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Commission Suggested To Handle Street Car Problem

YEARS ONLY DEEPEN CITY'S REVERENCE

Seventh Anniversary Sees Observance of Armistice Day More General Than Ever in London-Two Minutes Silence at 11 o'Clock Noted by Military and Civilians Alike.

VETERANS RECALL JOYOUS DAY OF 1918

essation of hostilities with breath

When the welcome announcement

finally came there was a spontaneous

voices joined in hymns of victory of

The noise of industry was hushed his morning for a brief two-minute eriod in a great many London instigeriod in the control of this morning for a brief two-minute period in a great many London institutions as this city observed the seventh anniversary of Armistice Day.

Day.

never been heard before, when news that the armistice had been signed was flashed to waiting millions.

London, which had witnessed the training of over fifty thousand Canatraining of over fitty thousand Canadian soldiers, and later followed their exploits in France with the deep interest that comes from personal acquaintance, was waiting news of the

The two-minute silence as a tribute to the memory of the fallen in the great war was very generally observed. Offices in the city hall laid work aside at 11 o'clock, and the less expertancy. example was followed in many other business institutions. In The Advertiser office linotype machines came to a standsill and the incessant clatter of typewriters was suspended during the two-minute per-

Practically speaking, the whole city paused for a time in its rush of affairs to pay silent tribute to the gallantry and self-sacrifice of those who gave their lives in the great who gave their lives in the great struggle.

Sentiment Deepens.

Flags were flown from many flag-poles, but this feature of the observ-ance of Armistice Day was not as general as might be wished. In all general as might be wished. In all other respects observance in London appeared to be much more general than ever before, and the sentiment surrounding the day seems to be

deepening as the years pass.

Nor has the religious aspect of the day been confined to Sunday ser-

vices, as special services are announced in several city churches for this evening. Sunday last witnessed a solemn memorial service in Cronyn Memorial church and in other churches there was special emphasis placed on the observance of Armistice Day.

Next Sunday the annual garrison church parade to St. Paul's cathedral will further bring to mind the stirring events of Nov. 11, 1918. Harry Wray president of the Great War Veterans' association, issued an inform to day for all ex-service men, regardless of rank or unit to fall in in front of the city hall at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon to take part in the parade to St. Paul's cathedral.

We were followed by a hattelland.

the parade square at Wolseley bar-racks, where they were joined by the members of the headquarters staff. A memorial hymn was played by the band, changing to a martial air as A memorial hymn was played by band, changing to a martial air as band, changing to a martial air as General W. B. King, C.M.G., D.S.O. arrived, accompanied by his stæff, including Lieut Cols. Ware, Gilman, cluding Lieut Cols. Ware, Gilman, cluding Lieut Cols. Ware, Gilman, changing the state of the country was flat in this region and for miles on either side we could see the whole british army going steadily forward.

Dean and Lawless.

At two minutes to 11 Last Post was sounded by the R. C. R. bugle band, followed by reveille at 11.

During the interval two minutes of perfect silence was observed.

It was the intention of the officers

British army going steadily forward. guns, ammunition wagons, supply columns and thousands of marching men in endless array, while overhead flew aeroplanes in great numbers dropping bombs at short range on the German columns which choked perfect silence was observed.

It was the intention of the officers

to fire a gun at 11 o'clock, and also a memorial volley by the regiment, but permission was not received in

"There was little or no artillery fire. Neither side had time for that. Seven years ago today along the whole battlefront in France and Flanders there fell a sudden silence, Practically the only enemy resistance came from isolated machine gun nests stationed at crossroads. All day Sunday we advanced along roads when for the first time in years the crash of allied and German artillery ceased to reverberate.
Simultaneously with the "cease

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Moderate to fresh southwest and south winds;

partly cloudy and mild today and Thursday. Thursday.
Pressure is high
on the Atlantic
coast and relatively low over the western prov-

comparatively mild	in Or	ntario	and the	
west.				
Temper	ature	s.		
The highest and l	owest	tem	peratures	
previous to 8 a.m.	today	wer	e:	
Stations.	High	Low	Weather	
Victoria		44	Fair	
Victoria	48	24	Cloudy	ı
Calgary		28		1
Winnipeg	0.0000000000000000000000000000000000000	28		
Port Arthur		36		
Parry Sound			Fair	
Toronto		38		
Kingston	44	38	Fair	
Ottawa	40	26	Cloudy	1
Montreal	38	30	Cloudy	ı
Quebec	. 32	22	Cloudy	۱
Father Point	. 32	22	Cloudy	۱
St. John	. 38	22	Fair	١
St. John	00	20	Clear	١

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest tempera-tures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 47; lowest, 37.
The official temperatures for the 12
hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 41; lowest, 34.
Sun rises at 7:06 a.m. and sets at

Barometric Readings. Tuesday, 8 p.m.—29.3 Today, 8 a.m.—29.22.



