## GIFT BOXES FROM LONDON CARSHOPS **WERE A GODSEND**

Appreciative Letters From Boys in Trenches.

ALL ARRIVED SAFELY

Soldiers Are All Confident of Being Home for Next

Christmas.

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writes Pte. J. Harding where in France. "My brother

protection of Brade in brance. "My brother got in box, too. I met George Lang in the was less inst. Thursday. We are all the second content of the second

nearly three years. I had my leave England in January, and spent part the time in London with Sergt. Frank ithers, who is in charge of the Maple af Club at Marble Arch. Who should en leave at the same time but Bert monos of the 20th Hussars, and you brate." giving a historical review of the origin of March 17. The concert was attended by a packed house, and the Deputy Reeve Brown, Grey Township, suffered fractured ribs as a result of being crowded in the stall by a horse which had got its front feet in the manner.

can guess we had a good old chat about London and the car shops. Tell the boys it won't he very long before we are back again in good old Canada."

Pte. C. Austenberry of Stratford writes: "I had a little trouble with my box this year. The customs officer wanted me to pay seven shillings. I sent it back and told them everything was paid before the box left Canada. They kept it about a month, and then brought it back and I had nothing to pay. Pte. Newell got his parcel O. K. I want to thank the car department for their kindness. If you ever go down to Stratford, give my kind regards to Mr. Swift and Mr. McFarlane."

Pte. F. J. Harris, whose home is in St. Thomas, writes from Moore Barracks at Shorncliffe: "I want to thank you for the good things. I do not smoke, but some of our sick and wounded certainly enjoyed the smokes you sent. I hope to be able to spend

#### PLANNING TO INCREASE PROTECTION OF BIRDS

en if we have been away hall this evening, when he delivered a ree years. I had my leave powerful lecture on "The day we cele-



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the West.

The price of \$15 per cwt. was paid n Brussels market for live hogs. This

is the highest record in its history.

There is a regular rush of presenta-

tion gatherings in this locality on ac-

roperty necessitating changes in the

sold his 50 acres to Robt. L. McDonald, and Joe Jacklin bought the 100-acre

farm of Wm. Lowe. The former's health is not good. Mr. Lowe will try

MAIR-McDONALD.

framed as a continual reminder of the Children's Aid Society, in which he had a definite interest.

From individuals interest spread to organizations. The school children developed an eagerness to do something for less fortunate boys and girls than themselves. Classes raised money by collecting rags and rubbers and papers and by other means.

Mothers, looking at their own well-cared-for little ones, felt their hearts stir with pity for the boys and girls who did not enjoy such home advantages. The Mothers' Clubs took up the 385 club fund movement.

Lectures Arranged.

In order to bring the needs of the work before as wide a public as possible, they arranged for illustrated lectures to be given at their meetings by Richard Sanders, son of Inspector Sanders. So many calls did Mr. Sanders Jun. receive that he almost despaired of getting in and successfully cultivating a garden at all last year.

Women's organizations and men's or-

#### LEGAL QUERIES

TO COLLECT RENT. lizen rented a house (after hav-ner install electric light fixtures) ear, but no writings were drawn for a year, but no writings were drawn up. The tenant afterwards enlisted, and his battalion was removed from the city. He now owes two months rent. How should I proceed to collect the same, as rightly would.

Answer.—Consult the lawyer.

ADOPTED CHILD'S RIGHTS. Would you please tell me if an adopted child can claim everything his adopted parents leave at their death?

Answer—No, unless it is given to you

#### IN POLICE COURT

The records at the police station show that on each of ten consecutive Saturdays, two, no more, no less, drunks have faced the magistrates on the bench at the Carling street palace of justice.

The two appeared this morning related the same story, even down to the finest detail. The first pleaded guilty and said he had procured his liquor from Montreal by express. His companion in the dock arose to his feet and said, "His story is mine. I am guilty too, and Montreal whiskey did the trick."

Both paid fines of \$10 and costs. manger, and was making an effort to la

### Latest farm sales are John Mitchell STRATHROY CONSIDERING **NEW PATRIOTIC CANVASS**

meeting of the Strathroy Patriotic As-CHESLEY, March 16.—A very happy sociation was held in the armories this kidneys went took place at the home of Mr. evening. In the absence of the presiand Mrs. Wm. McDonald, Sullivan, dent, J. W. Cameron, through iliness,

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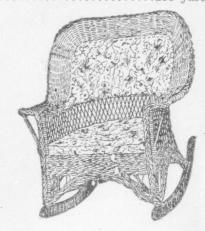
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#### CONSERVE COAL SUPPLY, IS SIR HENRY'S WARNING

OTTAWA, March 16.-Canada has the United States will produce serious trouble in central Canada. The railmoved on American coal.

Supplies are short and a tie-up on American railways would shut off furwhat should I do to get what really expected to extend to Canada it would wood, a well-known local man, died tie up much Canadan railway mileage, and the cities in a children with the strike is not the control of the control of the property of the cities in the cities

G. T. R. ORDERS EMBARGO.

dent, said today that the embargo was The embargo will not affect coal ship nents consigned to the company or the

#### been warned that a railway strike in WELL-KNOWN FOUNDRY MAN DIES SUDDENLY

way trains of Quebec and Ontario are Chatham Businessman Succumbs While Seated in Chair.

tie up much Canadian railway mileage suddenly while sitting in a chair at and close down factories.

Sir Henry Drayton, chairman of the his residence, 25 Princess street, this Canadian railway board, has issued a morning. He was subjected to a heart warning that existing coal supplies seizure while at work yesterday, but should be carefully conserved. recovered. When he arose this morning he stated that he was quite better MONTREAL, March 16.—The Grand and sat down for a few minutes. When Trunk issued an embargo on all freight his sister-in-law returned to the 100m after a few minutes' absence she found of a strike in the United States tomor- him dead. Mr. Wood was 45 years of

## D. E. Galloway, assistant to the presi-Brothers, foundrymen, of this city. Severe Headaches and Pains in the Back

Resulted From Deranged Kidneys and Constipation of the Bowels.

It is in vain to try to regulate and time from kidney disease and pains in restore the healthful action of the the back, but have found that by using sociation was held in the armories this kidneys until the liver and bowels are one pill a week the kidneys and

bowels are kept in good order, and event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald, Sullivan, when their daughter, Mary Catherine, was united in marriage to James P. Mair, son of Wm. Mair, Moorseburg.

Mair, son of Wm. Mair, Moorseburg.

The ceremony was conducted by Rev. (Dr.) Williamson, of Chesley, and the bride, who was unattended, was given away by her father. She was attired in white silk with overdress of white net and wine, the conventional veil and orange blossoms. After the ceremony lunch was served. The evening was spent in dancing.

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