

## HOUSING COMMISSION ASKS MORE MONEY

**Wants Additional Appropriation of \$400,000—Not For Current Year.**

Application for \$400,000 additional appropriation for building in London under the new housing act was made by the housing commission last night. Under the new act this money will be available at current rate of interest. The city's appropriation of \$500,000 under the former act was obtained at 6 per cent. It is not likely that any of the new appropriation will be required this year, but the commission wishes to be prepared for eventualities.

R. J. Kelly, who contracted to build nine houses for the commission last year, stated in a letter to the commission that he was facing a total loss of more than \$4,000 because of delays in obtaining backlogs and other materials. He will be instructed to interview the purchasers of the houses with a view to remedying this condition to some extent.

Sub-division plans of the Pine Lawn site will be submitted to City Engineer Brazier immediately, and will later be sent to the railway and municipal board for approval. As soon as this is done the actual work of sub-dividing the property and laying streets will be commenced. A barn which is on the premises at present will not be sold, but will be retained for use as a tool shed by the contractors.

City Clerk Baker reported that loans approved so far totalled \$152,820. Withdrawals total \$37,885.

## CONVICTIONS CAUSE MORE FORM FILING

Preparations for Further Prosecutions Still Continue Here.

As a result of the convictions of persons failing to file income tax returns the office of the local inspector of taxation is returning to the city for the year 1918 from citizens of whom it had no knowledge. The six men fined here are only a few of those who will face the court. As soon as R. B. Law, the solicitor for the prosecution, returns from Ontario he will continue the court actions. Meanwhile the work of notifying delinquents by registered mail proceeds.

## HOUSING DIFFICULTIES SOLVED BY MINSTRELS

Harvey Show Enjoys All Conveniences In Own Private Train.

R. M. Harvey, proprietor of Harvey's Greater Minstrel Show, now playing in London, has upon a bright idea to solve troubles arising from housing and hotel congestion. All the members of the company, including the men, women and children, travel, eat, sleep and live in two private cars, which are really a traveling hotel with every convenience. The two cars, of steel construction throughout, are divided into fifteen staterooms, each with upper and lower sleeping berths, providing accommodation for four people; a commodious dining-room, a kitchen, pantry, a large bathroom, a private parlor compartment for Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, and a convenient, bright, roomy office for Mr. Harvey. The two cars are lighted by electric current produced by a small motor, driven by coal oil, which starts and stops automatically according to the current demand. The dining room is provided with a table and can be used as a writing, reading or sitting room. Stairs lead to a platform when required from a small boiler in the baggage end of one car. Supplies are purchased for the company of all people wherever they play, and two waitresses and a kitchen maid are kept busy preparing and serving meals to the company. After and between meals the dining-room serves as a club-room.

Mr. Harvey put the idea of housing his company in private cars when he was manager of the Wallace and Hagenback circus. He had 22 years' experience on the road with circus aggregations, including the Barnum and Bailey outfit. He began his life in newspaper work and owns a daily paper of his own out in Perry, Iowa. After his home town he has named the two cars in which his company travels, the Perry and the Iowa.

**TENDER DETAILED.**  
When four miles east of Ingersoll, two wheels on the tender of No. 83, a westbound Grand Trunk passenger train, due here at 5:30 o'clock, jumped the track on Thursday afternoon. The derailment occurred about 5:20 p.m., the train being a half-hour behind schedule. With the exception of the coupling of a few wheels little damage resulted. Without the assistance of an auxiliary the wheels were replaced on the track.

**DIZZINESS, CONSTIPATION**  
had taste in the mouth, despondency or "the blues," and other miserable ailments call attention to the liver. It is torpid. Take Hacking's Pills—they rouse the liver and relieve all liver ills. They are the old and favorite family cathartic. Purely vegetable. Gentle and thorough. Sold by all druggists.

## Prominent Minister Indorses Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy

Was almost a Nervous Wreck from Overwork; this wonderful remedy brought back his old-time Vigor and Vitality. Read the story of a Great Medicine, in three letters. \$100 in cash will be paid to anyone who can prove that these letters are not genuine. The name of minister will be given to anyone who doubts these remarkable statements.

