INTERESTING PROGRAM FOR SOCIAL SURVEY EXHIBITION

Its Presentation Will Be Decided Novelty as Well as Means of Securing an Insight Into Existing Conditions Here.

That the London Social Survey Ex-| creation and Amusements" will form hibit, to be held under the auspices of the subject of an address by Rev. W. the Men's Federation of London, in R. McIntosh, B. A. Professor James the council chambers of the old city Bowman will speak on "The Next hall, will prove a decided novelty as well as a method of obtaining an insight into existing conditions in the city, is evidenced by the program

A half-hour lantern lecture illustratwhich has been drawn up for both ing the social conditions in London Friday and Saturday, during which will be the feature of the evening. days the exhibit will be held.

At 2 o'clock on Friday the exhibition will be declared open for the in- charge. spection of the public. The interval Saturday afternoon, short addresses from 3 to 5 o'clock will be occupied will be given as follows: "Religious by addresses relative to the work of Education in London," Rev. W. J. the federation, Following an address Knox, M. A.; "Charity and Hospital by Mayor Graham, Rev. Thomas Mit-Conditions," Lieut.-Col. Wm. Gartchell will speak on "What the Men's Federation hope to achieve." "The F. Maine, Methods of Social Surveys," illus- At the trated with lantern slides, by Dr. Wal- health conditions in London will be ter A. Riddell, of New York, will also given by Dr. W. H. Hill, followed by a be given. Ten minute addresses will lantern exhibition on the subject of an be given in the evening, commencing address by Rev. W. H. Harvey, B. A., at 8 o'clock. Dr. Walter A. Riddell will and an insight into the city's indusspeak on "Social Purity in London," try, will be given by Henry B. Ash and some interesting side lights will be plant in "Wages and Industrial Condithrown on the subject. "London's Re- | tions."

portrayed. Dr. Riddell will have

Saturday afternoon, short addresses shore; "The State of Evangelism," J.

At the evening session a talk on

KING WINTER AGAIN GRIPS LONDON IN HIS ICY GRASP

Chases Mercury Down to 5 Below, and Leaves a Trail of Nipped Fingers, Ears and Noses in His Wake.



The second cold snap of the winter struck London on Sunday and sent the five degrees below zero. A terrific blizzard has been raging through Illinois, Indiana and Michigan, and this city received the culmin-

ation of the blow. Throughout the country around London heavy snowfalls accompanied the cold wave, making traffic practically impossible. The biting wind occasioned intense suffering.

The city fortunately escaped the added distress of a snowfall, which would, indeed, have put a crimp into fts running schedule. Vehicular traffic was practically at a standstill last night, and few pedestrians were to be seen on the streets. Those who did venture out were bundled in such a manner as to resemble the Eskimo of "movie" fame. Even at that, J. Frost degrees. Pedestrians will testify, however, that it did not loiter at that point found them, in his icy, disagreeable

Trains On Time.

Rail traffic was not hit as hard as might be supposed. At the Grand Trunk station all trains were running nearly within their scheduled time with the exmercury tumbling to ception of the International Limited which

was half an hour late.

C. P. R. trains were reported "on time" the heavy mogulis of the company having little difficulty with the cold.

The London Street Railway Company. fearing a general tie-up, got out its sweepers early, and the big "brush vagons" quickly removed the loose snow hill gave some trouble, the slippery rails any possibility require such censor-me ing it almost impossible for a car to ship. clinio.

The big cars of the London and Lake Eric Transportation Company maintained their regular time.

Many Nipped Noses.
As a result of the cold spell, many nipped noses and ears were in evidence, and doctors were kept busy all day thawing, pinching and otherwise alleviating pain ccasioned by mischlevous J. Frost. The ambulance calls were sent in to police

headquarters.
The highest notch to which the mercury

MAY BE BROUGHT INTO THIS CITY

tion Work and Extend It to London.

UNITE WITH L. AND L. E.

General Manager Warburton, of Latter Road, Receives Outline of Proposed Scheme.

