R. J. R. FALLIS, Con-

Peel, where a by-election con-

test for a vacancy in the On-

pletes Returns For New

District.

With the addition of the annexer dis-

basis, the owners of surveyors hav-

OLD FASHIONED PRANKS

Lonely Woman Has Passed

Away.

The police have issued a warning to

any depredations committed on prop-

said that ladies living on lonely streets

are cruelly harrassed and terrifled

youths who throw stones at their doors,

shoot peas at their windows, and wear-

ng hideous masks peep in at windows

and over-run lawns, gardens and other

property. Extra police will be on

luty tonight and anyone caught in-

juring property in any way or caus-

ing other annoyance to residents of

the city will be haled into police court

and are likely to be severely punished

calculated to annoy pedestrians will

Scotch Salvation Army Officer

Recommends Eastern Canada

to Newscmers.

Ensign George Halliday, of Glasgow,

London, England, "I am advising British emigrants to

There are too many mechanics coming

to Canada, and not enough farm hands. Many of the böoking agents are careless

Ensign Halliday stated that conditions

prevailing in Scotland were very good. The Clyde shippards are working at full

apacity, but notwithstanding plenty of ork available, 40,000 people left Scot

and the first five months of 1913. Scot

FOR FIELD DAY MARCH

Parade of Public School Pupils Open-

ing Event of Athletic Program.

Headed by the Seventh Band, be-

ach game playing off for the cham-

ionship of the public schools.

were exceptionally interesting.

NOT FOR HER.

Helen-No, I positively refuse to

Emma-Why, my dear; it's a harm-

tish farmers are beginning to compof the scarcity of farm help resulting.

600 BOYS IN LINE

their selections.

Football League.

kind of competition.

'bob" for apples.

Unseemly behavior on the street

TO "PASS UP" WEST

1,021,304 of this amount.

tario House is under way.

servative candidate in

# Holden, 15 at 12; Canada Car, 100 at 60½; Canada Cerement, 25 at 32¼; Canada Cerement, 25 at 32¼; Canada Cerement, 25 at 32¼; Canada Cerement, 25 at 32½; Dominion Carement, 25 at 32½; Dominion FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

yesterday and as quoted in the list. Pota-toes are selling at 85c per bag, and 95c to \$1 retail. The retail price per bushel is approximately 70c. The offering of this commodity has been very small the past week, with a fairly brisk demand. The largest offering in fruit is apples

The largest offering in fruit is apples. Sales are slow, however, at 50c to 80c per bu. Pears are selling at 75c-to \$1, and grapes at 30c to 35c per basket.

Dairy produce is firm, although there may be a change on Saturday. The price will be largely dependent on the weather and the condition of the roads.

Select hogs have been selling at \$8.50 during the past week, but Saturday's market will in all probability bring a change.

The poultry mraket, since the brisg Thanksgiving sales, has been quiet, with a small demand. Prices are as listed. The grain market has been noticeably quiet this week, with a particularly small offering of wheat. Oats are selling at 95c to \$1 03, and wheat at 85c per bu. Honey is an shrdlut shrdl emfwy

Grain, Per Cwi	t.		
Wheat per cwt \$1.4	2 to	\$1 42	
Oats, per cwt 9 Grain Per Bush	5 to	1 03	
Grain Per Bush	iel.		
Wheat, per bu 8	5 to	85	
Vegetables.	ā to	25	
Potatoes bu, retail 7		70	
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Beets, per bu 2	0 to	20	
	0 to	50	
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Phubarb per doz 2		23	
	0 to	10	
	n to	20	
Fruits.	o to	80	
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Straw, per ton 6 7	00 to	8 00	
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Eggs, per basket.		34	
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Honey, sections, doz. 2	20 to	2 46	
Milch cows, exh50	on to	70 00	
Fat sows, each 7		7 50	
Select hers, per cwt 8		8 50	
Poultry, Allve			
	12 to	13	
Poultry Dress	ed.		
Turkeys, per lb	22 to	25	
Old fowl, per lb	12 to	13	
Old fowl, per pair 1		1 50	
Butchers' Mea			
Lamb, rer lb	13 to		
Dressed hogs choice 12	50 to		
Veal, per cwt13	00 to	14 00	
Beef, young, cwt10 Mutton, per cwt9	an to	10 50	
Reef cover covi	00 10	9 00	

