MUNICIPAL CHICKENS COME HOME TO ROOST

Short Sighted Policies In Past Mean Heavy Expenditures Now.

Municipal chickens have all awkward habit of coming home to roost. Shortsighted municipal policies of bygone

ng his tenure of office as an alderman. ontended that the present sanitary sewer system of London was not only obtained from single story structures nadequate to meet the demands im osed upon it, but was, at the same me, a detriment to public health. He one of those responsible for bringng the storm-water sewer system into being, and while this will undoubtedly will be insufficient to give all the re-

Engineer Willis Chinman, of Toronto, tary system in the 90's, and who is now a charge of the storm-sewer work going in this city, has declared that an expenditure of \$36,000 on the sanitary

n a statement to the board of works he engineer prepared a recommendation for the expenditure of that amount of money in providing a dup-licate trunk line sewer from the syphon chamber at Evergreen avenue to the Cove sewer farm. He pointed that his original plans called f 36-inch sewer for this "trunk," but that 20-inch main. This latter was inade quate to handle the sewage, and was hoked the entire time. To put the sanitary system in anything like proper heapest and most efficient way would be by the construction of a "duplicate"

The engineer also condemned the present septic tanks, declaring that, with the exception of two, they were and that the type in use was costly o clean, as witness the present heavy expenditure for this purpos

LONDON MAY ADOPT THE ONE STORY SCHOOL

That London will be among the first, not the very first, of Canadian cities o adopt the one-story school seems ot only probable but more than like-

Yesterday School Inspector C, Edwards and a deputation of the chool board, including Messrs. Silveryood, Dennis and Hayman, went to lochester, New York, to study the ne-story schools in that city. ording to educationalists in this city. the result of this inspection will be in enthusiastic report for the adop ion of the one-story schools in this

inspector Edwards is already a convert to the one-story school "It's no longer a question of wheth-

Why People Feel Depressed In the Cold Weather

s tiredness and languor so ed that the cold of winter drives Normally one-fourth of he whole blood supply is in the liver, and when more blood is accumulated that organ everything goes wrong. No better remedy exists than Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are composed such vegetable extracts as Mandrake and Butternut, and possess wonderful liver stimulating powers. It's a marvel the way Hamilton's Pills clear the blood of the poisopour ear the blood of the poisonous umors. They put new life into wornout bodies, build up the appetite, bring back a reserve of nerve energy, tide folks over the cold days of winter and he depressing days of spring. For and body comfort get a be box of Dr. Hamilton's Pills co-

CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tonque is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs.

Every mother realizes after giving "California Syrup of lgs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender ittle stomach, liver and bowels withit griping.
When cross, irritable, feverish or

breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a easpoonful of this barmless "fruit axative," and in a few hours all the oul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has tomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, olic - remember, a good "inside

nla Syrup of Figs" handy; they knjw a teaspoonful today saves a sick child omorrow. Ask your druggist for a co-cent bottle of "California Syrup of ps printed on the bottle. Beware of deplorable one, and was brought to the ounterfeits sold here, so don't be attention of the Ontario Government till you see the hats. They're perfect bies, children of all ages and grownoled. Get the genuine, made by authorities by the relatives of the man dears," alifornia Fig Syrup Company."

er they are the best kind or not, it's simply to see how they are built," declared Mr. Edwards to The Advertiser he one-story school is the logical type of school for present-day education cannot be beaten for efficiency ght, ventilation and the general health

'The day of the old cramped quarof ventilation for schools is gone forever. Every effort is being made to mprove the type of buildings, and I believe that the one-story school is the nearest perfection that can be at-

"Health experts tell us that children must have the most light and air available for their class rooms. We cars invariably mean costly expendi- know this and we know from experience that better work is possible better buildings. Therefore, I am convinced that with the light, air and ventilation that can be we will have the best results."

AN OPEN LETTER CONCERNING PEACE

The National Committee for Pa triotic Service desires to call atten tion to a peace propaganda, emanating from certain neutral coun tries, and being now circulated in

Letters and circulars in praise of peace have been issued, calling or women all over the world to unite n a great effort to stop the war. In some cases, signatures to a petition are requested; in others, member ship in a peace society. In these circumstances, the committée calls ur attention to the following considerationa:

Most Favor Peace.