General Manager W. N. Warburton, of the Lendon and Lake Erie Railway and Transportation Company, has recelved a communication from Councillor William Proudfoot jun., of Goderich, outlining a proposal to revive and bring to London the defunct Ontario and West Shore Railway. Mr Warburton regards the proposal as one of vital importance to the city of London, and has told Mr. Proudfoot to take it up with the civic authorities in London.

It is understood that the town of Goderich and several other corporations which made grants of various kinds to the bankrupt line, are ready brought by ay of the Proof Line road, passing through Lucan and other centres of population, to London is the view that Mr. Proudfoot

Would Join London and Lake Erie. He stated to Mr. W rburton that if possible those who are ceeking to revive the road would like to join their I've with the London and Lake Erie, running from Port Stanley to London, In this way a continuous radial line disk Nickle, Joseph Martin, M. Magano between Lake Huron and Lake Erie and Alex. Anigito. would be effected.

Mr. Warburton is of the opinion WANT TO CONTINUE that the city of London would be glad to go into the matter. For years many prominent citizens have advocated the construction of such a line to Lake Huron, among then T. H. Smallman, who thinks that there could not be a better line built for the benefit of the city then out Richmond street. In fact, for several years the London street railway had under consideration the extension of its line out the Proof Line road.

Will Take Up the Question, As a result of the correspondence with Mr. Warburton it is anticipated that the own of Goderich and the other municipalities will get in touch with London at once. Whether or not this line could be made - hydro radial is not known. It would not be built along a hydro right-of-way line, and whether there are to be hydro radials built excepting along the transmission rights-of-way is not known.

CANNOT SAVE YACHTS.

[Canadian Press.]

New York. Feb. 9.—All hope of saving Prederick W. Vanderbilt's yacht Warrior tranded on a reef on the Colombian coast, has been abandoned.

Practically everything of value was

RESTAURANT 'SCRAPPERS'

Toronto Police Want Men Who Participated in Riot Here, on Charge of Robbery.

London and Toronto detectives today are looking for two companions of Ralph Proposal to Revive Construc- Hardie at present under arrest in the Queen City alleged to have taken part in a number of recent robberies in that city. Hardie and his companions are the young men who a few weeks ago started the fight in the Alexandra restaurant that resulted in a riot call being sent into police headquarters.

Detective Jarvis, of Toronto, who arrested Hardie found papers on his person that led the Toronto detectives to com-municate with the local officers in their efforts to ascertain if Hardie's companions were still in this city.

The men appeared before Magistrate J. C. Judd, and not being able to pay the small fine imposed upon them, served a short term in the county jail.

If the men are found in London they will be detained until definite information is secured from the Toronto authorities. CHARGE G. T. R. LABORERS

WITH FREIGHT CAR THEFTS

One Dozen of Them Appear in Police Court and Plead Not Guilty.

One dozen foreigners, employees of the Grand Trunk Railway System, appeared before Magistrate J. C. Judd today, charged with stealing two boxes of butter and two crates of eggs, valued at \$70, to undertake t anagement of the from a bonded Grand Trunk freight car road, a good stretch of which has on Sunday. The men all pleaded not been built. That the line could be guilty and elected summary trial.

brought by ay of the Proof Line Magistrate Judd listened to evidence in which nine of the men charged with theft stated they were asleep when the robbery was supposed to have occurred. and three swore that they had had nothing to do with the affair. Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop, not being prepared to go on with the case, and the men being unon with the case, and the men being unable to secure ball, all were remanded until Wednesday morning. The men locked up were G. Zompatine,

STEAMSHIP LINES

[Canadian Press.] The Pennsylvania, Lehigh Valley and Northern Central Railroads have asked the interstate commerce commission to permit them to retain their steamship lines after July 1, the, date upon which the Panama Canal law decrees all rail lines shall dissociate themselves from competitive

water lines. The law empowers the commission In its discretion, to permit the rail-roads to retain such ownership if such a condition is for the best interests of the territory the rail and water lines serve.

SUICIDE AT LEAMINGTON

Leamington, Feb. 9-About seven o'clock on Saturday night, Joseph Mooney, who lived on a farm a few as been abandoned.

Practically everything of value was ripped from the yacht by the crew of the Relief and will be sant to Mr. Vanished an inquest, being cartain it was will from Kingston.

