## P. U. C. PRESENTS CITY NATIVE OF LONDON WITH 8 LAMP POSTS FOR VICTORIA PARK W. J. Lince Was Prominent Fire Chief Objects to Maze of

Tenders for Construction of New Filter Plant Received.

THAT BOARD OF WORKS

Emphatic Remarks As To Business Methods Are Passed.

It was also decided on the recom-Thames Park.

On the recommendation of the playgrounds committee applications will be made to the board of education for the ise of the Lord Roberts Public School grounds for public playground purposes during the summer months. Use of the swimming pool will also be re-

Tenders ranging from \$20,000 to \$48,-000 for the construction of the proposed new filter plant at the Ridout street new liter plant at the kidout street pumping station were received, opened, and passed on to General Manager E. V. Buchanan for a report as to the one best suited for the city's needs. Two applications for rebate on water rates were considered and on the rec-ommendation of the waterworks com-mittee one was granted and the other

The question of lowering water mains already installed on streets where pav-ing is to be done was again before the commission and the expression of opin-ion was the expense of doing this should be borne by the local improvements account and not by the water

the intention to do this work having been received by the waterworks department no provision for laying the intended 12-inch main on this street was made in the estimates.

General Manager Buchanan stated

that the work will cost about \$25,000. In order not to delay the work of pav-ing the street, he suggested that the ing the street, he suggested that the sections of the main running under street intersections might be done immediately leaving the greater length of it, which can be carried along the boulevard till provision to meet the cost of the work is made. The commission approved this way of meeting the difficulty and the city engineer will the difficulty and the city engineer will

e notified accordingly.

The recommendation of the electrical department that tenders for the construction of the new east end Hy-dro sub-station be called for was ap-

## BOARD OF WORKS SHORT

promised by the board of the period of the p stacked in six or seven great piles on each side of the roadway, but, there again John Kay, Harry Watson, John

It is claimed by the residents of the Envelop the work stopped.

It is claimed by the residents of the locality that the promise was made during some public discussion which took place at the time as to the safety of the bridge, that the work would be done immediately, but despite a fine fall, an open winter and the fact that the city had hundreds of men pleading for work the planks still lay where they were placed except in two piles where mischievous boys, or others, the content of the planks of the pla where mischievous boys, or others, have upset their orderly arrangement.

## BIRD NOTES

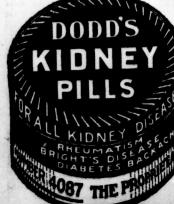
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Whatever this extraordinary weather may have in store for the future, it birds from the south long before their average dates. On Thursday morning single grasshopper sparrow was found singing. It is, perhaps, unfair to construct an average date of arival for this bird out of past records, because up to ten years ago this bird was moderately rare and 30 years ago extremely rare so that the dates from which the average is compiled, had few chances of being early ones. The average for this species is about May average for this species is about May 15 and the previous early date. April 21. Surely 1921 looks early just now. The second arrival is the Snipe has been seen in other years at an earlier date. The fact that our observers do not hunt Snipe ground probably the only reason why this bird has not been found before.

The bird species to arrive on the 7th was Bonaparte's Gull. This, the small-

est of our gulls, and only the size of a tame pigeon, used to be regarded as exceedingly rare and it begins to look as though the only reason that we did not find it each year was our lack of opportunity caused by the habit of in hed in the early morning. Now partially evercome we are finding Bonapartially every year.

W. E. SAUNDERS.



# DIES IN YAKIMA

Community Leader in Western City.

