

COUNTY U.F.O. FOR DRURY

EAST MIDDLESEX U.F.O. SUPPORTS BROADENING OUT

Declare Ferguson's Statement
Will Be Accepted by Far-
mers As Challenge.

OFFICERS ELECTED

East Middlesex U. F. O. stands for the Drury "broadening out" policy—and the U. F. O. must remain as a dominant political factor in the province of Ontario.

These were the significant conclusions to be reached from a big meeting in the Labor Temple here Saturday afternoon of the U. F. O. members from the East Riding.

Election of officers for 1924 and a general consideration of the party's welfare claimed attention throughout the afternoon, and it was the unanimous opinion of the assembled delegates that the political farmer movement should continue, and more along the lines outlined by the former premier, Hon. F. C. Drury.

U. F. O. adherents of the East Riding of Middlesex are by no means disheartened by recent reverses at the polls. They view the future with supreme optimism, and they stress that nothing has tended to stir them into action more than Premier Ferguson's announcement last summer that the farmer political movement is not to be considered of sufficient importance to warrant much notice from the seats of the mighty at Queen's Park. They propose to "show Howard Ferguson by the next election just whether they are worthy of consideration or otherwise."

Back Drury Policy.
East Middlesex supports unreservedly the Drury policy, judging from the tenor of Saturday's remarks. A "People's party" is the need of the day in this province and country, as outlined by the "Man from Crown Hill."

"We want all the good people," as H. A. Urquhart, secretary, stated. "We want the good farmers, the good Liberals, the good Conservatives. We have a place for the good people of all classes, both urban and rural." "We feel better than ever the U. F. O. of the East Riding," the secretary continued. "Premier Ferguson did more good for our party than he realized when he announced that he was not going to recognize us. We were feeling just a little downhearted at that moment, perhaps, but he has revived us. We'll have to show him next election."

During the proceedings, spirited addresses were delivered by Jack Freeborn, the provincial member, and A. L. Hodgins, the federal representative.

Election Officers

Election of officers provided another important function of the afternoon, the following returns being announced:

President, T. H. Stanley of Granton, succeeding the retiring president, George Bogue; vice-president, Leigh Telfer; secretary-treasurer, H. A. Urquhart (re-elected); directors, London Township, W. Ellis, M. Dickie, E. Marrow; Nissouri Township, J. E. Johnson of Belton; Dorchester, Fred Wrath; Biddulph, R. Dickens; Westminster, R. Elliott.

East Middlesex United Farmer Women's organization, President, Mrs. Mitchell of Wilton Grove; vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Freeborn of Ilerton; secretary-treasurer, H. A. Urquhart.

The meeting was well attended and representative of every section of the riding, the members of the U. F. W. O. enacting their important role. T. H. Stanley, president, will attend the big U. F. O. convention in Toronto this week, while it is proposed also that two delegates attend from each township.

FIND ALBERTA RESIDENT KILLED IN LONELY SPOT

Calgary, Dec. 9.—Jess Fuller of Carbon, Alta., 40 miles from here, was found dead in a lonely spot near Carbon Saturday night with his head bruised and his throat cut. Police consider it a case of murder, and officers of the provincial force are conducting an investigation.

CLAIMS SOVIET RECOGNITION.

Moscow, Dec. 10.—The newspapers print an interview with M. Jordan, Soviet representative at Rome, in which the envoy says that de jure recognition of Russia by Italy may be considered virtually accomplished.

THIS LADY SAYS There's Nothing to Equal Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup For Coughs and Colds.

Mrs. David Thompson, West River street, Paris, Ont., writes: "I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup."

"For myself and children I use nothing else."

"My little girl, 5 years old, has had bronchial trouble ever since she had the 'flu' a few years ago, and now whenever she gets a slight cold she develops a very nasty cough, but all I have to do is to give her a few doses of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup."

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Price, 25c a bottle; the large family size, 50c. Put up only by The T. Milburn Company Limited, Toronto, Ont.—Adv.

ADVENT SEASON TIME OF PRAYER ASSERTS PASTOR

Rev. Fr. J. H. Chisholm Urges
People to Prepare for
Christmas.

SPEAKS AT ST. MARYS

The Catholic Church is now commemorating the holy season of Advent, a period of four weeks before Christmas set aside each year by the church to be marked, by special devotions, as a time when all should meditate on the coming of the Son of God into the world for the salvation of mankind.

Speaking at St. Mary's Church on Sunday morning, Rev. Father J. H. Chisholm related how the church has been prompted to institute the Advent season, commemorating the men of the congregation to make the time one of prayer and devotion to Jesus Christ the Saviour.

"Four thousand years ago the people of the Old World were waiting for the Messiah," Father Chisholm said, "and on Christmas Day, Christ, the Son of God, was born into the world in a stable at Bethlehem. It was in memory of this great occasion and to bring its significance home more forcibly to the minds of its people that the church named four weeks to be called Advent."

"Advent means coming and it signifies three things, the coming of Christ into the world, a time when special prayers should be offered for the souls in purgatory by the increase in the reception of our Lord in the sacrament of Holy Communion, and the second coming of Christ at the end of the world, when all men will be treated according to their deserts."

"The coming of Christ was foretold after the first fall when He said that He would put enmity between the serpent, the offspring of the devil, and the woman. The lesson that Christ would have us learn is a spirit of denial, and the practice of penance and mortification in preparation for Christmas."

