THE WEATHER:
WEST WINDS; FAIR.
TUESDAY—MOSTLY FAIR; WARMER.

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J. M. MOORE OPPOSES WENIGE FOR MAYORALTY

Laborer Crushed to Death By Timbers When Sewer Caves

LIVELY FIGHT IS INDICATED BY MAYORALTY NOMINATIONS

Two of Four Nominees Likely To Qualify Before Nine o'Clock Tuesday.

FOUR FOR UTILITIES

Two Vacancies To Be Filled—James Gray Hospital Trustee by Acclamation.

Evidence of a genuine renaissance of interest in civic affairs was not lacking at the nomination meetings held at the city hall this morning. They were largely attended, and judging from comment heard the coming municipal campaign is likely to be the liveliest this city has seen in many years.

Four citizens were nominated to fill the office of mayor. Mayor George A. Wenige was nominated by Charles F. Jones and Cliff Robinson and also by Charles R. Smith and Arthur R. Thrower; John M. Moore, architect, was nominated by William Jones and Edith Tutt; Ald. G. F. W. McKay was nominated by Ald. Thomas Clift, seconded by Donald H. Wright, and Ald. H. H. Bottrill was proposed by Jared Vining, seconded by T. W. McFarland.

Candidates have until 9 o'clock tomorrow evening to qualify, but it is a practical certainty that Ald. Bottrill and Ald. McKay will not enter the mayoralty contest, although both may figure in the aldermanic election. This leaves the issue to be decided between Mayor Wenige and John M. Moore.

James Gray was declared elected by acclamation for the only vacancy as hospital trustee, there being no other nominations. The city clerk's announcement to this effect was received with hearty applause by the meeting.

Four for Utilities.

There were four nominations for the two vacancies on the public utilities commission: Chas. R. Smith, stationer, was nominated by R. H. Peck and J. E. Bickell. The name of J. C. Doidge was proposed by M. S. Cater and Lloyd T. Hockin.

Commissioner Jared Vining was nominated for another term of office by W. H. Abbott, and Col. W. M. Gartshore and Commissioner Philip Pocock by James Granger and Ald. James McCormick.

The feature of the morning's activities was the assurance that John M. Moore would contest the mayoralty election. There can be little doubt that the announcement that he will run will have a decided effect upon the aldermanic field, candidates for which will be nominated at the city hall between 7:30 and 8:30 this evening.

Nomination of John M. Moore as candidate for mayor insures an interesting contest for the position of chief magistrate for the coming year. Mayor George A. Wenige, who has already announced his intention of running for what will be his fourth term if elected,

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Nominations For Mayor And Utilities Commission

FOR MAYOR.

JOHN M. MOORE. GEORGE A. WENIGE.
GEORGE FRANCIS WEIR McKAY. HORACE HARRY BOTTRILL.

FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.
(Two to be elected.)

CHARLES RICHARD SMITH. JARED VINING.
PHILIP POCOCK. JOHN CHARLES DOIDGE.

FOR HOSPITAL TRUSTEE.
JAMES GRAY (Acclamation).

EXCELLENT MATERIAL IN 19 NAMED FOR TRUSTEE BOARD

All Six Whose Terms Expire Are Renominated and Twelve Vocations Are Represented in the List—Two Women Will Try For Election.

Nineteen names have been placed in nomination for the board of education for next year, and included in the list is some very excellent material, if the nominees per mit their names to go on the ballot.

Two women, Trustee Mrs. John A. Rose and Mrs. F. J. Greenaway, are the hopes of the women of the city for representation on the board. It is noticeable also that the six trustees whose terms on the board expire this year, have all been renominated, including, besides Mrs. Rose, Trustees A. R. Cairncross, G. F. Copeland, B. N. Campbell, J. B. Wright and Rev. R. D. Mess.

Other nominees are: Gordon H. Tennent, Dr. E. S. Detwiler, W. A. Martin, T. H. Yull, Lebert H. Jones, Dr. R. J. Gordon, F. L. Smith, C. E. Carruthers, Donald C. McNaughton, F. H. Curran, Rowland Hill and Wm. J. Kilpatrick.

Many Vocations.

Twelve professions or vocations are represented in the list of nineteen nominees, as follows: One each, druggist, clergyman, coal merchant, journalist and gentleman; two each, housewife, barrister, physician, manufacturer, agent, manager and shoe merchant.

