

CORONER'S JURY PRAISES WOMAN

Recommend Recognition For
Quick Work of Mrs.
Rodger.

Canadian Press Despatch.
St. Catharines, July 23.—Complete exoneration for the shooting of the bank bandit, Mat Kolide, together with commendation of her brave action, and recommendation that official notice be taken of it, were accorded Mrs. W. R. Rodger, wife of the St. Catharines bank manager, by Coroner Curry's jury, which formally investigated Kolide's death here to-night.

"From the evidence submitted," said the jury, "we find that Mat Kolide came to his death July 15 from a bullet wound inflicted from a shot fired by Mrs. Rodger in protecting the life of her husband, William Rose Rodger. We also appreciate the heroism shown by Mrs. Rodger, and would recommend that recognition be shown her for her quick action in saving the life of her husband and the property of the bank."

"I consider the finding in absolute keeping with the evidence," said Coroner Curry. "And this action may deter others in committing hold-ups and robberies, which have become all too frequent."

Doctor Scores Long Trousers

Associated Press Despatch.
Bath, England, July 23.—Men should stop wearing long trousers and thereby avoid the dread ailment of varicose veins, Dr. Leonard Hill, of the London bureau of medical health, states. Tight collars were also injurious to health, he declared. Women, with their loose-necked blouses, short skirts and rolled-down stockings, obtained much freer circulation of the health-giving ultra-violet rays.

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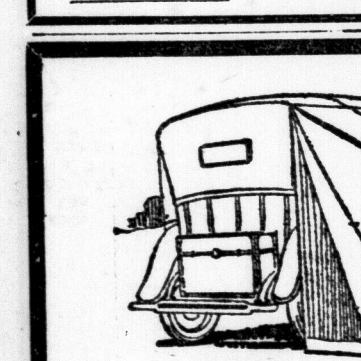
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Stratford First-Aid Team Wins Chamberlain Trophy, In Line For Championship



H. N. MANNING DOHERTY,
former minister of agriculture in the
Drury government, who has accepted the
invitation of Saskatchewan co-
operative associations to address a
joint meeting of all the commercial
agricultural associations in that province.

**LIQUOR CHARGE IS
RESULT OF RAID**
Alleged Over Strength Beer
Found at Home of J.
Sikora, St. Thomas.

TO APPEAR TUESDAY

Special to The Advertiser.
St. Thomas, July 23.—Although a
surprise visit Wednesday failed to re-
veal any evidence of a still, Joe
Sikora, Steele street, will appear next
Tuesday morning to answer a charge
of having liquor in a place other than
a private dwelling.

Suspecting that moonshine was
being manufactured, officers visited
Sikora's house yesterday, and dis-
covered several bottles of alleged
over-strength beer.

Pass Musical Examinations.
Miss Ella Webber, musical teacher,
43 Balaclava street, passed her
examination in composition at the
Toronto Conservatory of Music, it
has been announced. Miss Orpha
Burn passed in pianoforte playing in
the junior grade. Miss Ella Dibley
was successful in the elementary
theory examination. All three are
pupils of J. D. Gilchrist, organist of
Knox church.

Unhurt in Crash.
Fred Soynne, St. Thomas, escaped
injury in Blenheim, Saturday, when
his automobile locked wheels with a
car driven by H. Wilkinson, of To-
ronto. Both cars were badly dam-
aged.

Spend Day at Port.
Members of the Presbyterian sum-
mer school at Alma college spent
Thursday at Port Stanley. Classes
at the college are given over this
summer to discussion of particular
problems instead of lectures on gen-
eral subjects, as has been the custom
heretofore.

Mrs. Mary Battye died Thursday
night at the home of her daughter,
Mrs. Leonard Fellows, 20 North
Omenee street, aged 76 years. The
deceased leaves one daughter, Mrs.
Mary Ann Fellows, and two sons,
George and William, of Brantford.

