CO-OPERATIVE SYSTEM WILL START NEXT YEAR

Over Eighty Per Cent of Cheese Factories Have Signed Contracts.

At a meeting of the provisional directors of the Ontario Co-operative Dairy Products Company, held in Toronto, reports were made as to the progress being made in "signing up" cheese factories in the dairy counties canvassed These showed that in the Counties of Oxford and Perth over 80 per cent of the total make had signed the three-year sale contracts. Of all the factories in the whole province that had held meetings for the purpose of deciding for or against the proposition, stoper cent had authorized the directors to sign the contract. Though these reports were most gratifying, and showed most conclusively that Omtario dairy among are anxious for the adoption of a more satisfactory method of marketing cheese than no wexists, it was quite evident that it was physically impossible to breather the contracts. Of the adoption of a more satisfactory method of marketing cheese than no wexists, it was quite evident that it was physically impossible to breather the contracts of the proposition, stoped the contract of the adoption of a more satisfactory method of marketing cheese than no wexists, it was quite evident that it was physically impossible to breather the contract the second of the land in England. more satisfactory method of marketing cheese than no wexists, it was quite evident that it was physically impossible to have the proposition placed before the balance of the factories in time to handle this year's production.

There are 854 cheese factories in Ontario. The bylaws of the company set forth that it is necessary that 50 per cent of the total production of the province be signed up before the company is allowed to commence operations. In view of the fact that it was necessary to reach a decision at once as to whether or not the company would handle this year's make of cheese, the directors decided against commencing perations until next season. They felt operations until next season. They felt that the movement meant too much to the dairy industry of the province to endanger its success by commencing operations until 50 per cent was signed up, and complete machinery provided for marketing this large volume of cheese. The signing-up campaign will be continued through the spring and summer. It is hoped to have this work completed and the permanent directors elected early in the autumn. The general manager and necessary staff will then be selected in good time to perfect plans for operation.

NIPISSING OUTPUT WAS

the factories signed up to the com-

Nipissing's January output totalied 170,134, and builion shipments had net alue of \$168,058, on basis of estimated liver price of 640 an ounce.

Cobalt production totalled 30,000 unds. The 200-foot level at shaft 26 is been pumped out, but no new untiground developments of importance is reported. Milling operation were breailed somewhat during the month annual clean-up.

Vorth-while **nsurance Miss Miss Miss ut Little

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STERLING MAKES NEW HIGH SUMMARY OF REPORTS

Second Cut in Four Days No. 1 apples. Tends To Cripple Development Work.

Special to The Advertiser.

Montreal, Feb. 20.—Word reached here today from Timmins that another big the past two or three years, is not as

ven as a temporary measure to operate the meantime. These proposals will tonce be put before the directors of

\$170,134 FOR JANUARY CONSIDER LEGISLATION

The question was raised by E. J. McMurray (Liberal, Winnipeg North)
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Who brought up the unemployment situation in Winnipeg. He was informed, he said, that there were now 6,181 unemployed receiving relie? in that city, of which 1,000 were being assisted by the Dominion government. Hon. James Murdock, minister of labora-reterred to telegrams sent in Dece last, in reply to queries from the miers of Manitoba and British Co., ta, stating that the situation was not comparable to that of the last two years, and that the Dominion government did not feel itself justified in assuming any portion.

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If he surrendered that pol- Palmyra Strands in Delaware River Near Philadelphia For Six Hours.

The persons, including 14 women, are recovering from six hours' exposure on the ferry-boat Palm a which stuck in an ice-floe in the middle of the Delaware River, Tuesday.

In a cold, piercing wind the required to complete the contract. Delaware River, Tuesday.

In a cold, piercing wind, the police boat. Ashbridge, picked its way to within 100 yards of the stranded ferry tract, is furnishing the finished stope tract, is furnishing the finished stope tract.

bobbing ice blocks and picked their way to the Ashbridge's rail.

No one was injured.

The ferry plies between North Philadelphia and Palmyra.

Berlin Socialists Stage Free Fight

Communists Kicked Down Stairs After Row in Diet.

