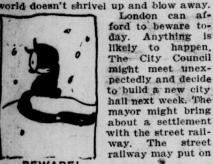
## Beware Black Cats and Broken Mirrors, To-Day Is Friday, Thirteenth

Dire Calamity Stalks Around City As Two Most Superstitious Events Invade Municipality At Same Time—Fearful Things May Happen.

ides of black cats and broken mir rors: To-day is that most evil of all days, Friday, with a 13 on the calendar day to slap a pugilist in the eye. to mark the date. More ill-forebodding days are inconceivable. More disastrous days of superstition are an absolute s plenty bad enough, but when it comes Friday falling on that date it will one of the seven wonders if the



London can af-ford to beware today. Anything is likely to happen The City Council might meet unexpectedly and decide to build a new city hall next week. The mayor might bring about a settlement with the street rail-

The busses may start giving the L. S. R. conductors free rides around the city. street railway may decide to pay ts share of the new Ridout bridge. The pringbank dam may spring up autotically. The country may go wet. The country may go dry. It may rain.
It may snow. It may not do either.
B-E-W-A-R-E!

In fact, one can never tell what is soing to happen on a Friday, the 13th. At any rate, London can afford to -e-w-a-r-e!

To-day, coming under the double shadow of a Friday and a 13th, is one of terrible things in the way of luck. It has been passed down through the ages that it is exceptionally bad policy to break any more than a half-dozen mirrors, permit any more than 17 black cats to walk across one's path or walk under 57 ladders. Each citizen should ake precaution against odd numbers or

The best policy to follow on such day as this, it is believed, is to do nothing and even then one can't be any too sure of himself.

#### **JOHN WALSH BADLY** INJURED BY TRUCK

Two and a Half-Year-Old Boy Suffers Fractured Leg and Cuts On Head. Struck by a truck on Briscoe street on Wednesday afternoon, John Walsh, aged 2½ years, and son of T. E. Walsh, secretary-treasurer of the Federal Adtising Agency, is in the Children's Memorial Hospital. Injuries received in the accident include a fractured leg and painful cuts about the head.

youngster was crossing the street near his home when the accident occur-red. He was struck by a fender of the truck and it is probably due to the fact the caddy yet. at he was thrown clear of the wheels that the crash did not end fatally. The child was rushed to the Memoral Hospital, where his injuries, while painful are believed not to be serious.

#### THIRTY NEGROES TO TAKE ENGLISH COURSE

Over 30 negroes in the city have sub-scribed their names to an enrolment sheet by which they have signified their desire to take an extension course of the University of Western Ontario, in glish literature, Lieut.-Col. Walter James Brown, V. D., executive secre-tary of the university, is organizing the

PAID \$14.75 FINE.—For speeding on the Hyde Park highway at 40 miles an hour, a London man paid a fine of \$14.75 in county police court to-day.

## **Prominent People Are Praising Herb Juice**

Gladly Gives Public Statement.



man by Mrs. R. Fallon, 360 Bridge
Ave., Windsor. Mrs. Fallon further
testified, "I have had constipation since
a young girl, had a continual headache

The late Mr. Staples is survived by
his widow and several children. Mrs. and stomach was always out of order.

Nothing that I ate agreed with me. I was thin and had a general feeling of drowsiness. I purchased a bottle of HERB JUICE and it has benefited me is widow and several children. Mrs. Thomas Hill, Dorinda street, is a sister of the deceased, as is also Mrs. Lindsay, of Florence, Ont. Two brothers, Thomas and William, reside at Seaforth. most wonderfully. My appetite is splendid, my headache has disappeared, that tired feeling has gone and I am not troubled any more with constipation; in fact, HERB JUICE has ven me new life. I have more enall the time. The first few doses gave me wonderful relief and I have had

This is only one of the many volum

The HERB JUICE man now has his

Ether Waves From a Rare Atmosphere

Friday, the 13th-It is bad luck to

tism is said to be the latest-a case of a shock in some joint,

The one bad feature about these hotel bills is that they have to be paid. Our last criticism of those one-

plece bathing suits is they don't make good winter underwear. The things you think you get for

nothing usually cost more than the This is the month in which to begin some bad habits to break off at New Year's.

The only time some men think they have no kick coming is the time wher they should kick in with some cash,

We are against divorces, but living apart often saves some men and women from living a part.