Mrs. Rose was renominated for the board by Rev. G. Q. Warner, himself and ex-member of the board, and Mrs. A. T. Edwards, while Mrs. Greenaway was nominated by Col. W. M. Gartshore and James Gray.

The list of nominees includes practically every name that has been mentioned either on the street or in the press during the past few weeks, giving these people an opportunity to offer their services to the ratepayers or not as they see fit. Nominees, it is pointed out, must qualify with City Clerk Sam Baker not later than 9 o'clock tomorrow night or else they will automatically be struck off the ballot of candidates.

Mr. Mess May Stand.

Though Mr. Wright and Mr. Mess have intimated on several occasions that they intend to retire this year, a late rumor is to the effect that Mr. Mess will change his mind and stand for his second term. There seems little doubt but that Mr. Cairncross, Mr. Copeland and Mr. Campbell will run again, while Mrs. Rose some days ago definitely announced her intention to stand. Mrs. Greenaway also made a similar statement to the press, but as to the final intentions of the other nominees little is known for certain.

Those nominated were as follows:

A. R. Cairncross, druggist, by J. C. Fitzgerald and W. G. Murray.

B. N. Campbell, agent, by L. H. Douglass and J. C. Fitzgerald.

C. E. Carruthers, journalist, by J. Granger and Rev. G. Q. Warner.

G. F. Copeland, agent, by A. A. Langford and W. G. Murray.

F. H. Curran, barrister, by B. N. Campbell and J. C. Fitzgerald.

E. S. Detwiler, physician, by A. A. Langford and G. F. Copeland.

R. J. Gordon, physician, by F. H. Greenlees and J. B. Wright.

Mrs. F. J. Greenaway, housewife, by W. M. Gartshore and J. Gray.

Rowland Hill, shoe merchant, by B. N. Campbell and J. B. Wright.

Lebert H. Jones, manufacturer, by A. A. Langford and J. Granger.

W. J. Kilpatrick, gentleman, by J. Granger and J. K. Flock.

W. A. Martin, coal merchant, by G. F. Copeland by A. A. Langford.

D. C. McNaughton, manager, by W. G. Murray and L. H. Douglass.

Rev. R. D. Mess, clergyman, by L. H. Douglass and Rev. G. Q. Warner.

Mrs. J. A. Rose, housewife, by Rev. G. Q. Warner and Mrs. F. L. Edwards.

F. L. Smith, shoe merchant, by J. B. Wright and G. F. Copeland.

G. H. Tennent, barrister, by F. H. Greenlees and Wm. G. Murray.

J. B. Wright, manufacturer, by G. F. Copeland and Rev. G. Q. Warner.

T. H. Yull, advertising manager, by W. G. Murray and G. F. Copeland.

Big Field Is Foreseen For Council

Nominations This Evening Are Likely To See 30 Candidates Brought Out.

TEN TO RUN AGAIN

Verschoyle Cronyn, E. W. G. Moore and John Nash Among Those Likely To Stand.

With two possible exceptions, it looks as though the whole of the present council will again offer for re-election. The two doubtful ones are Ald. James McCormick and Ald. Dr. Douglass. The former is being strongly urged to run again and may consent and although Ald. Dr. Douglass has stated that he will not be a candidate again, friends say that he may be induced at the last moment to change his mind.

In addition to these twelve prospective candidates there is a list of nearly twenty others whose names will be placed in nomination this evening, and most of whom, it is said on good authority, will stand for election.

Among those thus mentioned are E. W. G. Moore, W. G. Young, W. C. Southcott, W. N. Manning, John A. Nash, Col. Ibbotson Leonard, Verschoyle Cronyn, Thomas Terry, W. C. Morrison, Allan Towe, Dickson F. Glass, John A. Croden, Frank Gray, John T. May, J. A. E. Braden, W. J. Kilpatrick, Ed. Hayden and G. B. Drake.

With about thirty candidates on the ballot, voters should have an ample choice for the eight positions on the council to be filled.

The list of prospective candidates is already one of the largest the city has had, and it contains a lot of excellent council timber.

LONDONER IS FREED UNDER HEAVY BAIL

W. Steinman of London Arrested on Liquor Charge at Bayfield.

Special to The Advertiser.