Word was received here today of the death of W. I. Lince at Yakima, Wash. He was born in London 76 years ago, but had resided in Washington State for 40 years. He married Miss Flor-ence M. Hubbard of Champaign, Ill., in 1875. In 1881 he moved into the Yakima Valley and became one of the real pioneers in founding the community. The Lince home was located on Naches avenue in 1891 and has been

public utilities commission at its regular monthly session. These posts will be a gift of the commission to the city.

holders and directors, as well as being president for a number of years. He was an officer of the Yakima Savings week, partly due to the rapid growth and Loan Association since its organization and carried on an active private. business in real estate and insurance. He not only served the community as mendation of the parks committee to a councilman for two terms, but was construct two cement tennis courts at also a member of one of the first volfiremen's organizations in the city. He was a leader in the Knights

of Pythias. He is survived by his wife, a brother Leonard, by two nieces, Mrs. Richard Curry of Seattle and Mrs. Levi Karr. J. Lince of 280 Huron street, this city, Use of is a nephew.

## **CO-OPERATION TO** FORM PRINCIPAL TOPIC OF DEBATE

London Chamber of Commerce Invites Agriculturists to Conference.

A meeting will be held in the Chamlepartment.

Notification was received from the which may have far reaching results Notification was received from the office of the city engineer that it is purposed to pave Egerton street this summer. The letter caused some some rather emphatic remarks as to the business methods of the board of works to being pointed out that no notice of it being pointed out that no notice of the intention to do this work having ward suggestions as to the adoption of the intention to do this work having the content of the intention to the content of the ward suggestions as to the adoption of ward suggestions as to the acoption co-operative methods, and to give a free expression of opinion on the subject with the object of arriving at some definite plan of action.

Judging from the replies which have been received to the circular letters sent out in connection with the mat-ter, the agriculturists are taking considerable interest in the matter, and view the movement with much favor.

#### MAITLAND ST. CHURCH HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Baptist Congregation Closes Most Suc cessful Year in History.

All societies of Maitland Street Baptist Church presented admirable reports at the annual church meeting held Wed-nesday night. The church is better organized that ever before, and each organization is doing splendid work. Older members of the church declared that ON KEEPING PROMISES members of the church declared that this was the most encouraging annual report and best annual meeting to

ers.
Pianist—Miss Freeman; assistant
planist, Miss Margaret Rowe.

Recently Canadian Standard Effi ciency Training work has been under taken for the boys, and Tuxis Squares and Trail Rangers' groups organized under the leadership of W. Robertson and Nelson Fisher as mentor.

#### BRISK RETAIL TRADE

Industry Steadily Improving, Says Bradstreet's Report.

Reports to Bradstreets say that the local business situation continues fav-orable, and while the volume passing is not up to that of last year, it is on the whole satisfactory considering the general conditions. Retail trade in fact is brisk especially in dress goods, millinery and children's wear. Industry is also steadily improving. There is yet some unemployment, but nearly the same scale locally as in many other centres.

Fall wheat in most of the territor near here seems to have come through the winter well and in some places plowing is under way. The egg mar-ket is showing a slightly steadier tone week although it cannot be said that the market is strong in any sense Collections are easing slightly.

#### STRICKEN SUDDENLY

ASCENDING STAIRS

Street, Dies Few Moments Later.

Miss Bertha Freeman, 427 Ridout street, died suddenly on Thursday in her 73th year. She had been only slightly ill for a few days, possibly with a form of influenze, it is thought, but was rounding districts for their support of influenze, it is thought, but was rounding districts for their support. going about the house as usual. She

was in the act of ascending the stairway Thursday afternoon, when she collapsed, and was dead before Dr. James D. Wilson, who was immediately summoned, had arrived from his office, less than two blocks away.

Miss Freeman, who was born in England, had resided in London for 33 years. She is survived by two sisters Misses Kate and Alice Freeman, both of this city. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon to Woodland Cemetery, Rev. Precentor L. Norman Tucker of St. Paul's Cathedral will conduct the service.

## BYLAWS FOR SIGNS WILL BE REVISED

Overhead Wires.

PREVENT COMPLICATIONS

Aldermen Believe Many Signs To Be in Weakened Condition.

Now that the tax rate for the year has been determined and the gas question and the street railway problem there ever since.

