deceased had been day's session from the last sessions of the Dail was admission of people to the public gallery. This was crowded with men and women, who had to be called to order by the Speaker for indulging in applause. There was very slight public interest in the assembling of the Dail. The crowd outside the building was meagre, and with the exception of a slight demonstration by some women

Cowal Cemetery. Deceased had been an invalid for a number of years, but her death came unexpectedly. She was 70 years of age. Surviving are her husband, Charles Grisdale, Balcarres, Sask.: Miss Rise Grisdale, Sparta; and Ida Grisdale at home; also one brother and five sisters, Mr. Archibald Stacey, Mrs. Jane Griffin, Mrs. D. March, Mrs. J. W. Milton, lotte Stacey, all of Dunwich. Calf, Edwards & Sons, Wm. Buchanan. Herd. Wm. Buchanan, Edwards -Cow, Wm. McLean & Sons, Nevil McLean, Wm. Buchanan. Heifer, 2 years, McLean & Sons, Nevil McLean, Wm. McIntyre, Heifer, year, McLean & Sons, Nevil McLean, W. E. Parker. Heifer Calf, McLean & Sons, W. E. Parker, Nevil McLean & Sons, W. E. Parker, Nevil McLean. Herd, McLean & Sons, Nevil McLean. Steer, 2 years, McLean & Sons, W. E. Parker. Steer, 1 year W. F. Parker. Steer,

DAIRY PRODUCTS. Butter, Miss L. B. Gregory; butter, packed, Strathroy Creamery; butter in prints, dairy, Miss L. B. Gregory; butter in prints, creamery, Strathroy

General purpose—Brood mare, W. Dawson Golden Chaff, Leander Fos-E. Parker. Foal, W. E. Parker, ter; Red wheat, A.O.V., Robert Gal-Dawson Golden Chaff, Leander Fos-

that received most comment from the spectators was the light foals, six of whom made a showing on the sunlighted track that drew a real cheer from the stands.

| E. Parker. Foal, W. E. Parker. ter; Red wheat, A.O.V., Robert Galler, William Mc-Lamont & Sons, Thomas Hardy, W. E. Parker. Three-year-old, D. N. Turner; oats, O.A.C. 72, William Mc-Lamont & Sons, Thomas Hardy. Span of horses, D. M. Mc-Neil, Thomas Hardy. McLean & V. Clarence Maien; field peas, white, Reigham. large, small and golden. William Mc-Cutcheon; barley, William McCut-cheon; corn, Yellow Dent, White Light horses, carriage — Brood mare, W. Hawken, D. N. Munro, Ed-Dent, Yellow Flint, William McCutcheon; corn, White Flint, D. Harvey; beans, William McCutcheon; clover. Hawken, Edwards & Son. Year old, William McCutcheon, Hugh Turner; A. Hill & Son, D. Limon. Roadster, flax, William McCutcheon.

PLANTS AND FLOWERS Best collection plants—Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Ira Downer. Vase cut flowers— J. T. Payne, Mrs. Payne, Miss Dora Smith. Bouquet, hand—Mrs. Payne, Mrs. A. Anderson. Bridal bouquet— Mrs. Payne, Miss Leafa Smith flowers, table design—Miss Leafa Smith, Miss Dora Smith, J. T. Payne Dahlias, cactus, fancy, single—Mrs. Payne. Decorative and collection, Mrs. Payne. Fuchsia—Mrs. Payne. Gladioli—J. T. Payne, Miss Dora Smith. Dianthus—Mrs. Payne. Phlox—Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Downer. Asters, collection—Mrs. Downer. Mrs. Payne, Pay Mrs. Downer, Mrs. Payne. Balsams Mrs. Payne. Balsams

Mrs. Payne. Collection cut stocks—
Mrs. Payne. Coxcomb—Mrs. Payne.
Mrs. Payne. J. N. Hilborn.
Pansies—Mrs. Payne, J. N. Hilborn.
Petunias, Mrs. Payne, J. N. Hilborn.
Hanging basket—Coxcomb Hanging basket—George H. Parker. Stand of flowers—Mrs. Payne. Geranium, double and single mixed—Mrs. Downer. Begonias, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Downer. Coleus-Mrs. Payne. Sham-rock-Hugh Turner, Robert Galrock-Hugh Turner, Robert Ga. braith, Mrs. Payne. Collection asters-Miss Dora Smith, Miss Payne Special mention made of floral de

sign by Benstead and basket of pur-ple asters, Miss Smith. Judge—W POULTRY. Bronze gobbler—James MacDonald. Turkey gobbler—Alexander Ander-

