

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 18, 1922.

FINED \$10 FOR SMALL LOAVES

City Baker Haled to Court for Having Under-Weight Bread.

Explains Product Had Been Steamed But Had Dried Out.

Dropping casually into a downtown store the other day, J. W. McCallum, health and food inspector, seized a dozen loaves of bread exhibited there for sale. A subsequent test revealed the fact, he states, that they were all under-weight. As a result, the manufacturer of the same appeared in police court Friday morning, was found guilty and assessed \$10 and costs.

The storekeeper testified that the bread in question had been delivered to him an hour or two before the inspector appeared.

The defendant explained that the bread had been made about 36 hours previous, and had lost weight by its age. It was an unavoidable waste, he declared, as the bread was stale, it had been steamed, he explained, for the occasion. "Made so to catch the grade," he explained.

Both the magistrate and the inspector appeared quite mystified as to this co-called "steaming process," voicing the information that they had never heard tell of the same before. "You know that you are subject to a heavy fine," said the magistrate. "Let this be a warning. I will make it \$10 and costs this morning."

As he left the court the baker paused long enough to inform the magistrate and the court in general that the manufacture of bread of this particular brand was only a side line. "I specialize," he pointed out, "in a health bread that has powerful health-giving properties and contains life-sustaining elements."

BAN SPENDING CITY FUNDS ON EVELITH HOCKEY TEAM

Taxpayers Gain Injunction to Prevent Further Waste of Municipal Money.

Evelith, Minn., Aug. 18.—Officials of this village have been enjoined from making further expenditures of municipal funds in the interests of placing the Evelith hockey team on the map, according to a decision handed down by Judge Edward Freeman of the district court, made public today.

More than \$20,000 of the village funds were spent for the Evelith hockey team last winter, where Evelith made a game but losing fight in the race for the United States national hockey title.

The court held the expenditure illegal and that the rink was intended to furnish few recreational facilities to the population of the village in general. "In the suit to prevent further spending of the village's cash for such enterprises was instituted by Harry L. Burns, and other taxpayers. Although the decision does not specifically provide for the return of the money, it was said, it leaves an avenue open for further litigation.

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Military Officer Granted Third Adjournment of Case.

"HE seems to treat this affair quite casual like," commented Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon Friday morning, when Captain Mat Ryan failed to appear to answer a charge of driving a car with lights out. The captain has not presented himself at the Carling street hall of justice on three consecutive occasions, and when his counsel pleaded for another adjournment, the magistrate assented to the suggestion: "It's only a charge of lights out. Why doesn't he pay the fine and get it over with?" "But we plead not guilty," rejoined the attorney. "Tuesday next, then," directed the bench, as someone pointed out that the R. C. R. had left the city, and it was possible that the defendant had departed with it.

TO DISCUSS CITY COAL PROBLEM

Mayor Requests Dealers to Hold Conference at City Hall.

Expect Decision Will Be Made to Buy Coal From Wales.

As a result of the conference, attended by representatives of Ontario municipalities in Toronto Thursday, Mayor Cameron Wilson has called a meeting of coal dealers, the coal committee appointed by the city council, and E. S. Little, representing the chamber of commerce, to be held in the city hall Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

While no definite information is available, this conference will, in all probability, decide to order 10,000 tons of anthracite coal from Wales at once, in an attempt to avert a fuel famine in London next winter. This coal, purchase of which was authorized by the city council recently, will cost in the neighborhood of twenty dollars per ton, delivered to London homes.

Although of the opinion that the coal problem should be dealt with nationally, the coal committee of the city council, composed of Alderman H. J. Childs and Mayor Wilson, are ready to take immediate steps to provide heat for those citizens who have not laid in a winter supply of coal.

REV. J. AGNEW RETURNS AFTER INTERESTING TOUR

Having completed a holiday trip through New York State, which afforded opportunity for comparing the American scenic beauty with that which exists in our own Province of Ontario, Rev. J. A. Agnew of Ridout Street Methodist Church has returned to the city and will occupy his pulpit next Sunday, when his subject will be "Making a Stepping Stone of the Devil."