Eight new ornamental lamp posts will be placed in Victoria Park it was decided vesterday afternoon by the land was one of the oldest stock-

> prise on the part of the merchants, who wish to bring their establishments prominently to the attention of the passersby. While the city is anxious to encourage this enterprise, it wishes to be sure that the signs are erected in such a manner that they will not endanger persons passing beneath them. Another consideration is their arrangement in onsideration is their arrangement in such a way that they will not interfere with the fire department if it is called

into action in their vicinity.

With the maze of overhead wires on the downtown streets still hampering the efforts of Chief Aitken's men when they have to get the heavy ladders up to a blazing building, the task becomes doubly difficult if a huge sign is in the

way.

The bylaw will be revised with an eye

The bylaw will be revised with an eye to preventing complications like this and at the same time permitting a reasonable display.

A permit has to be obtained to erect a sign, and it is inspected after it is put up. After that, however, no check the beauty of the side of the sign of the side o put up. After that, however, no check on it is kept. The aldermen believe that many of the signs may be in a weakened condition, and probably wil insert clauses in the new bylaw to provide for a regular inspection.

## MANY PENALTIES FOR NON-PAYMENT OF INCOME TAXES

Explanations of the Doubtful Points Are Offered by Officials.

As there seems to be considerable doubt in the public mind regarding the precise nature of the penalties and charges which may be incurred in connection with the failure to file the income to return on the connection of the conn come tax returns or to pay the various instalments of the tax when due, the following elucidation of these points, officially supplied, will be useful.

Penalties and Charges. For failure to file return of income on or before the 30th of April the penalty is 25 per cent of the total tax. For failure to pay an instalment of 1920 tax when due, a penalty of \$5 or one-quarter of the amount of tax un-paid, whichever is the greater, is im-

One-quarter of the tax is due on this was the most encouraging annual report and best annual meeting in 20 one-quarter is due on June 30, one-quarter is due on August 31, and one-quarter is due on October 31. If the

New Flooring on Oxford Street Bridge

Has Yet To Be Laid.

Citizens residing at the west end of Oxford street are wondering when the reflooring of the Oxford street bridge will be done. The carying out of this work which is very badly needed was promised by the board of works last year and apparently to quieten the ratepayers a large quantity of flooring.

Years.

Following a congregational supper, a sing-song was led by Will Robertson, and devotional exercises by Rev. J. N.

Norton. In the elections which came next, the following church officials and boards were appointed:

Clerk, N. Fisher; auditor, J. W.

Westervelt, jun.; treasurer, A. J. Morgan; deacons, George Leach, T. H.

Yull, I. Welland, Robert Haverstock, William Greene, C. E. Johnson, A. J.

Morgan and Thomas Rowe. amount, whichever is greater. If the income shown on the return is

understated less than 10 per cent it will be adjusted. If it is understated from 10 per cent to 20 per cent the penalt; is one-half of the difference. If the income is understated 20 per cent or more the penalty is the total difference petween the correct income and the This penalty is in addition to the above penalties.

#### REMARKS RESENTED BY COMMISSION MEMBERS

Housing Board Alleges Unfair State. ments Made by Favored Applicant.

Derogatory remarks about members

of the housing commission by an appli-cant for whom they had done several favors in an attempt to please him aroused members of that body to ac-tion last night. Commissioner Hessel reported that he had heard the remarks made in the presence of a number people. The applicant will be asked appear before the commission at its next meeting and make an explanation. I A Ellis, housing commissioner for the province, notified the London commission that no more loans will be aproved until a statement of the cost of houses built on Garfield avenue is prepared. City Treasurer Bell is working on this, and it is expected it will be ready for the next regular meeting.