Toulouse gander, old — Clarenc Maun: goose, old, Clarence Maun nder, young, James MacDonald; ose, young, James MacDonald. Pair geese, young, A. O. K .- Alex-

Ducks.

Pekin drake, old, James Butler; drake, old, James Butler; drake, young, F. and J. Dymond; duck, young. F. and J. Dymond.

Rouen duck and drake, old. C. Maien; drake, young, C. Maien; duck, young, Doan. young, Doan. Pair A. O. V., old, Doan; young,

Chickens. Andalusian-Cock and hen, James Brahma, light-Cock, MacDonald; Doan. Dark— cock, hen, cock-pullet, D. Bogue. Campine - Cock, hen. and pullet, Doan.
Cochins—White and buff, Doan.

Cochins-White and buff, Doan.
Dorkings, all classes-White and olored, D. Bogue; S.G., F. and J. bymond.
Games—B. R. cock, Dymond; hen,
Doan; cockerel, Doan; pullet, Doan.
Indians, all classes—Dymond.
Duckwing—Cock, Baxter; hen,
cockerel and pullet, D. Bogue. A.
O. V., all classes, Doan.
Houdan—Cock, cockerel, Mac-McLean & Brigham.

Best ewe lamb.—J. C. Lamont, Ernest Robson, Robert Morgan.
Cotswold.—All classes won by Lincoln.—All ram classes won by E. Robson. Aged ewe, A. H. McLean.

Cotswold.—All ram classes won by McCutcheon; canned chicken, Clifford Linton; meat loaf, Mrs. A. Anderson; jams, beaches, Mrs. A. Anderson; jams, cockerel and pullet, D. Bogue. O. V., all classes, Doan.

McCutcheon; canned vegetables, Mrs. W. McCutcheon; canned chicken, Clifford Linton; meat loaf, Mrs. A. An-

To Liberate Republicans When New Dail Is Opened in favor of the government releasing Dublin, Sept. 19.—The opening sitting of the new Dail Eireann was an uneventful one aside from one exciting incident. This was when the Farmers' party, representing the opposition in the absence of all the Republicans under arrest, argued that 44 Republicans had been elected to the Dail by the people and that they

Irish Government Refuses

position in the absence of all the Re-publican deputies, sought unavailing-by to induce the government to liber-ate imprisoned Republican members tunity to meet together in order to

and discuss its future policy. This

proposal provoked brief but some-what heated debate, which showed

hat the government had not the

slightest intention to recede from its previous attitude toward the Repub-

As has been anticipated, William

Free State by acclamation: Michael

were Capt. Wm. Redmond and Major

ncy toward fusion, and al-

of the chamber so as to enable the Republican party to hold a meeting the rule of the majority and adopt Urges Release.

Mr. Wilson, also of the Farmers' party, in seconding Mr. Gorey's resolution, contended that it was desirable for the 44 deputies to be in a position to advise with the other clared that their release might facilitate an undertaking to enable a general release of prisoners.

Hayes was unanimously chosen speaker of the Dail. Mr. Cosgrave was the recipient of a great ovation Minister of Agriculture Hogan re-plied that it had cost £15,000,000 and on his election. All the members of the house stood and cheered him. the lives of many gallant men, in-cluding Michael Collins, to jail these prisoners, and argued against re-lease. Then Mr. Cosgrave spoke. In quiet tones he began by saying that the present was not the proper time to raise such a question. He also revealed the fact that the govern-ment was aware of midnight visits by Republicans to certain members of He will now be minister of defence only, which is a civilian and not a About 100 members of the Dail atlittle from the preceding Dail. The

The country, Mr. Cosgrave continued, had given its verdict. The government had done everything to Independents sat together in a group in the center. Prominent among them meet the Republicans a year ago, and jeopardy and to the edge of an abyss. Yet homes of members of the govern-As the Independents generally approve ment had been burned and

With increasing warmth the president declared that the governmen would not yield to sentimentalism in favor of men who had done their utmost and failed and now hoped for positions as generals or presidents. He pointed out that there were only eighteen members of the 44 mem-bers of the Dail now in jail, and asked what the others are doing. He added that there must be evidence of a real change of heart on the part of the Republicans before the governingly was shown by their action to-day in endeavoring to procure the who died in that village on Tuesday elease of prisoners.

