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Start a Savings Account now in the Bank of British North America and build up a Reserve against that need.

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In Vases, Flower-pots and Jardinières 40c. to \$2.50
This is an exclusive line imported from Holland, which arrived late for Christmas Trade. Consequently we are selling these goods at Half Price. Our loss is your gain.
Brass Serving Trays, Regular \$3.50, to clear \$2.19
Wooden Crumb Trays and Brushes, to clear \$1.50
Cut Glass Salts and Peppers, boxed 75c pair

Some Great Bargains in Cutlery, Brassware and Cut Glass.

Rogers' 1847 Silverware in all the latest designs at right prices.
Do not buy your vacuum sweeper at the door. Buy a "Dustvac" combination sweeper and vacuum cleaner from us at \$12.00, and get satisfaction.

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To bring any enterprise to a successful issue, it is important that you should start right. To make a success of Life you must cultivate industry and thrift, and the BEGINNING OF A NEW YEAR is an excellent time to make a fresh start by opening a Savings Account with the IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA. Why not start the account by depositing your Dividend Checks, which come to hand at New Year's, or if you have received Christmas gifts of Gold or Checks, you cannot do better than deposit them at the Bank. We extend every courtesy to depositors.

Imperial Bank of Canada

Capital and Surplus \$15,000,000
Total Assets \$80,000,000
Office: Corner Richmond and King Streets.
A. J. GOODALL, Manager.

RIGHTER REVIEWS

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flankings, with the result that about two-thirds of the whole cost fell to the city's share, to be provided for out of ordinary taxation. The then city auditor, the late Mr. Jewell, foresaw what would likely happen if there should be any large amount of this kind of work done in any one year, and wrote a letter to the council pointing out the situation, and cautioning moderation in the number of miles of walks being laid in any one year.

Five Miles Enough.
His judgment was that five miles of walks was about as much as the city's finances would stand, and for a few years this rule was adhered to, but such is the temptation to go beyond prudence in matters of this kind that the limit of five miles per

To All Electrical Contractors, Builders, Architects, Electricians, and all concerned, notice is hereby given that:

No company, corporation or individual, whether operating publicly or privately, will be permitted to install any live electric wire or furnish a supply of electrical energy to any installation for electric light (illuminating, decorative or otherwise), heat, power, electro-chemical or other purpose, until a permit has been granted therefor by the Inspector. This is in accordance with the power commission act of 1912, and the city of London bylaw No. 447, passed Dec. 1, 1912. A copy of the bylaw may be obtained at the office of the electrical inspector, city hall.

All parties having electric wiring installed are entitled to a certificate of inspection.

W. B. LEGATE,
Electrical Inspector.

Auction Sale Farm, Farm Stock and Implements

D. H. Porter has received instructions from Peter P. Campbell to sell by public auction on the premises, lot 9, concession 6, Lobo Township, on

Wednesday, Jan. 7
The farms will be offered first at 1 o'clock sharp.

Also the farm containing 250 acres more or less in first-class condition, 25 acres in fall wheat and 75 acres fall plowed. Frame house, frame barns, good stables, one mile from Lobo village, 12 miles from London, close to church and school. This is one of the best farms in the township of Lobo, and will be offered as two farms of 100 acres each, the 100 acres with buildings, 100 acres without buildings. Terms made known on day of sale or applying to D. H. Porter, auctioneer, London.

manent roadways, and a full report of the committee's findings was printed in the council proceedings for future reference.

Opposed Drainage Bylaw.
But permanent roadways necessitated proper drainage beforehand, and a bylaw was prepared and submitted to the electors asking for authority to issue permanent drainage bylaws. It personally opposed this bylaw for the reason that no topographical survey had been made, and no definite or even approximate information as to what the undertaking would cost to complete, was available, and it was not desirable that a work of this nature be undertaken in a haphazard manner. The bylaw was defeated, as it should have been, and a later one, for a less adequate sum, met the same fate. By this time the council realized that the electors wanted to know what would likely be the whole cost of the work to be carried out in a proper manner, and the matter was then gone about in a businesslike way. A complete survey of the city was made as regards levels and water-sheds, and a complete report presented in connection therewith. The bylaw in this connection was approved of by the electors. There is now no further obstacle in the way of the work being carried out in a proper manner, and the way paved for entering upon a campaign of permanent road construction in the near future.

