

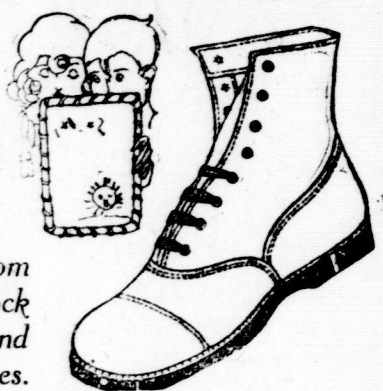
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A Timely Shoe Sale

Specially planned to be most helpful to those who are outfitting children for school.

The shoes are all from our own splendid stock with complete New and Lower Scale of Prices.

We feel such saving will be welcome.



Misess' Kid Blucher Lace Boots, Extension Soles.	\$2.75
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' Hi-Cut Black Kid Lace, Extension Soles.	\$3.00
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' Box Calf Bluchers, All Solid Leather.	\$3.25
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' Hi-Cut Box Calf Lace, Recede Shape.	\$4.00
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' Brown Kid Lace, Hi-Cut, Extension Soles.	\$4.50
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' Brown Calf Lace, Fancy Wing Toecaps.	\$4.50
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' Brown and Black "Chums."	\$5.00
Sizes 11 to 12	
Misess' "Glaser" Hi-Cut Lace in Kid and Calf	\$4.50

ON SALE \$2.48
at
50 pairs of Misess' Black Kid Button Boots. Sizes 11 to 12. Former price \$4.00.

ON SALE \$2.98
at
30 pairs of Misess' Hi-Cut Lace Boots in Gray Kid and Patent Calf with White Tops. Former price \$5.00.

Little Girls' Box Calf Bluchers, with Hooks.	\$2.50
Sizes 8 to 10 1/2	
Girls' Black Kid Blucher Lace Boots.	\$2.50
Sizes 8 to 10 1/2	
Girls' Brown Kid Lace Boots, Extension Soles.	\$3.00
Sizes 8 to 10 1/2	
Girls' Brown and Black "Chums."	\$4.50
Sizes 8 to 10 1/2	
Special Sale Price on Girls' Gray Top and White Top Lace Boots.	\$2.48
Sizes 8 to 10 1/2	
Big Boys' Black Oil Grain Bluchers, All Solid.	\$3.50
Sizes 11 to 12	
Big Boys' Chocolate Brown Grain Bluchers.	\$4.00
Sizes 11 to 12	
Big Boys' Brown Box Calf Lace, English Shape.	\$4.50
Sizes 11 to 12	
Big Boys' Brown and Black "Chums."	\$6.00
Sizes 11 to 12	
Little Boys' Brown and Black "Chums."	\$5.00
Sizes 11 to 13 1/2	

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THE GOOD SHOE STORE
146-148-648 DUNDAS ST

POSTOFFICE TO BE CLOSED ON LABOR DAY

The public is hereby notified that as Monday, September 5, is Labor Day, the day will be observed in the London postoffice as follows:

The general postoffice will be closed on that day except between the hours of 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., during which period postage stamps will be on sale, and the general delivery and registration windows will be open.

There will be no delivery by letter-carrier, but special delivery letters received at the London postoffice will be specially delivered.

The outgoing mails due for dispatch after 12 o'clock noon will be closed at that hour. The night mails will be dispatched as usual.

Two clearances will be made from the street letter boxes commencing at 7:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Money order, savings bank and postal note windows will be closed the entire day.

Famous Leathergoods Makers

supply Barnard Hand Bags in a varied assortment of the newer styles—of genuine seal, calf and other popular leathers—at prices consistent with good quality.

Seven to Twelve Dollars.

BARNARD'S
Diamonds, Jewelry, Watches
399 RICHMOND ST.

Stock-Reducing Sale

All Watches, Diamonds, Clocks and Jewelry Will Be Sold At Pre-War Prices

This is an opportunity for you to secure high-grade Jewelry at prices lower than before the war.

MEN'S WATCHES.	
High-Grade Bracelet Watches, 4 only 14k., 15 jewel, first-class movements. Reg. \$30	\$19.90
1 only Elgin Bracelet Watch, gold-filled case. Reg. \$25	\$17.75
Special—11 only, 15-jewel, first-class movement, in gold-filled cases. Regular \$15.50 to \$20	\$11.95
12 dozen, 10-jewel movement, in Empress gold case, to \$7.95	
NOTICE.	
All Community 1847 Rogers' Silverware will be sold at a straight discount of 25 per cent.	

A. GREEN, Jeweler
374 RICHMOND STREET.

RETURNS TO POLICE COURT WITH NEW FACIAL DECORATION

Steve Zaronak Remanded to Jail As Result of Carousal.

