BOXING DAY NOW

BEING CELEBRATED

Old Custom of Remembering

Tradesmen's Boys Still

Popular in England.

This is Boxing Day, the day when

the Christmas boxes are called for

and presented, at least in England.

Today in the old land, the various

boys, of the butcher, the baker and

the candlestick maker, call at the

of Wall street.

In spite of the exceedingly pracal viewpoint in the old counsince 1918, there is still sentiment

PRESENCE OF BRUGE

PRINTING DEPT. IS A BOON TO TECH.

More Than 5,000 Pieces Have Been Turned Out Since Classes Opened.

The printing department of the echnical high school, which opened September, has already begun to

The department has printed more than 35,000 pieces, covering fourteen

ifferent jobs, used in the Tech. The next big job the department

aught for use in the department at

er of linotype machine The cost of the ma-

ATTEMPT TO THAW PIPES CAUSES FIRE

Damage of \$500 Results in Noon Blaze at 211 Ridout

PLANS ARE DISCUSSED FOR OLD BOYS GATHERING

Ed. Struthers, international president of the London old boys association, spent the holiday with his parents here and leaves tonight for his home in Windsor. Mr. Struthers

SNAPSHOTT OF A

THIRD DAT

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS.



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OFF FOR, A MONTH'S PLENTY NOTHING IN PARTICULAR " CIGAR

AUCH TOO LONG TO SWEAR AT WINDOW WATCHING

THE IDEA OF SWEARING OFF



COMING FROM JUNIOR





CALLER OFFERS HIM



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ER COMES ON FORGOTTEN ON WHY HE SHOULD N'T JUST FOR HIS HEALTH HE WOULD NOT MIND NOT SMOKING BOX CONTAINING SEVERAL HAVE A DRY SMOKE BUT HE'S PULL OF HEALTH. THUMPS CHEST TO PROVE IT.



IRIE THING IS TO SINFAR OFF GRADUALLY, YES SIR HE OUGH TO SMOKE FOR A FEW DAYS

I. PARNELL MORRIS IS HONORED BY CHOIR

CIGARS, FINGERS THEM

O McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Dundas Center Organist and His Wife Received Silver Service.

The choir of Dundas Centre church mas Eve a beautiful silver service together with the following letter

to extend to you and your good lady

WATER NOT AVAILABLE IN WILDWOOD AVE. FIRE

Blaze Was Outside City Limits, Chief Aitken Explains —Chemicals Used.

Chief Aitken explains that the reason of 1926 and met the mayor, city officials and others interested in the celebration.

It is likely that a meeting of London promoters of the big celebration work. The mayor wants an appropriation in next year's budget to look after current advertising and use as "sinking fund."

Mr. Struthers is keen on organization in next year's budget to look at "sinking fund."

Mr. Struthers is keen on organization in like centers where there are many former residents of London It is quite likely a gathering of Detroit's ex-Londoners will take the form of a plenic during the conding year and help to "pep up" interest in the London celebration later.

Chief Aitken explains that the reason that no water was used last night at the fire on Wildywood avenue of the thouse is outside the city. There was used last night at the fire on Wildywood avenue of the house is outside the city. There was no water supply available there and only chemicals could be used by the department.

The chief, however, is satisfied with the pressure supplied in the city mains, and says he has sufficient resure for all occasions. The resure for all occasions. The mayor wants an appropriation in next year's budget to look at "sinking fund."

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Earline hond the

Three More Die Of Poison Booze

New York, Dec. 26.—Three mendied in 'New York city hospital our are in extremely serious con-lition and altogether 23 men were taken to one institution last ight suffering from the effects of rinking poisonous liquor than boded the city during the holi-

BRO. WILLIAM DOIDGE KILWINNING MASTER

our sincere and hearty Christmas | Banquet and Entertainment Marks Annual Election

of Officers. Bro. William Doidge was elected master of Kilwinning lodge, A., F. may you both be spared many program were: Rt. Wer. Eco. E. T. fire years to enjoy it, and also to labor Essery, Rev. W. L. Armitage, V. Wer. Bro. R. Booth and Bro. Lloyd Bullen. L. W. NOBLE, President.
LEON ADAMS, Secretary."

Officers for next year are: Bro.