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH. That the fellow who says he under-stands women is the same fellow who

Strange things can happen. We know a man who has everything he wants in the world and still he is happy.

Society gets plenty of exercise trying o cut head lettuce with a fork instead

One London woman, it seems, has found where her husband spends the nights. She stayed home one night this week and found he spent them

We can't understand why they call politics dirty, when the politicians clean

The local sheik who says a flapper can't improve kissing by painting her lips must remember that the girls still use that noiseless

Women were made before mirrors and they have been before them ever

Our maid says she is going to marry a policeman—she doesn't know his name, but she's got his

Hortense, our stenog., says she is going to learn how to play golf, but admits she doesn't know how to hold

??? AND ANSWERS. Dear Ed.—"What's the smallest thing in the world?" — Yours, Dear Science—"A boy's stomach on Thanksgiving Day." — Yours, Ether Waves.

When one refers to "soused" he usually means it in the full sense of the

Our Tel. Ed. claims that when he went fishing he didn't have any luck until he poured some homebrew on the worm—when he pulled up his line he found the worm had a strangle-hold on a cat fish and was punching him in the eye with

James Staples Fatally Injured Near Moose Jaw. Sask.

SECOND FAMILY TRAGEDY

Three of Children Drowned In Pond Few Years Ago.

while bathing in a pond on the West- ent.

The death of Mr. Staples occurred after he had been struck by a wagon in a sand pit near his farm. Staples, trate on intensive study, will be comwith his sons, was guiding the heavy vehicle into the pit, the father direct-"Your HERB JUICE is the only ledicine that has given me any relief of control on a steep grade into the pit, and while the boys' work board of the Y. M. C. A. The institute will continue from December 8 to 10. riadiy add my name to your list of moreores." This was a statement ing over his body. The victim was voluntarily made to the HERB JUICE

Old scouts plan to organ; ze at the University of Western Ontario in a movement fostered by Hiliary B. Tinsuch a wonderful improvement in my movement fostered by Hillary B. Tincondition. I honestly think HERB dall, A. S. M. Those who learned the Principles of boy scouting as laid down by Baden Powell, chef scout, will hear . C. Irwin in regard to organization on Monday night.

nials that the HERB who are interested, has made considerable progress in Canadian universities, Toronto having a particularly strong sters at THE STANDARD society of this nature. Attempts pre-viously made at Western were abortive

daily between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 noon, and 2 p. m. and 5 p. m., for the purpose of explaining the merits of HERB JUICE and how to get the best possible results from its use. G. Stevenson, chairman of the men's PRICE ONE DELLAR.

"Y" MEETING — D. A. Davis, European secretary of the Y. M. C. A., addresses a membership dinner audience at the association building to-night. J. Stevenson, chairman of the men's price on the purpose of explaining the merits and how to get the subject to the purpose of explaining the merits and how to get the accommittee, will preside.

Is It Ever Right To Kill?



The three shown above killed their loved ones out of pity. In the center is Dr. Harold Blazer, of Littleton, Col., who was released from custody for the killing of his child-woman daughter, an imbecile, when the jury failed to reach an agreement after many hours of deliberation. At the left is the Polish actress, Mile. Stanislaw, Uminska, who shot and killed her fiance who was slowly dying of cancer. She declared that she killed him through mercy and pity for his sufferings. The jury acquitted her after three minutes of deliberation.

At the right is Dr. Harry J. Halselden, Chicago physician, who advised against an operation which would save the life of a child, but leave it a cripple for life and probably an idiot. A coroner's jury found the doctor justified, but the Chicago Medical Society forced him out of its membership.

Speaking at the memorial service for

Church, Saskatoon, on Sunday evening

Rev. W. W. MacPherson, addressing a

congregation which overtaxed the

capacity of the church, said: "Of gen-

erous nature, genial disposition, he

looked for the best in everyone; his life

was spent in helping others. We do not

discordant note.

Mr. Riddle was always ready with

worship. As leader of the choir he im-

"We thank God to-day for a man

like our choir leader," said Mr. Mac-

Pherson, "his life was in the right. Our

friends pass by one by one and we re-

member them by what they have done.

ing should take the best qualities from

his character and incarnate them in

A WISE OLD OWL

USE OLD FRAME ANNEX

Boundaries of District May Be

Rearranged.