#### For Other Markets See Page 15

Hides, Woof, etc.
Cow hides, No 1, lb. 11
Cow hides, No. 2 lb. 10
Cow hides, No. 2 lb. 9
Wood unwasted lb. 15

PRODUCE. Spot firm; No. 1 Manitoba, 6s 10½d; No. 2. 6s 10d; No. 3, 6s 8d; futures firm; December. 7s 3sd; March, 7s 1%d; May, 7s 1%d. Corn—Spot easy: American mixed. 6s 6d; futures, November, 4s 7%d; December, 4s 9%d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £6 12s to £7. Beef—Extra India mess, 117s 6d. Pork—Prime mess western, 110s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 , 68s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to lbs. 73s; clear belies, 14 to 16 lbs. 70s 6d; long clear middles, light 28 to 34 bs. 76s 6d; do heavy, 35 to 40 lbs. 75s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs. 67s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, 63s 6d. Lard— Prime western, in tierces, 55s 3d; American refined, in palls, 56s 3d. Cheese—Canadian finest white, 63s; do, colored, Tallow—Prime city, 32s; Australian London), 34s 7½d. Turpentine spirits 21s 6ds Rosin Common 9s 9d. Petro-Leum—Refined, 93d. Linseed oil—25s 9d. Cottonseed oil (Hull-refined)—Spot. 31s 6d. CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. [Special to H. C. Becher.] CHICAGO, Oct. 31. at— Open. High Low. Clos

86 3/8 91 1/4 701/4 70% 71% Oatsec. ...... ... 19 95 20 15 19 95 20 12 Lard-10 65 10 65 10 60 10 62 an. . . . . 10 67 10 72 10 60 10 65
[Special to H. C. Becher.]
WINNIPEG, Oct. 31-2 p.m.—Wheat-

otober, 83c; December, 83c; May, 88%c. bats—December, 33%c. Special to H. C. Becher.] MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 31—2 p.m. Wheat-December, 831/4c; May, 881/4c. COTTON.
[Special to H. C. Becher.]
YORK, Oct. 31—Cotton—Futures

anged today as follows: Open, High. Low. 2p.m.
October 13.65 14.00 13.65 13.90
March 13.29 13.46 13.29 13.45

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 31 .- Cattle-Receipts, 3,500; slow and steady. Veals-Receipts, 800 head; active; native celpts: 500; higher; Yorkers, \$7 75 to \$8 50; riss, \$7 50 to \$7 75; roughs, \$7 60 to \$7 85; stags, \$6 50 to \$7 50; dairies, \$8 25 to \$8 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,000; slow, sheep steady, lambs be higher; lambs. to \$7 65; year-5e higher; lambs, 1 to \$7 65; year-lings, \$4 50 to \$6; wethers, \$5 to \$5 25:

COBALT STOCKS. [Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the Toronto Stock Exchange, report the following quotations on the mining market

TORONTO. Oct. 31.—Beaver, 321/2 to 13; Coni-2316: Chambers-Ferland, 12 to 13; Conjagas, 7.25 to 7.50; City of Cobalt, 30 to 35; Kerr Lake, 3.90 to 4.00; Cobelt Lake, 47 to 52; La Rose, 1.75 to 1.89; Me-Kinley-Darragh, 1.32 to 1.37; Nipissing, 8.25 to 8.39; Peterson Lake, 27 to 274; Temiskaming, 12 to 13; Dome Extension, Dome, 10 to 11; Hollinger, 17.25; Jupiter. 9, to 12; Preston Donie, 1 to 2; Swastika, 3 to 4; pond. 9 to 11.

Montreal Stock Exchange. MONTREAL, Oct. 31.—Morning Sales: Bells: Pelephone. 10 at 1434; Brazilian, 200 at 834 to 855; C. P. R. 200 at 225 to 2254; Ottawa L. H. and P., 25 at 259; to 223-2; Ottawa E., H. and F., 25 at 253; Twin City, 25 at 104; R and O, Navigation, 665 at 108 to 1084; Onebec rails, 25 at 113; Power, 229 at 206% to 207½; Power rights, 735 at 10 to 10%; Ames-