MRS. RUTH STINCHCOMBE,

ALIMONY AWARD outburst of rejoicing that resulted in a remarkable celebration. There was a monster thanksgiving service in Victoria Park, in which ten thousand

Mrs. Stinchcombe Accepts Sum The greatest parade in the city's history moved from Queen's park down Dundas street between densely packed masses of citizens, and the Offered by Counsel in Supreme Court Case.

FIRST OFFER IS \$300

packed masses of citizens, and the pent-up feelings of the people found expression in a spirit of carnival, tempered, however, with the knowledge of what victory and peace had cost those who made it possible.

Meanwhile, for thousands of soldiers in France, the end of the fighting bed come. Ike a dream which Charges Included Cruelty. ing had come like a dream which they could scarcely realize. One London soldier who happened to be Neglect, Keeping Company With Another Woman. London soldier who happened to be in the ranks of a British battalion on this epoch-marking day thus de-scribes his experiences: "Our battalion was facing the Ger-

Culmination of the alimony action brought by Mrs. Ruth Stinchcombe

in the parade to St. Paul's cathedral.

Garrison Remembers.

The two minutes silence was observed by permanent forces in London. At a quarter to 11 the Royal Canadian Regiment formed up on the parade square at Wolseley barracks, where they were joined by the members of the headquarter of the citizens can better than described. They were almost hysterical in their joy, and red cockades in cash and the balance in three plaintiff's counsel offered to settle the plaintiff's couns

could possibly make. observed that the affair was taking on too much the semblance of an auction sale and invited the rivai attorneys into his room to discuss the matter further. This resulted in the conclusion of the case after court

the conclusion of the case after court convened following the noon recess. Mrs. Stinchcombe, who was the only witness to take the box, testified that she had married the defendant in January, 1923, and that he had promised to provide for her two children by a previous marriage.

"For the first month everything was levely," she desired. "For the first month everything was lovely," she declared, "but after

that he abused me terribly, calling me vile names and neglecting me."

She stated that he had left home on the night of Feb. 22, 1923, stayed out late and then told her the next German gun limbers and wagons. Then we began to meet Belgian refugees returning to their ruined morning that he had married the

wrong woman.
"When he refused to keep my children I rented two rooms but I gave these up in July when he asked me to come back. We lived peacefully ANTI-ITALIAN RIOTS for three days and then another woman came between us. She phoned to him three times and made

vienna, Nov. 11.—Demonstrations against an Italian literary society at Spalato, Jugo-Slavia, culminated in a shooting affray last night between the demonstrants and the police.

The "other woman," who had been called as a witness, was not required an appointment to meet him at Springbank." Spalato, Jugo-Slavia, culminated in a shooting affray last night between the demonstrants and the police. About one hundred shots were fired and despatches say many were

er has been fair and rather cold in Quebec and the maritime provinces and comparatively mild in Ontario and the comparatively mild in Ontario and the Has Only Desert As Witness

Bill Roberts Wouldn't Run, Neither Would Matt Burts, So They "Shot It Out" On California Waste and Died With Their "Boots On."

and "shot it out." Both died with their "boots on" in this last stand of the old type gunman in Southern ranch house and found that during of the old type gunman in Southern california. The scene was 230 miles northeast of San Bernardino, in the wild region near where Nevada, Aritimes to Roberts predecessors. zona and California have common boundary line at the Colorado river.

It was a duel possibly over a water hole which ended in the double trag-

all the highways ahead. It was the

nearest thing to witnessing the day of judgment that one could imagine.

ittered with dead horses and broken

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Associated Press Despatch. Vienna, Nov. 11.—Demonstrations

JUGO-SLAVS ALAIN STAGE

Associated Press Despatch.

San Bernardino, Cal., Nov. 11.—
Matt Burts and Bill Roberts, two of the few remaining two-gun men of the weird desert vastness, have met and "shot it out." Both died with their "hoots or" in this last reaches.

FALLEN HONORED

Armistice Day of 1925 Marked With Greatest Solemnity of Past Seven Years.

CENOTAPH VISITED

King George and Three Sons Lay Wreaths on Grave of Unknown Soldier.

Associated Press Despatch London, Nov. 11 .- Great Britain observed Armistice Day today with greater solemnity and on a more extensive scale than at any previous time since the cessation of hostilities seven years ago.