One noteworthy difference in to-day at 2 o'clock, interment being at

derson; pickles, Mrs. W. McCutcheon. McLean; S.S., all classes, Dymond. George Lock; pullet, D. Bogue. Leghorn—Black, cock, hen, Doan; cockerel, pullet, MacDonald.
S. C. White Leghorn—All classes, H. Fifield.

butter in prints, creamery, Strathroy Creamery; lard, Robert Galbraith; honey Leghorns—Dark and light, all R. C. Leghorns-Cock, Alderson; the spectators, as it was not thoroughly understood that only driving was considered by the judges, who did not consider the horse or turnoutin awarding the decision to Miss Quick of Glencoe.

Creamery: lard, Robert Galbraith; honey in comb, A. E. McKay; honey, extracted, Robert Galbraith; honey in comb, A. E. McKay; honey, extracted, Robert Galbraith; honey in comb, A. E. McKay; honey, extracted, Robert Galbraith; honey in comb, A. E. McKay; honey, extracted, light, Robert Galbraith; MacDonald.

Minorcas—Cock, MacDonald; hen, Doan; cockerel, pullet, Dymond. Orpington—Buff, all classes, Donald; cockerel and pullet, A. Mc-

Lean; white, all classes, Dymond. Barred Rocks—All classes, Dymond. White Rocks—Cock and hen, Dycockerel and pullet, D.

Rhode Island Reds-Cock, Dymond hen, cockerel and pullet, James But-Red Caps-Cock and hen. J. R. Smith: cockerel, pullet, Alexander Black Spanish-All classes, Bogue.

Silver Wyandottes-All classes, J. MacDonald. Golden Wyandottes-All classes, J. White Wyandottes—Cock and hen.

George Lock; cockerel, Frank Smith; pullet, Dymond. Black Wyandottes—Cock, hen and pullet, J R. Smith; cockerel, Alexander Anderson.

Cochin Bantams — Cock. James MacDonald; cockerel

Guinea Pigs-Mac Collins. Specials.

Best 3 Barred Rock Cockerelsymond. Judges-Chickens, W. Murray Turkey, geese and ducks, John Bogue.

HOME BANK FAILURE AFFECTS DELAWARE

Erection of New Masonic Building Is Indefinitely Postponed.

Special to The Advertiser.

Delaware, Sept. 19.-Financial emwhich the failure of the Home Bank sage has affected Delaware. Substantial the work on the new Masonic building has been indefinitely postponed. The building was started about six weeks ago with the understanding that the Home Bank would occupy the ground floor. All of the foundation and the vault had been constructed when news of the bank's failure became known.

The Home Bank had for several years occupied the ground floor of the Masonic building. Last September the building was totally destroyed by fire, and the bank had to take up temporary and, somewhat cramped quarters in a couple of vacant rooms adjoining the general store of Messrs: Johnstone & Bodkin,

It was anticipated that a new building would be put up early in the spring; then the provincial highway put in a claim for a large por-tion of the building lot. This left things at a standstill for a considerable length of time.

At last sufficient land was secured adjoining the old site, and the work on the new building was let to conLABOR COUNCIL TACKLES DISPUTE

Fail To Reach Decision of Dr. Lust Addresses Members Standing of Two Officers.

TAKE UP DEFENCE

Last night's meeting of the trades

When the last meeting of the councommittee of the whole, and last eral hundred Londoners, toge with many chiropractors from position to advise with the other night's meeting started where the parts of the country, grown stronger during the interval.
Rud Hessel occupied the chair as chairman of the committee, and, true

in North Americ natural healing.
Dr. Lust spoke to his promise of two weeks ago, granted Secretary Burke the right to take up his defence where he had left off on the previous occasion.

