Have You Appointed a Relative as Your Executor?

Your father, brother or uncle would be kind to your family and, perhaps, competent, but with their own affairs to look after would they have the time to manage your estate pro-

perly? Why not appoint

CANADA TRUST COMPANY

Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation

London (two branches) and St. Thomas T. G. Meredith, K.C. Hume Cronyn, President General Manager

RETURNED SOLDIER BREAKS HIS LEG AS HE KICKS FOOTBALL

Pte. W. Hodge Fractures His Wounded Limb.

IN HOSPITALS FOR MONTHS

Only Recently Able To Discard Crutches, He Participated In Game Too Soon.

ger Moment Before Engine Struck It.

Two Grand Trunk sectionmen nar-rowly escaped death at 7:20 o'clock this orning half way between Dorchester The train, which is due through Dorester at 5 o'clock was running 21/2 urs late, and the sectionmen, apparhours late, and the sectionmen, apparently not expecting a train westbound at that hour, were on the right-hand track slowly propelling the handcar.

The train was running at a high rate of speed trying to make up time lost by a detour over the N. Y. Central tracks, owing to a weshout on the Lehieb Val-

MOTOR CARS ARE NEEDED FOR TRIP TO PARKHILL

Anyone Anxious To Give Returned Soldiers a Few Hours of Fresh Air and Pleasure S hould Notify E. R. Wilson at the Y. M. C. A.

Citizens in charge of the automobile trip for convalescent soldiers on Wednesday are anxious to obtain a sufficient number of motor-cars. Although E. R. Wilson, who is making the large part of the arrangements this week has been at work for two days trying to obtain the necessary automobiles he has not succeeded in getting as many as are needed yet. The majority of those with whom he has arranged to make the trip have never assisted before. He is hopeful that he may obtain the cars of several who have been regular contributors since

MOTHER OF "OLD TIMER" IN TRENCHES GETS HUNDREDS OF NAMES FOR PETITIONS

Dled Prom Exhaustion.

PUT ON SPORTS

Mrs. Archer Has Secured
Goodwill Toward Movement
of Between 1,200 and
1,500 Citizens—"Personal
Touches" in Letters Sent
by Relatives of First Contingent Men tingent Men.

Applications are continuing to be made for copies of the petition for furlough for the men who constitute the remnant of the first contingent, and a hearty HS Boomer, who has initiated the movement for London and district. Already, a number of the petitions have been sent out of the city to be filled, and the appeals for these in several cases have been accompanied by touching letters.

A widow has recently written to Mrs. Boomer asking to have her name placed on the petition, as she is out of London and cannot sign it herself. She says: "My son has been three winters in active service, and 'It looks,' he says, 'as if I will have another one. If we do, there won't be many of us left,' I, Just think how anxious I am!"

A soldier's wife living at a distance from London has asked for a petition to circulate among her friends, not because she expects to benefit herself. response is being made on the part of the public, according to Mrs. H. A. Boomer, who has initiated the move-ment for London and district. Already,

While playing football Monday evening, Pte. W. Hodge, a patient at the Central Military Convalescent Hospital, suffered a fracture of the right thigh, when his leg gave way under him as he attempted to kick the ball.

Pte. Hodge, who returned to Canada only about six weeks ago, had received a wound in the calf of his right leg which also fractured the bone, and he for other women.

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Advertiser.

While the majority of those who are pushing the petitions have a deep personal interest in the first contingent, there are numbers of others who, like Mrs. Boomer herself, have absolutely no self-interest to serve.

One of the latter, after obtaining the names of 75 in the firm with which she is associated, has returned the petition with the comment:

Dirty But Sincere.

Dirty But Sincere.

Creasing in popularity over there. Once baseball was started and athletics were commenced, things brightened up wonderfully, and the men of the unit showed the effect of the sports. Other forms of athletics soon followed—basketball, soccer and rugby, all have been played, as well as track events.

