

LONDON ALREADY GIVES FIFTH OF WELFARE AIM

Heads of Association and C. of C. Workers Bring in \$25,000.

FIRST DAY OF DRIVE Prizes Will Be Given To Members of Winning Teams.

One-fifth of the total amount needed to finance London's 14 charities was subscribed yesterday. At a general meeting held in the Tumbance Hotel last night, Rev. Quintin Warner announced to the enthusiastic workers that \$25,000 had been brought in.

The whole amount was the objective of the workers of the chamber of commerce and the welfare committee. They handled the class "A" subscribers to the fund.

James Gray, president of the Welfare Fund association, spoke of the splendid organization. He praised the work of the workers in the many divisions, and stressed the fact that it was not one, but 14 organizations, for which they were working. These included the Children's Aid society, St. John Ambulance Brigade, Mount St. Joseph Orphanage, Child Welfare association, Women's Sanatorium aid, the Protestant Orphans' home, the Y. W. C. A., Victorian Order of Nurses, Y. M. C. A., Salvation Army, London day nursery, Mount Hope home for aged people, Queen Alexandra sanatorium, McCormick home for aged people.

Need \$125,000. To finance the charities for another year the full \$125,000 would be required, said the president. It was the lowest sum necessary to carry out the work. Every dollar of it would give a dollar value.

Mr. Gray then outlined the duties of the city teams, the employees of the industries and wholesale houses. He mentioned the co-operation which had been given by the car shops men, who had started the campaign off with \$100, and were going on conducting the canvass among themselves.

"This is not just a paper organiza-

tion," he said in conclusion. "All these individuals and associations have accepted responsibility, and the result of the campaign depends upon their whole-hearted co-operation, which we have every confidence will be given."

A. E. Silverwood, head of the major of the four divisions, spoke of the men who were working where smaller contributions would be received, and reminded them that their work was none the less important.

He praised the work of the B'nai B'rith society, captained by D. Wolfe, as well as the Knights of Columbus under E. J. Ryan, the Advertising club under Fred G. Knapp, and the Advertising club, headed by Alexander Morrison.

The mistakes made last year were gone over. The figures were brought out to show where the workers had fallen down on the last campaign, so that the errors would not be made again.

Analysis of the team returns of last year showed that there are still many citizens who are still subscribing to the fund as if it were one canvass and not fourteen. They were buying immunity from fourteen canvasses by a subscription adequate for one only. The need for a system of monthly payments was stressed. The reason given was that it helped people to meet their obligations.

Divisions Compete. Contests between divisions and between teams will be arranged by totalling quotas for each team, with prizes for each member securing the highest percentage of their total quota.

A. E. Silverwood is giving prizes of fountain pens to members of winning teams.

The major and captains, together with club representatives, are meeting for dinner at the Tumbance hotel tonight. The whole campaign organization will meet again Wednesday evening.

J. J. McHale, head of the first division, also spoke.

KELLOGG SUPPORTS ANNUAL TRIBUNAL

Secretary of State Favors U. S. Participation in World Court.

Associated Press Despatch.

Washington, April 27.—Secretary of State Kellogg declared himself last night to be "heartily in favor" of United States participation in an annual tribunal for the settlement of international disputes.

Addressing the delegates of the American society of international law, Mr. Kellogg asserted that it was "strange that though we are approaching 1926 the United States, one of the leading countries in arbitration, is not a member of any international court."

CHANGES IN TRAIN SERVICE SUNDAY, MAY 3, 1925, CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

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All Parties Mending Political Fences

East Middlesex Liberals Make Wise Choice in Dr. C. C. Ross of Hyde Park—West Lambton Expected To Swing Back To King Government—Conventions Are Set For Near Future in the Different Ridings.

Political fences in all Western Ontario ridings are being carefully mended these days by all three political parties which are at the present time about evenly represented in the Dominion house. Liberals and Conservatives each claim eight representatives, while the Progressives lead the two old line parties with eleven.

East Middlesex Liberals made no mistake in choosing Dr. C. C. Ross of Hyde Park as their standard-bearer. Liberals who have taken no active interest in politics for some years have tossed over their coats and are busy organizing the various townships and subdivisions where Dr. Ross in the interests of the party is confidently expected, will swing East Middlesex to the Liberal side.

King Hodgins of Lucan will oppose Dr. Ross in the interests of the Conservatives, and it is expected that Archie Hodgins, the present Progressive member, will do his best to regain the seat.

Down in Strathroy, even old line Conservatives concede a Liberal victory with such men as Charles Macphail, J. C. Elliott, K. C. and James V. McDonald of Strathroy to choose from. J. D. F. Drummond, Progressive member, has not yet stated his plans, but even should he retire from the lists there are some thirty members of the party who would not be adverse to accepting the nomination on a sort of 100 to 1 chance that they would win.

Essex, since redistribution, has three ridings—east, south and west. Eccles J. Gott of Amherstburg, who always has a lot to say at every Tory gathering that he attends, has at last managed to gain the Conservative nomination for South Essex and will try conclusions with Hon. George E. Graham.

Ready To Drop Out.

A. F. Healy, M.P., North Essex, has not yet declared himself as to whether he will run in West Essex, and it is said that he is ready to drop out of the political limelight.

R. L. Brackin, M.L.A., is mentioned in connection with the nomination. He is the present member, as well as C. R. Tison and E. Blake Winter, former mayors of Windsor. The Tories are banking on either J. Fred R. Walker, Whiteside or ex-Mayor H. W. Wilson.

In the new east riding, Edmund G. Odette, Tilbury, will uphold Liberal traditions. Conservatives have not yet nominated a candidate, but the names of Lieut.-Col. Paul Polson, Tecumseh, Dr. R. D. Morand and Lieut.-Col. C. S. Robinson are all mentioned. North Essex was left severely alone by the Progressives in the 1921 election. They were represented in the fight in South Essex by J. J. W. Mans.

