Old-Fashioned Manner of Greeting New Year Becoming More Popular.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Rev. Bruce Hunter To Speak at Metropolitan at 11:15.

Watch night services will be held in nany of London's churches tonight. The old-fashioned manner of greeting the new year with music and devotion seems to becoming more popular, as is shown by the increase in the number of churches that are observing this cus-

tom tonight. At St. Paul's cathedral a special service will be conducted by Very Rev Dean Norman L. Tucker, D. D., D.C.L. Appropriate music under the direction of H. F. Dickenson, organist and choirmaster of the church, will also be rendered. The service will begin at 11:30

Rev. (Major) J. Bruce Hunter, B.D., M.C., will speak at 11:15 at the Metro-politan United church on "Making All Things New." The service will be held in the auditorium.

in the auditorium.

At Dundas Center United church, Rev.
Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., pastor of the
church, will speak a 10:45 p.m.

Thte B. Y. P. U. of Egerton Street

consisting of a short social hour, and at 10:30 p.m. Rev. Alfred Burgess, pastor, will take over the service. At the Adelaide Street Baptist the service will The first part of be much the same. The first part of the service will be under the auspices the B. Y. P. U., and later Rev. J. H. Slimon, pastor, will conduct the ser-

Rev. J. W. Hibbert, minister of the Wellington Street United church, will speak at the Centennial United church at 10:30 p.m. A special program of music has also been arranged, including solos by Miss Edna Skinner and Charles W. Hall. The services will be conducted by Rev. G. N. Hazen, D.D., the minister. For the boys of the city over 14 years of age, a watch night service will be conducted at the Y. M. C. A. Rev. W. R. McIntosh, D.D., of King Street in the hour in th nited church will speak to the boys

Although there will be no watch night service at Cronyn Memorial church, a.m. on New Year's morning Holy

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DEVINEY

Gift To Bride Is Five Million

Associated Press Despatch. London, Dec. 31.—The sum of £1,000,000 is said to have been settled upon Sybil, daughter of Sir Adolf Tuck, by the noted banker, Sir Edward Stern, who married her in a London synagogue yesterday.

The bridegroom also gave the bride magnificent rope of pearls. Edward is 71 years of age, and is as famous in sporting circles as in those of finance. The bride, who is his second wife, is 30.

MONSTER RALLY

Service Will Be Held at Metropolitan on New Year's Morning.

service in the form of a grand Sunday school rally in Metropolitan church at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Rev. Floyd Maine, former professor of history and religious education at Al-Baptist church will conduct the first part of the services at that church, bert college, Belleville, now taking postwill be the special speaker. Mr. Maine, Fiji who is a London boy, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Maine, 84 Byron avenue, will speak on the subject of "The Parable of the Runners."

Rev. (Col.) William Beattie, D.D. C. M. G., First church, president of the London United Church Ministerial association, under whose auspices the rally is being held, will preside throughout the service. Behind Dr. Beattie, sitting in the choir loft, will be the ministers and superintendents of the United

churches of the city.

The offering at the service will be used to purchase some much-needed furniture for the children's preventorium at Queen Alexandra sanatorium, Byron, and will thus be in the nature A. S. Gesenway, leader of the Sunday orchestra at Metropolitan church, will lead an orchestra of 100 pieces, which will supply the music for

the singing. There will be a roll call of each Sunday school, which will be responded to the school singing the verse of some

In addition to a special message from Rev. George C. Pidgeon, D.D., Toronto, moderator of the general council of the Inited Church of Canada, there will be telegrams of greeting from Hamfiton, Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa, in which cities similar Sunday school United church rallies are being held tomorrow.

Dr. Beattie is chairman of the committee which has completed the arrangements for the rally, which is expected to attract the children and their parents in numbers, which will overflow even the large auditorium of Met-

opolitan church. The rally is counted on to strike th keynote, especially among the younger adherents of the United church, for the whole year in London as one of genuine

ALL RECORDS ARE BROKEN FOR SHIPMENTS OF WHEAT

Canadian Press Despatch. Fort William, Ont., Dec. 31.-For th second time in the history of the western Canadian grain trade, the ship-ments from the head of the lakes this year during the season of navigation, exceeded 300,000,000 bushels of all grains The shipments were greater than those of 1923, the previous record year, by over seven million bushels, totaling 7.816.034 bushels.

