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London, Ont., Tuesday, August 1

SAVE THESE BOYS.

HE River Thames may be slothis suggested.

the long summer vacation, with daily, lines had failed to carry. dusty walks to the river, and the pranks on the bank, with the sudden dive into the depths of sparkling coolness, while a begemmed shower marks the spot. The boys become as musk-

earth for the waters. Sometimes they dare too much. Each the enterprise will suffer. year some home bears the sickening shock of a boy borne home, stiff and stark. Then for a day there is a small form in a casket, and "six little companions acted as pall-bearers." That is all the story. The public forgets these hot days. The Senate votes, the numbers that are lost in London, against the report of its foreign reand in a hundred other cities. We lations committee, to have President spend more to save horses and pigs Wilson intercede for Sir Roger Caseand sheep from harm than we spend ment. It might puzzle the Senate to

Society does destroy these boys, in of "copperheads" in 1861? and not the lungs of a man.

in this regard. But where this falls down is the failure of many alled awimmers to save their on lives. It would seem that this liver Thanes takes more lives than many alled awimmers and a constantly maintained. Those lives are cocan resort, where lifequard are one stantly maintained. Those lives are worth saving, and no man would be grounded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be required to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be required to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be necessary to restrict the sport to certain prescribed attack on Germany, or the lambs on the river, it would be necessary to restrict the space, there should be produced to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be necessary to restrict the space, there should be produced to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river, it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to maintain a lifeguard at certain places on the river it would be recorded to extremely a life that the latter in the stand that had the life of the latter in the stand that had life the life of the latter in the stand that had life the life of the latter in the stand that had life on the latter in the stand that had life on the latter in th first great payment. Much is being done have asked its correspondent to state

at night. We certainly have little fear of crooks, because conditions make this city a poor pasture for the evilly-disposed to browse in. We have a lot of petty little grafters, who hang about poolrooms and filch some miserable odd

at night. We certainly have little fear system" will be held responsible.

I.Ike a common murderer in the find a single article that I use for my find a single article that whisky for some Indian with a burning culprit escape his just deserts. ing fry that makes it unsafe to leave that saved Northern Ontario. a window open-we have little trouble from them. It is one of the consolations of not being a great city, and many a fering from an attack of Kiel Canal man, if he had his way, would dispel fever. the illusion of a city's greatness being counted by its automobiles, its cabarets, its crooks and the general badness that goes with bigness.

Probably the worst thing we have in London is the set of vicious maga-

zines, which are principally concerned with the adventures in depravity of the rich and poor across the border. Member Audit Bureau of Circulation. Any harm that can be done by the inane "sex" stories which have large sales here is to be combatted. But certainly we can dispute with Detroit her self-imposed title of "the city where life is worth living."

NIAGARA POWER BREAK-DOWN.

HE ADVERTISER has repeatedly

called attention to the absolute dependence of Western Ontario upon the Niagara power system. Such constructive criticism was not made without a first-hand knowledge of the troubles which have always been encountered by those localities which put their whole faith in Niagara Falls current constantly to keep the wheels moving and the cities and homes lighted. Western and Central New York have had a hydro-electric power system with greater mileage than the Ontario system for many years. Long before Ontario entered into its development of hydro power, cities such as Rochester, Buffalo and Syracuse had I ful, but when one considers the secured Niagara power, transmission five budding lives it has enfolded this lines extending for hundreds of miles in month, the sloth of the boa constrictor various directions. The system had not long been installed, however, be-Boys will be boys, and will not be fore breakdowns caused serious indenied the refreshing fun of the deep, dustrial losses and affected the radial cool waters that flow along the old- railway situation. Serious storms refashioned swimming-holes of both sulted in suspensions and the company branches. Nor should they be denied operating the power lines found it nethe strength and manliness that swim- cessary to install secondary steam plants ming bestows upon youth. It is one of which were kept in readiness to take the glorious seasons of a boy's life— up the load which the transmission

It is doubtful if any private company could continue to operate a business which suffered as many breakdowns as the Niagara power system in Ontario. A private power company with the sun, each day with its new would be compelled by public opinion adventures and uproarious mirth, the tricking of Bill, or the tying up of "stand up" to its task every day in the Fred's clothes, perhaps a dishabille week. The Niagara power system has chase through the meadows, and a been new and popular and the public grouchy man after them. They soak has made due allowances. At the sam themselves in the fun as much as the time it must be recalled that three water, and for those months at least years ago Sir Adam Beck, referring to are the original barefoot boys, with the constant interruptions during the only Mother Nature to watch over summer season, said that no further them. Few are the evils that have birth | breaks would ever occur. The interat a swimming hole. The boys live ruptions have continued, and with great himself with another mark of infamy. primitively, and dare to spurn the inconvenience to the public. It is time for less promising and more action of

LIGHT-HEADEDNESS.