Liberals in South Bruce will select a candidate on May 29, and have a wealth of excellent material to choose from, including Otto E. Klein, prominent Walkerton lawyer; Dr. Hall, also of Walkerton; R. E. Truax, ex-M.P.; George Anderson of Lucknow, and Mr. Johnston of Midway. J. W. Findlay, Progressive, represents the constituency at present.

In South Grey, where Miss Agnes MacPhail holds sway, John Mills of Hanover is considering the Liberal nomination and will give his answer at a convention called for May 28. West Lambton, which was held safe for the Liberals for many years by Senator Fred Pardee, is preparing once more to swing back to Hon. Mackenzie King.

Anxious to Try Again.

East Lambton, which turned down the Conservatives in 1921, represented until then by J. E. Armstrong of Petrolia, elected Mr. Fancher, Progressive. The Tory stalwart, smarting under defeat, is anxious to try a political comeback, and will likely get the nomination, having stated that he would welcome another opportunity to represent the old district.

It appears likely that Liberals and Progressives will combine in Norfolk to put the skills under the Tories, who have become quite active. J. R. Stansfield, Conservative member for East Elgin, who is thrown into Norfolk as a result of redistribution, will likely wave the Tory banner. He is one of the Conservative operators who was told to sit down and wind up his sneech in a hurry by impatient East Middlesex Tories at their picnic at Queen's Park, London, last summer. Alex. Wallace, Progressive, is the sitting member for Norfolk.

Elgin Liberals Active.

In the new Elgin riding, Liberals are organizing and will select a candidate in the field. Both E. A. Horton and George H. Sloggett of St. Thomas have had their names linked up with the nomination.

Hon. Dr. Manion, Conservative, spellbinder, has been in the riding, and a candidate will blossom forth at almost any time. Hugh McKillop, West Lorne, is the present M.P.

Kent county Conservatives are apparently gluttons for punishment, and have decided on a convention May 1, at the present M.P., Donald Sutherland, M.P., South Oxford, who likes nothing better than to get up on a Tory platform and lay the Liberals low. McKillop, about the present member, is a gloomy Melghen propaganda on this occasion, and will likely have Hon. Chas. Macphail, M.L.A., with him as second fiddle.

Murdoch in Kent.

Hon. James Murdoch, minister of labor, is looking after Kent's interests just now.

He has been selected for the rear of Conservatives guns at Tara, where a candidate will be selected to contest North Bruce, represented by a Liberal, Mr. Malcolm, who is a friend of Lieut.-Col. Hugh Clark, Conservative, and R. E. Stacey, Progressive.

INSURE ALL CHILDREN

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, April 27.—The presence of mind of Glyde Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gregory, 76 William street, resulted in the saving of the life of a young boy Saturday afternoon. Glyde was going home over the Waterloo street bridge, when he saw the lad about six years old, in distress in the water. He had fallen off the diving board, which is moored near the bridge. The rescuer plunged into the river and succeeded in bringing the little one to the shore none the worse for his immersion.

Mr. Greer explained that he was making this announcement first before the organized mothers of the city, because he felt that they could be instrumental in making it as easy as possible for the school board to carry out this scheme. In cities such as Toronto, where the plan is in force, a special medical man was employed by the school board for this purpose. In London, however, the parents would be permitted to have their children examined by their own family practitioner. And the one dollar fee for this examination would be paid the practitioner by the school board, not the parents.

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That the mothers' clubs of the city appreciate what Mr. Greer has accomplished in London was clearly shown last night when they presented him with a handsome leather portfolio and a desk lamp. The presentation was made by Mrs. J. W. Carson, who referred to Mr. Greer's activity in the city making special mention of his work in connection with the placing of Bible memory work in the schools.

Mr. Greer, who is leaving the city shortly to take over his new duties as provincial inspector of public schools, expressed his appreciation of the support which has always been shown him by the mothers' clubs of the city. Without that support his task would have been much more difficult.

St. Thomas Visitors.

Last night's meeting was also marked by a large delegation from the executive of the St. Thomas school and school federation.

The annual meeting of the London club comes along shortly, when the offices of president, first vice-president, recording secretary, corresponding secretaries, press correspondent and pianist will become vacant.

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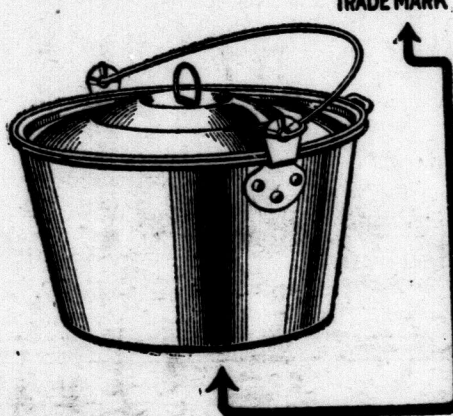
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Brucefield, April 27.—The funeral of Frederick Tomlinson, who died in a Clinton hospital Thursday after a long illness, was held from his late residence Saturday, and was largely attended.

Services were conducted by Rev. C. G. Armour, and interment made in Turner's church cemetery.

He was born on the London road, Stanley, in 1866, where he resided until he moved to the village and took over the Massey-Harris agency, which he successfully conducted for 25 years. Survivors are his widow and one sister, Miss Maria Tomlinson of Weston.

STUDENT SAVES CHILD.

Toronto, April 27.—Risking his life to dodge through the traffic, R. W. Hughes, a Toronto medical student, snatched a four-year-old boy from the path of a speeding motor car on University avenue in this city yesterday.

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