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DUNDAS STREET AND MARKET LANE

CHURCHES TO GREET 1926 WESTERN ONTARIO WITH MUSIC, DEVOTION WELL REPRESENTED

Many District Firms Exhibiting at New Zealand Expo-

More than one-fourth of the Canadian corporations represented at the New Zealand and South Seas international exhibition at Dunedin, N. Z., have their head offices situated in the towns and cities of Western Ontario. The total number of Canadian manufacturers exhibiting is sixty-seven, the majority of them having their plants in Ontario. The exhibition has officially opened last November, to run five months, and arrangements are now peing completed to have a delegation Canadian businessmen visit Zealand and Australia, leaving Van-

ouver in January. While New Zealand is one of the While New Zealand is one of the smallest dominions, nowhere else in the world are the British characteristics of caution combined with progressiveness and public spirit exceeded. The beautiful city of Dunedin, where the exhibition is being held, maintains this recutation not only in name, since the exhibition is being neid, maintains, this reputation not only in name, since Dunedin is simply the Gaelic form of Edinburgh, but also in deed, by undertaking such a heavy responsibility as the exhibition entails in a manner that London's eighteen United churches will begin the new year by a united service in the form of a ground Sunday.

Time Opportune. The exhibition comes at a most op portune time. Many Canadians, in search of business or pleasure, or both, frequently make it convenient to spend in more sunny climes the months that mean cold weather in Canada. New Zealand is only seventeen days of ocean travel, with stops at Honolulu and the Fiji Islands, from Vancouver, and is in the other hemisphere, where Canada's winter time becomes New Zealand's and Australia's temperate summer and autumn mer and autumn.

There, Christmas synchronizes with midsummer. Many Canadians will find pleasant and profitable to experiit pleasant and promable to experience during the next few months, at first hand, the ninety-eight per cent British welcome that will be extended to them by most hospitable New Zealands and Australians landers and Australians.

Canadian Exhibit Beautiful.

The exhibition is arranged chiefly in national courts, and practically every part of the empire is represented by one of these courts which display industrial and artist treasures of their respective countries. Foreign countries are grouped in an international building. Of all the international building. Of all the courts, that in which Canada's resources and products are housed is said to exceed in beauty and skillful arrangement anything that has hereto-fore been shown in the southern hemis-

The Western Ontario concerns who hymn or in some other original manner.
A pennant will be given to the school having the best percentage of attendance at the rally.

The Western Ontario concerns who have exhibits are: Appleford Counter Check Book Company, Limited, Beatty Bros., Canadian Canners, Cockshutt Plow Company, Ford Motor Company of Canada, International Malleable Company, McClary Manufacturing Comcompany, McLiary Manufacturing Company, McLiagan Phonograph Corporation, Ontario Gypsum Company, Scott-McHale, Limited, Sherlock-Manning Company, Limited, Steel Company of Canada, Zimmerknit Company, Limited, Rell Plane and Owen Company, Limited,

mpanying the Canadian delegation

Delicate Filaments Are Undamaged Even After Striking Rubber Posts.

An unusual test of the durability of the past year to lead on to still bigger and better things in the future. Thanking the club for the 100 per cent. plus ing made in the display of bulbs of the club for the 100 per cent. plus ing made in the display of bulbs of support, which he has had on different that make that is now being shown in the window of the Benson-Wilcox Elec-

ric company, Dundas street The test consists of an electricallydriven shaft that rotates, causing arms, on the ends of which are lighted bulbs, to strike rubber posts. The impact and

on the ends of which are lighted bulbs, to strike rubber posts. The impact and the rebound of the rubber causes the filaments of the bulb to vibrate to a great extent.

