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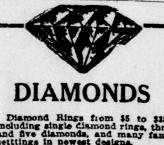


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#### ROADS SHOULD BE PAVED Country Visitors Have Suffered Greatest Disappointment of All.

In bringing to a close the final meeting of the directors of the Western Fair board, Col. W. M. Gartshore, president, reviewed the calamity which befell the fair during the past few days.

"What we have anticipated might happen for a number of years, and what we have looked forward to with apprehension—that we might have a wet week—has happened," said the president, "although it is perhaps worse than we ever dreamed of." It was a great disappointment to the directors, who have worked all year, to have the whole fair spoiled by the rain, yet he thought

FAIR HAS NEST EGG

TO CARE FOR LOSSES

No Anxiety On That Score,

Says President.

**CAUSED BY WEATHER** 

disappointment to the directors, who have worked all year. to have the whole fair spoiled by the rain, yet he thought it a greater disappointment to the visitors from the country.

Annual Outing.

Many of them, he declared, look forward to the fair as their annual outing, when they gather their families and their savings and come in for a good time. It was rather pathetic to see these people walking about in the rain and trying to enjoy themselves. The situation was accentuated by the condition of the roads in the grounds. However, he feared that during the war they would hardly be able to get the council to approve of pavements. He approved of Controller Little's suggestion that the grounds should be placed under the one management.

Nest Egg Ready.

The president, in reviewing the fair, paid tribute to the foresight of the directors of years gone by who provided a nest egg for just such a contingency as has arisen. It leaves the board in a happy condition and there is no anxiety on that score. He hoped that all the directors would see the year go out with flags flying.

The directors discussed the proposal to turn the full control of the park over to them. Controller Little, the father of the proposal, asked the opinion of the board in regard to the matter. They approved by resolution, and left the matter to the executive.

There was considerable discussion as to the condition of the roads. Many regrets were heard that the streets of the grounds were not paved.

### **WORK COMMENCES** ON \$400,000 GROUP OF CAMP BUILDINGS

The staff of Bate, McMahon Company of which Col. Bob Low of Valcartier-Borden-Halifax fame is the chief, has arrived on Carling Heights, and willcommence work at once on the housing arrangements for troops, involving the construction of 23 buildings and the ex-penditure of \$400.000. Superintendent George C. Palmer, accompanied by Traffic Manager A. Altken, arrived in the city yesterday, and

set in operation the machine which is relied upon to throw up the buildings in two months. The system of battalion housing involves a certain unit of buildings. Two of these units will be required for the troops at Carling Heights this winter, accommodation to be provided for upwards of 2,000 men.

Will Be Eight Barracks.

In the group of buildings, which will be situated at the southeast corner of the heights, there will be eight barracks, two stories in height, 212 feet by 41 feet set in operation the machine which i two stories in height, 212 feet by 41 feet in dimensions. These will be used as sleeping quarters, and will be two stories high. Two men's messrooms will be 261 feet by 41 feet in dimensions; two

Stories high. Two men's messrooms will be 261 feet by 41 feet in dimensions; two ablution-rooms, containing baths and lavatories, will be 56 feet by 31 feet in dimensions; two sergeants' messes will be of the same type of buildings; two battalion orderly-rooms; two recreation-rooms, and two guard-houses will also be 56 feet by 31 feet in dimensions, while the officers' quarters and mess will be 212 feet by 41 feet in dimensions and two stories high.

Asked as to the period required to build the 23 structures, Superintendent Palmer stated to The Advertiser that he has just completed the last of three units at Halifax, and the time required to compete the last of the was seven weeks. On that standard the London work should be complete in fourteen weeks' time.

Depends on Labor Situation.

Much will depend on the labor situation, and the firm is advertising for carpenters and laborers up to the number of 250. If the men can be secured in London or Western Ontario the work will go to the local men; otherwise the company will bring in labor which it handles extensively on the many large Government contracts upon which it is constantly working.

Lieut\_Col. R. W. Bishop, in command

Government contracts upon which it is constantly working.
Lieut.-Col. R. W. Bishop, in command of the Engineers at Carling Heights, is co-operating with the builders, and Mr. Ross, clerk of works from Ottawa, is also on the job.
The company is advertising for lumber and labor, and has six carloads of material in the city or on the way. Mr. Palmer says a local shortage of material will not hold up the construction.

### STRIKE IS SETTLED

Electrical Workers and Employer Compromise on Wage Scale.

The electrical workers of the city announce that the strike is all settled. The Commercial Electric Company reached an agreement with the union yesterday. While the men asked 55 cents an hour for armature winders and 50 cents for wiremen, they compromised for 50 and 45 cents respectively. These are the minimum prices. Helpers with eighteen months' or more experience will receive 30 cents per hour. The scale for journeymen was formerly 30 to 40 cents. Within the last few weeks before the strike some of the men had been raised to 45 cents per hour. All the men are back at work today it is said.

SAVE GASOLINE SUNDAY

At the request of the fuel controller, until further notice the Blue Bonnet Motor Service will not accept calls for pleasure driving Sundays, and will accept calls only for sickness, accidents, clergymen or emergency cases, and by doing so we can save eighty gallons of gasoline on Sunday, and help the boys at the front in their battle for freedom.

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In connection with the campaign for funds for the Army Hut Association, which is being conducted under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus September 15 to 23, the committee has issued the following statements regarding the work of the army huts, and the necessity of raising more funds:

"There can be no doubt the work of the Catholic army huts overseas is contributing to the vigor of our soldiers by providing them with the means of religious practice and mental and physical reaction. This work is a necessary portion of the total co-operative effort that enables our soldiers to face the foe with hearts brave for battle, and with souls clean for death, if death awaits them.

It may be, furthermore, considered a guarantee, as far as can be guaranteed, the return of our men on the blessed day of peace with heads erect and shoulders full square to the breeze of heaven, clear of eye and clean of heart—just as when they went away."

That the work of the huts must be extended is the opinion of the authorities overseas. This extension can be maintained only by a constantly increasing fund, the committee points out. It has every assurance that Catholics will not fail their fighting men and that every one at home will do his duty.

#### COSTS \$3 TO PASS BY STANDING STREET CARS

A motorist drove his automobile past a street car which had stopped to dis-charge some passengers at the corner of Grosvenor and Richmond streets on September 3. He paid \$3 and costs into the treasury of the police court this Cutting corners with an automobile cost another citizen \$3, while a similar charge was adjourned until September 17.

Three breaches of the minor bylaws

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of the city were punished by the imposition of \$2 fines.

Albert E. Stelt paid \$1 for attempting to improve his marksmanship within the city limits.

Two cases of breaches of the public health act were adjourned for one week.

NEW OFFICERS' COURSE

The Western University C. O. T. C. nnounces that a new officers' training ourse will be started in the city immediately.

Major T. J. Murphy, the O. C., has ordered the enrollment of a new class of men wishing to qualify as soon as possible. possible.

All applicants must have a fair education. Those wishing to take the course should apply at the head-quarters.

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.m., \*1:20, \*3:20, \*5:20, \*7:20, \*10:20 p.m. †Daily except Sunday.

\*Limited trains London to St. Thomas.

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