Bayfield, Nov. 23.—License Inspector William Pellow and Revenue Officer A. Porter of Goderich made a seizure of liquor and a Buick car on the outskirts of Bayfield, with the result that W. Steinman, of London, is now out on $3,000 bail.

The officers had just completed a search of the house of James Wamsley for liquor, a complaint having been received of these premises. The search was futile, but on leaving the officers saw a new big six Buick coach drive up to the house they had searched. Returning, they searched the car, finding in a club bag two cans of American alcohol, two gallons in all.

The two officers seized the automobile and liquor and put Steinman under arrest, taking him to Goderich jail and also holding the seized car there. He will appear in court on Saturday, Nov 28.

SEVENTEEN SAILORS DIE AS BRAZILIAN TUG SINKS

Associated Press Despatch.

Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Nov. 23.—Seventeen members of the crew of the Brazilian tug Mogy are reported to have perished when the boat went down after a boiler explosion while she was on her way to Bahia. The only survivors, the captain and one sailor, were picked up by the Pan-American petroleum steamer Cerro Azul, en route to this port.

SHOP WORKER DROPS DEAD

Charles Bryant of 65 Saunders Street, Succumbs Suddenly at C. N. R.

Charles Bryant, 65 Saunders street, laborer at the C. N. R. car shops, dropped dead this morning. Bryant had just arrived at work, and after removing his coat fell on the floor, a victim to heart failure.

The first aid crew worked over the body for over an hour in an effort to bring back life, without success.

He was employed in the freight repair shops and was 48 years old. He is survived by his wife and four children.

The four chidiren, Helen, Olive, Elsie and Charles.

Born in England, Mr. Bryant has been a resident of this city for 15 years.

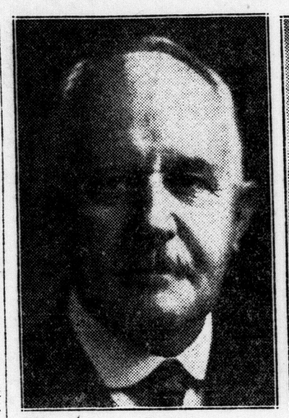
The funeral will be held Wednesday from his late residence.

ID BY FINGER PRINTS.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Prospects that a five-year-old "trunk murder" mystery might be near solution went aglimmering today. Paul Ward, a waiter, was arrested last night, but after a comparison of finger-prints with those of Eugene Leroy, Detroit wife-slayer, the bureau of identifications said he was not the man wanted.

Choice For London Electors



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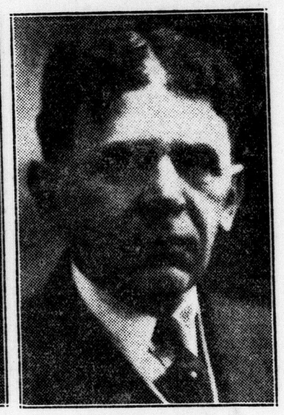

GEORGE A. WENIGE.

John McKenzie Moore, ex-controller and prominent architect, will oppose Mayor Wenige's effort to win a fourth term. Two others were placed in nomination, but the race is likely to dwindle to a two-entry affair.

Officer Brutally Kicked But Arrests Assailants

P. C. William Clipperton Has His Face Horribly Lacerated in Battle With Two Young Men—Charges Laid Under Criminal Code.

Charged under the criminal code with assautling William Clipperton, a police officer, Charles Campbell, 20 years old, and Thomas Hobbs, 18, appeared in police court this morning and were remanded for one week upon request of their counsel, Jared Vining. Bail was not allowed.

Constable Clipperton was attacked by Campbell when he attemepted to place Hobbs under arrest, on a drunk charge on Saturday night, according to the police. He was on Ottaway avenue Waterloo street.

When he accosted the two men, one pulled his cape about his neck from behind. The constable, according to his own story, choked by the neck strap of the garment, was thrown to the ground, and in that position was brutally kicked by one of the men. Only after his face had been horribly lacerated did he manage to get hold of his baton and with the weapon subdue both assailants.

Clipperton appeared in court this morning to give evidence. His face was badly scarred and swollen. He suffers from blackened eyes and a broken nose.

Magistrate Graydon refused to allow bail, although he consented to hear the case as soon as a defence is prepared. Hobbs and Campbell will probably appear for trial Wednesday or Thursday.

Transfers Bone, Patient Walks

Associated Press Despatch.