The point of the action of the machine is to show the great amount of shock one of these lamps can stand without the filament becoming damaged. There are six bulbs on the shaft, each hitting a rubber post at a different time. Four of the bulbs are of the comhon household type, while two are of the mill or round type, which are more fragile. It was also shown that any type of bulb made by Westinghouse would stand this test. It is estimated type of bulb made by Westinghouse would stand this test. It is estimated that an ordinary bulb will last for 1,000 urs under this treatment.

NEW PASSENGER SERVICE PHILADELPHIA.

Commencing Monday, Jan. 4, 1926, Canadian Pacific train leaving Toronto 5:00 p.m., daily, will carry through sleeping car to Philadelphia, via Canadian Pacific, T., H. & B., M. C. R. to Buffalo, thence Pennsylvania Railway, arriving Philadelphia 9:33 a.m. Returning car will leave Pennsylvania Railway depot 7:30 p.m. daily (first trip Jan. 5, 1926), arriving Toronto University and Christmas tree night; special D.

AT OTTAWA BIG GAMBLE

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—That the political situation at Ottawa was "much of a gamble," was the opinion expressed by Hon. Robert Rogers, member-elect for Winnipeg South, who arrived in Toronto today and spent the afternoon in conference with Premier G. Howard Ferguson. He stated that he was leaving for Montreal immediately and expected to return to Toronto before he went to Ottawa for the session.

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Mr. Manning and Howard Hartry.

Mr. Bartry ferred to cover \$20

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WORK OF KIWANIS REVIEWED

at the regular weekly luncheons.

Mr. Muir Speaks.

Reports given by Colin French, secre-

Aided Welfare Fund.

AS NEW LEADER WELCOMED

past year, and promising Harry B. assessment \$30 for 1926. Muir, incoming president, the heartiest \$20 for general fund and \$10 for objecof co-operation for the coming year, tive purposes Fred Ross, chairman of the objective the annual meeting of the London Kimmittee, told a gripping story of the wanis club, which was held at the work of his committee in looking after Tecumseh house yesterday noon, proved 45 Ki-Y boys during the year, includ to be one of the most happily enthusiastic meetings in the club's history. iastic meetings in the club's history. ingly successful camp at Silver Beach Mr. McHale, acknowledging modestly during the summer. the many kind things said of his work as president, paid cordial tribute to the members of the executive committee and the chairmen of the different com-Helped With City Vote.

interest in questions affecting municipal welfare, particularly looking to the elimination of railway grade crossings at Richmond and other streets in the city, more personal and individual interest in the club boys' work, and the division of the club into sides for the purpose of maintaining and stimulating further improvement in the attendance

Mr. Muir, accepting the presidency amidst the prolonged applause of his fellow club members, expressed the earnest hope that the Kiwanis club will be successful in capitalizing the prestige that had come to it under Mr. McHale, and in consolidating the advanced position the club had gained in prestige that had come to it under Mr. McHale, and in consolidating the advanced position the club had gained in the past year to lead on to still biographic Dr. Percy C. Banghart, chairman of

the education committee, stated that while there had been a change in the support, which he has had on different committees, Mr. Muir reminded the club that working, not as a one-man job, nor as an executive job, but only as a happy family, harmonious together, can the club realize the best for its members, and for the community as a whole chairmanship of the committee during the year, owing to the removal from of Kiwanian (Rev.) John Agnew own of Kiwanian (Rev.) John Agnew o Kingsville, four meetings had beer held under the committee's direction and other things accomplished as well Frank McLachlin, chairman of the ntertainment committee, being absent

Aided Welfare Fund.

Colin French's report as secretary made passing reference to the high spots of the club's activities during the year just closing, including the following: Welfare fund campaign, in which the members participated and secured a 40 per cent increase over the contributions the previous year in the same district: entertainment of the delegates

Archie Lyman, chairman of the transportation committee, enumerated the mobiles, including drives for Westmin ster hospital patients, poppy day, hotel bylaw vote, Beck endowment drive dinturning car will leave Pennsylvania Railway depot 7:30 p.m. daily (first trip Jan. 5, 1926), arriving Toronto Union Station 11:42 a.m.