Before Burke had got properly started on his defence of the letter concerning the status of Mould and Thompson which he had written to the American Federation of Labor, he was interrupted by Delegate Thompson, who rose to a question of Thompson, who rose to a question of order in asking Burke to be more specific and less insinuating in the accusations which he was hurling at Mould and himself and others, whom Burke had covered with the word "clique."

sugar and vinegar were injurious to the system.

"By eating the correct food we can keep the system cleansed, and build up the body on vitamines," said Dr. Lust.

During the course of Dr. Lust's address on patural healing he explaint order in asking Burke to be more specific and less insinuating in the Burke had covered with the word

At this juncture, Fred Young rose to his feet and disputed Chairman Hessel's ruling as being unfair and designed to stifle the defence which

Burke was trying to build up.
At this point, Hessel told Young that naturally there was nothing in the constitution which provided for a meeting which sat as a committee of the whole, and that he was following the usages of parliamentary procedure. This hair-splitting on the part of the ex-treasurer reached a pitch where President Jack McGuire was forced to interrupt an offer, on Young's part, for Hessel to come down on the floor of the room and engage in fisticuffs.

In his denunciation of Mould and

ng at Thompson, Burke produced what he thought to be a deadly blow, when he announced certain statements alleged to have been made by Dr. Cam-eron Wilson at the time that Thompson's application for a booth in the market hall basement came before the civic authorities. The part of of the Labor Temple as a "beehive of cecessionism." Burke succeeded in detaching from a personal connection with Mould and Thompson, but the defence fell flat, owing to the fact that he was continually heckled by members of the Labor Temple trustees board, who insisted on resenting his insinuations as to the uses to which the Labor Temple had been

President McGuire rose to a point of privilege, and stated that he as a member of the same board had no apology to offer for the management of the Labor Temple, and finding that he was getting beyond his depth in this matter. Burke was glad of an experience of the control of Minorcas—Cock, MacDonald; hen, in this matter. Burke was glad of an opportunity to drop it, and let balance of the debate hang over until the October meeting, when he has promised to supply all the correspondence written in connection with the political dispute which has The meeting then took the form usual sessions of the Trade and Labor Council, when Arthur Mould moved that the council go on

record as repudiating the letter ten by Burke to the A. F. L. The motion was carried after much haggling was supposedly closed for President McGuire then took the

The move struck the council like in the meeting of the labor council of late. Out of Order. Linnell was told that his motion

in October before such a motion could be entertained.

Delegate Simpson rose to a point was that after the grievance committee had reported as condemning Burke and Young, this motion should be out of order. President McGuire explained that

grievance committee was merely asked to investigate the case in answer to protests against Young and Burke, and that the Trades and Labor Council would attend to this business in due time and in its own way. remainder of the business was taken up with routine business, but man in closing the meeting were barrassment is not the only way in the delegates that he brought a mesfrom Secretary P. M. Draper of the Canadian Trades Congress evidence of this rests in the fact that would visit London in the next six weeks, and if still necessary, do what he could towards settling the present

> SECURES FIRST PLACE IN FIELD CROP CONTEST

Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, Sept. 19.--George Matheson of East Nissouri has sucobtaining first place in the standing field crop competition in ensilage corn under the auspices of the East Nissouri Agricultural Society. Mr. Matheson scored 94 points. The judge was F. A. Maas of Streetsville, and the other competitors and their scores were as follows: Seaton, 90; Hugh Rutledge, 89; D. Thompson, 84; John F. Mills, 83; Alex McCorquodale, 80; Israel Mead, 78; George Sutherland, 77.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY.

Special to The Advertiser. Galt, Sept. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. B. W.

GIVES INTERESTING

of Drugless Physicians' Association of Canada.

CONVENTION ENDS

The annual convention of the Drugand labor council was almost entirely less Physicians' Association of Cantaken up with a continuation of the ada concluded last night with an in-Burke and Young dispute, which has teresting address on "Radiant Health been the topic uppermost in the and How to Attain It," delivered by minds of the delegates for the past City, president of the American City, president of the Naturopathic Institution.