By motor, and with Buffalo as a starting point, Mr. Agnew traveled to New York by the state highway, making stops at Watkins Glen and Falls, one of the most noted beauty spots of the state, as well as other points of interest.

Along the Hudson to the Ashokan dam in the Catskills, where is the source of New York's water supply, claimed to be the largest reservoir in the world, with a capacity of 132 billion gallons, the journey home was completed by the Lincoln highway. Mrs. Jennie Stranaghan of Glasgow, Scotland, will sing at both services.

STAGES \$10 DAY IN LOCAL COURT

Magistrate, However, Makes Exception to Wm. Shane, Who Pays \$25

While the local merchants at regular intervals hold their special Dollar Day with added inducements, Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon staged Friday what may be termed as a Ten Dollar Day.

With one exception, all who appeared participated. William Shane was the lone exception. But his was a special case as his appearance the previous day on a drunk and disorderly charge had meant a \$10 fine which had to be eclipsed the magistrate ruled.

Shane was located by the police, after a registered complaint, in a poolroom near the corner of Horton and Clarence streets. While he contended quite lustily that he was not intoxicated but was merely enjoying a quiet game of straight pool, the officers held otherwise, relating that they produced a partially filled bottle of Florida water to fortify their story. "That belonged to one of the lads," explained the prisoner. "I slipped it to me when he saw the police coming in. I was engaged in a pool contest."

"You were here only yesterday," commented Magistrate Graydon. "When I predicted that if I let you go you would be in again. You see I was right but you wouldn't take the 10 days then. I have reports that you have been acting like a maniac where you live, smashing the furniture and making life generally miserable for the others at home. \$25 and costs."

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

And beside all this, add to your faith, virtue.—St. Peter 1:5.

CONFIDENCE IN ANOTHER MAN'S VIRTUE

is no slight evidence of a man's own—Montaigne.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AT CITY HALL THIS MONTH

involved \$75,315. DR. W. S. DOWNHAM, medical officer of health, is enjoying his annual vacation at his home here. During his absence from duty, Dr. D. C. MacFarlane, of this city, is acting as medical officer of health.

V. K. GREER, SENIOR INSPECTOR OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS, HAS REQUESTED

that the citizens of London that public schools of the city will re-open after summer vacation on Tuesday, September 5. This date has been decided upon, owing to the fact that September 1 falls on a Friday.

THAT THE TOURIST CAMP IN OPERATION AT WONDERLAND IS

recognized as a real convenience by motorists visiting London is evidenced by the fact that fifteen autos were parked in the camp Thursday night. The fifteen parties spent the night at the camp availing themselves of free water, light, cooking and other facilities provided by the Public Utilities Commission.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT AMENDMENT TO THE DOMINION FOOD AND DRUG ACT

has just been passed by the local representative of the federal department of health. The following articles of food are deemed to be misbranded unless they have been manufactured in the country whose name is represented: English Jam, Scotch marmalade, Swiss chocolate, French mustard, etc. To comply with the law the above and similar names should be qualified by the use of the word "style" e.g., "English Style Jam," instead of "English Jam," etc.

AS REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE LONDON TRADING AND LABOR COUNCIL

William Tite, machinists' delegate, and John McGuire, president of the same body, leave this week-end for Montreal where they will attend the annual convention of the Dominion Trades Congress. As a member of the credentials committee, Delegate Tite will leave Saturday. Three important resolutions will be introduced on the floor of the convention by the local delegates—one pertaining to the adolescent school act of Ontario, a second calling for a rigid enforcement of the six-day week, and the third pertaining to the eight-hour day.

FINAL PLANS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED FOR THE MAMMOTH PICNIC

in which 1,500 children of city playgrounds will participate at Port Stanley next Tuesday have been completed. Through the generosity of eight public spirited citizens, E. V. Buchanan has announced that the kiddies will be carried to and from the lakeside via special London and Port Stanley Railway trains for a ten-cent fare. They will carry lunches with them and will be in charge of supervisors of city playgrounds. The sports program will include races, baseball games and aquatic events.