Investigating Fire.
Deputy Fire-Marshall Nealon was in
the city Thursday, investigating the
mysterious fire which broke out in
the store of Benj. Mannis, Wednes-
day evening. No finding will be
made for a day or so, it is under-
stood.

**MILITARY RIBBONS,
BADGES AND BUTTONS.**
Peel's! Peel's!
10 MARKET LANE
NOW AT RED STAR NEWS CO.

C. N. R. Shops No. 2 Party
Now Leads in Central
Region.

SEEK THORNTON CUP

Special to The Advertiser.
Stratford, July 23.—The title of the
leading first-aid team in the dominion
can hardly be denied the C. N. R.
shops No. 2 team here, which has
just received word that it has been
awarded the Chamberlain trophy.
This honor is emblematic of the
championship of the central region
of the C. N. R. The shops team now
holds the Montzambert trophy and
the Ontario provincial shield, em-
blematic of first-aid championship
in the dominion and province respec-
tively.

Winning the Chamberlain trophy
puts the team in line for the Sir
Henry Thornton cup. This cup means
championship of all C. N. R. lines.
The ownership of this cup will be
decided by marks obtained by the
three regional teams in recent com-
petitions, so the Stratford team's
chances are good. The winning of this
trophy will mean that all leading
first-aid titles in the Dominion will
belong to the team, members of
which are: James Miller, captain;
H. Killoran, P. J. Bull, A. Capper, P.
Weir.

The C. N. R. shops team No. 1
came second in the Chamberlain con-
test, being tied with the Montreal
shops team. The members of this
team were Vic Mannell, captain; W.
Capper, G. Stewart, Fred Bradley
and Albert Stralo.

Not Affected By Change.
Announcement that the adolescent
school attendance act is to be more
strictly enforced, compelling children
under 16 years to have at least 400
hours annually in school, will have
no effect in Stratford. According to
Hugh Ferguson, school attendance
officer, Stratford has always lived
up to the act. The children under
the requisite age not at school are
given certification on application, and
take night school work. There are
about 75 of these in Stratford, Mr.
Ferguson says.

No Sign of Borer.
Despite reports of evidence of corn-
borer in other counties, Agricultural
Representative M. C. McPhail re-
ports that there are no evidences of
it in Perth yet. The corn crop is com-
ing along well, and it is believed it
is too early to see the work of the
borer on it. No one reports seeing the
corn-borer moth, however.

**FARMERS TO GET
FIFTEEN MILLION**

To Be Distributed Before
August 1 by Wheat
Pool.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Winnipeg, July 23.—Fifteen million
dollars will be paid to members of the
Inter-Provincial Wheat pool before
August 1, according to an official
statement issued today by the presi-
dent of the Canadian Co-operative
Wheat Producers, Limited.

The second interim payment will
amount to 20c a bushel, based on No.
1 wheat, and brings the total already
distributed to \$1.55 per bushel on the
1924 crop. The statement intimates
that the final installment will be
made some time next month.

Due to the volume of wheat re-
ceived by the pool during recent
weeks, the 1924 pool was not closed
until July 15.

Twenty cents a bushel will be paid
on No. 1, 2 and 4 Northern, also the
toughs of these grades; 15c on No. 5,
tough 5 and rejected grades. No
payment, the statement says, will be
paid at this time on feed, and such
wheat graded rejected, wheated and
condemned.

Spreads on grades will be adjusted
when the final payment is made.

**OXFORD YOUTH THROWN
ACROSS MOWER KNIVES**

Garnet Whittaker Receives
Severe Laceration and
Broken Ribs.

Special to The Advertiser.
Woodstock, July 22.—Garnet Whit-
taker, 12, son of George Whittaker,
of Embro, received severe lacerations
to his legs, and suffered several
fractured ribs when he fell from the
mower he was driving to his father's
farm last night. He had turned to
look at a passing vehicle on the road
when the horses bolted and he was
thrown from his seat across the
knives. He was rushed to the Wood-
stock general hospital, where his
condition was reported as serious.
He is reported tonight, however, to
be making satisfactory progress to-
ward recovery.