The meeting which was open to the cil adjourned, the meeting was in public was held at Hyman Hall. Sevother left off, with this difference, great interest to Dr. Lust who is that the feeling of both factions has in North America on the subject of

Dr. Lust spoke on eating and exer-Dr. Lust spoke on eating and exercise, pointing out that only through constant exercise and correct diet could the best of health be attained. By taking the proper foods into the body, by diet and occasional fasting we can live a life devoid of illness," said Dr. Lust. He gave a short talk on the food which should constitute. on the food which should constitute the menu of every home, and pointthe menu of every home, and pointed out that such articles as salt, sugar and vinegar were injurious to the system.

During the course of Dr. Lust's address on natural healing, he explained how water was one of the greatest preventives of disease known.

"All functions of the body move in water strengthens and hardens the constitution. Combine with the cure a proper diet and the whole secret of the nature cure is found." At the afternoon's session of the year were elected. a general talk to drugless practiwashing treatment. More than fifty representative

chiropractors from all parts of the country were present at yesterday's convention.

Dr. J. M. Anderson of Galt was sociation. This will be Dr. Anderson's fourth term as head of the chiropractors' association. Dr. G. A. Williams of Toronto was J. A. Henderson of Hamilton will fill the position of second vice-presi-

Dr. A. W. Macfie, of this city, will be the secretary-treasurer for ensuing year, and Dr. C. A. Sales, also of London, will fill the position

of assistant secretary.

The directors elected for the year of 1923-24 are: Dr. W. F. Cotton, St. Thomas; Dr. J. A. Fox, Wingham; Dr. J. A. Cudmore, Toronto: Dr.

Sensational Revelations Expected Regarding Pendergast Fence Company.

FARMERS COMPLAIN

Special to The Advertiser Sarnia, Sept. 19.-Sensational revelations in connection with the operations of the now defunct Pendergast Fence Company of this city are chair and was conducting the routine business of the council when Delerose to a point of authorities in this city are reticent privilege and asked to be allowed to concerning the affairs of the comprivilege and asked to be allowed to move that the council declare the pany, it is known that farmers and position of secretary vacant and call others in Western Ontario and many pany, it is known that farmers and other parts of Canada, practically a bombshell, and when the full sig-nificance of the idea got home to the delegates, there was a silence that involved will run into thousands of be a systematic fraud. Money dollars and the police here are search ing records of the company for fur-ther information.

The Pendergast Fence Company of was out of order, as the council had already stated that the hearing of Secretary Burke would be held first years a resident here, and also the years a resident here, and also the head of two fence companies in the United States. It is alleged that the firm until this spring conducted a widely advertised cut-rate campaign on wire fencing, and received orders accompanied by cash from far and near. The orders were never filled. Circulars A, B and C were sent in order given to purchasers who be the small plant and office furnishings and the officers of the company dis-

Maurica DeBurgh Pendergast formerly owned the Sarnia Fence Company and sold out four or five years ago to the present Sarnia Fence Comthe new firm in Canada for three ganized a new company. "Pendergast is back and wire prices all over the country are down," were words contained in one of the circulars sent out under the company

plaints of loss of sum varying from \$10 to \$200 are mounting up. The Pendergast fami'v resided in the city and were widely known here for many years. Factories in the United States engaged in manufacng wire fencing have been oper-by two sons of Maurice Pender-

STOLE TOOLS AND IS SENT TO ONTARIO REFORMATORY

Special to The Advertise Guelph, Sept. 19.—Charles Morgan, colored, appeared before Magistrate Watt in the police court today charged with entering the premises of the Guelph Lumber Company, and stealing a quantity of tools belonging to Ernest Colley and A. Cunn ham to the value of over \$30. pleaded guilty to charge, and after Crown Attorney Kearns had outlined a portion of his previous record, statable length of time.

At last sufficient land was secured adjoining the old site, and the work on the new building was let to contractors. Then word of the bank's difficulty was issued, and work on the building once more ceased.

Galt, Sept. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Zieman of Preston today quietly celebrated the 35th anniversary of their marriage, which took place at Sebrater 19, 1888. They have lived in Preston for the past 31 years, there being only one street in the willage when they arrived.