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TORONTO, Oct.	31.
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Bell Telephone	
F. N. Burt, com 80	
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Canada Bread, com 21	3134
Canada Cement, com 321/2	107
Canadian General Electric	90
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Canadian Pacific Railway 2251/2	
Confederation Life400	360
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Dominion Telegraph 190	
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Maple Leaf, pfd 911/2	9114
Mexican Light & Power 60	
Monarch, com 63	
Monarch, pfd 89	88
Nova Scotia Steel, com 80	
Pacific Burt, pfd 85	
Penmans, pkd.	80
Porto Rico Railway 591/2	58
Porto Rico Ranway	
R. & O. Navigation109	

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Can. Locomotive, bonds 96 Dominion Canners, bonds... Electrical Dev., bonds..... Mexican Electric, bonds.... panish River, bonds ..... 78

Maple Leaf, preferred, 137 at 91 to 91½; St. Lawrence, 3 at 121; Farcelona, 25 at 2 %; Brazilian, 358 at 83½ to 83%; Penmans, preferred, 190 at 80; Duluth-Superior, 15 at 61%; Mackay, 25 at 78; Twin City, 25 at 104; Toronto Paper, 15 at 75; Toronto rails, 5 at 140; Dominion, Cost 102; Niciscipa Minas 200 at 830. 6 at 219%; Nipissing Mines, 300 at 8.30; Canada Permaneut, 143 at 185 to 185½; Canada Permaneut, 143 at 185 to 185½; Hollinger, 350 at 17.25 to 17.35; La Rose, 10 at 178; Canada Bread, 50 at 19% to

20: Canada Bread bonds, \$500 at 89: City Dairy, preferred, 10 at 9912 to 100; mis NE WYORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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30 % 30 % 20 % 30 ¼ 81 % 82 81 % 82 merican Can. New Hamb. LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE. LONDON, Oct. 31.—Stocks closed as follows: Consols, for money, 72 13-16. Consols, for account, 7274: Amalgamated opper, 74% : Atchison, 95: Corper, 74%; Atchison, 55, Malmire and Ohio, 97; Canadian Pacific, 231%; Chesareake and Ohio, 59½; Chicago Great Western, 13; Chicago, Milwaukee and St Paul, 1041%; De Pers, 18%; Denver and Rio Grande, 10; Frie, 27%; Erie, 1st preferred, 44; Grand Trunk, 22%; Illinois Corporations, Louisville, and Nashville,

Vestinghouse ... Pethlehem Steel

Wall Street, Noon. NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Sentiment was lecidedly pessimistic again today, chiefly because of the depressing tone of news rectory. bearing upon financial industrial and political conditions. There was no es-sential new features in the day's de-

relorments, but the information upon which the street relies in formulation upon speculative ordnice was of the same unfavorable nature as that which has been received daily for street which has been favorable nature as that which has been received daily for some time. Another source of uneasiness was the fact that no concerted effects were being made to retard the growth of bearish sentiment. Professionals dislodged stocks at will, and the only impediment to the decline was intermittent buying for the short except. Call maney opened at six per account. Call money orened at six account. Call money orened at six her cent. and renewals were made at that figure, compared with 5 per cent yesterday. Active selling was confined largely to the first hour, and after that time the list held steady, with overtations slightly above the lowest. Bonds were

#### easy. EXODUS FROM THE NORTH.

[Canadian Press.] Victoria, B. C., Oct. 31.-The C. P. R. steamer Princess May arrived Wed-nesday from Skagway bringing 260 in Victoria Hospital Tuesday, in her 70th passengers, the largest number from year. The funeral will be held from W. passengers, the largest number from the north this season. She also brought many furs and other trophics of the chase, and a gold nugget weighing 72 woodland Cemetery. Services will be conducted at 2 o'clock. ounces, dug at Atlin.

## CO-OPERATIVE GROCERY

C. P. R. Men Will Fight Merchants

Moose Jaw, Oct. 31.-C. P. R. em

oloyees here will form a co-operative grocery store in order to secure credit, which they cannot get from local retail grocers, who insist on a cash basis, an onerous requirement from men whose monthly salary is paid any where from the 15th to the 25th of

The company will be capitalized at \$25,000, and shares sold to employees only. Shares are \$25, and no employee may acquire more than 40 shares. The store will cater to the general public on an ordinary basis, while each shareholder will enjoy 5 per cent discount white paying for his shares, and 10 per cent after they are fully paid for

#### MOUNTED POLICEMEN **BRUTALLY MURDERED**

Revolutionists Tortured Officers Who Were Sent Out to Protect Ranch.