Sutherland Pitches Game.

Some time ago the university ball team played another Canadian team, which had Gordon Sutherland, formerly a well-known young Londoner, as pitcher.

with the comment:
Dirty But Sincere. Dirty But Sincere.

"Am returning the petition, fully signed, somewhat dirty, but very sincere."

Down at the carshops, Superintendent Treleaven obtained 93 names without the least difficulty. But the banner still goes to the first woman to sign the petition, Mrs. Archer, mother of one of the original heroes, who has herself secured between 1,200 and 1,500 names, and started a number of others out with petitions. which they had been riding was struck by train No. 7 eastbound and smashed to pleces a few seconds after they had signed, somewhat dirty, but very sin-

USED AS SPRAY **BRINGS WARNING**

CONSUMERS. BE CAREFUL

Growers Should Be Asked What Drug Has Been Used

Last year a number of London people were taken ill after eating celery, Died Prom Exhaustion.

In order to illustrate the need of a furlough for the men of the first contingent, an officer who has recently returned said of a London district man of his branch of the service, who made the supreme sacrifice a few weeks ago: "He died from sheer exhaustion. During nearly three years, he had been on almost constant service without a single."

Died Prom Exhaustion.

ple were taken ill after eating celery, and the blame was laid to the bleaching compound used on the vegetable. This year householders are warned to beware of cabbage that has been sprayed with arsenate of lead, a deadly poison used to kill slugs.

Dr. J. C. Bell of Merlin, Ont., writes the constant service without a single.

tion:
"At 1:30 o'clock this morning in the family of

been used."
Dr. Bell thinks that growers and consumers should be warned of the danger. People purchasing cabbage or other vegetables on which sprays have been used should ask the grower what he used, and if any of the poisons named have been used should avoid the vegetables as a plague. It is said that much arsenate of lead is used to spray cabbages.

ANCIENT FORESTERS HAD A FINE OUTING

The annual picnic of the Ancient Or-

SHEPPARD FEARED HE COULD NEVER GO TO HIS WORK AGAIN

Had Complete Breakdown and

NOW ON FULL TIME AGAIN

A few evenings ago, Mrs. Florence Sheppard, wife of Augustus Sheppard, a well-known employee of P. W. Ellis

Joseph A. Beechie and L. D. Holmes. Charles Ross, who was summoned to tell why he had only one front lamp of his car lighted, gave a satisfactory explanation and was allowed to go with a warming that he exercise more care in the future.

The five who pleaded guilty to riding on the sidewalk were all boys, and were fined \$1 and costs each. Each said the road was too rough at sections of the city where he had taken to the sidewalk.

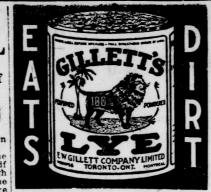
The five who pleaded guilty to riding on the sidewalk were all boys, and were fined \$1 and costs each. Each said the road was too rough at sections of the city where he had taken to the sidewalk. EXHIBIT OF GLADIOLI

hibits of single flowers in the proper easons. The present exhibition is open ours of the library.

LAST HEARD OF MUDDLE

assessment muddle, and no official will be dismissed or censured.

There was no attempt to dismiss anybod last night at the meeting of the council, although Controller Shaw chided Mayor Stevenson for failure to do what Dr. Shaw considers he should have done. However, the incident ended there. That this is the last of it until probably municipal election time is certain. Then it may be used, but in the meantime, nothing more will be heard of it, the officials say.



DEADLY POISON

Physician Thinks Arsenate of Lead Made Six Patients Very III.

