

WEST LONDON WILL ASK AID OF THE LABOR MEN

People Desire That the City Shall Repair the Breakwater at Once.

The West London Progressives appreciate the efforts of the board of works in giving their attention to and taking steps to repair the breakwater in West London. The embankment problem is a vital one to the residents in the west side of the city, and they desire radical measures to be taken now in order that they may be fully protected from any spring freshets.

At their weekly meeting on Wednesday evening, Messrs. Pocock, Dexter and Churchill were appointed a committee to wait on the Trades and Labor Council next Wednesday evening and urge on the labor members in the city council to advance the construction of a permanent breakwater as soon as possible.

On a motion by Messrs. A. Clark and E. Pudney, the secretary was instructed to write to City Engineer Brazier and bring his attention to the unsightly condition of some streets in West London, which were said to be littered with paper. The members of the association claim that the West End is being made the dumping ground for all the industrial concerns in the city.

A petition will be circulated among the residents, requesting the city council to erect a new flight of steps leading from the Blackfriars bridge on to Central Avenue. It was pointed out that the old steps are in a dilapidated condition, and need immediate attention.

Twenty-six new members have joined the association during the past two weeks.

PERMITS ARE SLOW NOW

But They Will Be Plentiful Enough Shortly.

Building permits for the month of January, 1913, will show a slight falling off compared with the same month in 1912.

Last year, the permits for January totaled \$18,127. This year so far they reach only the magnificent sum of \$11,785, a difference of approximately \$7,000.

"The demand is a trade slack just now," explained Building Inspector Piper. "We need not worry, however. There will be enough building next summer to give employment to all the masons and carpenters there are here."

ROBINSON--McCALLUM

A Very Pretty Wedding at the Talbot Street Baptist Church.

A very pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized Wednesday in the Talbot Street Baptist Church by the Rev. H. H. Bingham, when he united in marriage Evelyn May, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Robinson, of Buffalo, N. Y., formerly of St. Thomas, Ont., to Lorne McCallum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McCallum, of Gladstone, in the presence of a very few of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

After the ceremony and congratulations the bride party drove to the Tecumseh House, where dinner was served.

The bride and groom left for Ottawa and points east for a short honeymoon, and on their return they will call at home to their friends at Gladstone after Feb. 13.

CEMENT PAVEMENTS

Engineer Brazier Says They Have Passed the Experimental Stage.

City Engineer Brazier has returned from Detroit and Windsor, where he has been investigating the cement pavements laid in these cities. In his opinion this kind of road has passed the experimental stage and is giving excellent satisfaction in many places.

The first pavements were laid in three layers, but this method did not prove satisfactory. There were many cracks in the road, and in other ways, it did not prove equal to expectations. Later two layers were tried, but this did not remedy the faults to any appreciable degree, with the result that at the present time, one layer only, generally 8 inches, is being put down. The pavement gives very good satisfaction, as a rule.

"I saw some pavements that have been laid 14 years," said Mr. Brazier. "They seemed to be in good condition. The only difficulty about them is that they wear and break at the joints. Otherwise they seem very hard and durable. I am preparing a report on my observations, and will present it to the board of works."

TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Dawson, Y. T., Jan. 30.—The bodies of W. P. Smith and M. Kelly were found here this morning. It is believed Smith killed his wife and Kelly, of whom he was jealous, and then committed suicide.

Had Rheumatism WAS CONFINED TO HIS BED FOR FOUR MONTHS.

Mr. W. H. Riley, Russell, Sask., writes:—"It is with the greatest of pleasure that I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all suffering with rheumatism. I was so bad with this terrible disease, I was unable to get up from my bed for four months, and nothing seemed to relieve me until a friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. I had my doubts about them, but was so desperate I would try anything suggested to me. After taking half a box I was able to get up, and after taking two boxes could go around quite well. After taking six boxes I was completely cured, and able to work for the first time in five months, and have not had a touch of rheumatism since. Anyone who saw me then would not know me now, as I am strong and active since taking your valuable medicine."

Rheumatism is caused by the presence in the blood of uric acid, and the kidneys not working properly is the sole cause of this, and unless you remove the acid by flushing the kidneys, there is no possible chance of getting rid of rheumatism.

Doan's Kidney Pills help the kidneys to flush out the acid and poisonous impurities which have collected, and thus clean out the kidneys, and dispel the rheumatism from the system.

Doan's Kidney Pills are 80 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. In ordering direct, specify "Doan's."

ALL THE WEALTH OF SOUTH AFRICA COULDN'T KEEP THIS BEAUTY FROM THE STAGE.



FANNIE WARD.

Special Correspondence.

London, Jan. 25.—As "Diamond King" Joe Lewis' eight-year struggle to keep his beautiful wife, the former Fanny Ward, of St. Louis, from returning to the stage ended, so ended his four years' fight to win her back. FROM the share of the footlights—in complete failure.

All his millions, his mansions, yachts, his diamonds couldn't keep his actress wife at home, and couldn't win her back after she had left.