GEORGE SUTHERLAND

born in London in 1866, and had spent most of his life as a farmer in Lobo and Mrs. (Dr.) G. W. Clements of

Revision Court Hears Many Appeals On Latest Assessment Figures.

the word department store will be for the ensuing the question that some county judge Dr. Lust gave will have to decide in the property will have to decide in the near futioners, and explained the new blood ture, as the result of the assessment commissoner's action this year in deciding that four stores in the city are department stores, and should be poultry show is one of the big features of the fair. The judging shows At last night's meeting of the re-

vision court, appeals were entered by Smallman & Ingram, Woolworths from outside. and Kingsmills against this ruling Assessment Commissioner Bennett.
The difference between a retail store and a department store in assessment is that the department store has to pay twice as much to the city. The act governing the case states that "where a store declares itself a department store, has over twenty thousand dollars assessment, and agricultural districts in has more than five branches, it shall deemed to be a department store. T. F. Kingsmill speaking last night on behalf of his store declared vigpartment store, and we have only two drygoods department, the furnace de. tainment program. partment, the crockery department, the rug department, the toy depart-

"What do you know about lines or branches in a store?" he asked the commissioner. "There are only two Businessmen 20, Beachville their appeal to the highest court that was open to them. There was some difficulty at last 33. states that they required to give the ands to attend the fair. last year's income on their tax form, instead of the prospective income for the coming year, as was the case be In future the taxpayer will pay his tax for one year on the income h fore. In future the taxpayer will pay his tax for one year on the income he received two years previously. Many of last night's applicants were surprised to learn that they would pay he tax for their 1923 income in 1925 their annual appeal against their against their business assessment made on the business carried on as an express company. A representa tive of the company stated that the Canadian Express Company, and they ought that they should be entitled to the same exemption in the case of this business as with their usual railway business. He asked that the property awarded by the board of contract railway commissioners to the L. &

Do Not Own Land.

meet the taxes on it and were asappeals were reserved for decision, whether the contractors would be Mr. Bennet remarking that he hoped made to live up to the terms of the to reassess all that railway property next year. Another case presented ty of \$100 per week for York street, a lot owned by the company but assessed to the Niagara Power Commission. They want the Oct. 31, this will mean that the conassessment changed, in case they tractors will be made to pay a total eventually lose control of it.

The Roman Catholic Church appealed against the assessment of cussion on the matter by the com-their new monastery on Talbot mittee before the last payment is street, the first time in the history At the Sarnia police station and property has been assessed. Only a pay in the crown attornev's office com- small part of the building is assessed.

further consideration. The Western University appealed against the assessment of \$360 for and handed to the principal when the garbage collection, which they stated hey disposed of themselves and that was not collected by the city. They ill have to see number two commit ee of the city council about it. The ppeals of C. S. Hyman and W. F. Clocks also occupied a few minarvis were also laid over to the first utes of the committee's time when appeals of C. S. Hyman and W. meeting next Wednesday.

TO ASK ADJOURNMENT

Ottawa, Sept. 19.-When Ernest Emard, driver of the automobile in the wreck of which J. A. Ferguson and H. J. Robillard, both of this city, were killed Tuesday, is arraigned on charge of manslaughter by wantor and reckless driving of the car in Hull police court tomorrow morning Crown Attorney Parent will ask tha

FINE DAY FAVORS **WOODSTOCK FAIR**

Attendance Pleases Directors and Is Above Average On Opening Day.

THE POULTRY SHOW

Special to The Advertiser Woodstock, Sept. 19 .- The opening day of the Woodstock fair was favored with ideal weather conditions and tonight the directors are well crowd on opening day has never been what really could be called large, but In the flower section is to be seen the best exhibit of bloom and foliage the attendance today was about the

average on opening day. The feature of the day's entertain of Komoka, who died suddenly at his ment was the softball tournament, home on Sept. 11. The deceased was in which seven girls' and four men's clubs participated. The judging was Township. He is survived by three brothers, James, Neil and Henry, and two sisters, Josie Sutherland at home, and Mrs. (Dr.) G. W. Clements of commenced in many of the departments. In the ladies' department the exhibits filled the entire space allowed, and the critics were of the opinion that the display about the best ever seen at the local

In the fruit and vegetable department the display is not as large as in former years, but the judges expressed the opinion that the of both fruits and vegetables was

that lovers of flowers ever had the pleasure of looking over at the local show. Especially in the gladioli section is there to be seen a magnificent collection of bloom.