DELEGATE SARGENT.

St. John, N. B., Feb. 9.—The report of the meeting shows that Mr. Sargent did not directly refer to Mr. Clatter by plied to the reduction of the assessment for 1912, under commission government, shows a surplus of nearly \$105,000 on the plied to the reduction of the assessment for 1914.

TO STREET SHOWS ON CITY'S MARKET

John F. Madden Thinks Council Should Exercise Veto Power.

Some interesting disclosures will be READY TO SECURE FUNDS

Correspondent Is Anxious to See Old Boys' Reunion Made Successful Celebration.

The Crisis presses on us. Face to face with us it stands, With solemn lips it questions Like the Sphinx in Egypt's sands, This day we question destiny, The web of fate we spin; This day t

Choose we holiness or sin; Even now from starry Gerizim Or Ebal's cloudy crown, We call the dews of blessing, Or bolts of cursing down.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: I am sure that I speak for a large number of the citizens of the city of London when I protest vigorously against the action of the board of control in allowing the use of the market square as a show ground during the Old Boys' Reunion next August. This is a case where the council might very well exercise their veto if they have the power to do so. Every right-thinking person is heartily in accord with the spirit of the reunion, but comparatively few are ready to approve of a celebration such as we had three years ago.

If the reunion is impossible without raising funds in the manner proposed by the association the sooner it is discontinued the better. It is said that the shows which are admitted will be wagons quickly removed the loose show and lines and little difficulty was experienced in keeping the tracks open. The York street introduce any feature that could by

Ready to Subscribe. It should not be difficult in this city to provide the necessary funds by subscription for carrying on the celebration in a manner that would appeal to the good judgment and sense of propriety of all the citizens. I am prepared to subscribe for such a purpose hospitals reported no serious accidents and would undertake to procure sub-caused by slipping on the icy walks. No and would undertake to procure sub-

> The chief of police was reported after the last Old Boys' Reunion as saying that it would take six months to recover from the bad effects of the icense and misbehavior on the streets. eral of these gentlemen, and I find that some are strongly opposed to the suggestion and that others who signed the petition did so under pressure from customers which they could not well resist. If these shows must be brought to the city there could scarcely be a less desirable place chosen than the market square with its fringe of grog-

Questions Its Power.

It is very doubtful whether the board of control has the power as a matter of law to allow the use of the ette Walker, of Grand avenue; market square for such a purpose, Ann Lind, of Colborne street; and I am advised that they have no No reasonable person would object to he board of control or council doing either, or both of these thing, to further a rational and respectable celebration, but if they insist upon proceeding upon the lines suggested it ustification for legal proceedings at the instance of a ratepayer to prevent such action. May I express the hope that this matter will be more fully considered, and that we may have a eunion in which everyone can hearty and conscientiously join.
Yours truly, JOHN F. MADDEN.
London, Feb. 8, 1914.

Voice of the People

To the Editor of The Advertiser:
Without at all denying Col. Sam
Hughes' right to insist upon Canadian
riflemen having any artificial aid they
deem necessary to them, I would like to
point out that the Ross rifle—any Ross
rifle can easily be made to conform with
the revised Bisley rules and without damaging that arm. aging that arm. Admittedly the Ross rifle is the best in

the world, the object of the Bisley meeting is to discover who are the best shots in the Empire—all things being equal. If Col. Hughes insists on an obvious and appreciable handicap being given to Canadian marksmen, the Bisley meeting is of no value so far as Canadians are concerned.

The matter should be explained to Col. Hughes; it is easier to alter a couple of dozen Ross rifles than some thousands of

As to Col. Hughes having to go to a foreign power for information concerning a British arm, there is a class of man who goes into a British office to bully the boss and most inevitably gets referred to the office-boy. AN ENGLISHMAN. London, Feb. 9, 1914.