To Kill Slugs.

most constant service without a single ing one case of poisoning from eating urlough. He was regarded as being cabbage which has come to his atten

was called to attend the family of Abraham Smith, who lives in Raleigh Township, about 2½ miles from Merlin. I found Mrs. Smith very ill, and in a collapsed condition. Two sons, one about 16 and tion. Two sons, one about 16 and the other 18, were very ill, also a niece of Mr. Smith in the same condition. The mother-in-law of Mr. Smith, jun., is very ill in Chatham, and attributes her trouble to eating cabbage that had been purchased on the Chatham market on Saturday. I think the growers had used day. I think the growers had used arsenic or arsenate of lead to kill the slugs on the cabbage while growing. Six that partook of the cabbage were very ill, and I think the case is a similar one to the many cases expected last year from eat. cases reported last year from eat-ing celery on which this polson had been used."

The annual picnic of the Ancient Order of Foresters held at Springbank Park Saturday afternoon was attended by over three hundred. A feature of the outing was a ladies' baseball game. The teams were captained by Mrs. Cassin's team won by a score of 24 to 12. Following are the winners in the sports: Girls, 5 years and under—1 E. Woods, 2 Flo Jackson, 3 M. Burridge. Boys, 5 years and under—1 S. Spencer, 2 G. Brown, 3 E. Lobbilliard. Girls, 10 years and under—1 A. Spencer, 2 H. Rossiter, 3 E. Brown. Boys, 10 years and under—1 H.

Left His Job.

His Wife Delighted With His Wonderful Recovery on

Tanlac.

be granted the men of Canada," said Mirs. Boomer this forencon. Lifting a letter which lay on her desk, she added: "This letter tells of an only son where unhurt. Engineer Crawford was unable to stop the train until after it had gone some distance by where the handcar was struck. The pilot of the engine was slightly damaged.

The names of six motorists and five bicyclists, the former charged with breaches of the Ontario motor vehicle act, and the latter with riding on the sidewalk, were entered on the police court blotter today.

Of those churged under the motor work. He was fold he must go to the hospital and be operated on, and I was almost crazy. A week ago tonight I speading in police court. They

on and to get ready to go to the hospital. My appetite left me entirely, and I got so all I could take when I went OPENS AT THE LIBRARY to the table was a cup of tea. My The exhibit of gladioli which was opened at the public library to any and while I was in no particular pain, I kept getting weaker. I would have beautiful speciments of this fine flower. Quite a large selection was placed on exhibition today, and others will be in place tomorrow, some of the local growers having varieties that were not in bloom today.

The idea of holding a show devoted to one flower is so that those who growthis flower may see what others are doing, and also compare their varieties. S. F. Wood made an offer to secure an exhibit from the Groff gardens at Simcoe, Ont., but received word this morning that their endicated is a late of the shop. I was off for ten and the training and so forced to give up. I was off for ten days and felt like I would never be able to go back to work any more. strength and energy all seemed to leave coe, Ont., but received word this morning that their gladioli are late, and will not be ready for a week. It is hoped that an exhibit from Simcoe may be arranged for later.

days and let like I would let be able to be act to work any more.

"So on Saturday night my wife came home with a bottle of Tanlac and urged me to take it, saying she had read so me to take it, saying she had read so how it she believed it. that an exhibit from Simcoe may be arranged for fater.

The display at the library is an indication of what local flower lovers are doing in the way of beautifying the city. It is planned to hold other expensive the city of the control of the con morning I was so much better that

Girls, 14 years and under-1 Will Nutwent back to work and I haven't lost kins, 2 E. Brown, 3 L. Sullivan. Boys, 14 years and under-1 Bert esent exhibition is open lic during the regular rary.

an hour since. I have picked up every day since I started on Tanlac and my Wright, 2 E. Wright, 3 H. Wright. friends are already talking about how Young ladies' race-1 A. Spencer, 2 W. THEARD OF MUDDLE much better I look. I certainly do feel a thousand times better and I have never had a better appetite, and I can Nutkins, 3 E. Brown.

Necktie race (lady and gentleman)—
1 Mrs. Delaney and Mr. Emigh, 2 Mrs.
Wright and J. Bruce.

