London, Oct. 24.—Bar silver, 4914d. Discount Rates—Short and three-nonth bills, 3 17-32 per cent. Money,

WALL STREET.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Hamilton, Oct. 24.-Bank clearings,

BANK OF ENGLAND STATEMENT

Rate of discount, 5 per cent.

Asked.
Am Cy... 41½
... Ames, c. 71½
... do pfd. 64
Barcel... 14¾
Brazilian 50
B C Fish 49½
do pfd... 25
Burt, c... 63½
do pfd... 86
Tre wey. 25
Cement. 65½
64¼
Tucketts 22

611/4

Toronto, Oct. 24.-Morning

Maple Leaf 5 at 130; do., pfd., 5 at 97; Steel of Canada, pfd., 3 at 94%; Dom-inion Steel, 275 at 62; War Loan, 1937, \$700 at 93%; Brazilian, 15 at 49%; Mac-kay, 31 at 78% to 78; General Electric,

kay, 31 at 78% to 78; General Electron at 104%; Steamships, pfd., 59 76%; Dominion Iron, pfd., 15 at 95%.

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 Grand Trunk
 12

 Illinois Central
 106

 Louisville & Nashville
 124

 Missouri, Kansas & Texas
 8½

 New York Central
 84

 Norfolk & Western
 114

 Ontario & Western
 25

 Pennsylvania Railway
 50

 Rand Mines
 3½

 Reading Railway
 97

 Southern Railway
 23½

 Southern Pacific
 105

 Union Pacific
 149

 United States Steel
 115

demand and receive an equitable con

sideration for the value of real estate, which is the property of the municipality, required for commercial purposes, such as conduits, and poles, by the Bell Telephone Company.

If the commission upholds the city.

in the matter it will mean about \$5,000 per year extra in the coffers of the treasurer.

NEWS

CLEARINGS INCREASE .- The bank clearings for last week were \$2,575,828, and for the corresponding week last year \$2,090,039, an increase of \$485,-

789 over last year. ILLNESS CLOSES STORE.—One

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Cement. 651/2 641/2 Tucketts

Smelt. 24% ...

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Duluth. 41
La Rose. 40 35
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do pfd. 65¼ 64¼
M Leaf.130½ 129
do pfd. ... 36¼

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Ottawa 201
Royal ..208
Stand ..200

Toronto 187

20% pd.196 L Bank... L & C..126½

C Bread. 90 C Loco.. 90 D Iron.. .. Elec Dev 85 M L & P 46

Ontario. ..

Spanish. 82

War Loan.

203

.. Loans, etc.— 35 C Land.148¾ 78 C Perm. .. 64¼ C Invest. ..

T Trust ... 850 T Mort.134

### Proclamation

The Board of Health finds that the ladies and others who have endered splendid service in connection with the care of patients in influenza epidemic have become overworked and relief is necessary. The board desires that ALL PER-SONS WILLING TO RENDER ASSISTANCE IN NURSING OR CARE OF HOMES WILL REPORT TO MISS FIDLAR, PHONE NO. 4816. There is great need for help and citizens are urged to lend their assistance.

H. M. DOUGLASS. Acting Chairman Board of Health.

S. BAKER, Secretary,

#### SEALED TENDERS

Sealed Tenders will be received by the indersigned up to 2 o'clock p.m. on Saturday, October 26, 1915, for the construction of the Glasgow Municipal Drain, in the Township of Delaware, County of Middlesex. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the clerk.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Delaware, Oct. 18, 1918.

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Clerk of the Township of Delaware,

the Township of Delaware, Delaware P. O. 21k

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Winnipeg, Oct. 23 .- There was practically no cash trading on the local grain market today. Oats closed %c up for December. Barley closed 2c higher for both months. Flax closed 91/2c higher for October and November. and 9c higher for December.

Futures ranged: Oats— Open. Close.
Oct. \$ 85½ \$ 85½
77% 79½ Barley— Oct. ..... 3 33 3 42 Nov. 3 28½ 3 29
Dec. 3 25 3 24½
Cash grain:
Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 86c;
No. 3 Canadian western, 82½c; extra
No. 1 feed, 81½c; No. 1 feed, 80½c; No. 2 feed, 77½c.

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No. 1 feed, 81½c; No. 1 feed, 80½c; No. 2 feed, 77½c.