The principal services in memory of those who fell in the great war were held at the cenotaph, where King George and his three sons at one minute before 11 o'clock laid Hon. P. C. Larkin Attends.

Premier Baldwin and the members of his government, former Premiers Lloyd George and Ramsay MacDonald, Hon P. C. Larkin, Canadian high commissioner, and the commissioners of the other dominions, with detachments of the payal, military and tachments of the naval, military and air forces, formed a hollow square around the tomb, outside of which was drowned in a cistern close to the

Exactly at 11 o'clock, the hour at which firing ceased on the western front seven years ago, a salvo of guns announced the beginning of two minutes of silence throughout the empire. This was observed in England to a greater extent than at any land to a greater extent than at any time since 1919. Street and railway traffic, work in the factories and all other activities ceased as part of the patients.

Associated Press Despatch.
Paris, Nov. 11.—All Paris stood still for one minute at 11 o'clock this morning in commemoration of the armistice and in remembrance of Continued on Page 6, Column 2.

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Students' Assembly To Hold a Special Meeting and May Bow to Juniors.

At an important meeting at the At an important meeting at the university today the executive of Arts '27 unanimously decided to protest the action taken by the student assembly in taking the convocation dance out of their hands.

Such action would not only break a long-standing tradition, but would

Such action would not only break a long-standing tradition, but would injure the reputation of the year, as it was already rumored that Arts '27 were afraid to undertake the dance. Speaker Bagnall represented the assembly at the meeting and outlined the motion which had been because the force the house at the outlined the motion which had been brought before the house at the November meeting. This was to the effect that the convocation dance this year would be under the students' legislative assembly, with the representatives of Arts '27 in charge.

A special meeting of the assembly will be held tomorrow evening to decide the matter, and it is thought decide the matter, and it is thought that the motion will be rescinded and that the junior year will, as usual, be in charge of the convocation dance

TECHNICAL EDUCATION TALKED IN OTTAWA TODAY

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Nov. 11.—Technical education will be discussed at this morning's session of the twelfth annual meeting of the Cadian Education association. F. P. Gavin, principal of the Ontario college for training vo-cational teachers, will give an adress on the subject.

F. H. Sexton, director of technical education for Nova Scotia, will address the meeting on part-time classes, and Fletcher Pcacock, direc-tor of vocational training in New Brunswick, will lead the discussion on

CASAGRANDE IS OFF.

Barcelona, Spain, Nov. 11.—Count Casagrande, delayed in the resumption of his South American flight yesterday by further damage to his machine, got away at 9:15 o'clock this morning, heading for Gibraltar.

Calcutta, N.v. 11.—While the Earl of Reading, viceroy of India, was of Reading, viceroy of India, was of the work of he women's mission circle and children's mission cir

1918-London Garrison Remembers-1925



TROOPS SIL ENTLY AT ATTENTION FOR TWO MINUTES. Men of the Royal Canadian registrated at 11 o'clock this morning and news of Nov. 11, 1918, and of comment at Wolseley barracks, on dress parade, were joined by the general tention in recollection of the good tention in recollection of the good slightly bowed head.

LITTLE BASE LINE BOY DROWNED IN CISTERN

wreaths in the presence of Queen Mary, the Queen of Spain and other royalties and prominent personages.

Two-Year-Old Walter Morris Slips Through Loose Boards Matter of Provincial Seats Has After Getting Out of Sight of Twelve-Year-Old

Brother at Noon. Little Walter Morris, 21/2-year-old | board or the side of the well as he Little Walter Morris, 272 year.

son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris,
His absence was not noticed for was drowned in a cistern close to the

around the tomb, outside of which the thoroughfare was jammed with representatives of the general public. At the invitation of the British Legion, five members of the American Legion department of the British Isles participated in forming the hollow square, and after the king and princes had wreathed the tomb, the United States veterans deposited a floral offering.

Is Generally Observed.

Exactly at 11 o'clock, the hour at Exactly at 11 o'clock, the hour at the thoroughfare was jammed with was drowned in a cistern close to the back door of the family home shortly after noon today.

The youngster had been playing with an older brother, Albert, 12 years, and slipped out the back door into the yard. Three loose boards covered the top of the cistern and the little chap, unseen by his brother or mother who was preparing the noon-day meal, is believed to have stepped on one end of the board which flew up on end, throwing him down the

fully 15 minutes and a quick frenzied search showed his tiny back door of the family home shortly mains floating on the surface of the water Dr. Reynolds was immediately summoned, but found that the

youngster was past all human aid. Mrs. Morris is in an extremely nervous condition as a result of the child's death, and is under medical Walter was one of a family of ter

"Beastly Rich" and Follow-

ing in Rome's Footsteps.