Married ladies' race—1 Mrs. Brown, 2
Mrs. Wright, 3 Mrs. Wood.

Married men's race—1 Mr. Jackson, 2
D. Wood, 3 S. Delaney.
Three-legged race (lady and gentleman)—1 Mrs. Brown and D. Wood, 2
Miss Brown and Mr. Wright.
Potato race—1 Will Nutkins, 2 Mrs.
Nutkins.
Jonah peanut race—Mrs. Emigh.
Picking Clothespins—1 S. Delaney.
Throwing baseball—1 Mrs. Wright.
Committee in charge—E. Nutkins, Nutkins, 3 E. Brown. eat just anything set before me. That The impression prevails at the city old, tired, dizzy feeling has left me, and all that the last has been heard of the I'm feeling strong and good. Tanlac has ssessment muddle, and no official will simply given me a new lease on life gone now, and we are very grateful for what Tanlac has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Throw Nutkins.

Jonah peanut race—Mrs. Emigh.

Picking Clothespins—1 S. Delaney.

Throwing baseball—1 Mrs. Wright.
Committee in charge—E. Nutkins,
chairman; H. Cassin, treasurer; Fred

THE WEATHER

Wednesday Half-Holiday Sales Many Half-Price Events Tomorrow



NO PHONE

ORDERS

taken for Wednesday morn-

ing sale goods. This gives

early shoppers absolute guar-

antee that at 8:30 all goods

advertised will be on the

sale tables. This applies to

to clear. Flannel Counter.

CLEARING OF WHITE EMBROIDERED VOILE

FLOUNCINGS AT HALF PRICE.

Just six patterns in the lot of about 50 yards of Beautiful

Swiss materials, some in 22-inch width, others in 40-inch width all are odd and broken assortments to be cleared out at half

price. As the quantity is limited, be here early, so as to get

22-inch Embroidered Voiles, pure white. All to clear at half

prices, i. e......\$1.00, \$1.12, \$1.25, \$1.37 yard

SWISS COMBINATIONS, 29c SUIT.

Swiss Ribbed Cotton Combinations, low neck, short sleeves, drawers, tight knee; sizes 34 and 36. Special......29c

HALF PRICE FOR THESE.

One table Children's Cotton and Spun Silk Vests, long sleeves.

To clear Half Price

REMNANTS WHITE FLANNELETTE.

LINEN TABLETS, 9c AND 16c.

Large Linen Writing Tablets, size 8x10, good quality linen. Special 16c each

Linen Writing Tablets, size 8x5, good quality linen. Special

9c each About 50 packages of good Linen Envelopes to match pads.

WASH SKIRTS, 98c.

One table of White Skirts, odd and broken lines of repp and

color, all this season's models. To clear98c

CLEARANCE OF BATHING CAPS.

Made of heavy rubber in novel shapes and styles, mottled and

plain colors; greatly reduced 20c, 25c, 50c and 75c

WINDSOR TIES, 39c.

These give a very smart touch to the blouse or make very neat

hatbands. This showing consists of a pleasing variety of col-

ors with wide and narrow stripes and color combinations with

wide satin stripe in an excellent quality of silk. Special....39c

TALCUM POWDER, TWO CANS FOR 25c.

An excellent powder, exquisitely soft and fine, softens the skin

HOOKS AND EYES, THREE CARDS FOR 5c.

Invisible Hooks and Eyes, sizes 0, 1 and 2, white only, three

eards for 5c

More Specials for Men and Boys

COMBINATION UNDERWEAR, 69c SUIT

Several odd lines of Men's Combinations, in white and natural

shades, all grouped for quick selling Wednesday, Balbriggan

and elastic ribbed, some have short sleeves and long drawers,

others are short sleeves and knee, real good quality and worth

much more than the price asked; also a few combinations for

boys in fine dimity cloth, athletic style; sizes for men 34 to 42,

sizes for boys 28 to 32. All one price Wednesday 69c suit

SPORT SHIRTS FOR MEN AND BOYS, 59c EACH.