Barley—No. 3 Canadian western, \$1.07; rejected and feed, 96c.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$3.43; No. 2 Canadian western, \$1.07; retail.

Tomatoes, per basket, adian western, \$3.40; No. 3 Canadian wholesale western, \$3.18.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 23 .- Closing grain quota-GIBBONS, HARPER & GIBBONS— Barristers, etc., Imperial Bank Bullding. Sir George Gibbons, K.C.; Fred Harper; George S. Gibbons. tions:

Wheat—Manitoba, in store, Fort William, nominal, not including 2½c tax;
No. 1 northern, \$2.24½; No. 2 northern,
\$2.21½; No. 3 northern, \$2.17½; No. 4
wheat, \$2.11½; Ontario, No. 2 winter,
\$2.11@2.19; No. 3 winter,
\$1.07@2.15;
No. 2 spring, \$2.06@2.14; No. 3 spring,
\$2.02@2.10, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights. r. W. SCANDRETT, BARRISTER, solicitor, notary. Money to loan. 98 Dundas street. Mckillop, Murphy & Gunn--Oak Hall Building oats—Manitoba, No. 2 Canadian west-Oats—Manitona, No. 2 Canadian western, 86¼c, in store, Fort William; No. 2 Canadian western, 82½c; extra No. 1 feed, 82½c; No. 1 feed, 80½c; Ontario, No. 2 white, new crop, 75@78c; No. 3 white, 74@77c, according to freight, out-

American corn not quoted. Barley—Malting, new crop, \$1@1.05. Peas—No. 2, nominal. Buckwheat-Nominal.

Rye-No. 2. nominal MONTREAL.

Montreal, Oct. 23.—There was no change in the values in the local barley market today, and some business was done in carlots of Ontario extra No. 3 at \$1.27, while Manitoba No. 3 sold at \$1.25, No. 4 at \$1.20, and sample No. 4 at \$1.15 per bushel, ex-store. Oats—Extra No. 1 feed, 96@97c.

Toronto, Oct. 23.-Hay-Baled,

carlots, No. 2, \$22@23; No. 2 mixed, \$20@21.50 per ton Straw—Carlots, \$9.50@10.50. Montreal, Oct. 23.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$24@25. New York, Oct. 23 .- Hay-Easler: No

1, \$1.95@2; No. 2, \$1.80@1.85; No. 3, \$1.70@1.75.

FLOUR Toronto, Oct. 23.-Flour-Ontario, war quality, \$10.75, in bags, Toronto-Montreal; \$10.75 new bags; Manitoba, war quality, \$11.65, old crop, in bags, Tot Millfeed-Carlots, delivered, Montreal.

Shorts, \$42.25; bran, \$37.25; feed flour not quoted; middlings not quoted. Montreal, Oct. 23.-Flour-Manitoba spring wheat, war grade, \$11.50@11.65. Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., \$5.20@5.30. Bran—\$37.25.

New York, Oct. 23,-White Corn Flour Barley Flour-Easy, \$8.50@8.75.

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## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

The local market was small today. Hay held firm. Cauliflowers were plentiful, with the finest quality that has been brought to the market this year, selling anywhere from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per bushel. The price of live hogs varied owing to considerable opposition be-tween two local buyers. This resulted in a rise of 25c. All other produce re-

Grain, Cwt .-Oats, per cwt....\$2 10 to \$2 13 Wheat, per cwt.... 3 58 to 3 62 Grain, Bushel— Oats, per bu..... 71 2-5 to 72 7-10 Wheat, per bu..... 2 15 to 2 17 Vegetables— Cabbage, per doz., wholesale Cabbage, each, retail. Celery, per doz..... Peppers, doz., whole-

wholesale Cauliflowers, retail, 

Onions, per qut....
Parsley, per doz...
Vegetable marrow ...
Carrots, per peck...
Turnips, per bu.... | Fruits—| 200 | Apples, bbl. | 200 | Apples, per bag. | 75 | Snow apples, bag. | 300 | Apples, per bu. | 50 | Apples, cooking, 11 | qt. basket | 25 | Apples, snow, 11-qt. basket, retail | 100 | Citrons, each | 10 | Grapes, 6-qt. basket, home grown | 40 | Pears, basket | 50 Fruits

Pears, basket ..... Hay and Straw lew hay, ton .....18 00 traw, per ton ..... 7 50 Dairy Products, Retail— Butter, creamery, lb. Butter, dairy, lb.... Butter, crocks, lb...