COMMENCE WORK ON ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS

KITCHENER, Aug. 17.—Work started today on the installation of semi-ornamental lighting fixtures on East King street, near the city limits. The street has been recently paved, and since it will be one of the main avenues of entrance to the city, it was decided that a proper and adequate system of lighting should be installed from the city line to Cameron street.

Drives Lightless Car With Arm Around Girl

THOMAS BOYLE PAYS FINE.

WITH his left hand clutching the wheel and his right arm encircling a female companion, Thomas Boyle, according to the police, tore east along King street the other evening in an automobile with no headlights afoot.

Adjudged guilty in police court Friday morning with driving at a reckless and dangerous speed, Boyle was assessed \$10 and costs, with an added warning to be more careful in the future.

The defendant pleaded guilty to a second charge that his lights were out, but offered the plea that it was difficult for him to tell when they were lit while driving on city pavements. He encountered no trouble in the country. He admitted that he had forgotten them when he started out.

"You should not be driving a car, then," admonished Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon, "if you can't remember to put your lights on. In any event do you think that it is sensible to drive through the streets at a high rate of speed and would it not be advisable to drive with both hands in the downtown section at least. The officer states that you did not even slow up at the intersection."

The police are evidently determined that reckless or careless driving through the streets must cease, as it is a rare day when police court men at least one alleged offender is not ushered in.

GAINS KNOWLEDGE ABOUT AUTO LAWS

R. Wilson, Ignorant of Rules, Pays \$10 for Driving Minus License.

Richard Wilson, appearing in police court Friday morning, learned that it is possible to learn something new every day.

Charged with driving a car without a chauffeur's license he explained to Magistrate Graydon that he did not know that, while he held a license to drive his own runabout, he must first secure another license if he elected to drive his boss's truck, if only to deliver rush orders, as he claimed.

"You are not entitled to drive a car without another license," warned the magistrate. "The fact that you have a license for your own car makes no difference. That car is for your own amusement and entertainment. You are a clerk in a store, and the act is very explicit in this respect. If you act as chauffeur, if only temporarily, you must obtain the necessary authority."

The defendant, who pleaded ignorance of this legislation, was directed to pay \$10 and costs. The charge was preferred by P. C. George Tomlin.

BURY VICTIMS OF SHAWBRIDGE FIRE

Montreal, Aug. 18.—Inclosed in a small white casket, all that remains were able to recover of the eight victims of the Jewish boys' home fire at Shawbridge, Tuesday night, were placed in a grave at Mount Royal Cemetery this afternoon.

FORMER CITY MINISTER PAYS TRIBUTE TO PRESS

Sincere compliment is paid to the press of London in a letter received by a member of Egerton Street Baptist Church from Rev. A. C. Bingham, former pastor there, but who is now in Edmonton.

The letter makes reference to Rev. A. Bingham, the present pastor, saying: "I wish to compliment Mr. Bingham on coming to a city where the press makes it possible for his ministry to have the widest influence. I will venture to say there is not a city in Canada where the press is more sympathetic with pulpit or more ready to serve the interest of the church, than the press of London."

Mr. Bingham enjoyed the greatest popularity and esteem during his term in London, and it is with interest that friends here follow his successful career in the west.

FIND BODY OF SWIMMER BELOW NIAGARA FALLS

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The body of a young man about 18 years of age, clad in a bathing suit of dark blue with red and yellow stripes, was found in the Niagara River at the Canadian Maid of the Mist landing today.

The body had been in the water about a week. The man was five feet six inches in height, weighed 182 pounds and had black hair.

FOUR BOATS STOLEN AT PORT LAMBTON

PORT LAMBTON, Aug. 17.—Fred Galbraith, the rowboat stealer from its mooring place one night this week, and has not yet been able to trace it. This is the third rowboat that has been stolen from this place this season, besides a gasoline launch.