The new service will be appreciated by the travelling public in view of the fact that through Pullman berth to Philadelphia has not been available via this route in the past.

Berth rates and full information from any Canadian Pacific ticket agent, or phone Eigin 1261 during day, or Main 6477 at night.—Advt.

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ROGERS TERMS SITUATION

AT OTTAWA PIC CAMPLE ner at Byron, hospital patients to Labor

AT OTTAWA BIG GAMBLE greatest musical events in recent years of Mr. Hickey's work in meeting and providing entertainment for the speak-

IS EXPECTED SOON

Anticipated For Inaugural Meeting of Utility Commission Next Week.

Some report may be ready for the naugural meeting of the public utilities ommission the first week in January egarding the request of the cenotaph

It is likely that the parks board will hold a joint meeting with the members of the cenotaph committee to learn their wishes in the matter, particularly the best beating in the matter than the matter of the control of the cenotaph committee to learn their wishes in the matter, particularly the control of the cenotaph committee to learn the matter of the control of the control of the cenotaph control of the ceno the cenotaph, and that a report will then be made to the commission.

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SECRET LOVE DRIVES GRANDMOTHER TO KILL

Woman of 58 Murders Husband in Desire To Marry Another Man.

Associated Press Despatch. Chicago, Dec. 31.-Mrs. Elizabeth Nusbaum, 58 years old and a grandnother, last night admitted, police say that she and four others planned the murder of her husband, Albert Nusbaum, 65-year-old contractor, whose battered body was found early yesterday on a city limits prairie.

The plot was made and executed, Mrs. Nusbaum said, in order that she might be free to marry John Winn of Crown Point, Ind., an ex-convict and Stringham and Mrs. Delfah Martin. Mrs. Nushaum's statement completely exonerated her 20-year-old grandson, who was arrested earlier in the day. Those who helped her in the plans were to receive money, she said, add-ing that she had carried on a love affair with Winn for fifteen years. Details of the murder were not re-

mittee, both of which had given pleasure to the club members. Harry Langford, chairman of the grievance committee, reported that there had been only one complaint registered during the year, and that this had been satisfactorily settled. Officers Installed.

officers, board of directors, and committee chairmen duly installed for the ensuing yaer are as follows: President, H. B. Muir; vice-president, Dr. Percy C. Banghart; secretary, Colin French; treasurer, B. B. Manning: board of directors: For two years—H. B. Muir, C. Banghart; secretary, Colin French; treasurer, B. B. Manning; board of directors: For two years—H. B. Muir, Dr. P. C. Banghart, C. C. Hunt, Frank McHale Limited. Sherlock-Manning members of the executive committee committee. Limited, Steel Company of Canada, Zimmerknit Company, Limited, Bell Piano and Organ Company, Canadian Porcelain Company, Taylor-Forbes Company, Limited, Thomas Organ and Piano Company and P. B. Yates Machine Commany. The chamber of commerce will gladly give information to persons desirous of accompanying the Canadian delegation of railway grade crossings of the executive committee committee, committee, reported that his affairs committee, reported that his affairs committee, reported that his affairs committee, reported that his committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee several matters, The committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee several matters, The committee, reported that his committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee several matters, The committee, committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee several matters, The committee, reported that his committee, committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee, several matters, The committee, committee, reported that his directors: For two years—H. B. Muir, Dr. P. C. Banghart, C. C. Hunt, Frank committee, committee, committee, committee, had conferred with the chamber of commerce and co-operated in several matters. The committee, park swimming pool opened and in having Thames park swimming pool opened and in interest in questions affecting municiple and believe to the public of directors: For two years—H. B. Muir, Dr. P. C. Banghart, C. C. Hunt, Frank committee, committee, reported that his of directors: For two year

Radio At Rinks Plan Abandonee

Utilities Commission Manager Finds Cost Would Be Prohibitive.

Supplying radio music for London's skating rinks at the civic playgrounds has been definitely abandoned this

year.

There was some suggestion last summer that the public utilities comegarding the request of the cenotaph mission take up the question, but upon investigation Manager E. V. Buchanan investigation Manager E. V. Buchanan in Victoria park.

