NOVEL DEFENCE BY MAN ACCUSED OF **VIOLATING HEALTH ACT**

No Death in Block in Seven Years, He Claims.

Leslie Weller, when charged in police court today with violating the public health act, and on being told that his yard was a public nuisance and might h probably be the means of spreading disease in his district, declared: "Your bisonderly at SpringBank.— DISORDERLY AT SPRINGBANK.—
Worship, I lived there for seven years J. Wefer appeared before Squire W. H.

Mother Locates William Blanchard, Working On Farm Near Wallacetown.

William Blanchard of Wellington street, who had been missing from home for three weeks, has been located, through a picture and stry concerning him which ran in The Advertiser a few days ago.

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He is working on the farm of Alex. Watson, R. R. No. 1, Wallacetown. His mother received information that he was there, and telephoned to the farm. He explained to her that he had written her a letter, but was at a loss to account for its failing to rach her. On July 4 Blanchard went to St. Thomas looking for work, and lost some his clothes. He returned to London and disappeared the following day.

BOARD NOT YET GRANTED.
Ottawa, July 29. — No new developments have as yet taken place regarding the application of Canadian National Railways employees for a board of arbitration. A. R. Mosher, grand president of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, was in conference with the minister of labor this morning for a short time, but at the close of their talk it was stated that nothing new had transpired in the application.

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> WONG'S CAFE 434 Richmond Street.

mmencing this evening, Isaac Fine-me-of the Toronto Jewish Mission will nduct services each night this week the City Mission. On Friday even-ghe will address an additional meet-gion the market square. The Toronto ing ion the market square. The Toronto mission worker is engaged in revival work among the Jews.

work among the Jews.

'HIT BY HEAVY PRESS. — Thomas Salisbury, 18 Adelaide street, was seriously injured when he was struck on the head by a 40-pound press while at work at the Richards-Wilcox Company's plant, at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The press made a gash in his head. The police ambulance was called, and removed him to Victoria Hospital in an unconscious condition.

and there hasn't been no funerals in Chittick this morning and was fined 32 and costs with the alternative of a Sanitary Inspector Richard Sanders claimed that chickens had been killed in the yard and that the premises were In the yard and that the premises and ploy of the public utilities commission.

Littered with feathers and blood, and C. OF C. DIRECTORS AT LUNCH. that Weller's dog had been sleeping in Several important questions were dis-

tainment: Mrs. Hudson (vocalist), Miss

SOCIAL SERVICE WILL NOT ACT AS

T. D. McCullough, Local Secretary, So Declares-Will Be Protected.

A. have been sent out lately," he continued, "explaining that this committee will receive all complaints and in due course forward them to the Government. This means that any suggestions advice or complaints of bootleggingrum running, etc., may be placed at the disposal of this special committee." The report of the Toronto executive advises that "sources of information" will be protected. It is further explained that this means that those who wish to aid the authorities in this respect can send in their information or suspicions and so forth without fear of baving their names made public.

MOTORISTS ARE IN ARMS OVER PRICE OF GAS

Dealer's Arguments Are Overridden by the Irate Owners of Cars.

CLAIM 25 CENTS ENOUGH

Whole Blame For High Figures Is Passed On to

much.
Then the dealers as a last resort point to the difference in exchange, the Then the dealers as a last resort point to the difference in exchange, the freight charges on long hauls, and to the government tax. All this is admitted by the irrate purchasers, but they claim that after all this is taken into consideration gasoline could be sold at a profit in Canada at 25 cents a gallon.

Controlled by One Family.

In his rounds to the different service stations, the reporter discovered one honest-looking dealer, who tried no vain arguments, but nevertheless washed his

nonest-looking deader swashed his hands of any responsibility for keeping up the price of gasoline. The situation in Canada, he claimed, was controlled absolutely by the Imeprial Oil Company, and he said that no reduction would be made in Canada until ordered by that

ally in competition. When a price was ally in competition. When a price was is waged between these companies the public, of course, benefits. That is the public, of course, sells comparatively is waged between these companies the public, of course, benefits. That is the reason why gas sells comparatively cheaply in the United States.

"In Canada," he continued, "there is but one company of any great consequence, and therefore there is practically no competition. With no price-cutting the public is forced to pay."

The retail dealers in Canada, he asserted, were certainly not to biame because no one would like to see lower prices more than they. All dealers, however, must abide by the ruling of the company which supplies them, both in the wholesale price and in the price which the public is called upon to pay.