Few, indeed, are the men or women who would hesitate to declare themselves "in favor of peace," neutral nation can hate war with half the intensity of hate felt by the dens. But declarations in favor of peace may be represented as condemning all who fight, and such use has been made of them during this war. Though we may hate war, and though we may admit that there is always wrong at the root of war, yet we cannot unconditionally condemn all war, nor regard all belligerents as equally guilty. History teaches us that nations and individhals have been compelled to draw the sword in defence of the rights of the weak and of the principles of truth, honor and liberty holding these dearer than peace, and even

No Scramile for Gain. The war in which we are now engaged is no mere scramble for gain quarrel over rights in which all parties are alike to blame. It is rather a struggle between the printhe policeman and the armed criminal whose liberty is a menace to the neighborhood. In such a conflict. neutrality has no particular merit; while to entreat the policeman to stop fighting does not tend to pro-

Defending Weak

long a period of terror and insecur-

We have drawn the sword to de-fend the rights of the weak, the liberty of the many, and the pledged honor of the Empire. To sheathe he sword before these ends are achieved is to render useless the sacrifice of countless lives already laid down in defence of these great nciples; for could we at this juneture secure peace, we should but leave to our children a dreadful legacy of hate and uncertainty. would be, in truth, not a peace, but a truce, lasting only until the na tions had recovered sufficiently to test the issue once more by an ap-peal to arms; and, worse than all, we should leave Belgium to its fate as a German province

Women Bear Part. Shall not the women of this country bear their part in this war with the same high courage and steadfastness of purpose as animate our

And what is our share? To possess our souls in patience during war's hardships and uncertainties; to refrain from embarrassing our rulers by demands for a premature and illusory peace; to prepare ourselves for the new conditions and duties which peace will inevitably bring, while applying ourselves to the peculiar tasks imposed by war; and, above all, so to bear ourselves, as to be an inspiration in courage and self-sacrifice to he men who are fighting for our Empire-and for us.

Right, Not Might. When Germany has learned that right is stronger than might; when the mailed fist no longer threatens Europe, then may we hope for a peace which our children's children may inherit. And with such a peace, we may hand on, unbroken, the great traditions of our Empire-honor unstained, liberty safeguard-

ed, justice vindicated. Such are some of the conditions to be considered before we unreservedly condemn war, or make petitions for immediate peace. Signed on behalf of National

Committee. Mary R. Gooderham. President. Adelaide M. Plumptre, Secretary.

77 King St. East, Toronto. This letter was sent to The Advertiser by Mrs. H. A. Boomer.

LASHES FOR INCEST

man in Revolting Case.

[Special to The Advertiser.] GUELPH, March 3. - Five years in cleansing" should always be the first tashes, ten on his entry and ten one department displayed its wares most tion of his time, was the sentence meted out by Magistrate Watt in the ones at least were not sparing with bottle of "California Syrup of William Mould, a man of about 45 which has directions for ba- years of age, after his having been

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In using Catarrhozone you don't take with breathe a healing piney vapor direct to lightfully springlike in their decora-the lungs and air passages.

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WINTER STRUGGLE GIVES ALLIES ARGONNE CONTROL

French War Office States Enemy Is At Their Mercy-French Took and Held Trenches Until All Were Killed.

[Canadian Press.] PARIS. March 4 .- 12:10 a.m. - The following supplementary official statement was issued late last night by the French war office: "It can be stated that in the Argonne, where we had been constantly attacked since December, the roles in the last three weeks have been reversed. Today we have gained the indisputable ascendency. The effect is salutatory in NORTH BRUCE, March 2.—A very these local actions, of which the Argonne is the theatre, to feel that more and sudden death occurred at the home more the enemy is at our mercy, and that our moral superiority is assured. the enemy is at our mercy, and that our moral superiority is assured.

of John R. Dunlop, twelfth concession, but that the supply of good boots where Mrs. Boddie, of Owen Sound. carried out, and although the German forces which confront us are extremely succumbed after an illness of about courageous, we feel that at a given point and moment we are masters, and can five minutes. Mrs. Boddie and her son The statement gives the details of one of these engagements, which, it says, occur daily and show the splendid ardor of the troops.