[Canadian Press.] San Luis Potosi, Mexico, Oct. 31.-A force of 600 revolutionists yesterday Assessment Department Comof 50 mounted policemen sent from here to protect a ranch 20 miles to the west. Their mutilated bodies were in many cases hung on trees. The three policemen who escaped returned

Bodies of revolutionists today threatened communication between here and Aguscalientes. A train left that town this morning carrying a heavy guard and rapid-fire guns.

### LOST LIVES TRYING

TO SAVE PET DOG Roof Collapsed When Man and Wife

Went Into Burning Home. [Canadian Press.] Chicago, Oct. 31.—Grafton Stevens, city wealthy resident of the suburb of ing of Wilmette, and his wife were burned sessed

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to death early today seeking to save pet dog. Returning late from the home riends, they discovered their home, in which the dog had been locked, in flames. Both rushed in and were trapped when the roof collapsed.

#### BLAZE AT EDMONTON

Doubtful Fun of Annoying Loss Was \$20,000 in Old Thistle Curi-

ing Rink.

[Canadian Press.] Edmonton, Oct. 31.—Fire starting after midnight completely destroyed the Thistle Rink and the old curling rink adjoining it, used as an armory for the One Hundred and First Regiment Edmonton Fusiliers. With the armories were burned 800 uniforms, 50,000 rounds of ammunition and the instruments of the regimental band, kept up a continuous fusilade. Loss about \$20,000.

#### The Thistle Rink was used for the session of the Legislature in 1906. MR. LOUGHREY DIES

Operation For Appendicitis Fatal to Young Londoner.

Harold H. Loughrey, a prominent young Londoner, died on Thursday in not be tolerated, and persons guilty of Victoria Hospital following an opera- such conduct will be dealt with the tion for appendicitis. He was twenty same as those who commit depredayears of age and was employed in the tions on private premises. drug store of his brother, Mr. T. A. ADVISES IMMIGRANTS Loughrey. The funeral will be private and will be held from the family residence on Saturday at 3 o'clock, Interment will be made at Woodland Cemetery.

#### LOSS IS \$40,000

Scotland, who recently accompanied party of immigrants crossing on the S. Hesperian to Western Canada, was Printers Suffered Severely in Early Morning Fire in Toronto.

Morning Fire in Toronto.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Oct. 31. — Fire which broke out about half-past three this morning at 3903 Perth street destroyed six London England.

Hesperian to Western Canada, was in London today, and conferred with Adjutant Bloss, immigration officer for the London division of the Salvation Army. He is making a tour of Canadian points for the purpose of submitting a report to the army's head immigration offices in London. England printing presses, a cutting machine, other apparatus, used in lithographing, and resulted in damage to building, machinery and stock of \$40,000.
Tenants suffering were: Alexander

Tenants suffering were: Alexander Aldine Press, H. S. Cooper Company, of work. embroidery manufacturers, and J. R. Irving, bookbinders.

#### NOT A LONDONER.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Buffalo, Oct. 31.—Herbert C. Hewitt 1st 24, of London, was arrested last night preferred, 44: Grand Trunk, 2°34. Illinois Central, 10°1½: Lovisville and Nashville, 10°1½: Missouri, Kansas and Tevas, 2°976. New York Central, '8°34: Norfolk and Western, 10°34: Ontario and Western, 2°8. Pennsylvania, 5°6. Rand Mines, 5°4: Reading, 8°23. Southern Railway, 23: Southern Pacific, 154°4: United States Steel, 5816: Wabash, 4. Par silver steady, 27°56d per oz. Money, 4 to 4½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 4 15-16 to 5 per cent; for three months' bills, 5 per cent.

Wall Street, Noon. in Niagara Falls, charged with ran-

either to the police or to railwaymen. His name does not appear in the di-

#### TROUBLE WAS SETTLED. [Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.-Classes were reumed at the United Colleges, pending decision of the faculty on the ques-

#### DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Funeral of Mr. Manning. The funeral of Sylvester Manning, who died at his residence, lot 17, concession 5, Westminster Township, on

White Oak Cemetery. Death of Mrs. Morris.