The next public school district to require additional accommodation will be Ealing, according to announcement made to-day to-day by Inspector-Ad-

ment of 41 pupils per classroom, in-cluding the primary grades, and there is not the slightest room left for ex-

In his report to the board yesterday

Mr. Wheable expressed regret at the necessity for using the old frame annex

in order to properly accommodate the pupils at this school. Either the erec-

tion of an addition to the present

school building or a rearrangement of

boundaries are the only two courses open to the board, and in the opinion of

the inspector' department, rearrangement of boundaries would only provid-

relief for a period of one or two years

at the present rate of increase is school population in this district.

Before many terms the inspector ex

pects that some solution will have to be gone into At the present rate of

increase in this district the opening of the fall term next year will bring with it a real problem.

ministrator G. A. Wheable.

pansion, the inspector states.

pressed upon the people they wer

gathered to worship God.

their lives.

das street .- Advt.

well."

Compulsary Liability Fund Is Given Approval Here.

MEASURE OF

Plan Equitable To Insured, Company and State.

for automobile owners of a kind that is deemed equitable to the insured, the state and the insurance companies, has ter, whom he served and loved so been evolved in Denmark and is given the stamp of approval by many motoritss and insurance men here. It is held greater motive than merely a righteous service were the Kiwanis Club, the one is furnished for reckless and Saskatoon Male Chorus and Commercial drunken drivers to abide by the morar Travelers, organizations to which Mr. code of traffic ethics than is offered by Riddle belonged. A combined choir, a fail penalty or a fine.

In making it compulsory for all auto- made up of the male chorus and Westmobile owners to cover their vehicles with public liability insurance the minister choir, led the singing.

Particularly impressive was companies, nor yet does it compel insurance companies to insure every apfixed by law is \$5,000 for automobies highly of Mr. Riddle. He was one of and \$2,500 for motorcycles, and the in- the many young men who only a few surance companies are made responsible years ago came westward. Recently, for all liability that accrues up to the the minister stated, he had been on a sum of the policy. If the insured motor trip with Mr. Riddle and the deviolates the conditions of the policy the ceased had told him of his experiences ompanies are still liable, but subroga- in the West-his early work in Portage ion rights against the insured are La Priarie, his life as a commercial granted. Companies are permitted to traveler and later his interest fix the prerequisites to the issuance or in music. The minister had wonpolicies, but when the policy is once dered "did he tell of his life as issued it is as binding as a steel chain. guided by some unseen power, as if I'wo weeks' notice of cancellation must be given, but the companies are held liable on public liability claims two weeks after cancellation.

DRASTIC PROVISIONS. It is held that while the provisions are drastic and binding to the last degree upon the insurance companies, they are conducive to the very best underwriting practice. Companies can accept or reject applications at will and may make their own terms and conditions, not contrary to the purposes of the statute, but once the policy is issued

is as binding as concrete. If the company pays the amount of the claim to the insured, instead of the claimant, if a third party, the company is still liable to the third party. There is no escape for the innocent, the wicked r the crafty.

It is assumed that automobile owners who are unable to get insurance are not permitted to drive, except by furnishing proper bond. Such cases might arise when owners have been convicted several times for driving while drunk or driving recklessly.

In this an incentive to abide by the For the second time within a few traffic laws is seen. The matter of inyears tragedy has visited the family of surance being compulsory, and at the James Staples, a former resident of same time left in the hands of the rethis city, who for a number of years has farmed near Moosejaw, Saskatche-habitual offender would be inclined to abide by the law, it is claimed, to a wan. The second tragedy, according to greater degree than is the case when word received by relatives here, took the only punishment is a fine or a short place a week ago, a tragedy which term in jail. In brief, it is believed that claimed the life of the head of the family. But a few years ago three of the insurance companies do, a traffic Utopia children of the family were drowned would be brought closer than at pres-



# EXTOL SERVICES OF LATE E. W. RIDDLE CITY TAX SALE Memorial Services Held In Saskatoon For Son of King Street Resident.

Riddle, King street, at Westminster

Chance To Meet Obligations.

mourn altogether-he has joined The tax sale which City Treasurer of Commerce' third resolution heavenly ranks. I believe his voice now sings the praises of his Lord and Masthat under the Danish insurance law a at Westminster. Represented at the There are about 40 properties involved

cupied by the former choir leader at services in the church during his life. It was covered with crepe and flowers. In his sermon the minister spoke roperty owners who have not yet paid their taxes to do so at the earliest possible moment in order to save the extra expense that a tax sale would add."