#### COMMITTEE'S WORK MUCH APPRECIATED

At the annual meeting of the Lambeth Cemetery committees held in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, gratifying reports were read by the different committees on the work done in the past year. Rev. V. M. Durnford, occupying the chair, expressed his appreciation of the work and tendered a motion for a very hearty vote f thanks to the members on the fence committee for the efficient manner in which the work had been carried out. Miss Bertha Freeman, 427 Ridout same spirit and interest which he has always had for the uplifting and im-

G. W. V. A. EUCHRE WINNERS.

# Saturday's List of Sale Specials

This bulletin will direct you to many departments where you will be much interested tomorrow. The prices on the sales listed for Saturday are significant, as they have reached a new low level, and if this list is carefully followed will lead you the way of important money-saving on the most desirable merchandise. You may spend a profitable day here Saturday.



Smart Bits of

Jewelry

Just what is needed to give that touch of beauty to your spring apparel. Dainty French - Filled

length 24 inches. Special

Colored Cut Beads, colors

of amber, amethyst, blue and ocean green. Price

Pearl Earrings, different sizes. Prices 50c, 98c pair

Vanity Purses, silver and gold plated. Prices ...... \$1.00 and \$1.50

Brilliant Barpins. Prices

All Linen Toweling at Reduced

Prices.

These better quality Crashes that in the past year seemed

almost beyond reach of the average, you will find on sale

at much reduced prices. These are all pure linen, fine and

medium weight Scotch and Irish makes of superior quali-

ties, for roller, hand or tea towels; red or blue borders; 17-

inch, at ..... 39c, 50c and 60c per yard

Big Bath Towel Special, 75c Each

Your future as well as immediate requirements should be

considered in this Saturday special. Extra heavy two-ply

yarn of every firm make, slightly irregular in weave, but for hard wear a particularly good towel; large size, 22x42.

A saving of about one-third. Special ......

Nemo Corsets

Special clearance from the factory of Model No. 212, a 'Nemo." for slender to medium figures, has medium bust and long skirt with sections of Lastikops webbing across the back and double boned with rustproof filling; a strong, comfortable corset for everyday wear; made of firm white coutil; four strong hose supporters; sizes 20 to 32. Sale price Saturday \$2.98

White Petticoats, 98c Five dozen Ladies' Petticoats, made of good quality white cotton, lace and embroidery trimmed. Special Saturday ......98c

Work Aprons, 39c Ten dozen Work Aprons, made of spiendid quality print, trimmed with rick-rack braid. Special Saturday ...... 39c

Sister Dora Aprons. 98c Ten dozen Sister Dora Aprons, made of splendid quality white apron cloth, round bib. neat-fitting gored skirt. Special Sat-

#### Sale of Girls' School **Sweaters**

Five dozen Girls' All-Wool Sweater Coats, knitted in fancy weave, collar, cuffs and front finished with scallops; colors of silver,

## Sale of China in Basement Saturday

Edge line sprig—cups and saucers, 23c; odd cups, 17c each; B. and B. Plates 15c; tea plates, 18c; breakfast plates, 20c; Dinner, 25c; soups, 20c each; platters, 60c to \$1.00; bowls, Very special price in Jugs, in pint and quart sizes .....39c

CHINA TEA SETS-Very Special Price.
In English china. 2 only, in pretty blue design; 42 pieces
1 only Lustre Tea Set. 42 pieces
anly pink and rose. 42-piece sets
2 only brown derby design, 42 pieces
Ninnon Tea Sets, 22 pieces 38.48
Serving Trays, several designs and sizes. Prices
Glass Marmalade, fancy cutting and colored spoons; lates novelty. Price
Glass Butter Tubs, with covers. Price 690
Plain Glass Butter Tubs. Price
Glass Flower Insets for flower bowls, 25c, 30c, 50c, 75c, 90c
Blue Dinnerware, 6 sets, 97 pieces. Special \$19.9
Star Cut Glasses. Special price 15c each
1 only 90-piece set Blue La Roie. Special price\$35.0