The request, tabled at the last meeting of the commission a few days ago, was referred to the parks board, under Commissioner T. W. McFarland as chairman, for consideration and report.

It is likely that the parks board will investigation Manager E. V. Buchanan has found the cost prohibitive. Thus, unless some public-spirited of the matter by the joint committee. President Beatty of the Canadian Pacitive profession on the skating rinks without the added in Railway made the following statement this afternoon: dian and United States broadcasting

NON-INFECTIOUS

Doctors Claim Untainted Families Are Immune to Disease -Environment Is Factor.

outstanding conclusions were announced by leading exponents of medicine and genetics yesterday during a symposium on exponence and accomplished at Yele university. on cancer conducted at Yale university by the American Society of Zoologists. These conclusions were:

1. That cancer is not an infectious 2. That cancer cannot be developed except by persons in whom there is a extent that is reasonably and wisely hereditary cancerous strain. 3. That even persons tainted at birth

with a cancerous strain cannot develop the disease spontaneously, but only through the agency of environmental factors, chief among which is frictional irritation.

The first was expounded by Dr. James one of those named in the plot. The others named are Edward Gosf, Marion B. Murphy, of the Rockefeller institut

for medical research. or medical research.

Dr. L. C. Strong, of the Bussey institute, Harvard university, supported Dr. Murphy in his finding, and added his convictions on heredity, which were disputed yesterday by Dr. James Ewing

of Cornell university.

Another announcement of signifi cance was that of Dr. Halsey J. of the Cornell medical college, who reported that experimentation with mice and study of the clinical history mice and study of the clinical history two weeks there has been a steady two weeks there has been a steady the nursing of babies has little, if the nursing of babies as near of the any, effect in producing cancer of the breast. Abstention from nursing, on the south. The tide appeared to reach the other hand, he believed, has a its flood just before Christmas, but noticeable effect in causing cancerous has continued since that time to such

For Colds, Grip or Influenza

UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—Further seasonal losses in employment were noted at the hearinging of Document. the beginning of December, says th getting the citizens to come out and vote in increasingly large numbers at the municipal and bylaw votes.

Russ Wright, chairman of the attendance committee, Lloyd Hockin; speakers' committee, urged the members to maintain the record, which during the past year had won for the club the district cup. Mr. Wright referred to the fact that Colin French had not missed one meeting in three years and added one meeting in three years and added that there are now 130 members on the club's register.

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C. P. R. IS READY FOR CO-OPERATION

President Beatty Declares Road Still Willing To Eliminate Duplications.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, Dec. 30 .- No announcements were available at the headquarters here of either the Canadian National or what service duplications might be done ment this afternoon:

"The agreement between the two rail-ways to which the honorable minister ways to which the honorable minister of railways refers represents a willingness on our part to do all that we reasonably can to assist in lightening the heavy load placed upon the country by the development of the Canadian railroad situation to its present position and to which, as a company, we have not contributed. not contributed.
"Such operating economies as would

be substantial enough to be useful require the extended co-operation of the officers of the two companies, and if their work is to be of lasting benefit the proposed joint committee will prob ably have to lengthen its work over a considerable period.

Associated Press Despatch.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 31.—Three immediate and spectacular results could follow the control of the must be dealt with in a broad way and with due regard to the convenience and welfare of the public served. "I ean only reiterate what I have

said before, that the Canadian Pacific will gladly and heartily co-operate with be Canadian National to the fullest

IN LARGER NUMBERS

Railroad Officials Consider Movement Permanent Rather

Than Seasonal. BY ROBERT T. SMALL. Special to The Advertiser. Copyright. Washington, Dec. 30.—During the past

an extent that railroad officials are in-clined to believe the movement to be ore permanent than seasonal NEMPLOYMENT FIGURES
LOWEST IN THREE YEARS

Weather of winter sets in. The east has been shivering in the grip of a cold wave for the better part of the week, and this tindoubtedly has accelerated travel "back home," but the main movement, according to railroad men, started during the really mild

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