Large Undertakings in View.
These are large undertakings, and with the federal square purchase and new city hall to be built in the near future will require careful financing if the tax rate is to be kept within reasonable bounds.

Early in my municipal experience I saw the need of introducing a by-law to regulate the payment of moneys by the treasurer. With the co-operation of City Auditor Jewell, I also directed the preparation of the financial statement in revenue form, which is now a feature of the auditor's report. The information contained in this statement enables the cost to the city of every department, and the assets and liabilities of each such department.

Statement of Debtors Issues.
There has been added to the auditor's report the past year a complete and detailed statement of the debtors issues in connection with the various departments, showing the amount, when payable, interest and sinking funds required to be provided each year. In so far as I have been able to make a comparison, and I have examined many reports of other municipalities, the city of London's auditor's report is for completeness and ready facility of getting at what the public is entitled to know away ahead of any similar report on this continent.

Assessment Roll of 1910.
The publication of the assessment roll for 1910 was another piece of constructive work which I was mainly responsible for. Publication of the assessment roll was not in itself a new idea, as London's roll has been published some fifteen years previous, and various municipalities have done likewise at different times, but in not a single instance, so far as I have been able to discover, have such publications been made in such manner as to be of any practical benefit, because of lack of facility to find what was wished in directory form, the streets being arranged in alphabetical order, and the several properties assessed in numerical order on each side of the respective streets. This is a serious drawback in other respects was also more complete than had been previously afforded, and the cost of the whole work under my personal direction was less than half that of the previous publication, which contained only about half the number of names and was practically useless.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC MAY PURCHASE M.C.R.

Story From Detroit Says the Deal Is Practically Complete—M.C.R. Off N.Y.C. System.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Welland, Dec. 30.—It was learned last night on the authority of a prominent Detroit official that the Canadian Pacific is to be purchased at once by the C. P. R., and that the deal is ready to go through. The M. C. R., beginning on Jan. 1, will disengage itself from New York Central system, and all the cars of the system will be treated as foreign cars.

Missing Sarnia Girl Located in Windsor

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Dec. 30.—Myrtle Walters, the 16-year-old Sarnia girl who disappeared from the home of her uncle here yesterday, has been located at the home of an aunt in Windsor. The girl left the town without telling her guardian where she was going, but he was aware that she would go to relatives. These are located in Goderich, Windsor and Kincardine. Police Chief Forbes was busy this morning, and succeeded in getting in touch with the chief at Windsor, who located the girl. Why the maiden should run away from home cannot be made out by her uncle.

JESS WILLARD HANGS ONE ON RODEL'S JAW

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 29.—There was some real action seen here tonight in the battle of the white hopes, Jess Willard, commonly called the Kansas Cyclone, and George Rodel, the South African. The action took the form most pleasing to fight patrons, a clean knockout, with "Boss" Rodel the victim. A right uppercut to the jaw did the business in the ninth round.

Rodel's last previous performance was a victory over Jim Flynn. This bout was staged in New York, and was of that no-decision stalling brand commonly handed to fight fans of the metropolis. While there was no doubt as to which was the victor, the public verdict was rendered on a basis of which was the poorest, rather than which was the better man. Tonight, however, all was different. The men battled along evenly until the ninth, with several rounds in which it was unable to declare a shade one way or the other, and the others going one way or the other by only a slight margin. The loser started off with a rush in the ninth, but became over-confident, waded into Willard with his guard down—and took the count.

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Regular Price. Our Price.
50c Antiphlogistine, small. 37c
75c Antiphlogistine, large. 62c
25c Baby's Own Tablets. 15c
25c Carter's Little Liver Pills. 15c

25c Beecham's Pills. 19c
\$1.00 Burdock Bitters. 68c
35c Castoria. 23c
50c Dodd's Kidney Pills. 32c
\$1.00 D. D. D., large. 68c
25c D. D. D., small. 18c
25c Electric Oil. 16c
25c Fruit-a-tives, small. 16c
50c Fruit-a-tives, large. 33c
25c Fluid Magnesia. 15c
\$1.25 Fellows' Syrup. \$1.10

