

HORSES SOLD AT \$150 EACH

Good Prices Were Realized at
Sale in Southwold Tp.

ST. THOMAS, March 18.—The sale of C. F. Jackson, Southwold, yesterday of stock, farm implements, etc., realized \$23,170; 18 horses averaged \$150 each; 24 cows from \$45 to \$120 each, 22 cows about \$110 each, 1 mare sold for \$315.

Referendum Captains.
The captains selected to supervise the city districts in the referendum campaign which starts next week, are: Capt. No. 1, A. J. Ayerest, No. 2, J. L. Coutts, No. 3, F. J. Graham, No. 4, J. L. Coutts, No. 5, F. J. Graham, No. 6, J. L. Coutts, No. 7, A. A. Sutherland, No. 8, D. A. Cattaneo, No. 9, H. H. Cook, No. 10, Alfred McIntyre, No. 11, Nos. 12 and 13, J. Jackson, No. 14, Mr. Sutton, No. 15.

Se-Kind-to-Animals.
The Humane Society is arranging details for the be-kind-to-animals during the week starting April 12. The society has been advised that Dr. W. O. Stillman, president of the American Humane Society, had taken up the local shipping conditions, reported by Inspector J. D. Smith, and the results would follow. The society will hold a delivery horse contest and a competition in a prize essay in the local and county schools.

Cleared \$150.
The ladies of the Temperance Chapter, J. O. D. E., cleared \$150 at their very enjoyable St. Patrick's dance last evening.

The Ontario Temperance committee is busy in the referendum campaign. A banquet will be tendered Judge Colter at the Grand Central on Thursday next, on the evening of the retirement of the judge from active duties.

Ad. Worth \$2 a Word.
Mrs. George, who lost her purse last evening, found it a short time afterwards by a man who was advertising in the St. Thomas Standard. During a quiet moment at St. Patrick's church, last night, his worship announced the loss of a purse and a lady stood up in the audience and advised the mayor she had found the purse, and then and there returned it to the owner.

MAGISTRATES ARE NOT EAGER TO BE CORONERS

Proposal of Legislature Is Not Very
Acceptable To Officials.

ST. THOMAS, March 19.—Although the professional coroner's jury is giving way locally to more capable men and the number of members has been reduced at these official inquiries, the proposed burdening of the magistrates with the duties of a coroner is not acceptable to either. Both magistrate and coroner here concur with the other that this dual position requires some technical knowledge which is not generally to be found in the lexicon of the magistrates, and confusion might follow if the magistrates attempted to question a medical man on the details of a post-mortem. Yet there are not a few in St. Thomas who see small results as to effect of a verdict, criminally or otherwise, which may be found by a coroner's jury.

TWO WOMEN HELD FOR BIG ROBBERY

Eighteen Indictments Have
Been Returned by Federal
Grand Jury.

CHICAGO, March 18.—Two women were being held here tonight in connection with the \$500,000 postal robbery at Toledo last Thursday. They are Mrs. Myrtle Le Mack, the wife of a man for whom the police are searching, and Mrs. Margaret Monroe, her sister-in-law.

HAD BAD COUGH FOR THREE YEARS

The constant hacking, racking, persistent cough that sticks to you in spite of everything you have done to get rid of it, is the kind that is dangerous.

The longer the cough sticks, the more serious menace it becomes to your health.

There is no remedy that will relieve coughs—coughs that won't let go—like Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

It has a healing and soothing action on the air passages, and at the same time acts as a disinfectant of the respiratory organs, destroying the germs that produce serious lung complications.

Mrs. John Miller, Minburn, Alta., writes: "I had a very bad cough for three years. I went to several doctors and tried different cough medicines, but nothing seemed to help me. One day a friend told me about Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and after using several bottles I became completely relieved. I always keep a bottle in the house, and also recommend it to others."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup has been universally used for over 30 years, and so great has been its success, it is only natural that a great many imitations have been placed on the market. The genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper; 3 pine trees the trade mark; price 35c and 50c a bottle; manufactured only by The T. Milburn Company, Limited.