**HERE IS LETTER NUMBER ONE.**  
"Please send me one box of HACKING'S HEART AND NERVE REMEDY. I am suffering from a bad attack and have been unable to fill my pulpit for three months, doctors say that it may be six months or more before I am well again. I used to be able to hold my large congregation from start to finish, now, I can scarcely hold my own thoughts."

My Heart Action is bad, and I am subject to Faintings and Dizziness, and am very despondent. I hope that your remedy will help me. We sent on the one box of Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy, and 11 days later we receive this letter.

**LETTER NUMBER TWO.**  
"Please send me 6 boxes of Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy. I have used the box you sent me, and I feel that it has already helped me. My head is clearer, and the pain that has followed the preparation of my sermons has been greatly relieved, and I feel that with proper treatment I will again be restored to my old-time vigor."

"I am so pleased with the success of your remedy that I am giving part of it to some of my friends."

Now comes the proof in letter number three, a few weeks later.

**LETTER NUMBER THREE.**  
"Having used your medicine, Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy, for a few weeks for Neurasthenia (Nervous Breakdown) I have become a new man. For five months I have suffered from Sleeplessness, Nervous Chills, Fainting Spells, Severe Headaches, and I could not place my mind on the preparation of my sermons. Today, my old ambition and strength is renewed—thanks to the use of your remedy, which I am pleased to recommend to anyone suffering from Nervous Diseases."

This testimonial comes voluntarily from one whose reputation is unassailable, and is given for the sole purpose of helping others. The above statements are true—or as near to the truth "as the men of Benjamin could throw a stone."

—JUD. XX, 18.

If you are broken down in health from any cause whatever you will guarantee that a six box treatment of HACKING'S HEART AND NERVE REMEDY will make a wonderful improvement in your health, but you must be sure to get HACKING'S. Price 50c a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50. Sold by all dealers, or by mail. Hacking's, Limited, Listowel.

Sold in London and St. Thomas by the Standard Drug Stores.

## LONDON TP. PIONEER

Late John Haskett, who resided in London Township for 57 years.

## INDIGNATION MEETING AS PROTEST TO BILL

L. R. C. Plans To Voice Objections in East End Hall.

Members of the labor representation committee and the citizens' committee opposing the passing of the city of London bill at Toronto are arranging to hold an indignation mass meeting in the east end town hall next week. Already petitions protesting the bill are being circulated for signatures.

Meanwhile, through Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M. P., the opposing citizens are laying their case before the attorney-general. An attempt will be made to have the matter sent back to the private bills committee. William T. H. C. stated that L. R. C. has a letter from Premier E. C. Murphy to the effect that Dr. Stevenson will be given an opportunity to ventilate the affair on the floor of the House.

Neither young nor old men get too large wages in London, and so it was not easy to get any striking expression of local opinion regarding the contention of Governor Sleeper of Michigan that high wages are the cause of high prices and very bad morals for young men. The governor is reported as actually going to a group of Detroit manufacturers and telling them that it is not right for boys 18 to 20 years of age to draw from \$7 to \$11 a day in wages. They do not save any of it and are learning extravagant habits, he claims. He urged upon the automobile manufacturers a readjustment of wages, so that married men and older men would draw larger salaries and young, unmarried men smaller salaries.

about this," said T. D. McCullough, secretary of the Social Service Council, "because I don't think there is much fault to be found in London in the direction of excessively high wages."

**MRS. HANCE ELECTED**

**PRESIDENT OF W. M. S.**

Mrs. J. J. Hance was elected president of the Women's Missionary Society of Coburne Street Methodist Church for the ensuing year at the annual meeting on Thursday. Other officers elected are: First vice-president, Mrs. F. D. Walker; second vice-president, Mrs. R. T. Dickie; recording secretary, Mrs. A. Westman; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. Ralph; treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Harley; superintendent of Christian stewardship, Mrs. J. A. Dickinson.

During the past year \$390 has been raised by the organization.