Mr. Sargent Explains.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: In answer to Teacher of Saturday February 7th. I wish to say that have been placed in a false position in regards to using Mr. Slatter's name As the delegate from the Trades and Labor Council who opposed military training in schools, I wish to state definitely that never once did I introduce the name of Mr. Sh.tter. I was not attacking the man, but his profession

MAYO RBY ACCLAMATION.

the board of education was to protest on behalf of Trades and Labor Council against the introduction of military drill in the public schools. Note the distinction, military, not physical drill. I agree with Teacher that good, clean, healthy sports are more beneficial than

OLD BOYS' HOME GUARD INSPECTOR KENNING WILL FURTHER PLANS

To Complete Reunion Arrangements As Soon As Council Passes Recommendations.

The London Old Boys' Association does not propose to have the reunion in August interfered with by the criticisms of local ministers. The president, Dr. H. R. Abbott, stated to The Advertiser today, that the criticisms were not worrying him, and that after the recommendation—of the controllers to grant the use of the market for carnival shows had been passed by the council, a meeting of the home guard would be called to further arrangements for the reunion.

"This matter was thoroughly threshed out," said Dr. Abbott, "and I believe that the good people, the average citizens are with us in this matter. As one comer said to me this morning, it is simply absurd for the ministers to draw such a fine line on the amusements. The action of the ministers in handing out criticisms will not prevent us from going ahead."

BACK UP GOVERNMENT FOR NAVY SUPREMACY

Representatives of City of London Give Assurance of Support.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Feb. 9 .- "We must have a country to squabble in, and the only way to assure that is a full policy of insurance, as represented by a supreme A remark made by Sir Edward Coates, a Unionist member of Parliament, was the keynote of a meeting today of representatives of the city of London, held at the Guildhall, under the presidency of the lord mayor.

The requisition for the meeting had been signed by about 1,000 of the leading bankers, merchants, shipowners, etc., of all political creeds, and it was held for the purpose of assuring the Government that the citizens of London would cordially support it in any measures necessary to give effect to the recommendations of the admiralty to a measure for the supremacy of the navy and the security of British com

A resolution in this sense was unanimously adopted by the meeting, which represented hundreds of millions of

Arrested After Two Years Search

In face of this it is inconceivable that anyone should advocate a repetition of such conduct. It is said that the merchants whose place of business are adjacent to the market square are in favor of the proposal of the Old Boys' Association. I have interviewed several of these gentlemen and T find. Chittick this afternoon.

Dale was wanted on a charge of obtainng goods under false pretences from T

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majority of her nieces and nephews among whom are ex-Reeve James Murray, of Wilton Grove; Mrs. Jean-David Watkins, of Westminster Town power whatever to grant money to the ship; Mrs. James Lamb, of 22, Byron Old Boys' Association for the reunion. avenue; Mrs. Margaret Skelton, of Wellington street, north; Samuel Riddell, of St. Mary's; Robert Riddell, of Nissouri; James Murray, of Chicago; William Murray, of Port Huron (sons of a sister of Mrs. Beattie, this famceeding upon the lines suggested it ily of Murrays being related to Mrs. seems to me they would furnish some Beattie's family only through marriage); and Mrs. James Stevenson, of Dorchester Township.

Among her nephews and nieces on her husband's' side are: Miss Chris tiana Routledge, Mrs. Margaret Beat tie, and Mrs. Baker, of Lambeth; Mrs. Crinklaw, of Westminster; Andrew Beattie, Westminster; Mrs. Archibald Sharp and Miss Grieve, of Central avenue, London; John Grieve, in the United States; and Miss Mary Ann Grieve, of Edmonton.

Mrs. Beattie is a member of Knox Presbyterian Church, South London. She clearly remembers her first communion in Canada at a meeting on the courthouse square under Rev. William Proudfoot. Mrs. Beattie lives with Mrs. M. Smith, at 50 Byron avenue.

IN POLICE COURT

peared before Magistrate J. today, facing the charges, drunk, dis-orderly and theft. Correll elected summary trial and was remanded unti Tuesday.

Correll is alleged to have stolen

Correll is alleged to have stolen a quantity of "eats" from the Gem Restaurant Clarence, street, while the owner was out of the building. In court he attempted to shield a companion who was with him at the time. After a few words with Magistrate Judd he gave the other young man's name to the police and both will appear before Magistrate Judd tomorrow.

