

TRADES AND LABOR SEEK CITY GRANT

Ask For Equal Amount to That Allowed Chamber of Commerce.

John Colbert, at last night's meeting of the trades and labor council, took up the question of the grant made by the city council each year to the London chamber of commerce and questioned the recent statement of the secretary of the chamber to the effect that the chamber had always acted on the principle of the greatest good to the average citizen.

Woman Posed As Boy 4 Years

Associated Press Despatch. Colorado Springs, Colo., Feb. 4.—After posing as a boy for four years, Nita Smith, arrested by Colorado Springs police yesterday, they reported last night. Shortly afterwards, Warren B. Thompson, 32, who claimed to be her father, was arrested at a hotel. The pair are held in connection with the investigation of an oil promotion scheme, in which Thompson is alleged to have leased 30,000 acres of land near Florissant, Colo. Miss Smith says she was born in Toronto.

states that the chamber acts on the principle of what best for the average man in London. All that I want to say is to that, is what was the attitude of the chamber as a body when Dr. Cameron Wilson was mayor and a 10 per cent reduction in wages was put into effect for the outside men in the city's employ, at the same time that increases of considerable amounts were made to the inside staff.

Want Same Grant. Or again last year, when Aldermen Towse and Greer opposed the annual holiday for outside workmen, which eventually passed the city council, I would like to know if the chamber considers that on these two occasions there was no need for some action by it in the interests of the average citizen?

"I believe that the trades and labor council is worthy of support by the city council, and that it is entitled to the same grant as is made to the chamber of commerce. Failing that, I would suggest that the grant of \$2,000 be divided between the chamber and ourselves. I am sure we do as much as the chamber for the good of the average man in the city."

A committee of the trades council will wait on the finance committee of the city council to ask that this suggestion be given effect. A letter will be sent to the board of education, outlining the opposition of the trades council to the purchase of cadet uniforms for cadets. A committee of W. Tite, J. F. Thompson and R. Hessel will also wait on the board to request that no money be used to purchase cadet uniforms this year.

Uphold Fish Stall. The city council will be asked to place two members of the trades council on the town planning commission. The two members are J. Foxcroft and A. Graves. At the next meeting of the city council the trades council will appear in a body to demand the retention of the civic stall in the market house.

In view of the fact that the city purchased its castings last year outside the city, and in view of the fact that the local union of molders has asked the trades council to take action, the council will write the city council asking that in 1925 all castings be purchased from London firms.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED BY OXFORD ORANGEMEN

J. A. Saunders of Woodstock County Master For Third Term.

Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, Feb. 4.—There was a large and representative gathering of Orangemen from all parts of Oxford at the annual meeting of the county lodges held today. James Saunders of this city was re-elected worshipful county master for the third time. Other officers are: Deputy Master, James Coulter, Woodstock; chaplain, Bro. O. E. Wolstein, Tillsonburg; recording secretary, H. A. Silver, Ingersoll; treasurer, F. E. Eaton, Ingersoll; C. D. of C. D. Brown, Woodstock; lecturers, Robt. Pierce, Woodstock, and Bro. Sargent, Tillsonburg.

William W. Marshall, one of the pioneer brickmakers of Ontario, died here today. The late Mr. Marshall was born in England, and came to this city 55 years ago and opened a brick manufacturing plant to the east of the city. The business was continued until Mr. Marshall's retirement a few years ago for some years, and occupied a seat at the council table for two or three terms. Mrs. Marshall died 15 years ago. Survivors are one son and one daughter.

Miss Eleanor Farrington. The death took place today of Miss Eleanor Farrington, daughter of the late James and Eleanor Farrington, who were among the Scotch pioneers to settle in East Oxford, where Miss Farrington was born 69 years ago. Miss Farrington took a very active interest in Chalmers church, especially in the foreign missionary branch of the work. She has lived in Woodstock with her sister, Elizabeth, for the past 25 years. Besides the sister, two brothers survive, Dr. J. H. Farrington of Glendale, Calif., and John of this city.