Leningrad, Nov. 23.—Professor Oppell of Leningrad announced today before a conference of physicians and surgeons that he had successfully transplanted a bone from a dead body to a woman patient suffering from tuberculosis of the knee joint, which prevented her from walking. After the operation the woman in a short time was able to walk freely.

CUT IN RAILWAY STAFF IS ON TRACK DIVISION

No Other Layoffs by London Street Railway, Says Manager Tait.

There has been no cut necessary in the staff of the local street railway, stated Manager Tait this morning. All that have been laid off are those on the track division who are generally let og about ths time. The railway feels the effect of the bus trade keenly, but have not thought of cutting the regular staff as yet.

With a payroll of over a thousand dollars a day, besides the operating costs, the company believes they should have the revenue that is going to the buses, as it takes a brisk business to finance the operations.

There will be no cut at present in the service, as the directors have not decided to take o the north Normal route.

The railway officials believe the matter in regard to the buses is for the city to decide.

HUNTERS SHOOT BIG SEAL ON ISLAND NEAR MONTREAL

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—While hunting ducks in the St. Lawrence river on Saturday morning Joseph and Alphonse Kemp were amazed to see a large seal basking in the sun on a rock at the south end of St. Helen's Island. They managed to shoot the animal and bring it home. It weighed 114 pounds and was nearly four feet in length.

QUAKE IN NEW ENGLAND.

Associated Press Despatch.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 23.—Reports of an earthquake in this vicinity poured into the city early this morning. Excited householders called the police and telephone operators to learn what the disturbance was. The operators reported that all lights on incoming lines suddenly flashed. Newport, R. I., also felt the shock.

SARNIA RECTOR DIES FROM HEART ATTACK

Well-Known Clergyman, Rev. Frank Newton, Dies Suddenly.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Sarnia, Ont., Nov. 23.—Rev. Frank G. Newton, rector of St. John's Anglican church here for fourteen years, and rural dean of Lambton, died here early this morning of a sudden heart attack. He had been ill for about two months, but was apparently on the way to recovery and was able to attend a church function on Friday.

Surviving are his widow, two sons, Fred and Theodore of Montreal; two daughters, Dorothy, at home, and Mrs. Ray Lawson of London.

The late Mr. Newton was born in England and started his career there.

Funeral rites have not yet been arranged.

FOUR QUEBEC RIDINGS ARE NOMINATING TODAY

Canadian Press Despatch.

Quebec, Nov. 23.—Candidates are being nominated today to contest four seats of the Quebec house of assembly. Polling will take place Nov. 30. The probable nominees, as indicated by the names already put forward, with the withdrawal of one Liberal in Argentueil, a possibility, are as follows:

Argentueil—W. G. Rodger and Z. Raymond, Liberals; J. L. St. Jacques, Conservative.

Berthier — A. Sylvestre, Liberal; Georges Gouin, Conservative.

Champlain—W. P. Grant, Liberal; Auguste Desilets, Conservative.

Jacques Cartier—V. Marchand, Liberal; A. Carigan, Conservative.

Jacques Cartier is the only one of the vacant seats which returned a Conservative at the last provincial elections, Hon. E. L. Patenaude having been elected.

SUFFERS FRACTURED SKULL.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Nov. 22.—Michael Fitzgerald, 28 years old, manager of the advertising department of the Union Trust Company, Detroit, and a prominent member of St. Clair Country club, Tecumseh, was thrown from his horse this morning near the club, suffering a fractured skull and other serious injuries.

MAN DIES AS COMRADES WORK HARD AT RESCUE

John Barrow Is Crushed and Smothered in Doulton Street Accident.

MISHAP UNEXPLAINED

Workmen Unable To Release Body Until 15 Minutes Passed.

John Barron, 33, St. Julien street, was crushed to death between two timbers at 9:45 this morning when a portion of a new city sewer on Doulton street, in which he was working, collapsed and buried him to the neck in timbers and dirt.

An inquest into the accident has been called for tonight at 6 o'clock by Coroner Dr. Cameron Wilson at Harrison's funeral home.

How the accident happened, officials of the city engineer's department are unable to explain. It is the first fatality of its kind to occur during the regime of City Engineer Near.