"They WORK
while you sleep"

Cascarets

FOR THE BOWELS

Do you feel bilious, constipated, head-achy, upset, full of cold? Take one or two Cascarets tonight for your liver and bowels. Wake up with head clear, stomach right, breath sweet and feeling fine. No griping, no inconvenience. Children love Cascarets, too; 10, 25, 50 cents.

MAY STRIKE TO MAINTAIN THEIR EIGHT-HOUR DAY

Union Workers in Chicago
Packing Plants Favor
Walkout.

CHICAGO, March 18.—By a vote of 21,482 to 207, union workers in Chicago packing plants went on record today in favor of a strike if they are "unable to induce the packers to maintain the eight-hour work day."

Telegraphic reports at union headquarters were said to indicate similar strike majorities in other packing-house centres throughout the United States.

The exact wording of the ballot on which the workers voted follows: "Do you favor and authorize a strike in the event that the Government or our organization is unable to induce the packers to maintain the eight-hour work day and compliance with agreement entered into with the United States department of labor?"

The agreement referred to was a wartime ruling which submitted all wage and hour disputes between the packers and their employees to a federal arbitrator.

The packers withdrew from the agreement on February 25 on the ground that the war was over. The union claims that the war has not officially ended.

After withdrawing from the agreement the packers announced wage reductions of from 12½ to 15 per cent and changed the work day from eight hours to ten hours before overtime would be paid.

The present strike ballot, it was said by union leaders, is worded in such a way as to make it possible for the strike to be averted at the packers-labor conference called by Secretary of Labor Davis to meet in Washington on Monday. The union leaders take the position, however, that if the packers refuse either to restore the former wage scale and hours or to submit the whole disagreement to the federal arbitrator the officials of the unions will be forced to order a walkout.

BASCULE BRIDGE MAY BE COUNCIL'S CHOICE

Prairie Siding Plans Being
Considered in Chatham
Today.

CHATHAM, March 18.—The bridge committee of Kent county council will meet here Saturday to determine the type of bridge to be built over the Thames at Prairie Siding. The majority of the committee favor a bascule bridge, as this type is more easily operated by machine or hand power.

Herbert Butler, alleged to be one of a gang of six robbers who have committed no less than nine robberies in this city, was sent up for trial by Magistrate Arnold in the county court today. Three charges of burglary and one of resisting arrest are laid against him.

At a special meeting of the General Hospital board plans were discussed for an important addition to the General Hospital. J. W. Watt of Watt & Blackwell, London, was present, and submitted rough sketches. No decision was reached, but it is believed definite plans will be considered at the regular meeting of the board next week.

Two oil wells and one gas well were shot on the farm of George Jubinville in Dover Township late this afternoon, the results of which have not yet been learned. Three hundred quarts of nitroglycerin were used in the work.

A number of United States army greatcoats, belonging presumably to deserters from the United States army, were sent to the O. C. Garrison at Port Wayne, Mich., today.

RECTOR'S FUNERAL BEING HELD TODAY

Services Will Be Conducted
by the Bishop of Huron.

ST. THOMAS, March 18.—The remains of Rev. W. F. Brownlee will be held in St. John's Church Saturday some hours before the services, and the funeral exercises will be conducted later by Bishop Williams of London. The interment will be made at Alvinston Monday morning. Following the services at St. John's Church, the remains will be taken to Alvinston by the afternoon M. C. R. train. A brother and sister, Mrs. Mary Lovell and Robert Brownlee, reside in Alvinston.

Machine Guns Mounted.
The German machine guns, a gift of the militia department to the city, arrived this morning, and were mounted in the council chamber by Sergeant-at-Arms Rendle. If necessary, for active service. The guns are so placed as to cover the mayor and council while in session, and after the fulfilling the object of their stay there, they will be removed to the rooms of the board of education. The weapons are fully equipped, and the belts ready for carriage.