Boys' Work. Taylor Statten, national boys' work board secretary, this evening addressed a banquet of ministers, Sunday school superintendents and boy workers held under the auspices of the Woodstock boys' work board. Mr. Statten's address was an eloquent plea to the leaders to take a greater interest in the C. S. E. T. program for boys. Following his address, a campaign was organized for the selling of bonds for the Ontario boys' work board, this being fostered by Stanley Webster, the boys' M.P.P. for Woodstock. The objective for the city is \$75, and it is expected that it will be passed without difficulty. At noon today Taylor Statten was the guest at luncheon of the principal and staff of Woodstock college, and delivered an inspiring address to the boys.

Kingston Man Passes At 106

Joseph Dafee Failed To Recover From Operation.

Kingston, Feb. 4.—Joseph Dafee, who claimed to be 106 years, and who recently underwent an operation at the Hotel Dieu, died today. He seemed to be recovering from the operation, but his great age was a drawback.

RIENTS FORCE "Y" ACES TO OVERTIME

after Ran in Four Points For Win Margin in Thriller.

Orient club five, playing a decidedly better brand of basketball than they have so far this season, gave the "Y" Aces a close run for the honors of the local intermediate O. A. B. A. title, forcing the yellow jacks into five minutes overtime to take a 29 to 25 win at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The game was fast and of the rough and tumble kind, two of the Aces, Frank Shaw and George Young, and two Orients, Jerry Goodman and Harold Gillies, being banished with four personal fouls each.

The defence work of both teams was superb, both forward lines being forced to do their shooting from outside. In defeating their strongest opponent in the local group the "Y" boys look to be the team to capture the intermediate title.

The winners were leading at nearly every stage of the game, although the Orients hung on with a doggedness that kept them right up on the bit. Charlie Barbour and Jerry Goodman were the point getter for the losers, while Frank Shaw took on the bulk of the work for the group leaders.

The line-up: Orients—Forwards, Lawrence, Barbour (13); center, Gillies (3); guards, Lindsay (1), E. Chapman (2); McGovern (2); Casselman, Rourke. Aces—Forwards, Smith (5); Young (5); center, Shaw (10); guards, Quick (6); Lightfoot, subs, Pierce (3); Baikwell.

Referee—McLennan, Western U. In the preliminary game the Western Juniors captured the first win of the season from the local school, when they took a close mix from the "Y" Tigers, 29-18. The college boys showed decidedly better than when they were defeated by the Tigers two weeks ago and outplayed the "Y" team in every department of the game.

The line-up: Tigers—Forwards, Logan (3); Murray (4); center, Vollick (5); guards, Haddfield, C. B. Chapman (2); subs, Lindsay (1), E. Chapman (2); McGovern (2); Western Juniors—Forwards, Howie (3); Rice (7); center, McConvery (2); guards, Farley (2); Allen (2); subs, Simpson (4); Laird.

Referee—R. F. Baird.

Two of Shagmen on Cage Lineup

McGill Football Stars Appear Here Friday.

When the red and white step out on the armories floor on Friday night next in a senior intercollegiate basketball competition, the citizens of London will have an opportunity of seeing one of the fastest going quintets in Canada. Indeed, there is very little to choose between three senior teams who have played home matches to date, and those who visit the armories on Friday night next will find that Western is no far behind. Captain Howell is the authority for the statement that his team is the one to watch when the bell rings. He states that the team was handicapped last week because of so many preliminary academic examinations.

It will be noticed that two prominent football men are playing for McGill. Philpotts is indeed one of the fastest scoring aces in the game. In the recent match against Queen's at Kingston he was responsible for 12 points, while Manson, a well-known football player, was also a factor. The McGill team has been playing well since they ever faced the officials in McGill. He scored eight points for his team in the last game.

The line-up: McGill—Forwards, Philpotts, Boucher; center, Manson; guards, Hilton, King; subs, Boucher, Bloomstein, Ratolovich. Western—Forwards, Howell, Warren, McHaffie; center, Hungerford; guards, Johnson, McLennan, Coles. The game commences at 8 p.m. The second game will be a Junior O. A. B. A. fixture, the St. Thomas Oriens playing the Western Juniors. This game will commence at 9 o'clock. The doors are open at 7:15.

"D" COMPANY IS STILL LEADING RIFLE LOOP

Results of the Fusiliers Inter-Company league up to date:

Company	W	L	Pts.
D Company	3	0	117
C Company	2	1	104
B Company	2	1	104
A Company	0	3	151

D Company still hold their place on top, winning a decisive 10-0 victory over B Company with a margin of 47 points. C Company, C.Q.M.S. Smith, Sgt. Herring and Corp. Harper all tied for high shot with a score of 65 points each. Second place was held by A Company.