**BANDSMEN REFUSE TO PLAY
FOR EARL UNLESS PAID**

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, July 23.—Bandsmen of
Toronto Regiments have refused to
play at the ceremonies of welcome to
Field Marshal Earl Haig in this city
tomorrow, unless they are paid for
their services.
The bandsmen say they have the
greatest regard for the Earl, and that
their refusal is not to be regarded as
slighting him. The city this year
refused to pay for the usual series of
band concerts in public parks, and it
is believed that the trouble arises
from this source.

July Clearance Sales

Saturday Morning Comes Once Again and With It More Weekly
Opportunities That Should Not Be Passed Over

Store Hours:

SATURDAY—STORE OPENS 9 O'CLOCK, CLOSES 1 P.M.
OTHER WEEK DAYS—FROM 9 O'CLOCK TO 5:30 P.M.

Summer Dress Goods Clearance

Tomorrow, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., the counters of our Wash Goods and Staple Sections, just laden with specials at prices that will mean rapid selling. Our complete stock of Novelty Wash Fabrics is displayed in groups at prices away down.

Too many to detail here, either in price or colors, but the variety of materials will indicate to you something of your opportunities. There are Crepes, Marocains, Matelasse, Ratines, Melange, Woven Stripe Voiles, Check Voiles, Print Crepes and Percaloes, Lingerie Fabrics.

DOUBLE BED SHEETS, \$2.69 Pr.

These are well bleached, strong, easy to wash sheets, made on our own machines. The workmanship is much better than the ordinary factory product. We sell large quantities of this weight for summer use, for camping, the cottage or the boys' beds. Don't risk your good sheets for camp. Buy this special for Saturday; 70x90 inches \$2.69 pair
For a little heavier sheeting, large size, 80x90 inches. For Saturday \$3.19 pair

Pillow Cases

57c Pair

Well made Slips, plain
hemmed, strong and
nice bleach. Don't for-
get them in your camp
or summer home outfit.
For Saturday, 12 inches
only 57c pair

Specials Featured In July Linen Sale Tomorrow

21-INCH IRISH LINEN TEA TOWELING
4 YARDS FOR \$1.00

All pure linen, in the extra width that will make up good, large towels. A quality you will need to urge to buy. See it in the morning. Just 600 yards and at this special price the lot should clear early; 21 inches wide; all white. On sale to-
morrow 4 yards for \$1.00

WASH CLOTHS
About Half Price

Lay in a good supply of these
superior two-ply Woven Wash
cloths, the make that does not
stretch and get out of shape. Most-
ly all white, but early shoppers will
find pink, lavender, gold stripes in
the lot. Just 600 on sale Saturday
..... 3 for 25c, 95c dozen

LARGE SIZE BATH
TOWELS, HALF PRICE

Seconds, but the imperfections are very
slight, and they will give you the usual
long service, we can assure, from these
two-ply, stoutly constructed towels; plain
colors of blue, lavender, and a few gold
and rose in the lot; 9 a.m. for a share.
Quantity limited to 14 dozen. Saturday
sale 39c each

ALL-LINEN DAMASK NAPKINS, ONE-THIRD
OFF TO NEAR ONE-HALF OFF REGULAR

Extra Napkins for the holiday season. Napkins for general use, when you are not
so exacting as to require them to match the cloth, are to be found on the counters
tomorrow at from one-third to about one-half off.

18-inch All Linen Naps, assorted de-
signs. July sale \$1.98 half dozen

18-inch All Linen Naps, double dam-
ask. July sale \$2.37 half dozen

Paint Specials For Saturday Morning

Painters' Ground Color, for priming new woodwork or
undercoating on floors, woodwork, etc. 90c
Quarts, 90c; half gallons, \$1.89; gallons, \$3.69

Varnish Stain, for floors, woodwork; a high-grade floor
varnish in light and dark oak, walnut or mahogany colors,
at one-third less quarts, \$1.29; pints, 69c; half pints, 39c

Special Interior Enamel for woodwork or furniture, white
only quarts, \$1.29; pints, 69c

Special Interior Varnish for woodwork. Does not scratch
white and is waterproof, pints, 50c; quarts, 90c; gals., \$3.00

Wall Paper, Paints, Wax, etc., Third Floor.