The death occurred of Mrs. Sarah Mor-

#### LOCAL NEWS

October Bank Clearings. - Bank clearings for October amounted to \$7,639,324, according to a report made by the Bank of Montreal this after-

Building Permits.—Building per-nits issued from the office of City Building Inspector A. M. Piper this morning were: V. Cronyn, addition to rear of 240 Dundas street, \$4,500; Richard Stingle, 1-story brick-veneer dwelling, 99 Oak street, \$1,200. Sentence of 21 Months Imposed.

ty-one months, less one day, in Central Prison was the sentence imposed on Liewellyn David tals morning by Judge Talbot Macbeth for burglarizing the store at Munceytown some time ago. David is an Indian lad. His companion, Kennedy, was allowed to go. Provincial Inspector Here.-Provin-

cial License Inspector George E. Mor-rison was in the city for a short time Thursday and held a conference with License Inspector Galpin, Asked if the inspector's visit was for the purpose of looking atter any of the hotels in the city, Mr. Galpin replied that it

Inspect Abattoir .- A party of aldernen accompanied by members of the poard of health inspected the Dominion abattoir this atternoon for the purpose of seeing the operation of Government inspection of meats. The board of health desires to make it compulsory that all meat sold in Lon-

Judged School Exhibits.—Mr. J. W Noble, B.S.A., of the Middlesex agriultural department, judged the weed, seeds and insects classes at Malahide Township School Fair, held at Luton on Wednesday. Three hundred people attended, and exhibits of high quality were made by nine rural schools participating.

The population of greater London s 55,026. The figures of the assessafternoon. They swell the total popu-

October. Ten were to fires, and the servative members for judgeships, sen other two were false alarms. Ten of the alarms were sent in by telephone, Many Want Jobs. state the total city assessment for 1914 \$32,969,216. That portion that came to London this year is credited with the alarms were sent in by telephone, one from a street box and another According to the township assessments from a private bell. The most serious of 1911, the population of the annexed districts was only 3,566, and the assessment \$718,511. The increase assessment fire of the month was that at the Ontario Spring Bed and Mattress Comis credited to the fact that the township figures were in acreages, mostly, while in the 1914 assessment is on the usual pany on Monday night, when part of the plant was destroyed.

of the Salvation Army; Adjutant and refuse to go on the bench. John Stan- cision of the Government today. Mas. Nash, of No.1 Corps; Capt. Riches, of No. 2 Corps, and Adjutant Butler, of the Army Rescue Home, are attending the Salvation Army Congress meeting in Toronto with General William Bramwell Booth. Seven hundred delegates are expected to be presen from corps extending from Newfound-land to Port Arthur.

Loans for Factories .- Several bylaws sking for loans from the city for manufacturing companies that will locate here, will be submitted to the electorate in January. It is likely that the C. N. W. Shoe Company will appeal for a loan and that a bylaw for this pur-pose will be again submitted. Induspoys and other Halloween jokers that trial Commissioner Gordon Philip has lined up several out-of-town manufacerty or any annoyance to citizens will turing companies and will have at least be seriously regarded this year. It is one loan bylaw if not others.

Seduction Charge Enlarged. - A instruments of the regimental band, every year by thoughtless boys and charge of seduction preferred against young man of West London by the nother of a girl of East London was enlarged for two weeks by Magistrate Judd this morning. The girl, who it is said is only 14 years of age, was in court with her mother. The young man, through his solicitor, Mr. E. Meredith, elected summary trial and pleaded not guilty to the charge. He was bailed in the sum of \$1,600, \$800 of his own and two sureties of \$400 each.

Trade in District.-Bradstreet's re ort says: Retail trade is at its usual olume in this district and with most concerns collections are good. Those firms with large western trade still find orders smaller than last year and colections backward. There is steady ple walking. gains in building operations here, and the principal cities in Western Ontario, and labor and supplies in those lines are fully employed. The heavy rains of the past fortnight have deterred farmers from working and trading. ountry merchants feel this. One

small failure. Good Old Wagon, etc.—Traffic on King The John street road, north of Talber street at the market was tied up this street, has been opened up again for morning when the rim and the spokes of a front wheel on a wagon containing a load of straw severed connections. The wheel, which was very ancient as wheels go, appeared to be in the last stage of decrepitude previous to the accident. Consequently it was not "with surprising suddenness" that the accident occurred. Neither was it with any form of

expected that the negotiations between the city electrical department and the London Street Railway Company for the purchase of hydro power by the latter will be wound up on Monday. The matter is now in the hands of the Ontario Power Commission at Toronto, that body having the power of rejection or acceptance, and it is expected that its findings will be announced at the joint meeting on Mon-day. At neither the office of the street railway, nor the electrical department is anything known of what