Wm. G. Doldge, worshipful master: Officers for next year are: Bro. W. Bro. G. F. Copeland, I. P. M.; Bro. W. A. McWilliams, S. W.; Bro. W. M. B. Boyd, J. W.; Bro. R. W. Glover, treasurer; W. Bro. Whit Lancaster, seccetary; R. W. Bro. W. L. Armitage, chaplain; Bro. W. A. Adams, S. D.; Bro. Alex. Lemery., J. D.; Bro. W. G. McNeil, I. G.; R. W. Bro. N. P. Walsh, D. of C.; Bro. G. H. Tennent, S. S.; Bro. A. L. M. Anderson, J. S.; Bro. W. E. Summers, organist; Bro. W. A. Young, tyler; Bros. W. A. Mc-Williams and W. B. B. Boyd, auditors; representatives to board of finance, R. W. Bro. U. A. Buchner, W. Bro. J. T. May, W. Bro. W. G. Doidge; representative to board of W. Bro. G. F. Copeland, I. P. M. W. A. Young, tyler: Bros. W. A. Mc-Williams and W. B. B. Boyd, auditors; representatives to board of finance, R. W. Bro. U. A. Buchner, W. Bro. J. T. May, W. Bro. W. G. Doidge; representative to board of benevolence, R. W. Bro. U. A. Buchner; representatives to Masonic hall committee, W. Bro. S. F. Glass, W. Bro. A. A. Campbell, proxy; representative to board of benevolence, R. W. Bro. W

APPEAL ON FINE

Judge Judd Upholds \$500 Levy For Having Still on Farm.

ismissed with costs by County Judge

J. C. Judd this morning. The appeal was heard a week ago, ne court stating that judgment would be given today.

"There is no question that the still was in the house on the farm owned by the defendant," stated Judge Judgin giving judgment. "The still was in his possession at the time of seizure by the officers and the crown's case was proved." ease was proved."

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After stating reasons for the appeal being dismissed. Judge Judd concluded by stating: "I cannot say that I disagree with the decision of the magistrate or that he was wrong. iction affirmed with costs.

RURAL CONSERVATVES

Tory Candidate in East Middlesex.

LOST BY BROWN

The appeal of Wm. G. Brown, secand Gore road, from a \$500 fine im posed by County Magistrate Hawk shaw, who found Brown guilty of having a still on his property, was

TAKE CUE FROM CITY "Bill" Boler Looms as Next Tory Candidate in East The feeling amongst the ministers in the Australian government, the Telegraph's Sydney correspondent says, is not favorable to Premier Stanley M. Bruce going personally to London to take part in the conference, especially as the deputy leader of the government in the house of representatives, Hon. E. C. G. Pake, treasurer, will be on his way to Canada very shortly, and the deli-

to Canada very shortly, and the deli-cate structure of the composite cabinet makes it difficult to delegate the leadership of the house to some

AGAIN HIT EXCHANGE ROUTE London Stores Busy This

MEN SEEN ALSO Few Husbands Know the Size of Their Wives' Shoes, Merchant Says.

MANY YULETIDE PRESENTS

houses on their rounds and ask for It was "exchange day" in London their Christmas boxes or presents.
Custom ordains that they be not refused.
The boys stand less chance in Can-

Morning Rectifying Errors

in Style and Taste.

The boys stand less chance in Canada as far as those seasonal reminders go. On the other hand, much more is done for the underprivileged boy here than there by social clubs and so on.

But Boxing Day in England is more than merely a day for the giving of presents in cash to carrier boys. It is a day of rest from the strenuous excitement of Christmas and a day when everyone goes "en famile" to some theatre or show.

Paterfamilias and materfamilias take all the juveniles to the pantomime on Boxing Day. As a rule special Boxing Day performances are staged early in the day so that the country cousin can come up to town and that the youngest curly head may be in his bed in good time.

Long experience with the culinary side of Christmas Day has taught the people there that it needs a day of rest to follow if it is to be properly appreciated and treated.

To have a Christmas Day one day and to open the business office the next in England would be a declaration of war on every-cherished tradition. They have business efficiency over there, but also they have certain social desires and needs which they will not forfeit for all the gold of Wall street.

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AMONG LONDON POSTIES

Exhibition Attracts More Than 400 Pictures—Critics Laud Work.

since 1918, there is still sentiment as far as celebrating the feast of St. Nicholas goes. They have their fogs in old London, but they have, too, their mild climate, and their cup that cheers. Whatever may be the reason, it remains a fact that Boxing Day does actually see the giving of Christmas boxes, even in the days of unemployment, the French loan, the Russian treaty, the "minor actions" on the Indian frontier and in the little Balkans. the monotonous work of sorting and delivering mail. Many were surprised recently to learn that the employees of the British postal system have a for the British postal system have a in accordance with the provincial definition. Australian Cabinet Thought
Too Delicate To Leave
Leaderless.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, Dec. 25.—The Australian commonwealth's attitude towards the proposed imperial conference in London in March on the peace and

SWEETHEART'S DEATH

Will Aid Police To Investigate Mysterious Passing of

Chicago Millionaire.