**RECEIVES \$1,000**

Women's Christian Association Gets Bequest of Wm. McConaghy.

The Women's Christian Association will receive bequest of something more than \$1,000 from the estate of the late William McConaghy of St. Mary's, according to a judgment given in Toronto by Justice Kelly. The testator bequeathed the residue of his estate to six home or hospital for aged or infirm persons nearest to his home, and the Women's Christian Association of London and the Perth House of Refuge, at Stratford, both made claim to the bequest. Dr. W. M. Flock appeared as counsel for the London association.

**LOCAL HOD-CARRIERS**

**LIKELY TO WALK OUT**

Latest developments indicate that a strike of hod-carriers is likely. The employers, it is stated, flatly refuse the demand of the men for 70 cents an hour. The men are unwilling to accept any lower figure.

# Many Special Sales Featured For Saturday

Such opportunities as are listed here for Saturday will be found of more than ordinary merit. In the men's as well as the ladies' outfitting sections the specials are real high quality merchandise, in keeping with the high standard of this store, and the sale of Irish linen pieces will interest many at this season who are thinking of gifts for the June bride.



## Ladies' Knitted Underwear of the Better Qualities

Lisle Vests, low neck, sleeveless, finished around neck and arms with plain hem, size 36 to 42. At ..... \$1.25  
Mercerized Vests, low neck, finished with plain hem, sleeveless and bodice style, size 36 to 44. At ..... \$1.75  
Knitted Cotton Drawers, tight knee or lace trimmed, open and closed, size 36 and 38 at 75c; 40 to 44 at ..... 85c  
Lisle Combinations, low neck, sleeveless and short sleeves, drawers tight knee, open style, size 36 and 38 at \$1.75; 40 and 44 at ..... \$2.00  
Second Floor.

**TUNGSTEN LAMPS, 30c**  
1,000 best quality, 25, 40 and 50 watt. Saturday ..... 39c each  
Basement.

## The New Narrow Belts

Have just received another shipment of the popular narrow, 1/2 and 1 inch wide. They come in long lengths from 30 to 38; to be worn with suits, coats, dresses and sweaters.  
Smart style, in leather, piped with black patent leather, in black, grey, navy, brown, etc. At ..... 50c each  
Black or White Patent Belts, 1/2 and 1 inch wide, at 25c and 35c  
Real Patent Leather, black only. At ..... 50c and 75c each  
Navy, brown, tan, purple and open suede, piped with black patent leather. At ..... 75c each  
White Kid Belts, at ..... \$1.00 each  
Aisle C.

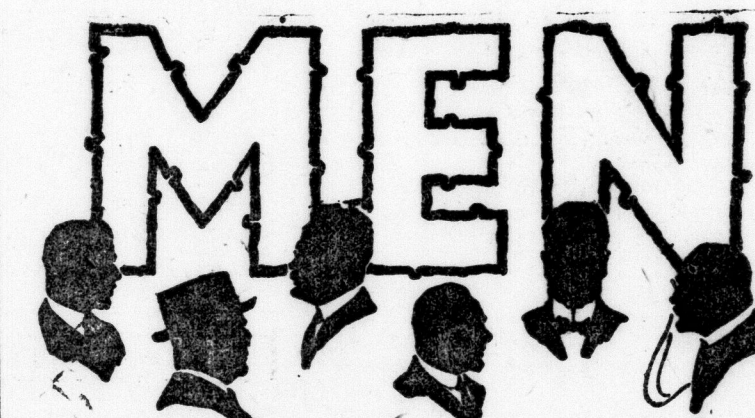
## At Toilet Counter

SOAP SALES.

Palmolive Soap ..... 3 for 24c  
Cuticura Soap ..... 2 for 25c  
Vinolia, all round Bath Tablet ..... 2 for 35c  
Infants' Delight Soap ..... 3 for 25c

**VACUUM BOTTLES, \$1.49.**  
6 dozen pint size Vacuum Bottles, black with polished nickel cup and trimmings. Sale price ..... \$1.49 each  
KEEP OUT THE MOTH.