BLYTH, March S .- Wm. Murray, of

has severed his connection with the

firm, and with his family returned to

Blyth, where he intends again taking possession of the harness business

R. B. McGowan has disposed of hi

Tuesday evening. A degree was con

deputy delivered a strong and eloquen

address, after which supper was served

DIED AT BLYTH

Mrs. Robert Johnston Was One of

the Early Settlers.

visited Blyth and taken one

her 76th birthday.

BLYTH, March 3 .-- Again death has

settlers, in the person of Mrs. Robert

considerable time, but of late had been

praise for their work.

which he disposed of before leaving.

"Action began in a ravine near Fon- HAD ARM BROKEN IN taine Madame at 8 o'clock in the morning, five companies being charged with the attack. We exploded three mines Painfull Accident to Hullett Farmer under trenches of the enemy, while our artillery crushed them under a hot fire. Three minutes later our column debouched from branch trenches and the misfortune while debouched from branch trenches and the debouched from the d

stormed the German works.

"We penetrated in three different quarters, killing all the occupants of the machine stopped, his arm was her home last week.

twisted at the elbow. A number of bones were broken. He was taken to the David Fraser farm, which he purthe trenches, 75 infantrymen and about the London hospital, where, it is hoped, chased. 30 pioneers. We took four wounded his arm will be saved. prisoners. At 8:30 o'clock we had gained at least 350 yards of the enemy's lishment in London for the past year,

Desperate Counter-Attacks,

This brilliant result cost us rather heavily. We had hardly time to organize our newly-captured positions before the Germans, who had been rein-forced, counter-attacked and a desper-Johnston. This farm is well located, ate fight ensued. They filled with bombs and contains 200 acres of good land. the trenches which they had lost, but The price was in the neighborhood of our men were able to maintain them- | \$9.500. selves by hurling back at the enemy District Deputy Dunlop, of Goderk bombs passed to them from the rear. visited the Masonic Lodge of Blyth Twenty times the enemy attacked and reached the border of our lines, but ferred, and the local members receive

Bayonets Falled. "At noon our men still were desper- in Taylor's restaurant. ately holding to their position, resembled an inferno under the fire of heavy German artillery and a hail of hand grenades. The vicinity looked like a newly-furrowed field. What formerly were trenches hardly were visible. At o'clock the fighting continued, at that time being marked by a bayonet attack of an entire French battalion, but this failed to stop the Germans, who met the charge courageously, incidentally using a hundred hand grenades.

Every Man Killed. "One by one all of our men were put out of the fight. Not a man remained Methodist Church on Thursday, and was in the trenches who was not killed or very largely attended. wounded. A major, who since morn ing had remained at the head of his men, jumped upon a parapet to shout encouragement to fresh troops, which had just arrived from the rear. He had no sooner done so than he was killed by a bullet in his head. We then re-tired to our first position, after having nflicted terrible losses on the enemy We had time to bring back to the rear all our wounded, and our day's task was accomplished. The Germans had to concentrate on this part of the front, chosen by us for the reinforcements which, without our attack, they would

SMALLMAN & INGRAM'S REGEPTION DRAWS CROWD

Many Throng to Big Store, Where Latest and Newest Novelties For Spring Are Shown. Thronged on every floor with hun

dreds of eager visitors-women, children, and not a few men-the big store of Messrs. Smallman & Ingram last night presented a gay scene at the public reception held from 8 to 10 for the benefit of London citizens. The nandsomely-decorated windows on the Dundas street frontage drew like a Guelph Magistrate Sentences English. magnet, and many were the exclamations of delight at the spring novelties, suitings and bonnets shown therein. From the windows it was but month before the date of the expira. attractively. Visitors came, they saw. and were conquered, and the feminine police court at noon today to John "Oh's" and "Ah's" of sheer delight. What's New in Hats.