Tony Manni and James Champlain were found guilty of fighting on the street and taxed \$3 each.

Then first time drunks were allowed to depart with a warning.

VERY LARGE ENTRY FOR WINNIPEG BONSPIEL

[Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Feb. 9.—With 170 entries mail to open yet, the outlook for close on to 200 names going into the hat Tuesday, when the first draw takes place for Winnipeg"s bonspiel, which Wednesday morning, is very bright. Eighty-six outside entries have been received, and 84 from city rinks.

Windsor Inland Revenue Officer Who Died Sunday Lived For Some Time Here.

Inspector James H. Kenning, of the inland revenue department, Windsor, who died in that city Sunday after an illness of two years' duration, was born in this city, April 26, 1835, and spent a part of his early life here. fore removing to Hamilton with his parents. Later he, lived for some time in this city, and was well known to many old residents of London. He went to Windsor from Winnipeg in 1887, subsequently being appointed

inspector of inland revenue for the Windsor district. He is survived by his wife and three, sons and four daughters, residing in Windsor, Port Arthur, and Victoria, B. C.

TO CONTROL FLIGHTS ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

American Aero Club Wants to Prevent Haphazard Attempts.

New York, Feb. 9.—To prevent haphazard flights of avlators in attempts to be first to cross the Aflantic Ocean in an aeroplane, the Aero Club of America has taken steps to gain control of the situa-tion by deciding to ask the co-operation of the Aero Club of Great Eritain in hav-ing the flight declared a race, thereby bringing it under the jurisdiction of set

what caused the Aero Club officials to take immediate action reports that plans to build three large water flying aeroplanes had been financed in this city, and that the aeroplanes were now in course of construction. To have these and other aeroplanes dashing off toward Europe in a helter-skelter fashion would create general haves in the outpion of the Aero. eral havoe, in the opinion of the Aero Club's officers, with the plans for furnish-ing wind maps of the Atlantic, warships patrols of the proposed route, and an auxiliary patrol of private yachts near the Newfoundland and the Irish coasts

CHARLES MANNING

Accused as Accessory in Murder of Wife-Miss Herdman Committed Suicide.

Canadian Press.]
Newark, N. J., Feb. 9.—Accused as an accessory to Miss Hazel Herdman, the mother of his 18-months-old boy, who on Friday shot and killed his wife, and ended her own life the following day, after confessing her crime, Charles I. Manning today was held in custody, while funeral services were held over the bodles of the two victims of the love drama, of the ictors, in which he alone remains.

From his cell Manning made the arrangements for the funeral of his wife. while Arthur J. Herdman, the Pomption turnpike keeper, claimed the body of his daughter and arranged for its burial. Early today the police detained Mrs. Sadie E. Garrabrants, sister of Manning, with whom he has lived since his separation from his wife, and she is being held as a material witness in the case.

Manning made no effort to escape INDUSTRIAL COMMISSIONER ISSUES NEW BOOKLET

Has Attractive Literature Prepared

Setting Forth London's Advantages.
Industrial Commissioner Gordon Philip has issued an attractive booklet, setting forth the advantages of London, and illustrated with maps and pictures of leading business houses. Interesting statistics of London's growth, commercially and otherwise are given, along with numerous reasons, why manufacturers seeking new locations should hike to the Forest City. The booklet will be distributed under the auspices of the new industrial

NOT BROUGHT HERE

Worthless Check Passer, Who Operated in London Goes To Kingston.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Charles against J.

Lambkin, recently appointed by the Dominion Government as a special officer dealing with white slave conditions, were made at a meeting of the Methodist Union of Temperance and Moral Reform. The charges are in brief that Lambkin has been rather too friendly with cafe proprietors, and that his evidence before the license commissioners was so notice ably unimpressive that it aroused caustic comment from Mr. Recorder Weir. It was decided to report the affair to Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Inspector Kincaid's Death.
The death occurred in Victoria Hospital on Saturday of Robert Kincald, a veter-inary surgeon, and Government inspector of animals at Hamilton. The funeral will be held from the home of his brother, John Kincaid, 55 Byron avenue, on Tuesday, at 2:30, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and will be private. Service will be held at the house at 2