The practical, economical and safe way to store garments, White Pine Tar Bags. Easy to handle, keeps the clothes free from wrinkles, air tight, dust proof and damp proof. Each bag holds three garments, three separate hooks.  
Size 24x24, at ..... 85c each  
24x37, at ..... \$1.25 each  
30x50, at ..... \$1.50 each  
30x60, at ..... \$1.75 each  
Be sure you put Moth Flakes or the Moth Balls in your trunks or boxes, etc. ..... 15c and 20c per package  
Aisle C.



## Waterproof Coats, \$16.95

Grey Donegal Tweeds, with or without belt, full skirted coats that make an ideal style for motor use; and as a street coat the "swagger" style and distinctive appearance will give you a very satisfied feeling. All sizes. At the appealing price ..... \$16.95

## MEN'S BELTS

Now is the time to select the Belt you will need for summer wear. A complete range in all sizes ..... 50c and up  
MOTOR GAUNTLETS ..... \$3.00 to \$4.00 pair

## Men's and Young Men's Topcoats, \$19.95

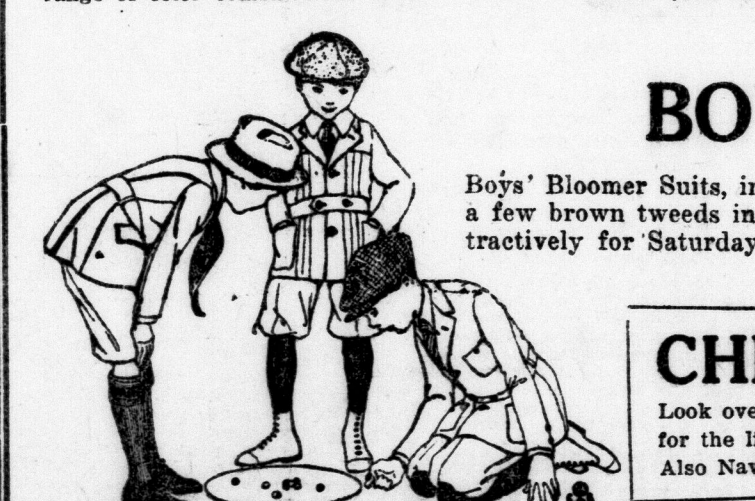
This is a very special feature for Saturday. All-Wool Coats, worth much more than we ask on Saturday. All well tailored and of the choicest models. Sale price ..... \$19.95

## UNIONALLS

When motoring be sure to throw a pair of these Unionalls into the car. Easy to slip on and will save your clothes from oil and dirt. All sizes up to 50. Price ..... \$5.75

## MEN'S NECKWEAR.

Fine Swiss foulards, Italian silk and Cheney Cravats. A beautiful range of color combinations. Price ..... 50c to \$5.00 each



## BOYS' SUITS, \$13.95

Boys' Bloomer Suits, in light and dark grey Halifax tweed, neat plain belter styles, also a few brown tweeds in the waist-seam models: an ideal summer suit, and priced very attractively for Saturday; sizes for boys up to 17 years. Price ..... \$13.95

## CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS

Look over the range of Children's Straw Hats on Saturday. All the desired styles for the little folks. Prices from ..... 50c to \$6.75 each  
Also Navy Blue Tams, all sizes ..... \$1.25 to \$2.00 each

VICTROLA DEPARTMENT—"HIS MASTER'S VOICE" RECORDS.  
Hear the New May Records on a Victor Machine.  
THIRD FLOOR.