A divorce decree separates them, and the diamond king goes back to his diamond mines, and the "prettiest woman on the English stage" stays there—on the stage.

Leaving a whole battalion of beaux and admirers behind in St. Louis, Fanny Ward went to New York and the stage. She came to London, and except for her striking beauty won little of the comment and less success as an actress.

Joseph Lewis, a partner of Cecil Rhodes and Alfred Beit, in South Africa, immediately lost their lure for him. In 1900 they were married; a year later a daughter was born. Eight years they lived together, while the call of the stage was growing stronger and stronger in the breast of the St. Louis girl. Four years ago she left her husband for the footlights.

The first night she appeared in Drury Lane theatre in a million dollars' worth of real diamonds and a diaphanous Venus costume, Fanny Ward Lewis blazed before all London as a star of the first theatrical magnitude. Since then she has appeared in America.

The diamond king offered to lay his wealth at her feet if she would come back to him and leave the stage forever. She stoutly resisted.

"My heart and soul is in the theatre. I can't leave it. I would rather be what I am than have all the money in the world to spend and not be permitted to act," she said. After she had told Lewis that for four years he lost hope. The divorce suit, undefended, followed.

The officers elected for 1913 are as follows: Hon. president, Mrs. C. W. Barrows; president, Mrs. McPhail; vice-president, Mrs. Sumner; secretary, Mrs. Kemp; treasurer, Mrs. McFarland; financial secretary, Mrs. Pirie. Eight ladies were appointed to the collecting and visiting committee.

Wingham Old Boys Helping Along the Scheme For New Wing.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wingham, Jan. 30.—The directors of the Wingham General Hospital were pleasantly surprised recently when they received checks from several Wingham Old Boys to be used in connection with the proposed new wing as follows: Dr. P. McDonald, London, £25; Dr. McKenzie, Chicago, \$5; J. D. Burns, Galt, \$5; J. D. Campbell, Chesley, \$5.

The funeral of Thomas McNeace, held from the family residence on Patrick street to Wingham Cemetery, was conducted by Rev. D. Ferrie. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Cosens, Sheriff, Richardson, Ross and Brandon.

GIVEN PRESENTS ON THEIR BIRTHDAY Robert Milne and Mr. Dawson remembered By Their Friends.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milne, Wharmehill Road, on Monday, it being the 68th birthday of Mr. Milne, also of his friend, Mr. Dawson, of Glenworth. A few of their old neighbors and friends from Glenworth gathered, and after partaking of a dainty repast, called Mr. and Mrs. Milne to the front and presented them with a handsome lamp. The address was read by Mr. Wynn Hill, while

Saturday, Feb. 1, at 8 a.m., We Commence OUR SEVENTH ANNUAL

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This is the greatest Annual Jewelry Sale held in the Dominion of Canada. \$47,000 worth of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, CUT GLASS, HAND-PAINTED CHINA, STERLING SILVER, SILVER PLATE, SILVER DEPOSART, UMBRELLAS, WALKING STICKS and JEWELRY to be offered without any reserve. If you intend buying card prizes, wedding presents for the coming season, or even gifts for next Christmas, it will pay you to buy now. Be sure and see the bargains in our north window and on our bargain tables. Below we have listed a few of the many specials that we are offering.



Diamonds at Half Price

60 Diamond Rings, ladies' and gents', to be sold at just one-half the regular price. We positively will not supply the jewelry trade at these prices:

1 Lady's Marquis Ring, with 15 diamonds. Sells regularly at \$75.00, for... **\$37.50**
1 Lady's Marquis Ring, 21 diamonds. Sells regularly at \$115.00, for... **\$57.50**
1 dozen Ladies' and Gents' Diamond Rings, mounted in 14 karat gold. Sell regularly at \$14.00, for... **\$7.00**
2 Gents' Fancy Belcher Setting, blue white diamond, stone weighs 3/8. Regular \$80.00, for... **\$40.00**



7 Ladies' Modified Tiffany Setting, mounted in 14 karat gold—stone weighs 1-16. Sells regularly at \$9, for... **\$4.50**
1 Gent's Ring, flat Belcher setting. Regular \$72.00, for... **\$36.00**
2 Ladies' 3-Stone Rings. Regular \$175.00, for... **\$87.50**
3 Rings, modified Tiffany settings, stones weigh 3/8, less 1.32. Sell regularly at \$66.00, for... **\$33.00**
1 Lady's Ring, modified Tiffany setting, 1-2, 1-64. Regular \$115.00, for... **\$57.50**
1 Lady's 3-Stone Ring, diamonds weigh 1, 1-4, 1-16. Sells regularly at \$150.00, for... **\$75.00**
1 Lady's 3-Stone Ring, stones weigh 1 1/2, 1/4. Regular \$160, for... **\$80.00**