Just a few of these to clear out to the early buyers—the men's

are white with fancy sport collar, the boys' are striped pat-

terns; not all sizes in this lot; also a few Sport Blouses in blue

with white collar. These are all greatly reduced in price Sale

price 59c each

MEN'S SOFT COLLARS, 2 FOR 25c.

A splendid assortment of Men's Soft White Collars, different

styles, but all popular this season. Many of these are about half

regular price; sizes 14 to 161/2. Sale price 2 for 25c

AFTERNOON TEA SPECIALS.

Cup of Tea or Coffee 25c

Wright, 2 F. Woonton, 3 F. Rossiter.

Rossiter, secretary.

Blueberries and Cream, Cut Cake,

sale goods only.

These sales are nearing the end-just another after tomorrow's and the prices in these sale clearings are shortening with the summer days. It is hardly necessary to urge the readers of this page regarding the importance of these events, but we would again remind you that every item advertised is at a great reduction in price and can be had only on Wednesday morning, which has made this the summer shopping event of the week. Come at 8:30

A Full Day's Business in the Forenoon On Sale From 8:30 to 1 p.m.

LADIES' SILK SUITS FOR HALF, SOME LESS. No descriptions are given for these sales, but every suit is this season's, the very best and smartest models, with their prices cut in half, some less. Taffetas, Gros de Londres, Jerseys and Pongees, in colors of rose, navy, grey, brown and black. Sale prices\$12.50, \$13.25, \$15.00, \$19.00 and \$25.00

SEQUIN LACE LESS THAN HALF. About 37 yards Black Sequin to be cleared at less than half. some about one-quarter the regular price, from 3 to 10 inches in width. All one price Wednesday morning 48c yard CORSET COVER EMBROIDERY ABOUT HALF.

29c AND 48c YARD. About 80 yards Corset Cover Embroidery in dainty designs, all 17-inch width, to be cleared at about half regular price. Wed-

THIS STORE CLOSES at 1 o'clock Wednesdays during June, July and August. No noon delivery.

Dinner 11 to 12:30.

nesday morning 29c and 48c yard

MARQUISETTE CURTAINS, \$3.38.

About 50 pairs extra fine quality Marquisette Curtains, suitable for living-room, bedroom or dining-room, in eeru and ivory. To clear Wednesday morning, sale price\$3.38 pair

MADE DRAPERIES HALF PRICE

Just a few which were made up for show purposes for archways and window hangings, sizes to fit arch or window, all ready to hang. At half price Wednesday morning.

FOURTH FLOOR

Wednesday Morning Linen Specials

Wednesday morning is cleanup day in the Linen Department. where quantities are small and lines impossible to repeat will go at a sacrifice. Every item is popular merchandise; some quantities are very small, but early shoppers will be well repaid by being here at the opening hour.

CHOICE IRISH EMBROIDERED BEDSPREADS WEDNES-

DAY, \$3.59 EACH.

1,000 yards White Flannelette Ends from 2 to 10 yards in Eight only Irish Embroidered Bedspreads of superior quality, length, all good quality; every piece marked at a very low price clean, fresh stock, balance of last season's selling; size 90x100 inches. While they last Wednesday \$3.59 each

FINE HUCKABACK BEDROOM TOWELS, \$8.75 DOZEN.

Less than maker's quotations for this quality should mean ready clearance Wednesday for these superior Irish Huckaback Bedroom Towels, large size, guaranteed every thread pure linen, choice of three designs. You should see these to appre-While they last 5c package ciate the value. Wednesday 75c each, \$8.75 dozen

COLORED BATH TOWELS ABOUT ONE-THIRD OFF. Grey, White and Red Striped Bath Towels of exceptional qualjean, some plain, others with belt and pockets, also a few khaki ity in large size. While they last Wednesday 65c per pair

EXCLUSIVE FANCY GEORGETTE CREPES FOR WAISTS REDUCED FOR QUICK CLEARING, \$2.00 YARD.