## Flannels and Wash Goods Specials For Saturday

GREY FLANNEL for men's shirts and suitable for undershirts or boys' pants. A very strong and durable flannel in a dark grey, much below today's price; 29-inch ..... SPECIAL, 69c yard

NURSERY FLANNEL, a white all-wool flannel of very special quality, nice, soft finish and easily laundered; a necessity for baby's wear; 27-inch ..... SPECIAL VALUE, \$1.00 yard

STRIPED ZEPHYR, an English cloth, very superior in quality and easily 30 per cent saving on today's value; the quantity is limited, in very pretty colors of blue, grey, mauve and oxblood with fine white stripe; 27-inch ..... SPECIAL VALUE, 50c yard

REAL SWISS GORGANDY, in white, very sheer, a lovely weave, even and very fine; the season's popular white goods and a great value here, 45 inch, at ..... \$1.00 yard

SHEETS of extra quality heavy bleached cotton, in two sizes, 3-4 and 9-4, both double bed sheets, the 9-4 a favorite if you like a really large sheet. Secure this line while we have the value; very suitable for summer cottages ..... \$4.85 pair

BRIDAL CLOTH for pretty summer lingerie, fine clean weave, pure spring-water bleach, no filling whatever; one of our biggest special whitewear numbers, 36-inch ..... 39c yard  
Aisle B.

## Japanese Striped Habutai \$2.75 Per Yard

Saturday morning we will place an assortment of Japanese Striped Habutais on sale. This silk is a white ground with colored stripes, a genuine tub silk, made to stand the wear and tear, suitable for waists, blouses and gentlemen's shirts.

Colors—Stripes, white and blue, maize and blue, white and red, white and black, white and grey, white and fawn and candy stripe. Fast colors, 33-inch, at ..... \$2.75 per yard  
Aisle A.

## At Notion Counter

Twine Bags, for marketing and shopping, good and strong. Price ..... 45c each

Coates' Mercer Crochet Cotton. Price ..... 2 for 25c, or 25c ball

Shoe Ties, a great saving on shoes, keeps them in shape. Price ..... 2 for 25c

Wool, skein, mending. Price ..... 2 for 15c

Kurley Kew Curlers, for the girls' ringlets. Price ..... 15c box

Gold-plated Safety Pins, small sizes for baby. Price ..... 15c card

White Domes, on tape. Price ..... 35c yard

Lingerie Tape, in pink, white and sky. Price ..... 15c card

Lingerie Ribbon for camisoles, etc., 3/4-inch wide. Price 15c card

Real Human Hair Cap Nets. Price ..... 2 for 25c  
Aisle E.

## Note The Moderate Prices In the Men's Shop Saturday

The question is "where?" but we think the prices listed for Saturday will answer this to your entire satisfaction in the Men's Shop.

## Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$29.75, \$37.50

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A remarkably good range grouped for Saturday's selling, comprising everything that could be desired in style, quality and patterns—Suits that express character in the fine tailoring, exclusively styled—really appealing Suits for men or young men. At the value-giving price ..... \$37.50

### MEN'S CAPS, \$1.69

You are sure of your money's worth in buying one of these Caps on Saturday. Good smart tweeds in assorted shades. All sizes. Price ..... \$1.69

### BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR, 60c GARMENT.

Men's Fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, long sleeves and ankle drawers, good Egyptian yarns; all sizes. Price ..... 60c garment

### MEN'S SILK HALF HOSE, 89c.

Pure strand silk. It would be impossible to duplicate these for future selling at double this price. If you appreciate real value don't hesitate to get your season's supply now from this lot. Price ..... 89c pair

### V-NECK SWEATERS.

All pure wool, with club stripes at neck, white bodies. Select now while you have the choice of color combinations ..... \$7.00

INVISIBLE SUSPENDERS—Two and four point, as desired ..... 50c and 75c a pair

## Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$29.75

This lot also is appealing; smart models for young men and the styles that businessmen prefer; all sizes. Be sure to visit the Clothing Department Saturday. Satisfaction assured. This lot very special at

## \$29.75

## Men's Gabardines

The most popular coat of the season. See this large range Saturday; neat brown shades, with or without belts, one-quarter, one-half and full lined. Prices ..... \$25.00 to \$60.00

## Youths' First Long Pants Suits, \$21.95

Every boy who is about to start wearing long pants for the first time should be here on Saturday to see these suits. They are tailored in the very newest models and are very smart appearing. A wide range of patterns to choose from; all the required sizes. Saturday ..... \$21.95



## Dining Room Service

WEDNESDAY—HALF-HOLIDAY.  
Dinner, 11 to 12:30.  
All in at 12:30 will be served.