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THE WEATHER: Probabilities—Fair and Warmer.

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TWENTY ACRES FOR EAST SCHOOL SITE

LONDON WILL ENTERTAIN 75,000 VISITORS DURING 1926

PARK AND 2 SCHOOLS FOR EAST LONDON

Government Will Not Sell Less Than 20 Acres—Price Understood To Be \$20,000

MANY ERRORS IN BUYING LAND FOR CITY, SAYS BECK

Trustees Will Probably Be Unanimous For the Purchase of Community Center.

Sir Adam Beck will likely attend this afternoon's meeting of the Board of Education, to participate in the discussion on the purchase of a portion of the Ontario Hospital property for an East End Collegiate site.

Members of St. David's Church Build Own Parish Hall



By The Free Press Photographer. The members of St. David's Anglican Church are building their own parish hall. The carpentry work is being done by the men of the congregation, and on the holiday there was no end of helpers.

RAILWAY MEN ASKED TO TAKE CUT IN SALARY

Reduction of Five Per Cent., Top To Bottom, Urged In Britain.

DARLINGTON, England, July 2.—(Canadian Press Cable.)—While a centenary of the British railways was being celebrated here, to-day proposals were submitted by the railway companies to the railway trades unions for a combined self-denying ordinance in an endeavor to solve the present serious condition of affairs as between the employees and the companies.

Used Matches On Electric Stove

Apparently they know little or nothing about electric matches. At least one, in the opinion of the Utilities Commission officials here following an incident that occurred yesterday.

FORMER BANK EMPLOYEES IN \$50,000 SUIT

Ex-Members of Home Staff Claim Damages For Discharge From Imperial.

TORONTO, July 2.—(Canadian Press.)—Acting on behalf of John Hearst, H. G. Mason and T. B. Clarke, formerly branch managers, and A. W. Harri, formerly a accountant, all with the Home Bank of Canada, Gordon N. Shaver has issued a writ claiming \$50,000 damages from the Imperial Bank of Canada.

WILL ASK ELECTION ON "WET" TICKET

Novel Idea In Municipal Ballotting For Come-Back By Ex-Ald. Gordon Drake.

CANDIDATES TO BE ELECTED NO LONGER BY WARD VOTE

Mayor Wenige Will Seek Another Term If He Does Not Enter Federal Field.

Will London have a "wet" Council of eight in 1925? At least one alderman says he is going to stand boldly as a wet candidate next year.

Motorist Is Fined \$20 For Attempting To Use Markers of Year 1921

Arthur Bresott Finds Painting Old Vintage License Plates Not Real Economy Move.

Rather than purchase license plates for the current year at a cost of \$14, Arthur Bresott, 35 years old, hit upon the scheme of painting a set of 1921 markers in the colors of those issued for 1925.

CONDITION SERIOUS



CHARLES PAPPWORTH, member of the local fire department, who was burned beneath burning debris when a barn in which he was fighting a fire collapsed.

WILL RECOMMEND CLEARING RIVER

Board of Health To Bring Matter To Council.

Chairman Says Work Should Be Started At Once.

The local Board of Health will recommend to the City Council the immediate clearing of the Thames at its next meeting.

KINKORA MAN TAKES FATAL POISON DOSE

Frederick Fletcher, Despondent Over Ill-Health, Swallows Strichnine.

TWO KILLED IN EXPLOSION AT CARBORUNDUM PLANT

SHAWINIGAN FALLS, Que., July 2.—Henri Beauregard, 35 years old, and Eddie Moran, 27, were instantly killed this morning when a boiler 20 feet long exploded at the Canadian Carborundum Company at Shawinigan Falls.

TWO DARING ROBBERS SHOT BY WESTERN TOWN MARSHAL AFTER HOLDING UP CASHIER

Second Bandit Slain While He Covers Crowd With Revolver In Effort To Recover Companion's Body.

MANY ARE TO VISIT THE CITY NEXT YEAR

Ten Conventions and Old Boys Will Swell Number of Guests To High Figure.

CANADIAN UNION OF MUNICIPALITIES HERE

Plan To Make London Take Place She Should Occupy As Convention City.

London will be host to 75,000 visitors in 1926, according to plans now under way to bring conventions here next year.

The conventions which will come to the Ontario City next year are: Dominion G. W. V. A., of the Dominion Legion, if it is in existence then; Police Chiefs of Canada; Canadian Stationary Engineers; Women's Institute; Western Ontario Dairymen's Association; Canadian Union of Municipalities; Canadian Electrical Association; Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants; Canadian Horticultural Society; the B'nai B'rith of Canada; the great Jewish international organization; Other associations with which the city is negotiating now are: The Osteopathic Association of Canada; the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

WARRANT OUT IN MAY, 1924

Came from Detroit To Spend the Holiday.

FAKE INDIAN CHIEF IS SENT TO PRISON

Laplante Conducted Lecture Tour Subsidized by Italian Countess.

CHARLES TUCKETT DIES AT GUELPH SANATORIUM

GUELPH, July 2.—Capt. Charles Tuckett, son of the founder of the Tuckett Tobacco Company, Toronto, died at the Homewood Sanatorium here yesterday, after a few days' confinement to his bed.

MUCH DAMAGE FROM FLOODS

WARSAW, July 2.—Dispatches from Galicia and Teschen state that the damage wrought by the floods there has surpassed even that of the 1920 inundations. Three hundred thousand people are reported without shelter and \$2,000,000 relief is needed.

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THE WEATHER

FAIR AND WARMER. Forecast: Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, fair and somewhat warmer to-day and on Friday.

Table with columns for stations, temperature, and weather conditions for various locations like Victoria, Calgary, Winnipeg, etc.

OFFER PEACE TERMS TO RIFFIAN LEADER

Conference Frames Proposal To End Strife in Morocco.

ARGENTINE SWIMMER TO TRY ENGLISH CANNEL

BOULOGNE-SUR-MER, France, July 2.—Miss Lillian Harrison, the Argentine swimmer, will attempt to swim the English channel in the latter part of all week or early next week if the present fine weather continues.

ASK OF TRINIA TO ABOLISH BESCO

Mine Locals Make Charges Against Corporation.

TROOPS BACK WAGE CUTS

Way Paved By Months of Enforced Idleness.

HOME RELIEF GRANT READY IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS.

LIQUIDATOR IS PREPARING BRANCHES TO GET LIST AND PAY OUT 35 PER CENT.

REBUILD CALIFORNIA CITY SPANISH STYLE

Santa Barbara Business Men Decide On Construction Plan.

SENATE UPHOLDS PAINLEVE

PARIS, July 2.—The French Senate unanimously voted confidence to-day in the finance Government's Moroccan policy.

PAY DEPOSITORS THROUGH BANKS

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FREIGHTER HELD AN HOUR ON LEDGE OF ICEBERG

NEW YORK, July 2.—The story of a collision off Cape Race, with a towering iceberg which held the United States Shipping Board freighter Sergus prisoner on a submerged ledge for more than an hour, was told by Capt. A. G. Velleo, commander of the vessel, when she docked here yesterday.

FINAL CABINET MEETING

OTTAWA, July 2.—Cabinet meets this afternoon for what is expected to be the last gathering before the holidays.