Eggs, per doz...... 60

Dairy Products, WholesaleButter, creamery, lb. 50
Butter, dairy lb. rolls. 49 50 to 49 to 48 to 55 to Butter, crocks, lb ... Eggs. crate lots. doz. Chickens, per lb....

Hogs. per cwt...... 17 25 to 32 00 to

11 to 13 to Lamb and sheep skins ..... 2 25 to 2 50

GRAIN

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Opening: Corn—November, \$1.27%: December, \$1.23%. Oats—October, 70%; December, 69%c. Chicago, Oct. 24 .- Selling on the part DR. B. KNIGHT, DRUGLESS PHYSICIAN—Chiropractic, electro-therapy,
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MISCELLANEOUS

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Selling on the part of leading commission houses gave the corn market a swing to decidedly lower levels today. Uncertainty, which prevalide at the outset, was quickly overcome. Aggressive support seemed to be lacking. Opening figures, which ranged from % decline to % advance, were followed by minor fluctuations and then a break all around.

Wet weather, which appeared likely to restrict the movement of oats, made the oats market relatively firm. Prices. the oats market relatively firm. Prices,

however, reflected in some degree the weakness of corn. After opening unchanged to %c higher, values eased down somewhat, but kept within narrow limits.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. [Reported by Thomson & McKinnon. Chicago, Oct. 24. Corn— Open. High. Low. Close

Corn— Open. High. Low. Close. Nov. ....\$1 28 1 28 1 24½ 1 25½ Dec. .... 1 23½ 1 24 1 20% 1 21½ Oats— Oct. ... 70% Nov. ... 69% Dec. ... 69½ LIVE STOCK.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Prices at the Union stockyards today were:
Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, \$12@12 50; do, medium, \$11 50@12; do, bulls, \$8 750@ 25; butchers, choice, \$9 55@9 75; do, medium, \$8@8 50; do, common, \$6 50@7; do, cows, choice, \$8 750@9; do, medium, \$7@7 25; do, canners, \$5 50@6; do, bulls, \$8 50@9; feeding steers, \$8 50@9; stockers, choice, \$8 25@8 50; do, light, \$6 50@7; milkers, choice, each, \$80@120; springers, choice, each, \$80@120; springers, choice, each, \$85@130; calves, \$16 50@17 50.
Sheep—Ewes, \$14@15 50; bucks and culls, \$4@10; lambs, \$15 25@15 50.
Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, \$18 25; f. o. b., \$17 25.

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Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, \$18 25; f. o. b., \$17 25.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Receipts at the Union stockyards this morning were: 528 cattle, 43 calves, 902 hogs and 1,577 sheep and lambs.

Cattle trade was very slow, and prices were weaker. Hogs were unchanged. Sheep and lambs were easier. East Buffalo, Oct. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 400; steady.

Calves—Receipts, 250; steady; \$7@18.

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East Buffalo, Oct. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 400; steady; \$7@18. Calves—Receipts, 250; steady; \$7@18. Hogs—Receipts, 2,600; slow; 40@50c lower; heavy, \$17@17.25; mixed, \$17; yorkers, \$16.75@17; light, yorkers, \$15.25@15.50; pigs, \$15.26; roughs, \$14.75@15; stags, \$12@13. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,600; lambs, 10c higher; lambs, \$9@16; others, unchanged.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Receipts, 38,000; market, steady to 25c lower; butchers, \$16.50@17.60; light, \$16@17.25; packings, \$14@15.75; roughs, \$13.50@14; pigs, good to choice, \$13@14.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; native and western steers and good butchers' cattle, strong to higher; other classes, steady; calves, strong to 25c higher. Sheep—Receipts, 23,000; market opening quiet but steady, considering wet ng quiet but steady, considering welleeces.

PROVISIONS.
Liverpool, Oct. 24.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.

Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.

Han;3—Short cut, 152s,

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152; clear bellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders, square, 128s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 149s 6d; American refined, in pails, 152s; do, in boxes, 150s.

OILS.
London, Oct. 24.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 72s.
Turpentine Spirits—125s.
Rosin—Common, 64s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6%d.
Linseed Oil—62s.
Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d.
War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2%d. London, Oct. 24.—Calcutta linseed. Linseed Oil-58s. Inseed oil—554.