Special Cable to The Advertiser. Berlin, Feb. 21.—Two communists were kicked down a flight of stairs and tramped upon Tuesday by Socialists during a row between the members of the two radical parties in the Prussian Diet.

The manufacture, sale and importation of interiorities likewise the sale and importation of the communistic community. Berlin, Feb. 21.-Two communists

fight that broke out in the assembly,

BELIEVE FLOOD DANGER

AT MORRISBURG PASSED

Associated Press Despatch. Ogdensburg, N. Y., Feb. 21.-The flood danger at Morrisburg, Ontario, imminent for several days as the result of an ice jam in the St. Lawrence River, is believed to have passed. The water lowered 11 inches in the last 24 hours, and there is a narrow channel in the middle of the river

WILL OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Feb. 21—In company with all other Rotary Clubs, the Chatham Rotary Club will celebrate the eighteenth anniversary of the founding of Rotary, with muck ceremony at its regular meeting today.

A special program has been arranged for the resting to the resting

Several representatives speak hope tully regarding fall wheat, which is said to be in good condition for the time of year on account of the excellent protection afforded the crop by the continuous covering of snow.

Middlesex fruit men claim that the weather is much more satisfactory this ered with snow most of the time, and the temperature more constant. It is thought that very little damage has been done so far to tree fruits or small

Dominion government did not feel itself justified in assuming any portion of the obligations of the municipalities and provinces in regard to unemployment.

PASSENGERS SUFFER

WHEN ICE HOLDS FERD

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Trick.

Kenora states: "Farmers are in a better shape this year than at a year ago this time, as they dod not have to spend a large percentage of their money in purchasing feed. This is a great item in a district like this, where feed is dear when it has to be shipped in."

Applications are increasing for farm help. Many farmers are asking for old country immigrants. Many other farmers are asking for boys.

POINT EDWARD COMPANY SECURES MEMORIAL JOB

Special to The Advertiser.
Sarnia, Feb. 20.—The Point Edward stone plant of the Central Canada Stone Company has secured the contract for the erection of the me-morial at the Royal Military College

and then threw a rope by means of for the new buildings at Western which passengers balanced on the University, London, and the new Trinity College, Toronto.

REPORT LOAN TO AUSTRALIA.

Melbourne, Australia, Feb. 20.—It is reported that the premier of Victoria, Hon, H. S. W. Lawson, who is now in London, has arranged for the raising of a loan of £5,000,000, to bear interest at 5 per cent and at a price slightly below par.

FIRST MOVE IN PARLIAMENT

FOR A DRY ENGLAND MADE

Special to The Advertiser. London, Feb. 21.—The first parlia-

Exit of the Communists came as tation of intoxicating liquors except the climax of a half-hour free-for-all for medicinal and scientific purposes, would be forbidden by the bill after April 5 of this year. Penalties range from between £25 and £100 fine for The president of the body was so the first offence to from one to five confused that he ran out of the hall, years' imprisonment for the third the first offence to from one to five violation The measure has a total of five

> WEST NISSOURI BARNS RAZED BY MORNING BLAZE

supporters.

Special to The Advertiser. Thamesford, Feb. 20.—A disastrous fire destroyed two of the large barns on the farm of E. C. Broughton, 7th line, West Nissouri, early this morn-

ing.
The three barns on the place are connected, and that only two of the three were razed is considered almost a miracle. The blaze is supposed to have originated from a lantern while the morning chores were being done.

WILL WHIP GERMAN GIRLS WHO RECOGNIZE ENEMY

Special to The Advertise Essen, Germany, Feb. 21.—Posters have been plastered over the Ruhr by Bavarian Fascisti, warning German women and girls that their hair will be cut, and they will be whipped on the street if they appeared to the

WOOD, GUNDY & CO. OPEN NEW MONTREAL OFFICES PLAYS CARDS AT HOME

Montreal, Feb. 20.-The old Bank o James street has become once more a ome of finance, being occupied by

Weather Finds Favor With Fruit Growers in County of Middlesex.

Following is a summary of reports made by the agricultural representatives to the Ontario Department of Agriculture:

home of finance, being occupied by Wood, Gundy & Co., investment bankers, and the Standard Bank of Canada.