Steve Zaronak, who administered a few autumn tints to his wife's optic, and was fined \$5 and costs yesterday, was back this morning, displaying an eye which was decorated with the identical coloring that was applied to his better half. Steve, however, went a step farther, and included his nose in the color scheme, this part of his face being of a brilliant scarlet hue.

Police did not object to the coloring, but to the means of application. Had the Pole used the "nose paint" externally all would have been well with him, but he imbued it, and although this procedure might be called interior decorating, it is not a recognized one by the O. T. A. when the painter goes away from home to work.

An officer stated that Steve had come out from under the family roof and gone abroad, handing an abundant supply of abuse to neighbors and others of the general public, not even excepting the policeman.

"I was underneath my own tree. He's mad to me, I cried like little baby. I never drank," declared Steve emphatically when the officer gave evidence against him.

The court decided that the prisoner was not in fit condition to be turned loose among his fellowmen this morning and so remanded him for two days.

As Annie, the 3-year-old interpreter for the Polish residents of London, was not on deck, Mrs. Zaronak was completely out of the argument, as she only knows two languages, Polish and the sign language.

COULD NOT PLAY IN BAND CONTEST

Last-Minute Change in Program Barred G. W. V. A. Brass Band.

Through a last-minute change in the band contest program, in which the local G. W. V. A. Band was to participate with other bands at the Toronto Exhibition on Thursday, the local band was unable to attend. The band had rehearsed the selections scheduled to be played, but at the last moment the official in charge sent word that the program was changed.

As notification did not reach C. C. Irwin until the day on which the program was to be rendered, there was not time to rehearse the new selections, and the band was allowed to withdraw from the contest.

The band is under contract with the Western Fair Board to play three afternoons and nights during Fair week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

The band will continue to provide concerts at Victoria Park on Sunday evenings as long as the weather permits. One will be given next Sunday at 8:30.

EXPERIENCES TROUBLE WITH CUSTOMS OFFICER

Visitor Pays Duty Rather Than Have Trunk Seized.

Thomas M. Egelton of Chicago, who with his wife, son and daughter, is visiting his father, Thomas W. Egelton of London street, describes the grumpy roads of Ontario over which he motored as "wonderful." He drove to Lion's Head in the Bruce Peninsula, and said that if he was permitted, he could drive from London to there in three hours. There were no roads at all in Michigan compared to the ones here, he declared.

One incident connected with his trip which he did not relish was connected with a local customs officer. Mr. Egelton rather than be encumbered by his trunk when motoring here from Chicago, shipped it to London. It was filled with wearing apparel, including a few new collars. The officer forced him to pay about \$3 duties on his clothes. When he protested the officer stated that he would seize the trunk if the duty was not paid.

Mr. Egelton promises to take the matter up with Ottawa officials. Twenty-two years ago, this former Londoner went to Chicago, and since that time has elevated himself to a responsible executive position in Rothchild's, a big Chicago firm. He is a nephew of Detective-Sergeant Robert Egelton.

GREY RAT'S AERIAL WIRE STUNT DRAWS A LARGE AUDIENCE

Free Show Was Witnessed on Richmond Street Thursday Night.

Many thousands of people who visited Port Stanley this summer watched in awe day after day while Prince Nelson performed on a small tight wire high above the ground. The performance was believed to be a worst act of the kind, as the act was, a still greater wire performance was enacted on the main corner of this city Thursday night before the admiring eyes of hundreds of passers-by.

With only long white whiskers to balance him and a long scaly tail flapping from side to side, a large grey rat walked the high-tension wires of the hydro-electric on Richmond street, from King to Carling streets.

The performer of this free tight-wire act was first seen at 9:30 o'clock climbing to an isolated wire high above the sidewalk immediately in front of the G. N. W. telegraph office. He looked calmly over the office premises, but evidently came to the conclusion that, with its clicking instruments, it would be much too noisy for an ideal home, and so he continued his precarious way northwards.

He reached a post, but the broad expanse of the crossbars, with their offer of a sure footing, did not tempt him in the least. He climbed over the glass insulator and scurried along the wire to the next post. The Royal Bank building apparently seemed to austere to make a comfortable home, and the Smallman & Ingram building also failed to appeal to his astute ideas, and both were in turn passed by.

Approaching Dundas street, the wire rose still higher until when the intersection was reached they quivered at a dizzy height from the vibrations of the constant heavy traffic below. No one among the many watchers believed that the venturesome rodent would dare attempt the crossing. They, however, underestimated his nerve and ability, for after a moment of hesitation he stepped carefully on a gently-swaying wire.