HERE must be some light-headedness in the United States during give a reason why Casement should get And each of them a young god, with off, after his poor tools have been shot. immeasurable potentiality. Each life If the reason be British expediency, worth millions to society in the hope that is purely Great Britain's business. and the chance of achievement, each Any other possible reason is harder to life rich in the love it receives and see than a rain-cloud, and the exbestows, yet the attitude of society is pediency of a pardon is very doubtful. that there cannot be much done about These American senators are too it. The poorest of them is worth provincial to realize that Great Britain all that each and all of us could pay. is in a life and death struggle, and that To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Society does destroy these boys, in one sense. It is not the river. The river is NOT a boa constrictor. It is bountiful in its gifts to mankind, and everyone knows that man cannot live in his bathtub or in the ocean if he is unable to keep his head above the element that is for the gills of a fish, be that the Allies planned the assassingle of the control of the c element that is for the gills of a fish, be that the Allies planned the assassinand not the lungs of a man.

Society owes it to the boys to guard ation of the Austrian prince so as to ing from his morning delivery at St. Society owes it to the boys to guard set Europe afire. Might not the Globe them. Teaching them to swim is the boys agreed the correspondent to state obliged to drop the London business.

odd day when a businessman in no other meaning possible than that he way possible. is not swindled by these brazen thieves, with their fake soliciting games, their fortune-telling tricks, and that the head of the German race and their pickpocketing. To whose

poolrooms and filch some miserable odd demned to pay with his life. May found to my very great sorrow that dollars from inebriated farmers, or buy never a British subject live to see the

The Deutschland seems to be suf-

Our idea of a really polite man is one who can thank the tax collector for a receipt.

Oh, to be an honorary colonel! Think novel his best girl is reading."

Who Can Express the Feelings of a Mother On Discovering Her Child Riding With the Garbage Man. BY FONTAINE FOX



the chance of being patronized by 'the bosom friend.'

Kaiser Wilhelm sanctioned the murder of a brave man, thereby stamping By the agency of the honorary

olonels and the New York papers, the Conservatives believe they can reestablish Sir Sam Hughes.

Another great phase in the folly of Camp Borden is the danger of forest fires, brought home by the appalling loss of life in Northern Ontario.

Hon. Robert Rogers, through Winnipeg Telegram, a Conservative ing the Liberals with an election. First vacation." thing the Hon. Bob knows the country will be taking it as a promise.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE P

Is It the People's Railway?

Casement, drawing a pension from the back of these boys, it is a pittance compared to his destruction.

Society does destroy these boys, in Society does destroy the society does does not a society of the one selected to entertain her. In the one of the one society of the one selected to entertain her. In the one of the one of

What was my surprise a few days ago on meeting the son-in-law returnall owing to the manner in which the ter hustle if you're going to get that wouldn't be quite proper, would it?"

The city is full of crooks—gypsy thieves, fortune-telling crooks, touts, magazine soliciting crooks, charity crooks and pickpockets. The office buildings and the apartment houses of humanity, sentence passes of farming, and the one with especially that of a milk-producing that of a milk-producing that of a milk-producing the specially that of a milk-producing farmer, not even a rallway needs closer farther down the car. The train startment, or one with the specially that of a milk-producing that of a milk-producing that of a milk-producing farmer, not even a rallway needs closer farther down the car. The train startment, and the one with the specially that of a milk-producing that of a milk-producing farmer, not even a rallway needs closer farther down the car. The train startment of the specially that of a milk-producing farmer, not even a rallway needs closer farmer.

But what about the citizen of Lonand their pickpocketing. To whose is as guilty as any murderer who so-called radial form of railway ser-unteered, wheeling in his chair. specific interest is it that these paraset that the gallows. Even though sites are permited in Detroit?—Debenefit? The old steam rallway does she said that counted so much; it was the statement that the kalser gave his better than this. But as I measure the way she said that counted better than this. personal approval to the execution may the situation, London will not wait ND in London some people never be incapable of proof, it is promised very long ere its citizens will pay 50 read?"

wonderful benefit we are wont to hear so much about? Simply the few that thirst for the white man's medicine.
But as far as annoyance from the weasels of crockdom—the small thlevweasels of crockdom—the small thlev
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> SUFFERER. SUGGESTIONS OF BOTH. [Louisville Courier-Journal.] can't quite make up my mind whether young Woggs is trying to be desperado or a mollycoddle." "Neither. He is conscientiously endeavoring to resemble the hero of the

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A Change of Mind

Dick Stevens, looking at the letter in she brings always wear glasses and talk about stuff I can't understand."
"That's too bad." She looked at him his hand, frowned darkly. "That's too bad." She looked sympathetically. "Do you kno she's going to bring she's going to have this time?" journal of the baser sort, is threaten- a girl home with her for the spring You can tell by her name that she

> "Well, what of it?" Jack Ackley bespectas stretched indolently on the cushioned other end of the car,

on the desk. "You don't know my sister,
do you? Well, she's a highbrow in Vasclass."

"Yes." His companion grinned.
"That's Miss Hughes, of the senior
class." ear, and whenever she comes home she "I knew it." Dick sighed. "But I'l brings along some bespeckled old maid only have to be with her for two days. giene, or something else that I don't Easter to visit my know anything about. And I'm always Ackley.

"By George, so I can!" Dick looking up hopefully. "I'll go to New York to visit you next Monday."