The Wood, Gundy offices, which occupy a large portion of the ground floor, were open for business yesterday, but the bank has not as yet moved.

H. R. Swenerton, the Montreal manager of Wood, Gundy & Co., is to be compilmented in having one of the finest bond offices in Eastern Canada.

year than last, the ground being cov- Tugs Berthed in 1918 Sold For Fraction of Original Prices.

No. 1 apples.

Brant states: "At present there is said, represent New York interests. The purchase price is said to be \$14,000 each. The tugs were constructed for the United States government, especially oats, as they were a the McLouth Shipyard. during the war at a cost of \$110,000

BANDITS STEAL CASH

John Draveis Finds It Even Unsafe To Indulge With His

Special to The Advertiser. Detroit, Feb. 20 .- It's getting so bad n Detroit that one cannot play a riendly game of cards in one's own amily circle without being robbed not by the other players, but by high-

waymen.

At least, this is the view held by John Draveis, who with his wife and 19-year-old son, live in a house on the river bank at Ecorse. Draveis reported to the police today that while his family and himself were engaged in a "Rummy" contest, shortly before midnight last night, three men, all armed, opened the front door and walked in.

They pointed their weapons at Draveis and compelled him to hand over \$1,000 in currency, which he had in his pocket. Draveis explained that the money "just happened" to be in the house.

ARKONA BRASS BAND HOLDS

Arkona, Feb. 21-Friday night a big Arkona, Feb. 21—Friday night a big carnival was held in the skatting rink under the auspices of the Arkona Brass Band. A splendid attendance of skaters and spectators enjoyed the evening. The following were the bucky ones to win prizes:

ORDER CHANGES TO PLANS

Special to The Advertiser. Blenheim, Feb. 21. - Secretary-Treasurer W. J. Baird of the school Treasurer W. J. Baird of the school board and Bruce Pardo, contractor and builder, who were in Toronto this week interviewing the department of education in reference to some new plans and specifications for a new continuation school, have returned.

They report a very favorable consideration of their plans and specifications by the representative of the department, and an understanding, that when some minor changes are made in them which will not increase the cost materially, they will be satisfactory to the department. isfactory to the department.

CAYUGA CHURCHES UNITE FOR MISSION PRAYERS

Special to The Advertiser.
Cayuga, Feb. 21—The interdenominational day of prayer for missions was observed Friday in Cayuga by a meeting in Knox Church, which was well attended by members of the Anglican, Methodist and Presbyterian Churches rian Churches.

Earnest prayers for missions and educational and social work were offered by Mrs. (Rev.) W. C. Almack, Mrs. (Rev.) W. G. Blake, Mrs. E. RKONA BRASS BAND HOLDS
SUCCESSFUL WINTER FETE
Mrs. W. J. Quinsey. Miss MacFarlane, president of the W. M. S. of Knox Church, presided over the meet-Harcourt, Mrs (Rev.) Eric Lewis and

CLUB ELECTS SLATE

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Feb. 21.—At a meeting of the directors of the Country Club the following officers were elected for 1923: President, F. M. Gifford; vicepresident, F. G. Killer; secretarytreasurer, J. A. McFadgen; grounds committee, W. C. Orr (chairman), Dr. S. Silcox, R. J. Moffat: house committee, E. G. Killer (chairman), J. A. McFadgen and C. L. Welsh; games committee, R. L. Whitman man), committee to be appointed. Mr. Cook was re-engaged golf pro., and

OR BLENHEIM SCHOOL SUFFER LOSS OF IVORY WHEN FACTORY BURNS

Brunswick - Balke - Collender Plant At Muskegon Damaged To Extent of \$150,000.

Muskegon, Feb. 21.-Fifty thousand ollars' worth of ivory, obtained by elephant hunters in India, was de-stroyed Monday night when the bil-liard hall plant of the Bunrswick-Balke-Collender Co. burned.

The fire was caused by an explosion of chemicals on the third floor, which set fire to boxes of cel-

luloid Four hundred employees had just left the building. Four who were in the offices escaped. The property loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Firemen worked for hours with the

aid of the plant sprinkling system to subdue the flames. Two plant fire-men were slightly injured by falling



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