Sperm Oil—£54.

Petroleum — American refined,
10½d; spirits, 1s 11½d.

Turpentine Spirits—105s.

Rosin—"Type "G," 55s.

### SOLDIERS IN CAMP **PURCHASE VICTORY** Liverpool, Oct. 24.—Cotton futures closed quiet. October, 22.03d; Novem-ber, 21.45d; December, 20.89d; January, 20.45d; February, 20.06d. **BONDS GENEROUSLY**

Some Pledging Up To \$1,000 Worth Now.

FARMERS ARE GENEROUS

New York, Oct. 24.—(Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.) — Uncertainty regarding local money conditions influenced the uneven course of prices at the opening of today's stock market. Speculative issues were most affected by this condition, some of the oils losing one to three points, while others rose one to 2½. Baldwin Locomotive again featured the strong war shares at an advance of almost two points, United States Steel and other industrials and equipments gaining fractions. Southern Some Investing Money Received From Sale of Their Stock.

Reveille tomorrow morning will find equipments gaining fractions. Southern Pacific, Marine, preferred, and Studebaker made substantial gains before the end of the first half hour with such specialties as International Paper, Industrial Alcohol and American Sugar. the posts and buildings at Carling Heights gaily bedecked with soldiers' favorite Victory Loan posters. Many in connection with the campaign have come to the conclusion that if orders have been carried out as outlined by Oct. 24.—Bank clearings, tomorrow morning the camp will appear more like a circus than a businesslike and ship-shape training camp. Windsor, Oct. 24.—Bank clearings, \$1,167,410. Hundreds of posters have been distributed at the heights, and will be Oct. 24.-Bank clearings. stuck on everything large enough to hold one. Many liberal buyers in khaki have appeared on the scene, and have promised to take as high as a thousand dollars' worth of bonds first shot. This London, Oct. 24.—The weekly state-ent of the Bank of England shows is not at all, either; they have expressed the intention of buying more as soon as the money is forthcoming. From this it can be seen that the Vic

ment of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, decrease £188,000; circulation, increase £400,000; bullion, increase £212,007; other securities, decrease, £1,236,000; public deposits, decrease £1,235,3000; notes reserve, decrease £13,533,000; notes reserve, decrease £14,274,000.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 18.70 per cent. Last week it was 17.10 per cent.

Rate of discount, 5 per cent. From this it can be seen that the Victory Loan campaign is going to be backed with the heartiest liberality.

Farmers Invest Well.

Many former farmers who, being called by the M. S. A., sold their farm and banked the money, are now signing up for from \$500 to \$2,000 worth, and say that they will pay cash.

The military executive office on the Heights presents a gaudy aspect. Signs, posters and stickers are hung and stuck on the walls as though a big circus was on the wails as though a big circus was coming to town. Even the windows are decorated to the fullest capacity. One wall has been decorated for the purpose wishing to obtain posters go in and look them over, and choose the ones they think will have the best effect on the public. It is the first time M. D. No. 1 has ever been decorated with such gaudy colors. of showing it as a sample case. People

Success Predicted.

It is the opinion of the men in charge, that this campaign will be the most sucthat this campaign will be the most successful ever held, and further, that the men in camp will back the movement with every dollar they possess. Subscriptions for bonds will not be as large to the first as when the members of the men in camp will back the movement with every dollar they possess. Subscriptions for bonds will not be as large at first, as when the members of the 1st Battalion, W. O. R., who are now on leave, return. Posters were given out to the publicity captains this morning and the lively colored posters are catch and even should one man buy \$50 worth, and another buy \$1,000 worth, it will never be known further than the party

### LOOKS AS IF THAT **GOVERNMENT COAL** MAY BE SEIZED YET

Mayor Thinks Ottawa Dispatch Means This.

able to secure the coal from the customs house and postoffice," said Mayor C. R. Somerville when shown the dispatch from Ottawa, that all public buildings that can do so will be obliged to use bituminous coal for heating during this winter. If this proposal is carried out, nearly 450 tons of anthracite coal will be available for the use of the citizens of London this winter. use of the citizens of London this win-ter that otherwise would be used at the postoffice and customs house. J. W. McCallum has had no word regarding

