

## NEW HOTEL STOCK CAMPAIGN WILL BE PLANNED TONIGHT

Committee Workers to Discuss  
Details at Luncheon This  
Evening.

### PROMOTER PLEASSED

Heavy Vote in Favor of Both  
the Bylaws was a  
Surprise.

Plans for the local stock campaign in connection with London's new million dollar hotel on Federal square will be materially advanced at a luncheon meeting of all committee workers at Smallman & Ingram's tonight at 6:15 o'clock.

James G. Trainer, vice-president of the Lynch Construction Co., New York, promoter of the hotel, and W. A. Lyman, vice-president of W. W. Ahlshlager, Inc., Chicago, architects for the building, arrived in town this morning for the preliminary conference with John S. Moore, manager of the London & Western Trusts Company, preparatory to attending the committee meeting tonight.

With Mr. Trainer and Mr. Lyman in the city it is confidently expected that details can be finally arranged in connection with the sale of the preferred stock which could not otherwise have been settled in an official way.

The interruption of the Labor Day holiday and other matters may possibly be considered by the committee tonight in discussing the advisability of holding over the stock campaign until after the Western Fair. The decision in particular will be reached at the meeting tonight.

J. J. McFadden, chairman of the hotel campaign committee, will preside at the luncheon, assisted by Clarence R. May, chairman of the sub-committee named by the larger committee to shape some of the details to be arranged from the local end as it pertains to the campaign.

Speaking at the Advertiser this morning Mr. Trainer expressed his gratification with the splendid vote on the two hotel bylaws last Saturday.

"It was a larger vote than I had anticipated," remarked Mr. Trainer, "and this fact, together with the fact that only two subdivisions voted against the bylaws, proved that the work of the local committee had been most successful."

Mr. Lyman, who is in London, however, is that only 28 votes separated the majorities on the particularly laws, and the results were creditable in view of the reports we had heard before the vote as to excitement being taken to the fixed assessment.

"Mr. Lyman and myself are here," concluded Mr. Trainer, "to do all we can to help the committee here put across the stock campaign as successfully as they did the bylaw campaign."

## MANY IMPROVEMENTS TO FAIR BUILDINGS

Grandstand Capacity Has  
Been Increased Over  
One-Third.

London fair is not yet a serious rival to the National at Toronto, but improvements to the fair grounds, which have been made within the past year point to the fact that in the not distant future this may become a possibility.

Changes on the grounds this year are numerous and varied. The horse and cattle barns have been greatly improved. The front, formerly unsightly board structures, have been replaced with attractive pressed brick entrances and it is hoped another year to rebuild the entire barns running back from these fronts. The interior of the barns has also been improved and accommodation for increased entries provided.

In front of the grand stand the changes are more considerable enlarged and put in place to furnish space for the staging of more elaborate attractions than the fair has had in the past. The grandstand seating capacity has been increased over one-third by the erection of splendid new bleachers on the north end of the covered stand.

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"Once there were five or six hotels in this vicinity," points out Dr. Stevenson. "One was needed badly, without much accommodation for the tourist at any place between Clarence street and the eastern city limits."

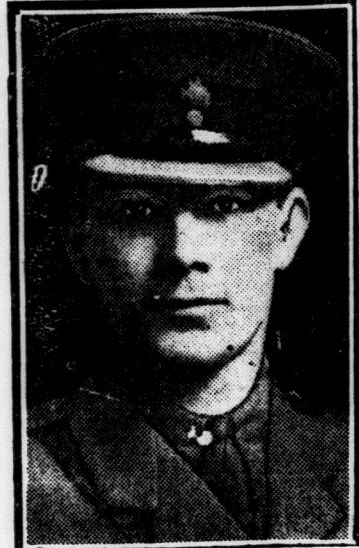
Dr. Stevenson suggests that business expansion will go east on both sides of Dundas street and does not believe the armories building will impede progress.

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LORD CHEYLESMORE,  
a former captain in the Grenadier  
Guards and now a confirmed rancher  
near Alix, Alberta.

## UNION BANDSMEN CALL MEETING

Will Place Details of Dispute  
Before the Fair Com-  
mittee.

The officials of the bandsmen's union will meet the attractions committee of the Western Fair board at 8 o'clock this evening in an effort to come to some understanding concerning the matters which have disrupted negotiations between the fair officials and the union bands in London.

It is the wish of the bandmen to place all of their cards on the table in a fair way, so that the attractions committee will see both sides of the dispute before final arrangements for fair week music have been completed.