Associated Press Despatch

Rome staggered to her doom, Bishop

at a reception for the board of

church in Elmwood music hall. The

bishop called upon the English-speak-

Encouraging Report Given by

Mrs. R. Cummer at Morning

Session in St. Thomas.

SEEK MORE INTEREST

Special to The Advertiser by Staff Reporter.

St. Thomas, Nov. 11.-The opening

First, the entire convention ob-

served two minutes of silence memory of those who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war, today being Armistice Day.

Second, there was the report of

session of the annual convention of

children, having a baby brother younger than himself. Mr. Morris is

U.S. Nears Doom, Cleric Asserts NULNUIARY S WURN Tells Bishops the Country Is

Two Cars Destroyed and Barn Damaged to Extent of \$3,000.

Fire, believed by Chief Aitken to be of incendiary origin, consumed ing toward the path down which two motor cars and did damage estimated at \$3,000 to a barn at the rear Wilbur P. Thirkfield of Chattanooga, of 44 Euclid avenue short., after 3 Tenn., said last night in an address o'clock this morning. The motors belonged to Roy Jenkins and Mr. bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Kenny, real estate dealer.

Flames were noticed licking their way up the sides of a shed adjoining the barn by neighbors who telephoned the fire department. At the same moment a box call was sent in from in front of Victoria school on the Wharncliffe road.

"The flames spread very quickly," said Chief Aitken but we managed soil are best fitted for the world. Flames were noticed licking their

said Chief Aitken, but we managed to get the fire under control in less than an hour. I am told that the motor cars were placed in the barn about 5 o'clock and were not dis-best fitted to be the channel through turbed after that time. was made of wood and was a two story structure."

MEETING ON FRIDAY BAPTIST WOMEN LAUNCH LIBERAL CLUB CALLS

Nominations For Executive To Be Received at Hyman Hall, With Elections Week Later.

Just by way of proving that London Liberals are not superstitious, and do not fear hoodoos in any form, the Liberal club has announced a meeting for Friday, the 13th inst., at Hyman hall, to receive nominations for the club's executive. The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock. The election of officers will take place a

week later.

The nomination and election is not to be confused with the affairs of the London Liberal association. The association and the Liberal club are distinct organizations, each with two distinct organizations, each with its own officers. John Weber is president of the Liberal club at the

NATIVE BOMB PLANT GREETS EARL READING IN CALCUTTA

Associated Press Despatch.

Calcutta, Nev. 11.—While the Earl mary of the work of he women's

Not Been Considered,

Says Ferguson.

ELECTION IN SUMMER?

London, Kenora Centre, Grey, Simcoe South, Cochrane, Norfolk North Not Represented.

Special to The Advertiser by Staff Carrespondent.

Toronto, Nov. 11 .- "There has been no action taken. The matter has not been considered," was the answer given by Premier Ferguson this many of the points in Col. Coles' morning when questioned regarding argument, points out that the city Well.

One of the boards fell into the cistern after him and the child was there would be no inquest as the struck on the head either by the child's death was purely accidental.

Intrining when questioned regarding argument, points out that the city by-elections to fill the six vacancies in the legislature. The premier had in the legislature. The premier had no further comment to make than citizens cannot open up and success. when the contests would take place.

There is a strong feeling in unof- next year to put in a council that ficial circles that by-elections will will, he stated. not take place in the near future, but that the government will go to the country in the summer and do away the problem rendered acute by the the necessity of the by-elections. It is pointed out by those who hold this opinion that in view of the changes made in the ridings by the redistribution bill of last session would be hardly worth while holding by-elections if a provincial election s to be brought on in the summer. Buffalo, Nov. 11.—The United
States is "beastly rich," and is turnStates is "beastly rich," and is turnLondon, Kenora, Centre Grey, South
Simcoe, Cochrane and North Norfolk. The first mentioned vacancy caused by the death of Sir death of Sir Adam Beck, and the others were occasioned members of the legislature running for federal honors. In Lonrunning for federal honors. In Bohrdon at last provincial election, the late Sir Adam Beck (Conservative) had a majority of 7,611; in Kenora, Peter Heenan (Labor) had an acclarate the constant of the control of the c nation; Col. Carmichael (Progressive) defeated the Conservative Centre Grey by 75. W. F. Rowe (Conservative) had a majority of 635

(Conservative) had a majority of 635 over the Progressive in South Simcoe; Malcolm Lang (Liberal) was the victor in Cochrane by 627, and in North Norfolk, G. D. Sewell (Prosaid, are best fitted for the work, begressive) came out winner by 221 over the Conservative. In the recent dominion election, Peter Heenan, cause they are in touch with the running as a Liberal, was returned in Kenora-Rainy River, and W. F. Rowe, Conservative candidate in Simcoewhich Jesus Christ may reach the Dufferin, was also victorious. Col. Carmichael, G. Sewell and Malcolm Lang were defeated. world and because their world-embracing missionary ideals have fitted

Paper Dishes

Rile Prisoner

Special to The Advertiser.