### **CONDUCTOR STRUCK** BY G. T. R. ENGINE

Charles A. Russell Suffering

Grand Trunk was struck by a yard en-gine at 12:30 o'clock today in the Grand Trunk yards, near Egerton street. At his home 121 Mamelon street it was his home, 121 Mamelon street, it was reported this afternoon that he was suf-fering from shock more than anything else, and that no bones were Conductor Russell was taken

the police ambulance, and is under the care of Dr. Clegg. ALD. MERRYFIELD OUT

OF RUNNING-"UNLESS" Questioned as to the probability of his Questioned as to the probability of his being in the field for aldermanic honors this year. Ald. C. H. Merrifield says that he is absolutely out of the running, unless something turns up that causes him to change his mind. As to what might crop out before the day of nomination, he replied that one never knows what may happen. His attitude is that he is in the hands of his friends, and if in the opinion of these friends he can serve the city better in an alderman's seat than as a private citizen he may be persuaded to offer himself for office. rivate citizen he may be re himself for office.

ISTON WAS
RAL FAVORITE

The funeral of Cadet Samuel Beatty Johnston, Royal Air Force, who died at the Military Base Hospersuaded to offer himself for office.

the company will pay a rental.

Following is the contention on which the city bases its case: The corporation of the city of London claims a constitutional and inalienable right to CADET JOHNSTON WAS A GENERAL FAVORITE



Military Base Hos-pital, Toronto, on October 18, was held Wednesday fternoon from the family residence, 2 Cemetery. The funeral ser-

Cadet Johnston, before his enlist-

ment in the Royal Air Force in May, had been a student of the London Collegiate Institute, and was on the staff of the London Public Library.

He was popular both with his teachof the hardest-hit stores in this city through the Spanish influenza epidemic is Kent's confestionery on Dundas street. It has been a student of the London Collegiate Institute, and was on the staff.

He was popular both with his teachers and with his friends. He took an especial interest in boys work, and especial interest in boys' work, and before his enlistment he organized the boys' Efficiency Club at St. George's Church.

He is survived by his mother, broth-Paid For Good Oats

Res salters at 2 Carrothers avenue. Pte. R. A. Johnston, C.A.M.C., is a brother.

QUAKER OATS COMPANY.
TALBOT STREET.

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CRONYN & CO.

is a brother.

The numerous floral offerings included wreaths from friends and relatives in this city, Montreal, Toronto, Flint and Minneapolis. The firing squad in charge of Lieut, Simmie, assistant officer at headquarters, was EDWARD CRONYN & CO. casualty officer at headquarters, was composed of members of the 1st Gar-rison Regiment. The pallbearers were: Corp. Melville Platt, Ptc. O. Smith, Ptc. Geo. Galbraith, Lance-Corp. Gregory Pte. Bordman and Pte. Gober.

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### WORLD CROP ESTIMATES

OTTAWA, Oct. 23.—A cablegram received today from the International Institute of Agriculture gives the following crop estimates:

Productions of wheat, 1918: Italy, 176, 372,000 bushels, compared with 137, 613,000 bushels in 1917, and 177,042,000 bushels, the average of the five years, 1912-1916. Switzerland, 7,095,000 bushels, against 4,556,000 in 1917, and five-year average of 4,556,000 in 1917, and five-year average of 455,144,000.

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Total production of barley in 1918: Italy, 186,000 bushels, against 49,186,000 bushels, against 7,422,000 in 1917, and aftve-year average of 9,420,000.

Total production in Spain, Egypt, Tunis, 482,088,000 bushels, against 46,105,1000 in 1917, and aftve-year average of 28,536,000. Scotland, 53,223,000 bushels, against 7,422,000 bushels, against 7,422,000 bushels, against 7,422,000 and Wales, Scotland, Italy, United States, Japan, Egypt, Tunis, 482,088,000 bushels, against 49,105,000 in 1917, and aftve-year average of 28,536,000. Scotland, 53,223,000 bushels, against 7,422,000 in 1917, and aftve-year average of 4,55,144,000.

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Total production of Spain, England and Wales, Scotland, Italy, United States and Tunis, 1,784,140,000 bushels, year average of 1,587,800,000 bushels.