Far below, 45 feet or more, autos dashed with screaming horns, and halted or passed on, while street cars, with clanging gongs warned mere pedestrians to get out of the way. But the turn of confusion did not daunt the daring little forager. Many watched breathlessly as the furry body flashed almost white against the dark sky. In peculiarly little jumping made the crossing until he reached in safety sound footing on a post on the far side.

Even then he did not stop, but seemingly reassured by his accomplishment, he started once more, and with incredible speed passed two poles until Carling street was reached. Here he stopped and made a study of an inviting branch wire which made a fork in his road. The branch wire led downhill and he chose the easier way.

He crossed Richmond street in a run, and followed the wire close until he was lost to view in the darkness of an alley.

MUCH INTEREST IN ELDERBERRY CROP

Many Forms of Home Brew Now Possible Is Report.

"Good morning! How is your home-brew coming?" is now a common salutation in London. In all sections of the city and in many of the best homes, one can detect mysterious "pops" if one only takes time to investigate. Long walks into the country are now the vogue, but the walking is not just for mere pastime. There is a reason, which can be found by the roadside. It is the elder bush on which the famous juice which can be used to make a beverage with a "kick" much stronger than the O. T. A. permits.

Rhubarb and Parsnips. Rhubarb sticks and parsnips are also finding their way to the melting pots in many homes. The dandelion, at one time regarded as an obnoxious weed, is now held to be a valuable crop by those who enjoy a "nip" or "three fingers."

This product of the soil has been garnered, while the rhubarb, the parsnip and the elderberry are now en route to the cellar. As the crop of grapes, which still remains in the field waiting for the frost, is good in quantity as well as quality, it is now assured that there will be Christmas "cheer" in London when the cold winter nights set in, and the home-lover invites a few intimate friends to gather around the hearth to tell stories of art-prohibition days, and sample the liquid, the progress of which he has watched "interestedly" for a number of months.

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LLOYD GEORGE

sider favorably some features of the prime minister's terms.

ONLY ONE CONDITION.

DUBLIN, Sept. 1.—A statement which, in view of the peace negotiations, may be significant, appears in the Irish Bulletin, official organ of the Daily Eireann. "Ireland makes but one condition," says the paper, "that it be a free nation. The long antagonism between Ireland and England arose solely from England's attempts to make the subjection of Ireland the first condition of the alliance which should naturally exist between them. Whatever qualifications of 'complete and economical separation' are made necessary by physical and historical facts will be acceptable to Ireland, provided they are consonant with the principle of government by the consent of the governed."

QUICKLY QUELLED.

BELEFAST, Sept. 1.—Belfast was quiet today, with the exception of an occasional outbreak of firing during the morning, which was quickly quelled. Strong detachments of police and military with armored cars patrolled the affected areas.

The sensational statement that a Sinn Fein official had authorized the Irish Republican army to intervene in the rioting here yesterday was made this afternoon by Col. Duffy, Sinn Fein liaison officer for Ulster. Col. Duffy declared that "after the refusal of the military and police to act" during the day, the Irish Republican army took action for the protection of Catholics." His statement indicates that Sinn Fein sentries participated in the firing as he said that "today, as a result of representations made to me, I ordered my troops to cease fire."

DISCUSS PLANS FOR CHILDREN'S DAY AT THE WESTERN FAIR

Arrangements for a special meeting of the Fair Board, together with representatives of the different societies of the city, such as the Kiwanis, Lions, Child's Welfare Society and others, have been made with the president of the Fair Board, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Garshore and Mayor E. S. Little, and will be held in the Western Fair offices this afternoon at 4:30.

It will be a get-together meeting to decide which day will be the best to set aside for the children of London and Western Ontario for visiting the Fair. The best means of transporting the children to and from the grounds will also be discussed.

The staff of the Western Fair are swamped with entries and other work pertaining to the exhibition, and are working overtime to keep up with the extra demands being made of them at present.

So great has been the rush of work in the last few days that additional help has been secured.

Saturday will be the last day on which the office in the Dominion Savings Building will be in use. On Monday, September 5, the staff and equipment will be moved to the Fair grounds and will be located there until after the exhibition.

WESTERN ONTARIO BANDS TO ATTEND BIG S. A. CONGRESS

The annual Salvation Army Congress will be held in Massey Hall, Toronto, during the week of October 8 to 11. This will be the last congress conducted by the present commissioner, W. J. Richards, as he is now under farewell orders. Rumors are current to the effect that he is to go to Melbourne, Australia.

Quite a number of Western Ontario bands have signified their intention of attending the congress, among them being the Silver Band of the Windsor division. A number of others, not yet heard from, are expected to take advantage of the occasion.

Although several names have been suggested as the probable successor to the present commissioner, nothing definite regarding the post has been made public. One rumor in circulation is that Col. Hugh Whitmore of Toronto will succeed to the position.

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