The launch was recovered a few days later, having been abandoned by the thieves when their supply of gasoline had run out.

THIEVES PILLAGE STORE IN TOWNSHIP OF ORFORD

CHATHAM, Aug. 17.—The general store owned by Cecil Clackson in Orford Township, was broken into by thieves last evening, and a large quantity of groceries and merchandise was stolen.

LAUDS LONDON'S BOY TRAINING PLAN

Rev. Floyd Maine Addresses Kiwanis Club on Citizenship Development.

Kiwanians, at the noon luncheon in the Tecumseh House, Friday, were able to listen to a man who has studied boy development both in Canada and the United States, extol London as having the finest system of boy training and development on the continent.

Floyd Maine, an old Londoner, and graduate of Western University, who addressed the Kiwanians on the subject of boy development along the lines of citizenship, referred to the Canadian standard efficiency system of training as the finest in the world, and made the statement that the finest piece of boys' work on the continent was being done right here in London by the Y. M. C. A., the churches, and such institutions as the Kiwanis Club.

Some Subjects Useless. Dealing at length with his subject, Mr. Maine spoke of the utility of confining the boys' education to subjects which in many cases are of no use to him in after life.

"Education," he said, "must be something broader than the confines of the schoolhouse. It must include the city's playgrounds, its parks, and its moving pictures."

"The new center of gravity for education has come to be the individual boy and his interests. Mind and body and soul cannot be separated. The development of one must mean the development of the other two. Our education must deal with life as a whole."

"The great problem is training the boy for citizenship. Our government system is most comprehensive, in fact, very few of us are able to understand but a little part of it. Yet at 21, every man is given the vote, regardless of whether he has a grasp of civic life and its problems, or whether he may just blunder through the procedure of voting."

Business of Citizenship. "Civics to a certain degree are taught in our schools, but we don't teach the business of effective citizenship."

Mr. Maine stressed emphatically the immense value of the carrying out of the Kiwanis system of personal interest in every boy with whom members come in touch.

Kiwanian Bill Gough, of the People's Loan and Savings, was the booster of luncheon. Kiwanians Hugh Murray, Oscar Cunningham and Ed. Grange were the three prize winners.

Two visitors, who were greeted in the usual hearty, enthusiastic Kiwanian fashion, were Tom Holmes, district trustee of the Hamilton Kiwanis Club, and Harry Kiff, of Leamington.

In a brief address, Mr. Holmes conveyed the greetings of Hamilton Kiwanians, and expressed their admiration of and regard for the London club and their policy of boys' work.

District Governor Bev Hay presided at the meeting.

PREPARE FOR OLD BOYS REUNION AT TILLSONBURG

Additional Seats and Buildings Being Erected To Accommodate Crowds.

Special to London Advertiser. TILLSONBURG, Aug. 17.—Work on the new sidewalk to connect the Agricultural Park with Broadway started today, and will be ready for the old boys' reunion, the last week of this month.

C. Hogg, agent for the Greater Empire Shows, arrived in town from Montreal today, and signed a contract to furnish the midway of fifteen cars for the big celebration.

To accommodate the crowds who wish to see the public wedding and grandstand events, bleachers to seat an extra 3,000 people are being erected immediately south of the grandstand. Work will also start early next week to erect the large dance hall which will be covered with canvas.

Secretary-Treasurer A. E. Raynes and his staff are working hard checking up the large list of entries arriving with every mail, and the poultry and cattle exhibits will surpass anything in the history of local events. Six high-class bands have been engaged for the week.

40,000 MEN WANTED TO HARVEST WESTERN CANADA'S CROPS.

Latest reports from the grain fields of the West indicate a record yield. 40,000 men are wanted from Eastern Canada to help harvest this crop. To meet this demand special harvesters' excursions will be operated by the Canadian National-Grand Trunk.