"The fabrics were surely never so said her companion. And that seemed to be the common consent of surely within five minutes. all. As a rule, small in size, and including such shapes as the "pill-box." or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have bearthern them. sear this spring is decidedly chic and "warranted becoming." Black and white analysis of indigeswhite appears to be a prevailing com-bination in both millinery and suits. Dark green, with cerise trimmings, is Dark green, with cerise trimmings, is Milan and belching of the pharmaces and plane of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no

Dark green, with cerise trimmings, is a popular hat shade, and Milan and colds, sore throat, bronchial trouble, etc., can all be cured right at home by inhaling "Catarrhozone."

Dark green, with cerise trimmings, is a popular hat shade, and Milan and rustic straws rival each other. As a rule, the blossoms adorning millinery are very tiny, and frequently combined are very tiny, and frequently combined are very tiny, and frequently combined are very tiny. sing Catarrhozone you don't take with "small fruit" in harmonizing aches, dizziness or intestinal griping.
The millimery rooms were dethis will all go, and besides, there tions, with deffodils, tulips and green-The purest balsams and the greatest ery, and caged singing-birds added nauseous odors.

human voices. Each floor in the big store was vis- takes hold of your food and digests nature is given a chance and cure comes quickly.

Colds and throat troubles can't last is women being most interested, perhaps, wasn't there. quickly.

Colds and throat troubles can't last if the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone the pure healing vapor of Catarrhozone and coughing the pure healing vap displays of household wares—furniture, carpets, and so on Altogether it was tain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to

HAVE GREAT FAITH IN DARDANELLES

Turks Do Not Believe Allies Can Take Forts or Land Troops.

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, via London, March 4-11:30 a m -Attaches of the Turkish embassy here profess to be unconcerned regarding the bombardment of the Dardanelles forts by the great allied fleet They declare the fortifications are impregnable, that the landing of troops the entrance to the straits is impossible, and that any attempt to land EAST OXFORD RECRUIT force at some point along the shore of the gulf of Saros would require more men than the Allies can concentrate, eaving out of consideration the strong Furkish forces stationed at all threatened points.

Constantinople correspondent paper an interview with Enver Pasha. Clarence Fletcher, son of William St. Thomas, 9:00 p.m. of the Frankfurter Zeitung sends his which the chief of the Turkish gen- Fletcher, of the Seventh Concession al staff is said to have declared that of East Oxford, was brought back the damage to the outer forts was less from London on Saturday night suffer than had been reported, but that these forts are the oldest of the entire line, and their early reduction always has monia. Private Fletcher enlisted with been expected if a serious attack were the Mounted Infantry of the thi nade upon the Dardanelles. The allied contingent a few weeks ago and w fleet, he declared, has yet to reach the taken ill in the camp.

SUDDEN DEATH OF NORTH BRUCE VISITOR "If he had pneumonia they should

Mrs. Boddie, of Owen Sound, Only III For Few Minutes.

NORTH BRUCE, March 3 .- A very were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop Miss Stoddard, from near Paisley, isiting her sister, Mrs. Dunlop, Rev E. H. Sawers and J. B. Mu attended the Presbytery meeting THRESHING MACHINE

EAST WILLIAMS

his right arm caught in a pulley of the past month with her daughter, Mrs

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TAKEN ILL IN LONDON

Now in Woodstock With Pneumonia

-Father Charges Neglect.

WOODSTOCK, March 3 .- Private

Mr. Fletcher maintains that it w

or the doctors to have examined hi

on and treated him for pneumoni

have notified his parents," he said

wear, allowing him to get his fee

tainly did not look good to me. My

son said he had been promised a new

had not arrived, and therefore he ha

to use the old ones."

"Furthermore, the shoes he was wear-

ng were very badly the worse for

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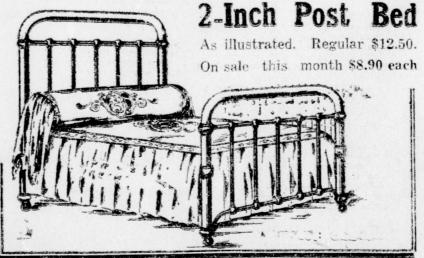


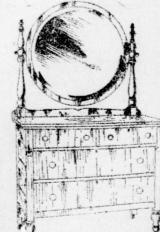
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