Ottawa Finds Meanest Thief

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Dec. 26.—The "meanest thief," who bobs up once in a while, made his appearance in Ottawa on Christmas Eve when a basket of edibles valued at \$9 and a half barrel of apples at the Course Kiwania, club, headquar-Ottawa Kiwanis club headquar-ters for distribution of Caristmas cheer were stolen. The basket was intended for the Christmas dinner of a needy family,

NOW BEING TAKEN

Architect L. E. Carrothers Superintends Survey of High Schools.

Architect L. E. Carrothers of the board of education is taking advan-tage of the Christmas vacation period take an inventory of the contents

An inventory of the contents that of the collegiate equipment, wil placed on file for future reference being made under the instructi

f the board both as to the quality uantity and value of the equipment

the different floor plans, showing the different floor plans, showing the number of rooms for classes at other purposes. Special equipment the different schools is also listed. Associated Press Despatch.

London, Dec. 25.—The ordinary
Londoner usually thinks of the postman as being engaged exclusively in
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Radio Drives Worker Insane

Vienna Man Says All World

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The East Middlesex Conservative association, not to be outdone by the city Totes, are making grand preparation for the annual meeting to be held on Jan. 31.

The ball that eventually will unwind a candidate for the next federal election will be started on its wax, and the standard-bearer of the "Blow bloos" will bow his thanks for the "honor" at a convention during the month of March.

The rural Conservatives know that they will have a hard time electing a man against a Liberal and U. F. O. entries, and intend to have every township organized to the last farmhouse.

Friends of William Boler, depring the finding of the house to some of the mands.

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Associated Pross Desmatch.

Berlin, Dec. 25.—While the automobiles in their proportion of the municipal court, instigator of the investigation of the municipal distributed prevents with the proportion of the municipal distributed prevalence with Chief Justice Harry Olson of the municipal court, instigator of the investigation of the municipal distributed prevalence with Chief Justice Harry Olson of the municipal distributed as chairman, and distributed prevents down will assist police in their international or imperial importance body she will assist police in their of the wysterious death of the mysterious d

DIRECTORS OF FARM
ATTEND FUNERAL

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WILLIAM M'NEIL

Famous Poultryman Is Laid to Rest in Woodland Cemetery

The funeral of William McNeil, one f the city's oldest residents and one of the foremost breeders of coultry n this continent, was held this

ifternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. McNeil was found dead in bed t his residence, 778 Waterloo street, where he apparently passed away

rs ago. He resided in this city the past 60 years. He was a mber of the Western fair board, an norary life director of the Guelph nter fair, past president and one of e founders of the International pultry Association of America, and member of the Nassau lodge, No.

authority on subjects pertaining to the raising of poultry, and had wen many prizes at the largest exhibitions

with an eloquent address, signed by hundreds of poultry fanciers all over the country. This took place at a banquet in his honor at the Masonic

MEXICAN FARMERS HIT BY READY MONEY LACK

Bankers' Convention Seeking a Scheme To Save Agriculture.

Associated Press Despatch.
Mexico City, Dec. 25.—Discussion of a project for the establishment of agricultural and industrial banks to finance manufacturers and supply funds with which to develop lands which the government is restoring to the peones under the existing agrarian laws, has been initiated by permanent commission of the ankers' convention, called to outline new banking system for submission

Mexico's agricultural future is because many villages and individu-als who have been awarded lands have been unable to work them as a

ANNUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL

CONCERT HELD AT DENFIELD It developed that the radio had gone to his head, and he was placed in an insane asylum for observation.

The control of the Radiosett of the Special to The Advertiser.

Chicago, Dec. 25.—Isabelle Pope, pretty 20-year-old girl of the exclu-

Practically all the Christmas main has disappeared from the postoffice. The big rush, the greatest in the history of the local postoffice, is over. Today the carriers are still burdened with parcels, but they are those which have come in late for the purchase of Sabbath school supplies.

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Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Dec. 25.—The following is an extract from a letter to a local paper, dealing with the troubles of women in business. The writer closes by declaring that she will work for working women like herself. working women like herself, but not supplies.

MAN TALKED TO DEATH
BY INQUISITIVE RELATIVES

Canadian Press Despatch.
Edmonton, Dec. 25.—Death certificates are surely solemn enough articates are surely solemn enough articates