"All right, I'll be looking for you."

Jack glanced at his watch. "You'd bet"Maybe I could," she smiled. "But it

buildings and the apartment houses are infested with petty swindlers. It

"Would you like something to

"No, thank you. It hurts my eyes to read on the train."

"Anything you say." "Well, I'm going to tell you my name first. I'm Dick Stevens, and I live in

still, lower the tax bills of the rate-payers. Then we could see the fruit, as well as feel it. Yours truly, decided twinkle in her eyes, "I've heard something about Linden. I always thought it was quite a little place."

"It is, sometimes." Dick admitted. "but it won't be for me this vacation."

"Why."

"Well, my sister's a senior at Vassar. Maybe you know her—Betty Stevens."
The girl looked interested. "Every vacation she brings home some highbrow whom I have to entertain. The girls ronto, Ont. Price 35c.

"Yes, a girl named Mary Hughes. "What of it?" Dick threw the letter you know her?"

"Why is that? who talks about new thought, or hy-

railway had served him.

He tells me he must remain at the "Why don't you come along as far "You probably know my sister?"

The tells me he must remain at the las New York with me?"

Cholera Infantum is one of the most on, and at the same time one of ost dangerous summer complaints s, and many children have died uld have been saved had the emedy been used on the first sign of this trouble.

olera Infantum begins with a pro-

se diarrhoea; the stomach becomes, vomiting and purging set in, child rapidly loses flesh, and weak, prostrated and languid. A. Cirwell, Rossway, N. S., Extract of Wild Strawber nd of mine whose little daughwith cholera infantum was y the doctors. The little er asked me to come in and d. I told her I had a bottle ler's,' and asked her if she When the bottle was half ild was well. This cure was one, for I thought the ying at the time. child was

er's Extract of Wild Straw-Dr. Fow been on the market for the years. Anyone who has berry ha vill not accept a substitute. don't. When you ask for 's" be sure that you get it. The genuine is manufactured only by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, To-

ARMAIT A MINUTE

It would seem that a lot of clergymen are ready to place men on their honor roll as neroes who would not be allowed into heaven because they do not get the religious angle that they

The hotter the weather the more we admire the costuming of Adam and Eve.
An idea Sunday was enough to make a man sweat a ton.

Mrs. Vernon Castle has gone into mourning for her pet dog. The rain did not come. She must look well in black. However, this heat wave is starting a lot of things.

A Denver woman turned in a fire find her husband. He was probably "burning up wid the heat." The poet sings about the breeze that leaves kisses in the hair, but we want

so glowingly of Camp Borden, It seems that the Pennsylvania young lady who kissed 971 the buffet up there must be betsoldiers at one spasm comes ter than we thought. from Clearfield. She seems to

have had it.

The thing that is bothering the German crew of the submarine Deutschland is that the kaiser cannot guarantee them a pleasant Journey home. ANOTHER THEORY GOES TO SMASH

Where is the scientific guy Who told us just a year ago That every rainy, cloudy sky
That kept us shivering here below
Was caused by Europe's cannon roar
And that each dark and dampened day
Was brought about by foreign gore? Say, has that fellow gone his way?

For as I sit and mop my brow And wildly search the skies for rain-And read of how they're scrapping now, I swear the "dope" is smashed again I sweat and watch the dust blow by, And wonder if that scientist,
-broiling 'neath this rainless sky
Knows how his theory has "missed." -- Detroit Free Press.

Let us get together and sing a lay: don't mind the heat, but I do love

student in a California university, possibly learning to tango, fox trot and dip.

Houston, Texas, is going to have a "Know Your City" week. Some of us

Never mind the heat wave. Soon w will be eating corn on the cob.

We brought our umbrella down to the office on Monday to rain. Then we took it out

into our young life.

kisses. Oh, well, a fellow would hav to wear some sort of a gas mask to get away from some of the kisses. Judging from the opinions of New Time Table Effective May 17, 1916. a breeze that will leave dents in our some of the editors who write

the war. It is quite a joyful finish, too.

occasionally.

The mother of all, in her early days, Considered a fig leaf full dress; So what odds does it make what clothes dames put on?

now-And mind, I don't say so to scoff-Our first parents would ignore all public And even their fig leaves throw off.

A lady, 85 years of age, is a Our idea of a splendid day would be



Traction Company morning, thinking it was going Daily Excursion Fares and let a street car run over it. London to Port Stanley

Into each life some rain must fall, sings the poet, but we are doggone busy waiting for some rain to tumble Good on Any Day, Returning Same Day London and Port

An American psychologist says it is the uniform, not the man, that the gir

We will soon finish our second year of

An increase in the cost of Bibles is announced for New York, this being the zero thing in interest for New Well, he's sure of a chicken breakfast

ISN'T THIS RIGHT? Someone in your column remarks, "Ladies' clothes Are all right so far as they go," And I'd not contradict or hastily rise

And reply to his argument-no! For although ladies' skirts may be triced a bit high
And their blouses cut too low for

One has to allow that what's left of Gives protection enough to the waist.

And what they leave off matters less. think in such weather as we're having

-THE OLD 'UN.

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