the commission's final decision will be. A Real Taffy Pull.-An enjoyable time was spent in the primary room at the Empress Avenue Sunday school on Thursday, when the Alexander Bible Bay, where she will spend a month Class of girls entertained two sister- with her husband. classes of iMss M. Fuller and Miss R. from the Armories to Tecumseh Park McPherson with a Halloween social family have left for their new home this afternoon as the opening event The evening was pleasantly passed f the first public school field day. At with appropriate games and a taffy the park a series of athletic events pull followed, providing a sticky time. was staged that did credit to the which was enjoyed by all. The room oungsters and to their teachers. The was prettily decorated, lighted pumpbig events of the day were the semi- kin faces being the chief feature. Latfinals and finals of the Public School er in the evening a dainty lunch was served, after which the party broke Aberdeen and Lorne Avenue, Pot- up with the thanks of the guests for ersburg and Victoria were the teams a pleasant evening. entering the semi-finals, the winner of

#### BUILT 1588.

The aged motor-van was somehow The competition for the Dennis rophy-the big shield presented by always getting out of repair, and hairman E. R. Dennis, of the board it usually indulged in a little break--brought out a big class of athletes down about once a week in order rom each school, and the keenest vary an otherwise monotonous exist-

Slowly it snorted its way into the The girls were not a whit behind Wednesday, was held today from the the boys, and the basketball games broad stream of traffic, when there family residence at 2:30 o'clock to and athletic program put on by them was a sudden whirring of wheels, a loud snap, and the weary and worn ramework came to a dead stop. "Look here," said the policeman to

the driver, "this kind of thing is occurring too often. Let's see, what's the number? Yes, 1588!"
"Go on!" said the precocious youth Helen-It took me just 15 minutes who was in charge of the cart immeto get my nose the way I wanted it, diately behind. "That ain't its num and the whole thing would come off. ber. That's the year it was built."

#### **ENORMOUS BUILDING GAIN** SHOWN BY THE RETURNS

More Than Half-Million Increase Over Whole of Last Year-Heaviest October in Last Five Years.

value of permits taken out up till noon today. This brings the total for the first ten months of the total for the first ten months of the year to \$1,-658.855. For the first ten menths of last wear the total was but \$997,241, or

\$661,614 less than this year.

Half Million Over Last Year. means that during the next two 1911 ..... months every permit taken out will 1912 ..... mean just that much more of an in- 1913 ...... 165,711

Building returns for October, as crease above this \$522,747 figure, over shown by the permit record in the last year's full returns. Building Ineffice of Building Inspector A. M. spector Piper is confident that the

The record for the month of October for the past five years is an interesting criterion of how London's building has grown. Naturally it is impossible to judge a year's building re-Not only does the present total for turns by the total of a single month, the first ten months of the year ex-ceed the record of the same time in are shown. The October record speaks that sum—\$522.747 to be exact. This 1910 ...... 30,493

#### **GOVERNMENT IS UNEASY OVER** VICTORY IN SOUTH BRUCE

Ministers Are Busy Repudiating Responsibility-Chances of Many Looking For Fat Jobs Have Been Spoiled by Smashing Defeat.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Commission Member Here.—Mr. J. Ottawa, Oct. 31.—The Government's Bradbury, of Selkirk; Dr. Schaffner, E. Clarke, a member of the Dominion defeat in South Bruce has produced a M. P. of Souris, and J. E. Armstrong, Railway Commission, was in the city feeling of uneasiness in Conservative of East Lambton, would not refuse to this morning for a short time, and circles. Today the ministers are busy go into the Senate. In fact, the Govheld a conference with Mr. W. Durkin, repudiating responsibility for opening ernment has been strongly urged to trainmaster of the Grand Trunk. He was only here for a visit, he said, and was going on to St. Marys, where he day that a grave tactical mistake was out by the assessment department this has some business to attend for the afternoon. They swell the total popu-commission.

Was going on to St. Marys, where he made in opening the riding. As a retheir chances have been spoiled.

No More Chances. Fires of the Month.—The firemen has experienced a severe Llow. So had twelve runs during the month of have the chances of a number of Con-

The Government has known for some in Macdonald and Chateauguay.

field, M. P. for Colchester: George

Only the hand of time will open another riding for by-election. Not only is the Government sorry it opened South Bruce, but it fears having had to fight such keen by-election contests

time that Mr. A. C. Boyce, M. P. for In each place they got their man in Algoma; William Bennet, M. P. for and are now trembling with appre-Simcoe; A. E. Fripp, M. P. for Ottawa; hension over pending disclosures of any on Monday night, when part of he plant was destroyed.