The bandmen, it is understood, think that some consideration for their status as ratepayers should be given in settling the matter, and an appeal on these grounds will be made tonight.

On the part of the fair board the feeling is one of hope for an early and friendly conclusion to the dispute which has kept these two bodies apart. Frank Harley, chairman of the attractions committee, stated yesterday that the committee does not wish to act in an arbitrary manner, and on this statement the bandmen and others interested pin their hopes for a mutually satisfactory settlement.

Mr. Lyman and myself are here," concluded Mr. Trainer, "to do all we can to help the committee here put across the stock campaign as successfully as they did the bylaw campaign."

## BOARD MUST APPROVE FINAL SCHOOL PLAN

Trustees Face Lengthy Ses-  
sion on East London  
Problems.

Owing to yesterday's special meeting of the board of education failing to materialize for want of a quorum the regular meeting of the board tomorrow will necessarily be a lengthy one.

Consideration must be given at the meeting to the approval of the final plans prepared by L. E. Carrothers, superintendent of buildings and repairs, assisted by T. A. Munford, local architect, for the new east London collegiate institute. Provided the plans are approved steps will be taken to call for tenders immediately in order that a start may be made on the work this fall. The delay occasioned already means that the school cannot be opened next September, as at first anticipated, but that it will have to remain over until January.

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## LONDON SCHOLAR STUDIES ABROAD

Gilbert Tucker Sails For Eng-  
land to Take Post-Graduate  
Work.

Gilbert Tucker, son of Rev. Dean Norman Tucker of St. Paul's cathedral, sailed from New York this morning on the steamer Aquitania for England to take a post-graduate course in Cambridge university. Mr. Tucker is one of London's most brilliant scholars, and his present course in economics and history at Cambridge comes as the result of his winning the provincial scholarship in graduating for his degree as master of arts from Western university.

In addition to his arts course, Mr. Tucker studied medicine concurrently with the arts course, and has successfully completed his third year for the degree in medicine.

The post-graduate course in Cambridge will be an interesting one, periods of instruction and lectures will be alternated with two-month periods of research in the historical archives of old London. Mr. Tucker will complete his studies in England in June, 1926.

## PROGRESSIVES WILL NOMINATE FOR E. MIDDLESEX

London on 26th of Sep-  
tember.

The Progressives of East-Middlesex will nominate their candidate at a convention in the Masonic temple on Saturday, Sept. 26. It is a practical certainty that Archie L. Hodgins, the sitting member, will receive the nomination.

Efforts are being made to secure Hon. E. C. Drury as the chief speaker and it is believed that he will accept the invitation.

The list for the riding will then be complete. A. King Hodgins is in the field for the Conservatives and is busy making a personal canvass of the riding.

Dr. C. Ross, of Hyde Park, is the Liberal nominee, but it is believed that he will drop out and leave the fight between the Progressives and the Conservatives.

It is understood the Conservatives will not contest the west riding of Middlesex, where Liberal and Progressive candidates have been named.

## REAL SILVER FOXES WILL BE ON DISPLAY

Government Exhibit at Fair  
Will Be of Educational  
Nature.

Silver foxes "au naturel" will be exhibited for the first time in the history of Western Fair when the gates are thrown open on Saturday. The exhibit is not a competitive one, but is being loaned to the federal government live stock department to be shown as a display in connection with the government exhibit in the process of building.

The farming of black and silver foxes is gaining momentum each year in Ontario and the federal and provincial governments are desirous of showing the proper method of housing and caring for the foxes in order that prospective fox ranchers may get away to a fair start.

The foxes which will be on exhibit are being loaned to the government by the Agnew fox farms, New Hamburg.

## NEW TEACHERS ADDED TO DE LA SALLE STAFF

With the addition of two new teachers at De LaSalle school this fall there are now eight teachers in all on the staff of the school. The new teachers are Brother Leo, Windor, and Brother Boniface, Toronto, who with six others, members of the order of Christian Brothers, carry on the work of the school covering from the seventh grade to matriculation.