Buried at Woodland. The funeral of Mrs. Richard Raw-Fred Lyons, charged with a breach of the liquor act, pleaded guilty, and was given the option of paying a \$10 fine or going to the county jail for the next 21 The funeral was largely attended. The pall-bearers were: R. Craswell, E. lings took place from the family resi pall-bearers were: R. Craswell, Griffith, J. Fraser, W. Campbell, Griffith, and W. Braund. Rev. W. C. Riddiford, pastor of Egerton Street Baptist Church, conducted the ser

Dies in Hospital. Thos. Simpson, of Clandeboye, died in Victoria Hospital on Saturday, after a long illness. Interment will be made in St. James' Cemetery at Clandeboye, where the body was forwarded received, and Saturday's and Sunday's this morning by Smith, Son and Clark, undertakers.

The death of John McGuffin occurred

Death of John McGuffin.

vesterday evening at his home, 463 Dufferin avenue, after a five week's illness. He is survived by his wife, Lottie, and three daughters, Mrs. May Iudson, of London Township, and Leah and Edith McGuffin, a home. Services will be conducted by Rev. A. J. Johnston, paster of Dundas Centre Church, Wednesday at 2 p.m., and interment will be made in Siloam Ceme-

Missionary Program.-The Centennial Methodist Epworth League will give a special missionary program and social evening tonight.

Simplified Spelling Address-Professor James Bowman will address the Dundas Centre Epworth League this evening on the subject of "Simplified Spelling." Will Arrange for New Church.-The board of trustees of the Ridout Street

Methodist Church will meet Thursday evening to make arrangements for the evening to make arrangements for the new churchh to be built soon.

To Repeat Playlet.—"Alice in Wonderland" will be presented by the young people of St. Paul's Sunday School in Cronyn Hall Wednesday evening. The play is repeated by request, and was given some time ago at the Sunday school entertainment.

St. Andrew's Managers-The monthly meeting of the board of managers of St. Andrew's Church will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Liberal Club Elections. The election of officers for the Liberal Club will be held at the Liberal Club on Wednesday, between 8 and 10 o'clock and on Saturday between 8 and 9

o'clock. First Aid Certificates.—In Wesley Hall, on Thursday evening, a public meeting is to be held, at which first aid certificates in connection with St. John Ambulance work are to be presented. Miss Sanders, of Toronto, general secretary, will speak.

A Correction.—Through an error in the dog show records it was stated that Mrs. H. E. Short, of 24 Evergreen avenue, London, was a St. Thomas exhibitor. Mrs. Short cleaned up the prizes with her three Pomeranians, three Maltese and four French poodles.

Opposed Market Shows. - Controller Hubert Ashplant replies to the criticisms of the ministers, with the statement that with the mayor he opposed the granting of the market for show purposes, and suggested a conference between representatives of the several bodies interested in the hope that an amicable arrangement could be arrived at.

Three More "Pinched."-The Grand Trunk detectives, with the aid of the London police force, rounded up three more members of the gang who are alleged to have broken into a Grand Frunk freigh car last night in East London. They are: Vittono Pacini, Rochettie Urelio and Ruffani Guido. They were arrested about 1.50 o'clock this afternoon in the bar of a local Recital by Mr. Craig-W. G. Craig,

of Toronto, will give a recital on Shakespeare's "Hamlet" in St. An-drew's Hall, Monday evening, at 8 clock. The entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Young People's Society. This is Mr. Craig's second visit to this city, and a rare reat is promised to those who attend Sex Hygiene Lecture.—Dr. W. H. Hill, director of the Institute of Pub-lic Health, addressed a large audience of men at All Saints' Church yesterday afternoon on the subject of sex hygiene. He dealt with his subject from a purely scientific standpoint and pleaded strongly for personal purity and the abolition of the double standard of morality so prevalent. Dr. Hill urged the formation of an association among young men having as its object the wiping out of venereal diseases in much the same manner as

consumption is dealt with.