Hold Out Little Hope.

Local officials of the Imperial Oil Company stated this morning, when interviewed by The Advertiser, that they could not say the price will be lowered in Canada. The company, they claimed, did not consult them in the matter, and ordered reductions without warning. As a rule, when a reduction is ordered.

STRATFORD FINDS

Hugh Ferguson Declares That Ald. Harley's Scheme Is Workable.

KIRKTON BEATS ST. MARYS.
St. Marys, July 28.—In an N. W. B.
A. fixture here this evening Kirkton beat St. Marys by the score of 10 to 8.
Batteries for Kirkton, Berry and Shler; for St. Marys, Westman and Baines.
Umpires, Miller and Daly, Stratford.

MANY STRANGE RELIGIOUS CULTS HAVE FOLLOWERS AMONG LONDON RESIDENTS

Koreshans, Vedanta, Bahaism Amongst the Least Known-London One of Earliest Locations in Canada of Salvation Army—Congregational Church Established Here Nearly Century Ago-Latter Day Saints Set Example During the Influenza Epidemic.

Motorists of London are seemingly in accord in the belief that the price of gasoline in this city is much too high if the amount of grumbling to be heard at the different service stations and garages can be taken as a criterion. Almost without exception car owners who stop to fill their cars with gas pass some caustic remark as they grudgingly pay out \$1.85 for the conventional five gallons which sells throughout Ontario at \$7 cents per.

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It is only since Thursday however. that Weller's dog had been sleeping in the feathers.

"I'm not a rabbi. I don't kill chickens." protested the defendant.

Weller has since moved from the premises at 201 Horton street, which were complained of. He claimed that were complained of. He claimed that the only things ditty about the place were some bags, which he brought out of the cellar to dry after the recent.

As he has since cleaned up the place, he was allowed to go.

Rose Tisdale, charged by Gorge J.
Carty with damaging property falled to appear. The case was adjourned until rest Thursday when they will appear. The case was adjourned until vagrancy, were remanded until Friday.

MISSING MAN FOUND

BY MEANS OF STORY

IN THE ADVERTISER

National of the control of t

Rev. Matthew Kelly. Although the denomination has never been numerically the stage where another church was needed, and the Southern Congregational Church on Horton street was opened.

Church on Horton street was opened. Church on Horton street was of The present pastor is Rev. W. Clais, who has shepherded the little flock in the Southern Church for many years.
While Congregationalism in Canada, is may perhaps be found. predominantly orthodox, in contrast with its deflexion in New England towards Unitarianism or Latitudinaranism, it has firmly stood for the principle of congregational autonomy and is its most of the principle of the congregational autonomy and is its most of the congregational autonomy and is its most of the congregational autonomy and is its most of the congregation of the congrega far more than mere numerical strength test. in the broadening of the new union church and in the deepening of the new ideal of brotherhood which is permeating all the churches of today.

not granted readily nor willingly to the day.
Salvation Army by Londoners of three or four decades ago. Today in addition to the Clarence Street Citadel, which is attractive barracks in both South and East London, and the good works of the Salvation Army in the city are appreciatively recognized by citizens of every creed or cult. Bethesda Hospital in South London, the Army Hostel for Young Women, and other institutions housed in substantial buildings also tangibly indicate the growth of the Sal-vation Army in London.

The biblical injunction, "By their fruits, ye shall know them," has proven the genuineness of the Salvation Army.

Without Bands

Without bands or street meetings, the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, on Maitland street, grew without Latter Day Saints loudly repudiated its connection with the old Mormon or Utah Church, and its members were never subjected to any severe persecution, such as that at first endured by the Salvationists. After many years came the day of testing for the Latter Day Saints in London, and they were not found wanting. The influenza epidemic swept over the city and its fleet attendants, Fear and Panic, went before and after it. An object lesson in practical Christianity was set all other churches, when the Latter Day Saints' Church was equipped as an emergency hospital is many of its many of it

of cases handled by the stisfactory inventle court have proved satisfactory and necessitated no other means of consideration. Proclaimed and gazetted as a Dominion act, the juvenile delinquents act treats the child as a victim of certain circumstances, and emphasizes strongly that it shall not be treated as a criminal under the meaning of the enactment. Kindliness, careful judgment and the guiding hand are among the different methods of handling the children by the Stratford juvenile court."