SATURDAY CANDY TREAT

100 boxes of fresh assorted Choco-
lates. Special 23c box

Toasted Marshmallows, lovely and
fresh 40c pound

Delicious Caramels with milk choco-
late coating 60c pound

Sharp's Kreem Toffee, in tins 25c each

All the newest lines in Chocolate
Bars 5c each, 6 for 25c, or a box of
24 for 95c.

HOSIERY

Ladies' Pure Silk Hosiery, in beautiful shades,
with neck seam fashioning. The correct color
for the dainty frock is found in the selections.
Shades are pinks, orchid, pond lily, canary, at-
mosphere, nude, peach, grain, powder blue, lark,
Sudan, gray, rusky, tan, white and black, none
the price \$1.50

Ladies' Fancy Hose in silk-finished lisle, in a
lace effect with diamond pattern. A new, very
pretty hose, white with contrasting colorings
and nude with brown \$1.75 pair

Main Floor.

JULY CLEARANCE SALES in the MEN'S SHOP

IN FULL SWAY SATURDAY, 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.

The many lines listed below will bring an early response Saturday. The merchandise listed below offers extraordinary values. Do not
miss this opportunity to save many dollars on your vacation or other apparel, tomorrow morning.

CLEARANCE SALE OF MEN'S ONE AND
TWO TROUSER
SUITS, \$18.95

Tweeds, worsteds; two and three button
models; grays, browns and mixtures.

STUDENTS' "COLLEGE"
SUITS, \$22

IN THE LATEST ENGLISH MODELS
New color tones, in English tweeds; smart
models; wide trousers; English styles.

MEN'S HIGH-GRADE TWEEDS, WOR-
STEDS, ONE AND TWO TROUSER
SUITS, \$29.00

Taken from regular stock and reduced for
clearance. High-grade Tailored Suits in a
large selection of patterns and colorings.

GOLF SUITS, \$20

Golf Suits, in fine imported tweeds; smartly
styled; full knickers. Excellent value at this
price.

SALE OF FLANNEL
SUITS, \$14.95

Light and dark gray English Flannel Suits
in this season's new models. Excellent
value.

ENGLISH HERRINGBONE
TWEEDS, \$25

An extra value in medium shades English
Model Suits, expertly tailored.
Special \$25

CLEARANCE SALES IN SUMMER FURNISHINGS

SALE OF WHITE
OUTING SHIRTS, 98c

Less than half regular price.
Collar attached. White Summer
Shirts.

SALE ENGLISH GOLF
SOCKS, \$1.49 PAIR

A special sale of English All-Wool
Golf Socks, in the latest designs and
colorings.

Soiled Arrow Collars, 5c
AND CELLULOID COLLARS

Clearing odd lines and soiled
Collars tomorrow at 5c

SALE "CLUB STRIPE"
NECKTIES, 49c

Smart club stripe Neck Ties, in many
colorings. Some slightly imperfect.
Half regular 49c

Imported "Checked"
Summer Hose, 79c

A fine assortment of stripes and checks
in this season's newest Summer Hose.

Sale of Bow Ties and
Elastic Bows, 19c

25c Bow Ties, in various patterns and
colorings. Less than half price to-
morrow morning at 9 a.m.

LISLE SOCKS, 27c

Penman's first quality Fine Lisle
Hose in brown, black, gray and
fawn 27c, 4 pairs for \$1.00

BOYS' BLOUSES, 29c

4 to 6 years only.
Striped collar-attached Blouses for
boys; 4 to 6 years only.
Clearing at 29c

LINOLEUM RUNNERS

Balance to clear, Saturday 85c each

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Dinner is served on Saturday,
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