Seven pieces in the lot, comprising the exclusive patterns in best quality imported Georgette Pure Silk Crepes: One piece Russian green with mustard wave stripe and floral

Two pieces ivory with figure in colors of grey, helio, gold, also mauve, pale blue and grey figure. One piece Alice blue with large figure. One piece Paddy green with large figure.

One piece white with fine navy stripes with scalloped insertion effect across; all are 40 inches wide.

effect in colors of red-apple green.

TWO PIECES OF FINE QUALITY FRENCH SHOT TAFFETA SILKS, 35 AND 38 INCHES WIDE,

An excellent opportunity to buy a pretty dress for afternoon or evening wear, also pretty silks for petticoats; the color combinations are in pale rose, and pearl grey, also cornflower blue and pearl grey; both pieces are of the extra heavy thread weave, soft, pliable finish for satisfactory wear. As there is just one piece of each, we advise you to be early for this special

FOR, \$1.48 YARD,

SILVER SHEEN SPORT SUITINGS TO CLEAR AT HALF PRICE. Silver Sheen Suiting, a beautiful, fine, even weave of wool

and cotton mixture, colored sport stripe, on plain palm beach

ground; an ideal fabric for odd skirts or suits, fast colors, launders perfectly; will be found suitable for late summer wear; choice of four designs; about 250 yards in all; 32 inches wide. Wednesday morning at half price50c per yard Also balance of Fancy Colored Voiles in stripes, Paisley and floral designs; a splendid assortment clearing at half price. CHILDREN'S SCHOOL CASES AT 39c.

150 extra special Juvenile Suit Cases, fibre-covered, steel corners and brass catches, 12 inches long, just the thing for school Men's Cotton Bathing Suits, one-piece, with skirt, in navy or letter shade only since 26 to 44. The letter shade only shade only since 26 to 44. The letter shade only since 26 to 44. T slate shade only; sizes 36 to 44. To clear Wednesday. . 69c suit | third off. Basement.

> AFTERNOON TEA SPECIALS. Cold Tongue, Bread Rolls and Butter

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Magistrate Kelly at Goderich today

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It's fun for them, and there is a lasting pleasure for the CLINTON, Aug. 20.-Before Police whole family in the pictures themselves.

There's nothing confusing about the successful operation of a Kodak. It will feel perfectly at home in the hands of your boy

Send your films here and be assured of the best results in

J. H. BACK & CO.

needed in this district. Some wells dry. On many farms the cattle have have already dried up and creeks to be driven to and from pasture and badly used for watering cattle have also run watered from windmill troughs.

Barbers Itch Eczema

B ARBERS' itch is in reality a form of eczema cate skin becomes irritated from shaving, a little infection gets in, and soon burning, stinging eczema is set up.

Fortunately, there is cure for Barbers' Itch and Eczema in the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and once you have made the acquaintance of this soothing, healing ointment, you will always keep it on hand to apply after shaving. Not every time, but whenever there is roughness or irrita-

Mr. Chas. A. Duxbury, Meaford, Out., states: "While out in the Northwest I caught barbers' itch, and anyone who has had it will admit that it is not at all pleasant. It began on my neck below the chin, and spread until I became alarmed. It itched so bad that I had to scratch it, and that only made it wome.

"A friend of mine told me to use Dr. Chase's Oratment, and I did so. The application of this cintment gave prompt relief to the itching, and it was not many weeks until I was entirely freed of this annoying ailment." Some of the ingredients of Dr. Chase's Cintment are very expensive, and for this reason imitations and substitutes are offered because they afford greater profits to the They will only disappoint you. The genuine Dr.

Dr.Chase's Ointment

60c a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Lates & Co., Ltd.,