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS-ROYAL WINTER FAIR TORONTO. Account of the above, Canadian National trains leaving London at 7.15 a. m. and 9.00 a. m. and returning leaving Toronto at 4.15 p. m., 5.20 he were about to depart from us?" Although burdened with an ailment, Mr. Riddle never discussed his illness.

Live and 11.45 p. m., will stop at exhibition grounds, Toronto, November 13 to 21, inclusive, for the accommodation of Travelers welcomed him to membership, Corner.' his counsel was sought in musical Phone 80. circles. Mr. Riddle was always a helper

#### and gave his service unstintingly. As a personal tribute to Mr. Riddle, the minister declared that in all their experiences together there had never been helpful suggestions and had a sense of

Flood Fall Wheat Field.

The speaker was sure it would be the wish of Mr. Riddle that those remain-

beavers near West Lorne because of ministration In Ontario Can Be Imdamage they have caused to farm proved," by Dr. Horace L. Brittain, di-

crops in that vicinity. Farmers com- rector of the Citizens' Research Instiplained to the department and asked tute of Canada. who sees the wisdom of buying his Christmas jewelry out of income rather than capital, a convenient and a saving way, especially when you cannot buy cheaper for cash. See those English Tea Sets at \$28.00, and meet Johnston Bros, and wear diamonds, at 214 Dun-

out causing any property damage.

This is the first time in a number of years the department has been called upon to intervene in cases where beaver colonies had grown up. Over 40 Pupils To Classroom | Mr. Caldwell is expected back in London on Saturday.

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the late E. W. Riddle, son of Mr. George Owners Will Be Given Further

PROPERTIES

Sale Planned For This Fall Laid Over Until Spring.

Mr. Bell has decided on this course in way possible for the development of all order to give the owners a chance to pay the taxes without additional costs.

There are about 40 properties involved with a view to greater expansion of "Let the ve already and there may be more by next

Travelers, organizations to which Mr. Riddle belonged. A combined choir, made up of the male chorus and West-minister choir, led the singing.

Particularly impressive was the public liability insurance the anish Government has not taken intrace out of the hands of insurance out of the hands of insurance in the object of the purchase by municipal corporations, and we want to give every person an opportunity to meet their tax payments," Mr. Bell explained. If we take the tax debts which the properties intoget to approval of the Bonus Limitations of the sale the purchase by municipal corporations, which is a payment to give every person an opportunity to meet their tax payments," Mr. Bell explained. If we take the United Boards petition the Onsiderable cost would be added to the tax debts which the properties intoget to approval of the railway board or attorney-general, the purchase by municipal corporations, which is the purchase by municipal corporations, and the properties opportunity to meet their tax payments," Mr. Bell explained. If we take the United Boards petition the Onsideration in the United Boards petition the United Boards petition the Onsideration in the United Boards p until early next year we would make it possible for quite a number of owners to meet the tax bills and thus they would be saved considerable expense. It will be advisable for the purchase by municipal corporations, subject to approval of the ratepayers, of land for industrial purposes and sale of such land at cost plus accrued taxes and interest charges to date of sale.

loan associations in Ontario.

Highways and the tourist trade are subjects of several resolutions. The Border Cities Chamber will offer one recommending that the Ontario Gov-R13e-f,m,tu,th ernment do all in its power to assist the Tourist Association of Ontario in its activities. Preston Board of Trade will have one in regard to standardized road signs, and St. Thomas Chamber desires further discussion on a matter which was up last year — censorship of road maps and a standardized information bureau for tourists.

Dam Pond Near West Lorne and registration of delegates. Reports of the executive, treasurer and resolu-OFFICIALS ARE INTERVENING

The executive, treasure the account of the afternoon. The Thursday evening session will be a banquet given by the preston Board at Preston Springs Hotel. Addresses will be given on "Aims and Objects of the Tourist Aspartment of game and fisheries office sociation of Ontario" by Leon Fraser, here have been trapping a colony of secretary, and on "How Municipal Ad-

Consideration of resolutions will be In a short time the beavers cut down many young hickory trees on one farm and by daming an adjoining pond caused it to overflow, flooding a newly on organization of Essex County Desewn field of fall wheat. Other reports of damage on farms has been received by the department. W. S. Caldwell overseer, of the London district, is heading the work to clean the closing session, Friday afternoon, will be devoted to completion of unfinished According to reports the beavers settled in the pond early last spring, and up until recently carried on with-