1 Lady's Ring, ruby and two diamonds. Reg. \$80... **\$40.00**
5 Rings, mounted in 14 karat gold, stones weight 1-16, 1-32. Regular \$13.50, for... **\$6.75**
1 Gent's Round Belcher. Regular \$56, for... **\$28.00**
3 Gents' Rings, round Belcher settings. Regular \$64.00, for each... **\$32.00**
2 Ladies' Rings, Tiffany settings. Regular \$70, for... **\$35.00**
Gent's Ring, flat Belcher setting. Regular \$50, for... **\$25.00**
3 Gents' Rings, flat Belcher heavy settings. Regular \$18.00, for... **\$9.00**
6 Tiepins, assorted styles. Regular \$32.00, for... **\$16.00**
2 Ladies' Rings, Tiffany set. Regular \$45, for each... **\$22.50**
2 Gents' Rings, round Belcher. Regular \$105, for... **\$52.50**

Crown Derby Specials

Cups and Saucers, 2,451 pattern. Regular \$3.00, for... **\$2.25**
Butter Dish. Regular \$6.75, for... **\$4.00**
Dinner Plates. Regular \$4.75, for... **\$3.75**
Cups and Saucers, Mikado pattern. Regular 75c, for each... **60c**

Creams and Sugars. Regular \$8.00 per pair for... **\$6.50**
Breakfast Plates. Regular \$3.00 for... **\$2.25**
Chocolate Pot. Regular \$10.00, for... **\$7.50**

Umbrellas at Half Price

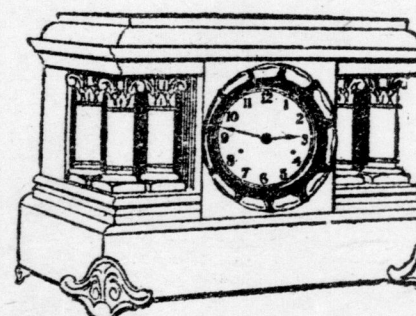
Ladies' Umbrellas with sterling silver handle. Regular \$5.00, for... **\$2.50**
Ladies' Umbrellas with pearl and sterling silver handles. Regular \$5.50, for... **\$2.75**
Ladies' Umbrellas with pearl and sterling silver handles. Regular \$4.50, for... **\$2.25**
Ladies' Umbrellas with pearl and gold handles. Regular \$7, for... **\$3.50**
Ladies' Umbrellas. Regular \$5.00, for... **\$2.50**
Gents' Umbrellas with sterling silver mount. Regular \$5.00, for... **\$2.50**
Gents' Umbrellas with gold mount. Regular \$4.50... **\$2.25**
Gents' Umbrellas. Regular \$3.50, for... **\$1.75**
Gents' Umbrellas with gold mount. Regular \$5.50... **\$2.75**
Walking Sticks with sterling silver mounts. Regular \$2.00, for each... **\$1.00**
Walking Sticks. Regular \$3.00, for... **\$1.50**
Walking Sticks. Regular \$7.00, for... **\$3.50**

Watches at Half Price

15 Ladies' Wristlet Sterling Silver Watches. Regular \$3.00, for... **\$1.50**
2 Ladies' Gold-Filled Wristlet Watches. Regular \$12.00, for each... **\$6.00**
Ladies' 6-size, 14-karat, gold-filled Boss case, with lady Waltham 16-jewel movement. Regular \$25.00, for... **\$12.50**
Special Waltham, 16 size, 17-jewel movement, in a gold-filled Fortune case, at... **\$11.00**
Special Waltham, 18 size, 17-jewel nickel-finished movement, brequet hairspring, patent regulator, in a gold-filled Fortune case, for... **\$11.00**
Boys' Watch. Special... **70c**

Clocks

Large Gift Clock. Regular \$23.50... **\$11.75**
Large Gift Clock. Regular \$20.00... **\$10.00**
Eight-Day Clocks, mission oak. Regular \$3, for each... **\$1.50**
Bronze Clock. Regular \$5.00, for... **\$2.50**
Small Gift Clocks. Regular \$1, for... **50c**
Small Clock in leatherette case. Regular \$2.50, for each... **\$1.25**



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the lamp was presented by Mr. Charles Johnston. Mr. Dawson was then made the recipient of a beautiful scarf. Mr. Milne spoke on behalf of himself and his wife, thanking their friends for their esteem and gift. The remainder of the evening was spent in music, games and dancing.

"A new broom sweeps clean," quoted the optimist. "But often becomes soiled surprisingly soon," replied the pessimist. —Buffalo Express.

ROYAL YEAST MAKES PERFECT BREAD

INGERSOLL GUN CLUB TO BE RE-ORGANIZED

Much Interest Being Shown in Trap Shooting in That Town.

Ingersoll, Jan. 31.—Interest is being revived in trap shooting, and at an early date an effort will be made to re-organize the Ingersoll Gun Club. A number of the shooters are anxious to look over the sights regularly, and to have the club occupy the prominent position it did a few years ago. At one time the Ingersoll shooters were affiliated with the Western Ontario Trap-

Shooting League and they turned out regularly to practices. For the past year interest has waned, until the sport has simply been sacrificed. Some of the more enthusiastic ones, however, are desirous of keeping up the interest, and with this object in view it is the intention to hold a meeting shortly and reorganize. There are many ardent shooters here, and it is believed the membership of the club can be materially increased.

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