10c Health Salts. 3 for 25c
75c Jad's Salts. 64c
25c Minard's Liniment. 16c
25c Laxa Liver Pills. 15c
10c Dutch Drops, 5c, 6 for 25c
\$1.00 Phenoline Rheumatism Cure. 28c

50c Pink Pills. 28c
40c Hydrogen Peroxide. 26c
20c Hydrogen Peroxide. 13c
25c Nerviline. 16c
25c Chase's Pills. 18c
50c Chase's Nerve Food. 34c
60c Chase's Ointment. 44c
75c Cuticura Ointment. 60c
\$1.00 Catarrhazone. 67c
50c Catarrhazone. 34c
25c Catarrhazone. 17c
25c Evans' Pastilles. 18c
35c Fowler's Extract. 27c
25c Seidlitz Powders. 19c
Father Morrissey's Remedies

50c Lung Balsam, large. 24c
50c Rheumatism Cure. 24c
50c Vitalizer and Blood Tonic. 24c
50c Eczema Cure. 24c
50c Catarrh Cure. 24c

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35c Agnew's Ointment. 29c
25c Asperin Tablets, doz. 15c
50c Asperin Tablets, per 100. 25c

35c Comp. Cascara Tablets, per 100. 19c
25c 1-grain Cascara Tablets, per 100. 19c
25c Compass Oil. 16c
50c Chase's Liver Pills. 36c
25c Bland's Iron Pills, per 100. 16c
50c Californian Fig Syrup. 36c

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Brownie Cameras \$1.00 to \$10.00
Kodaks \$7.00 up

All Amateur Supplies

Bring or send to us your films to be developed and printed. We guarantee our work.

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WE PROTECT YOU when you bring a prescription here in three distinct ways:

FIRST—We put into that prescription just what the doctor ordered, every ingredient being standard-strength, fresh and pure.

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THIRD—We are satisfied with a reasonable profit, and make the price the lowest you can obtain anywhere, considering quality.

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Laxa Bromo Quinine. 25c	14c
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Gin Pills. 50c	23c
Orona Hand Cleaner. 15c	5c

Only one of each allowed one purchaser. None to dealers.

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15c Camphor Ice. 10c
35c Poudre de Poche. 25c
15c Albert's Talcum. 9c
25c 1-lb. Talcum, No. 1 quality. 16c

25c Amolin. 19c
25c La Seduisante Face Powder. 19c
13c Pears' Unscented Soap. 9c
(Purchase limited to 3 cakes)

50c Remmil's Face Powder. 35c
75c Toilet Waters. 59c
50c Toilet Waters. 39c
35c Toilet Waters. 29c
50c Pebecco Tooth Paste. 39c
25c Johnson's Shaving Cream. 17c

13c Ivory Soap, large. 10c
13c Wool Soap, large. 10c
25c Corylopsis Talcum (Babcock's). 19c
35c Vanishing Cream. 28c
\$1.25 Hudnut's Toilet Water. \$1.00

35c Palmer's Face Powder. 26c
90c Mary Garden Talcum. 75c
35c Bath-a-Sweet. 25c
\$1.00 Listerine, large. 84c
50c Listerine, medium. 39c
25c Listerine, small. 19c
25c Mennen's Talcum. 17c
50c Florida Water. 39c
25c Florida Water. 19c
50c Hind's Honey and Almond Cream. 39c
50c Pompeian Cream. 38c
75c Pompeian Cream, large. 62c

13c Palm Olive Soap. 10c
25c Squibb's Talcum. 20c
50c Vel de Lis Face Powder. 34c
35c Mum. 25c
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Vote Against Separation of HYDRO and WATERWORKS

The Board of Trade, the Real Estate Owners' Association, and others, having looked into the practicability of separating the Waterworks and Hydro Departments, condemn this step as utterly opposed to the best interests of the city. To quote from the report of the London Board of Trade Committee:

"Your committee contend that divided authority in these departments, which are so interwoven with one another and overlap at every step, could only lead to failure."

"We wish to make it emphatic that throughout our investigation the demand is for more concentrated authority instead of greater division."

The Bylaw submitted is for the present Commission to continue handling the two departments together, the same as they have been in the past with such pronounced success.

Be Sure To Mark Your Ballot As Shown On Sample Below:

Voting on Bylaw
Respecting the
Control of the
Waterworks.

FOR THE BYLAW AGAINST THE BYLAW

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