W. S. Middleboro, M. P. for North corrupt practices. This by-election Grey: Clarence Jamieson, M. P. for experience of the Borden Government Digby; Norman Lewis, M. P. for West has not been such as to lead it to look Morris and Adjutant Smith, represent- Huron; A. E. Lancaster, M. P. for for more. No more by-elections after

#### IN THE POLICE COURT

As the policemen on duty on King horse and shouting, street walked past the Windsor Hotel this morning at 5 o'clock, he noticed a man behind the bar, which is against the regulations. Going into the hotel told the court that last Sunday night he notified the proprietor, who went he heard shouting and singing at the to the bar and found Harry Wells under the influence of liquor. Wells was

taken to the police station, but when after the bar window. He will not be prosecuted on that charge,

Disorderlies Fined John Boyd and Roy Moore found guilty of acting in a disorderly \$1, and another paid \$3 for breaches manner in South London on the night of Oct. 23, and fined \$3 each. The men pleaded not guilty to the

charge, but according to P. C. Snell. they were driving about the streets of South London applying a whip to the paid \$1 each. AYLMER.

Aylmer, Oct 31.—Notwithstanding that there is a bylaw prolibiting the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks in Aylmer there are many violations of the law each day, and it is becoming a danger to peo-R. C. McKenney is recovering from his ecent illness.

Mrs. G. I. Walker has been confined the house for the last week through illness. W. S. Caron, collector of customs, who has been seriously ill for the last ten days with typhoid fever, is somewhat

better.

traffle Dewar, of Middlemiss, is relieving F. Ball, G. T. R. agent, while he is n his holidays Mrs. Mann has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) L. A. Brown.
Mrs. Beebee, who has been visiting her
daughter, Mrs. Chas. Foulger, of London,

has returned The funeral of Murray N. Matthews, of Malahide, took place yesterday to the Aylmer Cemetery and was largely attended.

W. H. Finch has secured the long brick building on Dufferin avenue from the Dominien Canners for a dried apple

L. Miller, real estate and insurance broker, reports the following real estate transfers: The Frank Daley property. Elk street, to W. E. Bain, of Fort William; the J. Y. Smiley property, Centre street, to L. F. Clarke, and the W. R. Jackson property, on corner of Syden-ham and Victoria streets, to F. Rogers.

#### INWOOD.

Inwood, Oct. 31.-Mrs. Robert Parr s visiting relatives in Blenheim for a ew weeks Miss Gertrude Chapman visited in

St. Thomas recently. Miss Hazel Atkin visited recently with friends in Dawn. Mrs. Wm. English has left for North Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Graves and

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houston, Windsor, are spending a week with friends in this vicinity. Wm. Graham, of North Bay, visit-

OUR PRECISE ARTIST.



Stanley Major also pleaded not guilty to a charge of disorderly conduct, and was dismissed. P. C. Ross corner of Horton and Clarence streets.

Allowed To Go. Two or three men of a gang congre he appeared this morning he was gated at the corner were making the too drunk to stand trial. He was re- noise, but by the time he could reach manded until Saturday morning.
Wells who is familar with the hotel, hung about the place Thursday night, was walking along when he heard the night he gained an entrance through end of the song. He denied singing or shouting, and as there was no evidence to show he had been he was allowed

Four citizens paid \$2 each, one paid

of the traffic bylaw. Three automobile owners who exeeded the speed limit were fined \$5 each and \$1.85 costs, and two men who rode their bicycles on the sidewalks

ed at his home here recently. W. R. Dawson, J. Vance, Albert and Arthur Warren and J. Johnston have

eft for Widdefield on a hunting trip. ST. MARYS. St. Marys, Oct. 31 .- As tonight is Halloween, there will be several special con-stables on duty in the various wards, and any boys caught doing injury to property will be brought before the magistrate and severely dealt with There was a large attendance at the masquerade ball in the town hall last

## Chrysanthemums

are at their best. You surely want to entoy someofthese Exquisite Autumn Beauties before their short season is over. Well have amagnificent stock Saturday.

"The House of Flowers" Gammage Tondon.