Flag of England Ballad.—The Flag of England, a patriotic ballad by Sir rederick Bridge, and a program of raried numbers to be given in Centennial Methodist Church Tuesday evening, is one that should secure the patronage of all music lovers. When this work was given in St. Andrew's Church some time ago, it was conseded by all to be a most artistic triumph. Centennial and St. Andrew's churches will be assisted by Mrs. H. V. Hamilton, of Hamilton, Ont., who will sing several solos, and the obligato part in the cantata, and Mr. E. A. Webster of the First Methodist Church. chorus of 100 voices will be under the

direction of Bert Weir. CHARGE PRESIDENT WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

C. H. Paine, of Memphis Bank, Held Accountable For Nearly a Million.

[Canadian Press.]
Memphis, Tenn., eFb. 9.—C. H. Paine, president of the Mercantile Bank, is charged with embezziement. The accounts of the bank, which is a state institution. are alleged to be short between \$700,000 and \$1,000,000. State banking officials ordered the institution closed after the eputed shortage became known yester

THE TUDHOPE MOTOR COMPANY WOUND UP

Order Made on Petition of Walking Around With Cigar-Cleveland Manufacturers -Proposition Made.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 9 .- An order winding up the Tudhope Motor Company of Orillia has been made at Osgoode Hall by Mr. Justice Middleton on the petition of Parish & Bingham, of Cleveland, manufacturers, creditors for over \$2,000. The company was incorporated with a new capital stock of \$500,000. A proposition was mooted for satisfying the trade creditors' claim with preferred stock of the Fisher Motor Company, of Walkerville, but the petitioners objected. and it is held that they cannot be compelled to accept the proposition by the majority of creditors.

HUGHES AGAIN BAILED

Inion Life Director Will Return to Ed monton Until May. [Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Feb. 9.—Dr. Frank S. Hughes, dentist, of Edmonton, and director of the defunct Union Life, arrived in the city this morning from Galt and going to the sheriff's office, declared he placed himself in custody.

to the sheriff's office, declared he placed himself in custody.

The bail of \$20,000 granted by Judge Beck, of Edmonton, actually did not expire till tomorrow, but Dr. Huges' counsel applied before Judge Latchford this morning for bail, which was accepted in sureties of \$5,000 each from Dr. Wardlaw, Dr. Anderson and J. B. Hughes, of Galt, in addition to the prisoner's own bond for \$15,000. Dr. Hughes announced that he would leave tonight or tomorrow for Edmonton again, there to await till May, when the case is set down for hearing again.



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BIGGER LICENSE FEES TO MAKE UP REVENUE

The choir and soloists of Proposed Change in Act For Small Places—Legislature Session To Be Short.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 9 .- Pre tions for the session of the Ontario Legislature Indicate a short one, and the intention of the ministers is to complete the business by Easter at the latest. Hon. J. J. Foy, attorney-general, will lead the House, and will, if it is

mecessary, start the morning sittings early in the session. The most contentious piece of legslation is the workmen's compensation act, and the desire of the manufacturers to eliminate the office staffs from the scope of the act may be granted in order to lessen the opposi-

tion to the act. There is likely to be little change in the license act. An increase in the license fees for the smaller places has been considered, it is understood, with a view to making up the losses to the revenue sustained by the cutting off of so many licenses through local option and the Canada temperance

PREMIER WHITNEY PAST DANGER LINE

Sir George Ross May Be Taken Home.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 9 .- Dostors McPhedran and Clarke report this morning that Sir James Whitney is past the langer line, and is progressing toward ecovery. Sir George Ross is in fair condition, and may be removed to his home at any time. Whether he will ever be restored to health, his physi-

clans cannot decided yet. Dr. Goldie is still hopeful. Sir James rose this morning, dressed imself, and walked about in his suite smoking a cigar. It will be against the advice of his physicians if he goes back to the Legislature this year. They advise retirement from political life and a long holiday.

GLAD TO SEE SUNDAY CARS

J. J. Turner Pleased With Results of Second Vote.

Dr. J. J. Turner, a former London stock broker, and now an osteopathic physician in Toronto, was in London today. Several years ago, Dr. Turner, with the late Rev. V. J. Gilpin, then pastor of the Unitarian Church, was active in the Rational Sunday League, which helped to carry the first vote in favor of Sunday street cars.