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Many Other Sects. London was at one time ar active centre of the Holiness movement. There is no church of this denomination ere now. The men bers have been as-

have contributed much of what has may be found now attending the Theobeen most progressive in Anglo-Saxon thought for centuries, while in the earnestness of the Salvation Army have the leading Protestant denominations found the example and immissions found the example and immissions found the example and immissions found the example and immission found for the example and immission and an Italian Pentecostal mission have suspended operations in rethe example and inspiration for their evangelical zeal and social service work manifested in recent years.

The example and inspiration for their evangelical zeal and social service work manifested in recent years. Whatever one may think about the ly was a Jewish synagogue. Two a Latter Day Saints, one is bound to admouth Brethren on Hamilton road and Egerton street.

The "Church of God" has in years held camp meetings in West London, but its doctrines are too much akin to those of the Pentecostalites for t to gather impetus from any novelty or reputed novelty of service. For the same reason, the Mormons probably suf-

same reason, the Mormons probably Sur-fer through the Reorganized Latter Day Saints being first in the field. Trhe Sons and Daughters of Reho-boam appeared for a brief space of time in South London, and then withdrew to their headquarters in Chicago. The elopement of a citizen's wife with the

One or two representatives of the Koreshans, that, strange cult which be

congregational-autonomy, and in its proposed union with Methodism and Presbyterianism, will necessarily count with far more than mere numerical structure.

There is a Bahai Circle here, but its membership is not very large. Although Bahaism is in a sense a revolt against Mohammedanism in Persia and Pales-Faced Persecution.

London was one of the first center of activity in America selected by the Salvation Army Fersecution and ridicule were faced at first by those who dared to follow the banner of "fire and the selected by the selected at first by those who dared to follow the banner of "fire and the selected in London Mohammedans all speak kindly of the new religion which was a world language, and all men brothers. So far as can be ascertained there are no Zoroastrians, Parsees or Sufis in tine, yet the London Mohammedans all dared to follow the banner of "fire and blood" in London which was not always the centre of religious freedom which it is today. The right to hold street meetings and to police protection was

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. New York, July 29-Wall Street, 10:3 the centre of district or provincial as a.m.—Gains of 1 to 2 points by activities as local headquarters, there are issues at the opening of today's stock issues at the opening of today's stock market indicated that shorts were anticipating their customary week-end covering of contracts. General Electric, Bethlehem Steel and American Locomotive, which were among yesterday's heaviest features, led the rally. General Electric, however, soon cancelled more than half its gain. Rails and oils were mixed, showing fractional advances and declines. Shippings, tolaccos and chemicals were inclined to case.

vances and declines. Shippings, tolac-cos and chemicals were inclined to case. Demand exchange on London was quot-ed at §3 56, but no business was reported at that figure.

1:30 p.m.—Mercantile Marine prefer-red recovered part of its decline in the light dealings of the noon hour, and Crucible Steel made up its 2 points loss Elsewhere, notably equipments, oils. Elsewhere, notably equipments, oils, rails and food specialties underwent further short covering and better prices

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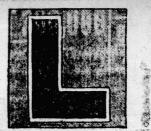
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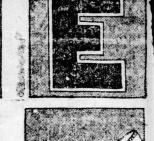
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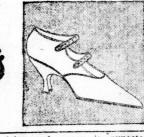












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The corpose in one inflance is next the work of the completed, and devotes what time arise from time to time. It is asked nothing to the work of th A recent issue of the Journal of the America Medical Association has the

Dr. Russell MacRobert mentioned in Mex. Petrocum... 1914; 105%; 103½; 105½; 1

WAGE REDUCTIONS TO STAND.

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Montreal, July 29. — The conference Between Canadian railway officials and general chairmen of the four running Children Cry

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The characteristic and general chairmen of the four running trades were concluded here today. The conference brought no agreement from the railways to waive tentative wage reductions while an arbitration board

was investigating conditions. It was announced today that the reductions made eeffctive July 16 will continue in force pending final negotiations. Detailed consideration of all matters after the second results of the second results and the second results and the second results are to the second results and the second results are to the second results and the second results are to the second results and the second results are the sec

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POLICE OR SPOTTERS

"Friends" of Prohibition

retary of the London Branch of the Social Service Council, today, discussing thursday's announcement from Toronto that the headquarters of that body in the Queen City will be a clearing house for "ideas, complaints, and general information pertaining to prohibition" received from "our friends" throughout the province.

aving their names made public.