Major Butler, 65 Sgt. J. Herring, 65 C.Q.M. Lee, 63 Pte. W. Dear, 41 Cpl. Denham, 61 Sgt. Pearson, 38 Pte. Bullock, 58 Pte. White, 46 Individual competition—Leading scores:

Company	W	L	Pts.
C.Q.M.S. Lee	189	Cpl. Harper	183
Major Butler	188	Pte. Ayling	182
Pte. Gibbs	183	Sgt. Herring	180
C.Q.M. Smith	187	Pte. Harper	180
Sgt. Michie	183	Pte. Bullock	177
Sgt. Gray	178	Cpl. Denham	171

SOUTH FIRST YEAR GIRLS BEAT CENTRAL 32 TO 16

In the first of a play-off series for the intercollegiate first year girls cage football, South C. I. yesterday defeated Central 32-16.

The line-up: South—L. Howie, M. McLeish, I. Gowie, E. Willoughby, J. Campbell, R. Henry, R. Thompson, I. Law. Central—L. Faulds, B. Boughner, E. Clark, M. Turner, M. Thompson, M. Brown, P. Taylor, M. Kaiser, M. McCallum.

Referee—Mrs. Watson. MEN'S GLOVES. Here is one grand bargain in Men's Gloves, all sizes, were \$2.00 and \$2.50 values. Dollar Day

CHURCH AT THAMESFORD HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Special to The Advertiser. Thamesford, Feb. 4.—The annual meeting of the congregation of St. Andrew's church was held in the evening. Rev. Dr. McDonald of Kintore, moderator for this church, was chairman. Cecil Young acted as secretary. The treasurer's report showed receipts of \$2,789.95 and expenditure of \$2,618.68. The Sunday school report showed receipts of \$50.51 and expenditures of \$79.68; W. M. S. St. Columba auxiliary, receipts, \$123.53; W. M. S., receipts, \$759.86; ladies' aid, receipts \$359.11; Bible class, receipts, \$26.19; choir, receipts, \$37.42; young ladies' Bible class, receipts \$133.48; total receipts for the year, \$4,870.57. The following managers were appointed: R. J. Kerr, Cecil Young, W. T. Hogg, Arnold Hogg, A. G. McMillan; treasurer, Cecil Young; secretary of schemes, W. F. McKay; financial secretary, John G. McKay; auditors, John Matheson, James McCaul; record agent, H. Sandick; cemetery overseer, R. Young; pew steward, A. B. Young.

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Backward Pupils In Special Class

Special to The Advertiser. Chatham, Feb. 4.—The board of education will establish an auxiliary class for backward pupils in the public schools. Miss Mary Park, a member of the local teaching staff, has been appointed teacher of the new class.

MAN BREAKS ANKLE STOPPING DOG FIGHT

George Flory, Motorman, Is Injured in Fall on Icy Pavement.

George Flory, 256 Grosvenor street, a motorman on the London street railway, fell and broke his ankle while chasing two dogs off the Wharncliffe road track last night.

Mr. Flory was driving a Ridout car. When it approached Pipe Line road, two dogs were having a battle in the middle of the tracks. The car was stopped and the dogs kept on fighting. Mr. Flory jumped from the car to chase the dogs away. He slipped on the icy pavement and broke his ankle. He was taken to Victoria hospital. Dr. Annett is attending.

Welland, Feb. 5.—Paul Beneriski, Industrial park, Crowland, died yesterday morning at the Welland County hospital from injuries sustained when the truck on which he was riding was hit by a Wabash engine and caboose Tuesday afternoon.

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Willow Clothes Baskets \$1.29
8 dozen Clothespins 22c
Glass Washboards 67c
Zinc Washboards 49c
Ironing Stand, with sleeve board \$3.89
4-Foot Folding Clothes Horse 89c
Mop Sticks 19c

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10-Quart Water Pails 67c
12-Quart Water Pails 77c
10-Quart Preserving Kettles 47c
12-Quart Preserving Kettles 57c
14-Quart Preserving Kettles 67c
No. 9 Teakettles \$1.29
10-Quart Dishpans 47c
14-Quart Dishpans 57c
17-Quart Dishpans 67c
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