# **RULED BY CHILDREN**

"Politeness In All Stages of Life," was the subject of a most interesting address given at the regular meeting of the Lorne Avenue Mothers' Club held last night by Rev. E. H. Versey. Mr. Versey urged on the mothers the necessity of teaching their children politeness and obedience from the cradle. He asserted that if children are to grow up with pleasing manners their training must be begun in infancy. Mr. Versey is of the opinion that in many modern homes the chil-dren are the rulers and show little respect for their elders. Mr. Versey would correct this condition by teaching them to value their parents' ideas. The speaker would discourage all forms of corporal punishment, feeling that in many cases the parents are themselves to blame for the ill-behaviour of their children. Training in unness, he felt, was the foundation

the Misses Edith and Florence Bartlett; vocal solos were contributed by Mrs. M. Skinner, and piano numbers

ents were received as follows: Mrs. Vining, Mrs. J. Adams, Mrs. Cootes, Mrs. J. Warden and Mrs. Howe. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served.

# 3½%-4% Huron&Erie Savings Department

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London Chamber of Commerce APPEAL TO VETERANS To Introduce Resolution At Convention of Western Ontario Boards of Trade In Pres- Asks That All Ex-Service Men Join In ton On November 19-20.

Save —

For a Fireside

of Your Own

Harry Wray, president of the Great has three resolutions on the agenda of per cent. turnout for the Armistice Day the Western Ontario United Boards of Trade convention to be held at Preston next Thursday and Friday, November 19 and 20. The first urges ficers and men join in the church parade the Ontario Government to develop all to St. Paul's Cathedral on Sunday, Nowater powers within the province, for vember 15, to do honor to the memory the purpose of extending to residents of our comrades who fell in glorious of all rural districts, as well as to those service to our beloved empire. in other municipalities, more electrical "The beautiful memorial service to the conveniences, and thereby make all heroic dead will be conducted by the parts of the province more attractive Rev. Dean Tucker, assisted by appropriate special music by the choir. "Please form up in front or the city hall at 2.45 o'clock p. m. on Sunday. "Authority is granted by Brig.-Gen.

to settlers. A second, if adopted, will call upon the Dominion Government "to give practical support and definite atention to commercial and industrial research, so as to develop the poten-King, D. O. C., for the wearing of uniforms by veterans who may be in pos-session of same. Veterans who are not tialities of our country and enable Canadian producers to compete sucin possession of uniforms will appear in essfully in the markets of the world." Whatever Government may become mufti, wearing medals and decorations responsible for the St. Lawrence development, after the present turmoil at niversary, to be commemorated by Ottawa subsides, will get a reminder if the boards adopt the London Chamber parade and service, will be represented by all ex-service men, and those still in active service, irrespective of creed, Bell had been planning for this fall the premier of Canada and his Govnationality or organization, in order has been postponed until next spring, ernment be requested to assist in every that we may keep ever in our memories undimmed by passing years, the great heroism of those who died in the cause

BONUS ACT

The Guelph Chamber returns to the attack with its resolution calling for a compulsory stop by drivers of motor vehicles at all railway crossings. One by the Essex Board which did not get thoroughly last year will be reintroduced, respecting statute amendment

Simcoe Board will bring up the matter of supervision of sales of farm lands

OPENING SESSIONS The convention opens on Thursday

Early Training In Politeness Urged By Rev. E. H. Versey. for good manners.
Pleasing piano duets were given by

In response to the appeal for visitors or the children at the Preventorium, the names of five volunteers who will go and take books for the little pati-

#### **ARRIVES HERE ON LAST** LAP OF A LONG HIKE

Joseph De Gagne, age 21. of Mon-treal, who is on the last lap of a 9,000-mile walking tour, arrived in the city from Windsor late yeserday afternoon. De Gagne, the picture of health and a fine specimen of French-Canadian youth, left Windsor early on Tuesday and expected to arrive in London yesterday morning, but owing to the in-clement weather he did not reach the MADE BY PRESIDENT city till 3 o'clock in the afternoon. To-day he will go to the city hall, where he will be officially welcomed to the city by Mayor Wenige and several prominent business men.

War Veterans' Association, has issued his long trek on October 27, 1924, and miles and has visited nearly every province in the Dominion and 21 states services on Sunday. The appeal is as of the Union. Over 6,000 miles of the follows:

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