Death of Arthur Dickson.
Arthur B. Dickson, a life-long resident of St. Thomas, passed away last evening at the Amnias Wood Hospital after a long illness in his 61st year. He had been employed with several contractors in the city. Mr. Dickson was an expert turner. His widow, two sons, and one daughter survive. Frederick and Talbot of the Michigan Central, and Gladys of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. George Dickson, if McIntyre street is a brother, interment will be in St. Thomas Cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Golf Championships Program At Winnipeg Is Approved

WINNIPEG, March 18.—The tentative program for the Canadian amateur golf championships to be played here August 22 to 27, submitted some time ago to the Royal Canadian Golf Association, has been approved by that body in its essential features.

The year's competition, therefore, as conducted by the Manitoba association, will present certain far-reaching innovations. The handicap limit to govern entries has been reduced to 12. It previously was 14.

The qualifying round has been done away with, and match play will be the order from the start.

Present indications are that the tournament will attract a large representative gathering of Canada's best players.

LARGEST RECORD DEAL ON MONTREAL MARKET

MONTREAL, March 18.—The transaction in the Canadian Car issues that featured today's trading on the local stock exchange, whereby one brokerage house bought and sold 15,112 shares of the common at \$2.25, was the largest ever recorded on the Montreal market.

The block of common represented over 30 per cent of the total number of shares outstanding, while the transfer of preferred represented some 14 per cent of the senior securities. The transaction was a forthcoming from the firm which executed the order. The most likely conjecture that was put forward in explanation of the deal was to the effect that the transaction was probably necessitated by some change in the United States group interest in Canadian Car.

SECOND CHESS GAME TIE

HAVANA, March 18.—The second game in the world's championship chess match between Dr. Emanuel Lasker, the German master, and Jose Capablanca, the Cuban expert, resulted in a draw tonight after the 40th move.

The first game, played Tuesday and Wednesday nights, likewise resulted in no decision.

The third game will be played Saturday night.

NORDHEIMER'S

YEAR-END SALE

The Greatest Sale we ever held

Another bargain! This time it's our Lansdowne Piano, selling at a price that makes it the biggest bargain of all we have offered in this "THE GREATEST SALE WE EVER HELD."

Thrifty buyers are quickly taking advantage of the startling price reductions and easy terms on all special sale offerings. Only a few of the High-Grade

Colonial Pianos are left. Amazingly reduced prices and exceptionally favorable terms are quickly clearing them out.

The pure, rich tone and beautiful design of the Colonial Photograph invariably convinces its hearers of the amazing value offered in this instrument.

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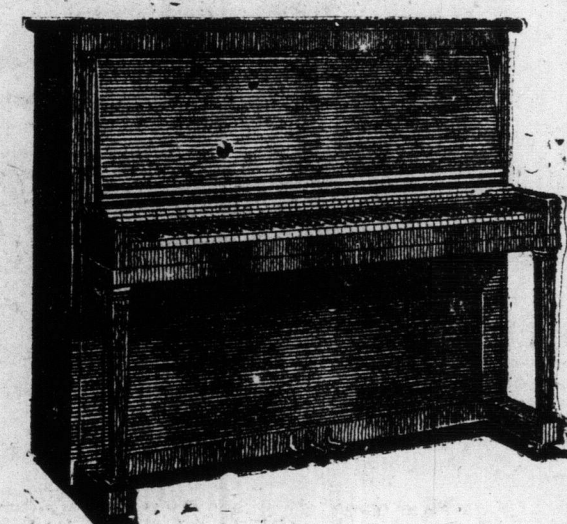
LANDSDOWNE PIANOS

Made in Our Own Factory

To Clear at \$490
\$15 Cash \$4 Weekly

The "Lansdowne"—built in the Nordheimer factory, by Nordheimer craftsmen on the Lansdowne scale. High grade in every particular, but designed and executed in a less costly way to meet the requirements of those who desire the insurance that goes with a Nordheimer product at lower cost. Simple but elegant in design, possessing a tone of delightful singing quality. In polished mahogany and fumed oak.