ST. THOMAS LAWYER

DIES FROM ATTACK

Donald McWilliam Succumbs

After a Few Days Illness.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Oct. 24.—Donald McWilliam, son of Archibald McWilliam of
Dutton, and a member of the law firm
of McCrimmon, McCrimmon & McWil-

of McCrimmon, McCrimmon & McWilliam, this city, passed away today at the Amasa Wood Hospital after a few days' illness of Spanish influenza. The deceased, who was one of St. Thomas' most popular young men, was in his 24th year. He was born in Dutton and had resided there practically all his life until he came to St. Thomas about a

ton High School at the early age of 11 years, and all through his studies he had proved himself a brilliant scholar and a

ronto, and was called to the bar in June, 1917. Since that time he had

been practicing in this city with the above-mentioned firm. He was well liked by the members of the profession, and will be sadly missed. He was a member of the Talbot Club and of the

Y. M. C. A. WANTS MUSIC .- The

Y. M. C. A. of this city has issued a request that all music considered too

old or of no further use by the owners, be donated to it. The piano in the building is almost void of popular music. Should any persons have music

should they communicate with R. H.

tention of the city to issue summonses for all delinquents, this step has not

for all delinquents, this step has not been taken yet. There is another method open to the city, and this is to put the balliff in to seize for the amount of the tax. Whether the city would seize for the sum of two dollars is a debatable question around the treasurer's office. At any rate, all dog owners who have not yet paid the tax will be

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he came to St. Thomas about a

OF THE INFLUENZA

### DEATHS AND FUNERALS

INTERMENT AT WOODLAND. The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Craw ford, who died on Wednesday, will b held from the residence of her son-in-law, 326 Wharncliffe road, to Woodland Cemetery on Friday at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Crawford was born in Paisley, Scotland, May, 1849. She is survived by four sons and two daughters: Alexander of Niagra; George of Scotland, Ont.; Ardrew of Toronto; William of Watford Mrs. Bowles and Miss Daisy of this cit. also by two brothers and a sister, George Miller of Hamilton; Matthew of London, Eng., and Mrs. Crow of Australia. Mrs. R. Short of this city is

a sister-in-law. BURIED AT WOODLAND. Mary Young, wife of John Young, wh

INTERMENT AT WOODSTOCK. The body of William Mark Seltzer, who died on Tuesday at his home, 83 Ridout street, was shipped today oodstock, where interment will take place in Woodstock Cemetery. DEATH OF WILLIAM HALL.

The death occurred in Victoria Hos-pital of William Hall, aged 19 years, from pneumonia, developed from Span-ish influenza. He was the son of Mrs. Callahan of 105 Pipe Line road. The funeral will be held on Friday from the

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The death of Cyril Thomas Roberts, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roberts, occurred at his home today. He was six months old. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made

MRS. BLAKE BURIED. The funeral of Mrs. Blake wife of William G. Blake, was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 302 Horton street. Interment took place in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. FUNERAL OF MRS. LORTIE.

The funeral of Mrs. Lortie, who died on Tuesday, was held this morning from the family residence at 9 o'clock. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Liddle. Phone 51.

PAY UP, DOG OWNERS.—Nearly \$4,000 dog taxes have been turned into City Treasurer James S. Bell, and he expects at least \$200 more will come in. While he announced that it was the interview of the gifty to issue summonses. TWO FUNERALS.

Two funerals, those of Pte. W. F. Wilson and Mrs. Grant, wife of Corp. Grant, 671 Colborne street, were held under the direction of the Great War Veterans' onors, he being a returned soldier.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MCKEAN. The funeral of Mrs. Mary McKean was held from the residence of her son-in-law, 275 Wolfe street, at 11 o'clock in-law, 275 Wolfe street, at 11 of this morning. Interment was made Woodland Cemetery. Mrs. McKean w the widow of S. G. A. McKean, M.D., Badorck, Nova Scotia.

WANTS CEMENT FLOOR ON KING STREET BRIDGE

street between York and Dundas street he thinks. There would be a dire crossing, with not more than a six p

Engineer's Plan Is For Gradual Im Removing the planking on the King street bridge and substituting a cemen-floor is part of the proposition which Engineer H. A. Brazier has in mind when he advocates doing away with part of the trestle of the bridge and filling in with earth. He will probably submit an estimate of the cost of this to-the board of control on Friday morning. His proposal is to remove that part of the trestle at the eastern approach to the bridge that is over Thames street as soon as possible and fill in with earth. This would facilitate traffic on Thames street between York and Dundas streets, 418 RICHMOND ST. PHONE 1963. Finest Motor and Horse Equipment.

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