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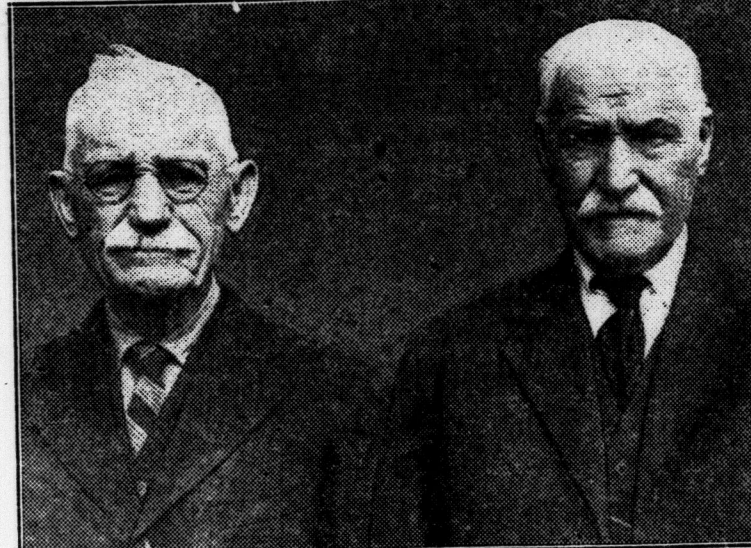
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SOUTH LONDON OLD-TIMERS.  
John Gerry (left), who left London 38 years ago and settled in Ontario, Canada. He is at present visiting his brother, William Gerry (right), at his Craig street home. This is Mr. Gerry's third visit to London since he took up his residence in the south. He returns next month and plans to revisit the city again in 14 years time when he will be 100 years old.

## IMMIGRANTS ARE ALL MAKING GOOD

British Families Want to Pur-  
chase Land Allotted to  
Them.

British families placed on Western Ontario farms abandoned by soldier settlers under the Dominion government plan of re-establishment are so pleased with their prospects in this part of the province that they want to purchase the farms. Bert Foyston, farm inspector of the S. C. R. states, "Seven British families were placed on farms in Middlesex, Perth, Bruce and Huron counties this spring and they are all doing well. Boys of working age, hired out to neighboring farmers and the families are well pleased with the outlook."

"There are from 75 to 100 of these farmers in Ontario now, the majority going to the West. The plan has been most successful the Dominion government funds, and plans are under way to place more families selected by the government, will come to Canada and Ontario next year. These people are most desirable and are bound to make good in Ontario, especially Western Ontario."

County Clerk John Stuart to call a special meeting of the Middlesex county council on Friday afternoon at 1:30 to discuss in detail the appeal of the township of West Williams against the increase of 25 per cent in county assessment passed at the June session. County Clerk Stuart has mailed notices to all members of the council, requesting their presence at the gathering.

The West Williams appeal came before Judge Macbeth and Judd last month, and was adjourned till Saturday in order that the court might satisfy themselves as to whether or not they had jurisdiction to decide the case. Reeve Tom Elliott of West Williams informed the court that the township fully understood that the appeal would cost West Williams a considerable sum of money if carried through, but that the equalizing and raising of the assessment 25 per cent in order to bring down the county mean, meant that farms in West Williams would be assessed for more than they were worth. He declared further that the court had no jurisdiction, as the bylaw equalizing the assessment was passed at a special and not an adjourned meeting of the council.

County Clerk John Stuart did not agree with the statement of Reeve Elliott, declaring that the bylaw was passed at an adjourned meeting of the council, and was perfectly legal. The judges reserved decision on this point.

Judge Macbeth will be done on the bench Saturday morning when the appeal comes up once more. At 10:30 a.m. as Judge Judd, who has been quite ill, is not recovered sufficiently to take his place on the bench.

## REV. T. W. STAFFORD TO CONVENTION SPEAKER

Toronto Pastor to Address  
Young People's Rally in  
London.

Rev. T. Wardle Stafford, D.D., Metropolitan United church, Toronto, has been secured as the outstanding speaker for the young people's convention to be held in St. Andrew's United church, London, on Monday, Sept. 21.

Rev. Gordon W. Butt, Tupperville, former chairman of the Methodist conference young people's committee, will preside for the opening exercises. The convention will consider the program to be followed by the young people of the London United church conference and will in addition, submit several resolutions to that effect at its inaugural session in Metropolitan church the following day.

It is understood that the convention is being considered of a new United church young people's association, or in other words, that the existing young people's organization will be continued for at least a year at the end of which time a better judgment can be formed as to the best general scheme to be followed.

Additional speakers to Dr. Stafford, who represented the Wesleyan Methodist conference at the first general council of the United church, will be the following: Rev. J. C. Robinson, Toronto; Rev. Frank Langford, Toronto; and Rev. James Findlay, London.

Rev. H. B. Storey, London, convening chairman of the London conference, will install the new officers for the ensuing year at the closing session of the convention, at which it is expected between 1,000 and 1,200 young people will attend.