Special Sale Offer \$490
AND SPECIAL TERMS AS ABOVE



4 Nordheimer Pianos At the Special Reduced Prices

Out of our sale allotment of 25 Nordheimer pianos we still have one of each style at the special sale price. Renowned for beauty of tone and design, the Nordheimer Piano is seldom, if ever, sold at reduced prices. But to bear out our statement that this is the "Greatest Sale We Ever Held," we have greatly reduced the prices of every one of these instruments.

Terms if desired. Moderate down payment, easy instalments. The Nordheimer guarantee goes with every instrument.

THE RENOWNED COLONIAL PIANO \$348

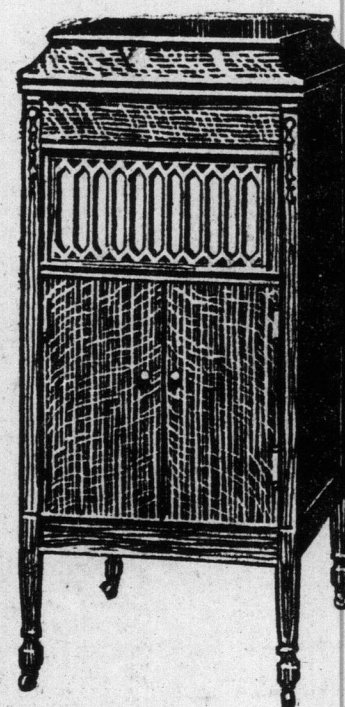
\$142 Less Than Regular Price

\$10 Cash \$3 Weekly

The most critical musicians have been delighted with the glorious tone, sensitive touch and artistic beauty of this instrument. Furnished in mahogany, walnut, and fumed oak. Case double veneered inside and out. Full overstrung scale, seven and one-third octaves. Finest spruce sound board. Endwood compound key bottom, continuous hinges, Boston roll fall. Double Repeating action. Fully guaranteed.

Regular Price \$490 Sale Price \$348

A stool will be supplied with each piano. Free delivery anywhere in the city. Instruments will be packed for outside points ready for transportation.



The Colonial Player-Piano

Made for the Nordheimer Company and guaranteed by us. Over 75 per cent of the pianos manufactured in the United States are players, and Canadian factories are turning out more every year. For homes where there are no musicians we strongly recommend this instrument. Finished in beautiful mahogany or fumed oak, with \$15.00 worth of music rolls (your choice), and bench to match. Previous price, \$850.00.

Sale Price, \$640

Easy Terms.

THE GOLDEN VOICED COLONIAL PHONOGRAPH

\$5 Cash \$2 Weekly

Our special offer for this sale will be a special allotment of Colonial Phonographs, in rich mahogany and oak finish. Plays all Records—Universal Tone Arm—Dependable Double Spring Motor—Tone Modifier—Wood Throat and Tone Chamber—Record Shelves. To make this offer even more attractive, we will give 20 double disc 10-inch records—40 selections—absolutely FREE.

Regular Price \$160 Sale Price \$122

In addition to the above bargains we have a number of well-known phonographs, standard makes, taken as part payment on Vocalions. We will offer these at very low figures to reduce our stock.

Nordheimer Piano and Music Company, Limited

318 Talbot Street, St. Thomas.

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OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK DURING SALE

LIST OF FAILURES SHOWS A DECREASE

TORONTO, March 18.—The weekly list as issued by R. G. Dun & Co., shows a decrease in the total number of failures throughout Canada, in comparison with last week's. The total for the week ending today is 34, as compared with 35 last week, and 45 in the week ending February 25.

Quebec Province with 17 has the largest number of failures this week. Ontario had 6; Saskatchewan, 6; Manitoba, 4, while Alberta, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island have a good record for the week, no failures being reported. A year ago the total for the Dominion was 16.

BRANTFORD, March 18.—Relief work in the city will cease within a week, it was stated today by the chairman of the board of works. This is due to the fact that all of the work in the city which can be carried under existing weather conditions has been exhausted.

Relief work will be undertaken to give the unemployed work for three days a week as soon as spring is sufficiently advanced.