Through solid trains will be operated to Winnipeg without change, consisting of convertible (berth) colonist cars of latest design. Restaurant cars will be attached to trains, serving meals and lunches at reasonable prices. For fares, train services, etc., apply to nearest Canadian National-Grand Trunk agent.

INSTALLS PUMP TO RAISE GAS PRESSURE AT NOON

Special to London Advertiser. KITCHENER, Aug. 17.—Owing to a lack of gas pressure in certain parts of the city during the noon hour Superintendent McIntyre of the light commission has installed a special booster pump at the gas plant.

The pump was recently put into operation as a test, and complaints from the sections of the city affected have ceased. The pump will be maintained in operation.

Piper Plays While Riding On Port Stanley's Roller Coaster.

RIDING in a car on the roller coaster at Port Stanley and playing the bagpipes at the same time may seem a difficult task, but a piper from Toronto, who took in the annual picnic of the Irish Benevolent Society, Thursday, entertained the crowd in this manner while awaiting departure of their train.

He played lustily throughout several trips, and there was no interruption in the music as the car in which the piper rode dipped on its course.

Asked how he enjoyed this original venture, the piper exclaimed: "Mon, it was fine, but it was hard blown while navigating the curves."

LAHIE WIN SURE IN LABELLE ELECTION

Indications Point to Government Having Majority of 600 Votes.

Papineauville, Labelle County, Que., Aug. 16.—Election of Desire Lahie, government candidate in the provincial by-election for Labelle County, by a majority probably in the neighborhood of 600 votes is now accepted as practically certain.

The election follows a short, hard-fought campaign pressed to the limit by each side and regarded as of the first importance to both.

Colored liquors and liquor laws furnished the bulk of the ammunition which the opposition fired at the government. Charges and counter-charges have fanned the country to fever heat. The effect was obvious. Bronzed lumbermen and brawny-armed workers lolled luxuriously in expensive limousines sent into the heart of the country to bring the voters to the poll. Not one elector was overlooked by either party.

Spotters at the booths were greatly in evidence, and a mild sensation was caused at Buckingham in the afternoon when the chief of police threatened to close the poll following complaint that voting rules were being violated through a number of people being allowed to remain inside the poll without apparently having any other business than a desire to satisfy curiosity.

Obituaries

MRS. ELIZA BENSON.

The death occurred on Thursday, August 17, of Eliza, widow of the late Oren C. Benson, at the residence of her son, William C. Benson, 506 Oxford street, aged 80 years. Besides the son, she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. T. Edwards of Winnipeg. Mrs. Benson's husband predeceased her in December of last year. The funeral services, which will be private, will be held at her son's residence, 506 Oxford street, on Saturday, at 2 p.m., and will be in charge of Rev. W. Jewett, of the First Methodist Church. Interment will be in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

ANDREW R. SIMPSON.

Andrew R. Simpson, a former well-known business man, died in this city on Friday, August 18, after an illness of about two years. The late Mr. Simpson was at one time connected with the Ontario Spring, Bed and Mattress Company. He is survived by his widow, Ella M. Simpson, one brother, James L. Simpson of Guelph, and one sister, Mrs. James Bowman of Guelph. The funeral services will be held at the family residence, 372 York street, on Sunday, August 20, and will be in charge of the Rev. M. Kelly, of the First Congregational Church. Interment will be made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

BRITISH MAILS

The next mail for Great Britain and Europe will close at the local postoffice on Monday, Aug. 21, 1922, to be forwarded via SS. Empress of Scotland, sailing from Quebec on Aug. 22.

This mail will consist of all classes—letters and registered matter at 19 a.m., parcel post and newspapers at 2 p.m. Also letters and registered matter at 10 p.m. via SS. Paris, sailing from New York.

At the Theatres

PORT STANLEY—Free movies on the boardwalk. ALLEN—Anita Stewart, in "The Invisible Fear." LOEW'S—Vera Gordon and Dore Davidson, in "The Good Provider." PATRICIA—William Russell, in "Money To Burn."

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