UNITED FORWARD MOVEMENT. A special meeting of the local members of the United church was held this afternoon at the Metropolitan church. The meeting took up the arrangement of preliminary matters in connection with the forward movement. Other matters in connection with the United conference to be held here in the near future were also discussed. The meeting was well attended.

TRACK CROSSING IMPROVED. Hundreds of motorists who pass on Ridout street at Bathurst, have noticed the improvement that has been made at the L. and P. S. tracks. Previously at this track crossing the road has been very rough. The city has repaired the road at this spot and it is now in good shape. The road between Wellington and Clarence streets, on York street, has been under repairs for several days, and is still closed to traffic.

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## DEAN ADDRESSES ALUMNI MEETING

Former Huron College Students  
Gathered Here for Annual  
Reunion.

Recalling the theological school days of 1872 and the years following, the Very Rev. Dean Tucker, D.C.L., spoke last night at the annual meeting of the alumni of Huron college. His subject was "Reminiscences of Church Life." About 40 members were gathered in the historic buildings on St. George street.

"We are a little family of clergy gathered about tables and I am going to speak freely of the life of the clergy woven into the church," said Dean Tucker.

The students of today were largely the same as they were 50 years ago, said Dean Tucker. They were largely human. The colleges then were not as they are now. Dean Tucker attended a school known as "Divinity Shanty." He recounted stories of those school days, terms filled with study and after hours given over to athletics and practical jokes of the students.

Dean Tucker mentioned in his anecdotes the names of well known personages in the national theological life of the day, the Lord Bishop of Hamilton, the Lord Bishop of Algoma, and the Most Rev. Lord Archbishop of Nova Scotia. They were all mentioned as having been in the school that they might proclaim the word to the dominion.

The earlier students were not disposed to choose the way, but to go where they were sent. The call of the bishop was the call of the church and the call of God.

The dean said that God could overrule all things for the better. He could do what he pleased. He could tell what he had hoped to do to Western Canada so that he could tell what lay beyond the Red river. That was when the C. P. R. was pushing toward Winnipeg. He had hoped to see the Indians and the buffalo and did go west and it was one of the most important incidents in his life.

In June, 1886, Dean Tucker returned to Montreal to assist Dean Carmichael of St. George's in Montreal. It was one of the happiest positions. For there he learned that the dean should be and tried to carry out the ideal of the brotherhood of the ministry of the Christian church.

The minister also spoke of the times of his days when some bishops did not like to part with their clergy, but wished to jealously guard them in the confines of their own diocese. Just some adventuresome exponent of the gospel from the outlying parts ask for needed help in the hinterland.

Bishop Williams spoke briefly of the contribution of the alumni to the buildings of Huron college. They had raised funds for the heating plant, re-commissioned them on their work saying that the work they had done was the least of what they would accomplish in the future.

The Rev. A. C. Wright occupied the chair.

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## Early Strike Settlement Is Prediction of Miners; Fuel Famine Ridiculed



SENATOR JOHN LEWIS,  
who in his new appointment to the  
Canadian upper house "hopes to be  
able to discover opportunities for  
usefulness in the second chamber."  
Senator Lewis was formerly an editorial  
writer for the Toronto Star, and  
recently with the Toronto Globe, for  
which he was acting editor, on the  
question of support to the King gov-  
ernment.

## DEMERT INQUEST IS ADJOURNED

Probe Into Live Wire Fatality  
Will Be Resumed Friday  
Night.

An inquest into the circumstances surrounding the death of Edward Demert was opened last night by Coroner Dr. J. C. Wilson, when the remains were viewed at the George Logan funeral home by a jury.

The inquest was adjourned until Friday evening at 7:30, and will be held in the court house.

Demert was almost instantly killed yesterday when his hand came in contact with a high voltage wire on a pole at the intersection of the Sarnia road and Bessie hall.

The jury, which was summoned by High Constable Wharton, is composed of Messrs. W. Bolton (foreman), F. Paige, F. Hewitt, D. A. O'Dell, J. Spies, J. Lambourne, M. Gaud, J. Millman and A. Cox.

His body was shipped to Midway last night to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ignatius Demert. The funeral will be held from the residence of his father on Friday morning to the Midway Catholic church, where requiem high mass will be sung at 9 a.m. Interment will be made in Midway Catholic cemetery.

The victim was 25 years of age, and had been working for the rural hydro department for over a year. He is survived by his parents and two sisters in Detroit.

Most of the people down there have acquired the supply of winter coal at a price about one-quarter what we in London pay," he concluded. "Possibly that accounts for their unconcern over the approaching cold weather, but all agreed that the strike will not be of long duration."

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