West Paim Beach, Fla., Nov. 11.

—In solitary confinement with his food order served in paper dishes as a result of his third attempt at suicide, J. K. Haltz, alias Frank Page, held on charge of highway robbery today was on a hunger.

robbery, today was on a hunger strike which he declares will not end until his food is brought in

china dishes.

According to county officers,

Haltz has confessed to being

deserter from the marine corps and to have deserted two wives, one in New York, the other in

IRISH ELEVEN BEATS SCOTS

league soccer football game here to-day by 7 goals to 3.

IN INTERNATIONAL TILT

MISSIONARY CONVENTION

TEAR UP BYLAW BUT GET SERVICE. SAYS COL. COLES

Appointment of Five Leading Citizens To Work Out New Street Car Agreement Urged.

CITY IS LAUGHED AT

Privy Council Appeal Futile-Only Local Action Counts Now, Says Col. Coles.

Appointment of an independent ommission of five leading citizens to give their time voluntarily as a matter of public service, is the solution advanced by Col. W. G. Coles this morning for the final settlement of the city's street railway difficulty. Such a commission, he believes, being independent of influences either from the company or the city council, would be able to consider the whole case on its merits, and negotiate a workable and fair agreement.

whole case on its merits, and negotiate a workable and fair agreement with the company for a period not exceeding, say, fifteen years, by which time the whole situation will probably have altered radically.

"It's nonsense to talk of forcing the street railway company to live

the street railway company to live up to its agreement," said Col. Coles. "Let's forget all about bylaw 916: let's burn it up or tear it up, and forget about it, and get right down to negotiating some sort of agreenent that will give us satisfactory

"This business of taking the mat-ter before the privy council is making London the laughing stock of the world. I don't own any stock in the road, and have no interest other than as a private citizen, but I be-lieve the time has come when we should face this issue squarely and

make a definite decision. Mayor's View. Mayor Wenige, while admitting this and gave no indication as to fully carry through a workable arcompany, then it is up to the citizens

He has not yet made up his mind company's decision to carry its case

o the privy council. The mayor is of the opinion than the city and the company should get together before any such step is taken, and see if some mutually sat, isfactory agreement covering a period of fifteen years or less cannot be

arrived at. Meantime the competition of buses operating on the same streets as the electric cars is causing concern. A suggestion has been advanced that the city engineer and the chief of police be empowered to compel the buses to follow routes on which the cars do not run.

Bylaw Would Serve.

Under existing conditions neither official has any power to interfere in the matter, but inquiry this morn ing revealed that there is apparently nothing to prevent the city passing a bylaw regulating the routes of the

buses or prohibiting them to operate on the streets altogether. Sub-section 49 of section 400, of the municipal act, gives municipali ties power to "regulate traffic in the highways, and for prohibiting heavy traffic on the highways." It would be a comparatively simple matter, presumably, for the council to declare that buses are "heavy traffic," and prohibit their use of any or all of the city streets.

the city streets. City Clerk Baker thinks rather well of the suggestion of a traffic en-gineer who spoke at a recent Kiwanis club meeting in the city. He advo-cated only two street car lines, east and west on Dundas as at present, and north and south on Richmond. connecting with South London by a bridge at the foot of Richmond street. In addition to these the company itself, according to his idea. could run a number of bus lines as feeders to the two main lines. Some such solution of London's street transportation problem may yet come

Meanwhile the street railway ques-Meanwhile the street railway question will be the burning issue in the coming municipal campaign, and as Mayor Wenige puts it, the citizens should consider the election of a council which will settle the matter definitely one way or the other, and not juggle with technicalities.

ITALIAN KING CELEBRATES 56TH BIRTHDAY TODAY

Associated Press Despatch.
Rome, Nov. 11.—King Victor Emmanuel celebrated his 56th birthald today. Military reviews were held throughout the country, and his majesty received thousands of congratulatory messages.

TURKS IN SYRIA GET CALL.

Associated Press Despatch.

Belfast, Ireland, Nov. 11.—The
Scottish team defeated the Irish
eleven in an international intereleven in an international interfootball game here to: from Angora to hold themselves in readiness for a call to the colors.