Sergeant W. Jerry was the leading Sergeant W. Jerry was the leading winner in the gladioli class, with Mrs. E. M. Clarke of Woodstock a close second. Mrs. William Nutt, W. Fletcher and Mrs. George Charliss were also prize winners.

Among the educational features of the fair, of interest to farmers in particular, is the exhibit of the Dominion and provincial poultry branches of the department of agriculture: models

of chicken coops, demonstration of egg production, showing specimens good and bad laying hens. that Taylor of Aylmer, Schantz of Ayr, and S. A. Gibson of Ingersoli are among the chief prize winners

Directors' Luncheon.

At noon today at the directors' uncheon Mayor Murray and E. W. Nesbitt, ex-M.P., spoke. said that an increased prize list was one of the necessities to make Wood stock Fair grow as it ought. This city, as one of the centres of the best would then have a fair to which the people would flock in greater numbers than ever.

The midway was in full blast this shalf of his store declared vigly, "we have never been a deaent store, and we have only twe
house furnishings and dry
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How do you call that five
The midway was in full biast this
afternoon and again tonight. The
band of the 22nd Oxford Rifles, with
the Brunswick troop of London and
Campbell troupe of dancers and singers furnished the music and entertainment program.

The crowd this afternoon was atment and the stationery, kitchen ware, and soap and toilet departments. Mr. Kingsmill, however, did ments. Mr. Kingsmill, however, did ments see it that way. while the Eastwood girls triumphed over the other seven teams in

commissioner. "There are only two in the store, and you don't know anything about it." The case was reserved for decision, but the appelarment of the case was reserved for decision, but the appelarment it is a second of the case was reserved for decision, but the appelarment is a second of the case was reserved for decision, but the appelarment is a second of the case was reserved for decision. The case was reserved for decision, but the appelarment is a second of the case was reserved for decision. Dunns 6, Drury Club 18. Woodstoo Y. 16, Burgessville 32. Hickson a by Second round, Hickson 2, Eastwood Burgessville 4, Drury Club 5, night's meeting on the part of citi-zens who did not understand the Final. Eastwood 11. Drury Club Tomorrow is farmers' day at the present income tax ruling which came into force on Jan. 1 of this year. This fair, and the directors expect thous-

TO PAY TIME PENALTY

assessment on their tracks and equipment. The C. N. R. appealed Board of Education Considers Taking Action in Connection With School.

> Hyatt Brothers, contractors on the new Trafalgar school, may be asked to pay the \$100 a week penalty for

contract. The discussion of the penalty clause was brought up at the meeting of No. 2 committee yesterday after-He said that the C. N. R., though noon by School Trustee Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt, who asked the reason for the Both school not being completed, and the C. N. R. was that of lot 27 on in finishing the school after Aug. 31. As Architect Carruthers de

It was decided to have a fuller discussion on the matter by the commade to decide if the contractors must

Also on the suggestion of Mrs. All these appeals were laid over for to the board that an inventory of all Hunt a recommendation will be made equipment and supplies in the various buildings be made once term opens. This will place the board in a position to know just what is at all the schools, and what new equipment is added during the year, as well as what is discarde2.

Scandrett acted as chairman of the to be certified. It was stated that meeting. schools were now equipped with time-pieces, the last order having been for 20 clocks at a price of \$11 each, IN MANSLAUGHTER TRIAL a total of \$220. Inspector Greer stated that it was a ruling of the department that every room have a clock, whereby the teachers might

> BOY KILLED BY AUTO. Canadian Press Despatch.

voting to the various subjects

Niagara Falls, Sept. 19. - Grant Iren. 6 years old, of St. George, was the trial be adjourned for a week hit by an automobile in Queen Vic-pending the result of the inquest toria Park this afternoon and died which is to be held on Monday.