#### Voile Blouse, Special \$1.95

White Voile Slipon Blouse, very daintily trimmed on kimono sleeves and front of garment, with novelty colored embroidered motifs, smart patch pockets trim front, tie girdle of self; sizes 34 to 42. Price....\$1.95

Breakfast Dresses, \$1.75 One-piece Breakfast Dress, made of fancy stripe percale, the round collar and turnback cuffs are of white pique, belt of pique regulates fullness at waist, large patch

pockets with braid-trimmed overlap; sizes 36

to 44. Price ...... \$1.75



#### Candy Special *39c Box*

boxes our Special Chocolates 

## Petticoats Saturday \$1.29

bottom trimmed with stitching, finished with accordion-pleated ruffle with colored insets, elastic band regulates fullness at waist; length 34 to 38. Special ...... \$1.29

#### Buy Liberally of These Serges Tomorrow (Saturday)

A purchase of Navy Blue All-Wool Serges at a considerable reduction enables us to pass them out to you at these very special prices. Buy your requirements for the coming season, as these are exceptional values in fine all-wool navy

#### 54-Inch All-Wool Navy Serge. Tomorrow \$1.95 Yard

This is an unusual offer of All-Wool Serge in extra wide width, British make, medium twill, smooth soft finish, for ladies' and children's dresses or suits, 54 inches wide. To-

### Fine Pure Wool Botany Dress Serge, \$2.75 Yard

Extra high-grade quality British make, same Botany yarn as in men's wear serges, a fine twill, soft finish, wears clean and sheds dust easily, does not become hard with pressing, tailors perfectly either in coat, suit or dress; 48 inches wide.

## Toilet Soaps

Wright's Coal Tar Soap. Price ...... 2 for 350 1-lb tins Borated Talcum Powder, in odors of lily-of-the-valley and violet Special ..... Hat Brite, which makes the old hat look new; colors of burnt straw, old

rose, orchid, blue, silver grey and mouse grey. Special ...... 16c Vinolia Castile Bars. Special 

## SPECIAL SHEETS

An excellent single bed sheet, very strong and of great durability, at a big saving on former price......\$2.98 pair Big double-bed sheets, of sterling quality. Now is the time to buy sheets at such prices as we can offer you. The cloth here is very good and strong...........\$4.00 pair

#### 42-INCH PILLOWCASES

Just the one size, a serviceable slip, made of strong English broadcloth, perfect bleach, linen finish and well made; plain hem, all ready for use. A quick sale at.....98c pair

#### NEW AWNINGS

Are now here, and it is time to prepare for the strong sun of the summer months. Save your rugs, hangings and paper by using an awning at the sunny windows, and porch of veranda curtains are essential to comfort, and if made of this strong awning duck will outlast any other veranda curtains are essential to comfort, and if made of this strong awning duck will outlast any other veranda curtains. 

# \$...... 75c each or 6 for \$4.25 In the Men's Shop Saturday

36-Inch White Irish Linen, \$1 Yard

For Saturday's selling only at exactly one-third off our regular stock price, 36-inch all pure Irish Linen. Estimate

your summer's work now and take advantage of this one-

day special. For centres, trays, scarfs, tea cloths, etc. At

a price away below anything you have bought in the past three years. Mail orders filled. Saturday special ......

68-Inch Irish Mercerized Damask,

\$2.25 Yard.

You will agree this is the finest Mercerized Damask obtainable within 30 per cent of this special price. Designs are

particularly good and include satin stripe, rose, carnation,

tulip and coin spot; real service and good appearance em-bodied in this quality. Special ..........\$2.25 yard

SEE THE NEW MARTEX COLORED BORDERED BATH

... \$1.00 yard

GABARDINE TOPCOATS, \$18.75 to \$29.50

Tomorrow you will find here a very choice collection of Men's and Young Men's Topeoats, made from fine twill English Gabardine, quarter lined with silk, good roomy coats, with set-in or Raglan sleeves, with or without belts. The ideal coat for 

#### TOP COATS, \$35.00 TO \$40.00 For the conservative dresser these are very attractive. Made of dark grey cheviot, silk-lined all through; sizes up to 46. Prices ......