Reverting to the subject of Holy Communion Father Chisholm declared that sin only can rob man of eternal life, and the close personal contact with Jesus Christ brought by the reception of Holy Communion is a perfect way of cleansing the soul for Christmas.

"Judgment Day will come for each and every man in the world," he continued, "and then, the final coming of Jesus Christ will be seen. The land and the sea will give up their dead and Hell will give up its dead. No distinction will be made between the rich and the poor, the great and the small. Every idle word spoken by man will have to be answered for and then, God, in all his majesty and glory will welcome some into His kingdom and will condemn others to Hell for evermore."

REICHSTAG ADOPTS AUTHORIZATION LAW

Chancellor Marx's Proposals
Receive Undivided Support
of All Four Parties.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—Chancellor Marx's authorization law, granting his cabinet plenary powers to run the government's affairs without preliminary sanction for an indefinite period was adopted by a heavy majority in the Reichstag Saturday. The vote was 312 to 18.

The bill had the undivided support of the four middle parties which constitute the present coalition and the full approval of the united Socialists, whose ballots more than nullified the opposition of the Nationalists and the Communists. While the law primarily is intended to enable the government to pronounce emergency legislation of an economic and social nature, it is sufficiently elastic to permit an adjustment of the problem confronting the government in the Rhineland and Ruhr, while the Reichstag is enjoying a holiday recess which, in all probability, will extend well into the new year.

UNUSUAL POWERS ARE GRANTED TO OREGON

Mexico City, Dec. 10.—Extraordinary powers over the war, treasury and interior departments were granted President Obregon by congress Saturday. It is expected the congress will grant the president permission to suspend individual guarantees throughout the republic, except where the death sentence is involved.



SCENE OF THE SOMBRA TRAGEDY.

A small pile of debris is all that remains of the once happy home of Harry Babcock, Sombra Township. Below is shown the home as it was. Above, all that remains today. The picture is mute evidence of the ferocity of the flames, which consumed the building completely and snuffed out the lives of two women and five children on Friday evening last.

NOTED CANADIAN WRITER PASSES

Dr. S. D. Scott of Vancouver
Passes Away From Heart
Failure.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 9.—Dr. S. D. Scott, chief editorial writer of the Vancouver Province, and one of the best known of the old school journalists in Canada, died here today of heart failure. He was born in Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, 72 years ago.

Dr. Scott graduated at Mount Allison (New Brunswick), and in 1913 was given the degree of doctor of laws of that university. He went into newspaper work in St. John, and became editor of the St. John Sun, and also worked in the press gallery at Ottawa for years as correspondent for Maritime newspapers.

PATRICK FLANNIGAN EXPIRES IN HOSPITAL

One of City's Most Familiar
Figures Passes After
Short Illness.

One of the most familiar figures in London passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday morning in the person of Patrick Flannigan, following an illness of one week.

Mr. Flannigan had lived in London practically all his life and was an employee of the C. S. Hyman & Co. for fifty years.

He is survived by four daughters, Misses Clara and Arda of this city, Evelyn of Victoria, B. C., and Mrs. J. Connor of Montreal; also one son, Lewis, city. A brother, Michael, resides in Cleveland.

The funeral will be held Tuesday morning from the funeral home of E. C. Killingsworth at 8:30 to St. Peter's Cathedral where requiem high mass will be sung at nine o'clock. Interment will be made in St. Peter's Cemetery.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE FOLLOWS WOMAN'S DEATH

Toronto, Dec. 9.—Injuries received Saturday proved fatal to Mrs. Dorothy Colt, 35, who was knocked down in front of her husband's store by a motor truck. Fred Clyma, driver of the truck, was arrested, charged with being intoxicated while driving. The charge was changed to manslaughter.

EVA MARGARET DE WOLFE.

Eva Margaret De Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. De Wolfe, died at the family residence, 652 Elias street, Sunday morning, after an illness of three months.

MEXICAN REBELS WILL MARCH ON TO CAPITAL

More Than 10,000 Insurgent
Troops Ready to Join in
Movement.

Associated Press Despatch.
Vera Cruz, Mexico, Dec. 10.—Insurgent troops have left Vera Cruz under orders for an advance toward Mexico City. At various points along the inter-oceanic railway they will be joined by other contingents and the united forces will then proceed toward the capital, advancing in two directions. It is estimated that about 10,000 troops are available for this movement.

General Berlanga and Colonel Mayer, the Obregon officers who were reported to have been executed after the capture of Jalapa, were spared. Colonel Mayer was one of 200 prisoners taken in the fight who were brought here last night.

A detachment of Obregon troops is reported to have been defeated in a skirmish that took place in Nayarit territory. Generals Ortega and Maya, loyalists, were killed in the engagement.

General Estrada, who also is advancing toward Mexico City from Guadalajara, has informed the insurgent chiefs here that an attempt by General Ferreira to land federal reinforcements from Sinaloa and Sonora at Mazatlan was frustrated by the rebels.

HOPES ARE ENTERTAINED FOR WOMAN'S RECOVERY

Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, Dec. 10.—Improvement in the condition of Mrs. Charles Dussault, whose husband committed suicide on Saturday after attacking her with an axe, was reported at the general hospital here this morning.

The woman was said to be out of danger. The attack on Mrs. Dussault and the ensuing suicide took place in her home in the north end of the city early Saturday morning. The couple had seven children, three of whom were in the house at the time, and one of whom, Rene, aged 12, witnessed the father's attack on his mother.

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