...... \$35.00 and \$40.00 SMALL BOYS' REEFERS, \$3.95

About 35 of these coats to clear at a very small cost; 3, 4 and 5 year sizes only; grey and brown tweed; belted styles with velvet collars.

BOYS' RAINCOATS, \$6.75

Summer Underwear Fine White Elastic-Ribbed Combinations, long or short sleeves and ankle length; a very

Cotton Night Shirts, \$2

choice line; sizes up to 44. Price ... \$2.35 suit

Fine White Cotton Night Shirts, Vstyle, good roomy bodies. \$2.00 each

COUPON SALE

Basement.

CLOSE QUESTIONING

FAILS TO SHAKE

HARRIS CONFESSION

4-quart "Wear-Ever" Saucepans, \$1.89.

MEN'S NEW SPRING SUITS

#### BOYS' SUITS

Boys are given the very best attention here and are properly fitted with good strong wearing tweeds and worsteds, also blue serges. Some of the suits have two pairs of bloomers.

Small boys' suits from 3 to 6 years. Prices.......\$3.95 to \$6.95

For the larger boys the prices are........\$8.95 to \$22.00

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Summer Socks

Fine Cotton Socks, in brown, navy, black and white. Price.......35c, or 3 pairs for \$1.00 MEN'S SILK AND COTTON SOCKS, in all

Men's Shirts, \$2.00 and \$2.95

Saturday. All well made, with arm lengths to suit; neat assorted stripe patterns. Price ..... shades; a splendid summer line. Price ..... ..... \$2.00 and \$2.95 each

Men's fine Negligee Shirts, two good lines for

Boys' Cashmere Jerseys

Button-on shoulder or V-neck style. Sale price .... ..... \$1.89 each

"HIS MASTER'S VOICE

"DUMBELLS' HIT."

Record No. 26268-"I Know Where the

Flies Go on a Cold and Frosty Morning."

10-inch-\$1.00.

## etory of Roy Harris, who last night he said, had hired him and Duncan to confessed to the local police that he murder Elwell. When shown dispatches from Bridge-**BOLSHEVIKI HAVE**

Gen. Keutepoff, commander of 26,000

confessed to the local police that he and a companion murdered Joseph B. Elwell in New York last June.

Except for some minor details, Harris said: "I don't know anything about that. I haven't been in Bridgeport since I was a boy. The man who was with me was named William Duncan, hired by a mysterious "Mrs. Fairchild," went to the home of Elwell and waited there for four hours until their intended victim came home. Then, he said, Duncan fired the shot that killed Elwell, Under questioning tonight Harris said that he had seen published in connection with the Elwell case a picture of the come tax returns, their calculation and the district for fifty miles around that city, however, have been freed from the Bolsheviki. This section is with-Refuses To Give Name of pamphlet containing information and instructions regarding the filing of income tax returns, their calculation and payment. Copies of these pamphlets may be obtained from George Tambling, inspector of taxes for London district, and will shortly be available for distribution at the various postoffices.

The district for fifty miles around that city, however, have been freed from the Bolsheviki. This section is without a government, so-called peaceful anarchy prevailing. Odessa is said to be the city to which the French purpose sending Gen. Wrangel's army, but to this Gen. Wrangel ebjects. It is even reported that Gen. Wrangel may use ferce to prevent the embarkation of his lightly that the lightly the same of the city to which the French purpose sending Gen. Wrangel same, but to this Gen. Wrangel may use ferce to prevent the embarkation of his Woman Who Hired Him To Buffale, N. Y., April 7.—Two hours of questioning tonight by New York of questioning tonight by New York newspapermen who had worked on the Elwell murder stery, and knew every detail of the case, failed to shake the