Mr. Barron and a companion, R. Main, were working close to each other when they heard the timbered sides give a warning crack. Main sprang along the sewer, while Barron was squeezed in a death grip by a heavy timber from each side which crushed his chest as if it had been paper.

With a muffled roar the released earth piled down on top of the unfortunate city employees.

The work of rescue started immediately, but it was almost 15 minutes before Barron's dead body was removed from the trench, nine feet deep.

The whaling or timber sides of the sewer had to sawed in two before the rescuers were able to lift the body to the ground above.

Beyond All Aid.

Dr. F. R. Clegg was called to the scene, but Barron was beyond all hope of medical attention.

"I found that Mr. Barron had died from inward suffocation through compression of the chest," stated Dr. Clegg. "The planking came in on him like a vice."

Mr. Barron was one of the huskiest men in the employ of the city, over 6 feet in height and weighing 200 pounds. He has been in the employee of the city for the past three years, working on paving gangs in the summer and sewer construction in the winter. He was considered an excellent and careful workman by all his companions.

Had Three Children.

Mr. Barron is survived by his wife and three children, one of whom is but six weeks' old. He had just recently moved his family from King to St. Julien street.

Mrs. Barron was not apprised of her husband's death until noon, when Jack Moffatt of the city engineer's department, accompanied by Mrs. Patterson, public health nurse, visited the home.

DODGE MOTORS BUY BIG TRUCK COMPANY

Clarence Dillon Announces the Purchase of Majority Stock in Graham Brothers.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 23.—Purchase for cash of a majority interest in Graham Brothers, said to be the largest independent motor truck manufacturers in the world, by Dodge Brothers., Inc., was announced today by Clarence Dillon, of Dillon, Reid & Co., bankers, who acquired control of Dodge Brothers last April in a cash transaction of $146,000,000.

Graham Brothers have factories in Toronto, Detroit, Evansville, Ind., and Stockton, Cal. The Toronto branch is operated as Graham Brothers (Canada), Limited.

Under the stipulations of the sale, Ray A. Graham, secretary of Graham Brothers, is appointed general manager of Dodge Brothers, Inc., and Joe B. Graham, and Robert C. Graham, president and vice-president respectively, will become members of the Dodge brothers voting directors. Frederick J. Haynes is to continue as president of Dodge Brothers.

JAP PRINCE CANCELS PLANS TO HONOR QUEEN'S MEMORY

Associated Press Despatch.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 23.—All social engagements made in San Francisco for Prince and Princess Asaka, of Japan, who arrived here late yesterday on the closing lap of a three-year tour of the world, have been cancelled because of the death of Queen Mother Alexandra of Great Britain.

Leaps 300 Feet And Still Lives

Associated Press Despatch.

Honolulu, Nov. 23.—Violet Hook, 19, nurse at the Leahi home for consumptives, leaped off the 1,300-foot Nuuani Pali, a high cliff near Honolulu. Her fall was broken by a tree 300 feet below the cliff's top, where she was found last night. Physicians believe she will survive.

RAILWAY BOARD TO HEAR PROTESTS

London Council and Chamber of Commerce Take Action in Freight Case.

L. & P. S. ENDANGERED

Neither Mayor Wenige nor City Clerk Samuel Baker is of the opinion that a meeting of the city council is necessary within the next ten days to protest the proposed action of the C. N. R. and C. P. R. to cancel the existing transportation rates on coal from Port Stanley to Erieau.

"We shall certainly pass a resolution of protest and forward it to the dominion railway board," declared the mayor today. "As far as I can see that is about all the council can do in the matter. The real work will have to be done by Frank White, M.P. He's the member for London, and not from London. He is the man to get busy on the matter, for the question will come before the dominion railway board.

Not Cancelled Yet.

"If the coal rate is cancelled as is threatened, it means the end of the L. & P. S., in my opinion. However, it isn't cancelled yet, and with co-operation from the London member in the dominion house we may be able to stop the thing and keep the price of coal for London manufacturers within reason."

City Clerk Baker expressed the opinion that the matter could be brought before the council at the last meeting of the year on Dec. 8, and in the meantime the council members could consider the best steps to take in bringing the question before the railway board.

Chamber Takes Action.

The chamber of commerce met on Saturday afternoon to consider and develop plans for additional action in connection with the proposed freight rates.

The chamber feels that the prospect of an increased rate on coal to a large extent per ton is a serious outlook. It will affect institutions, churches and every purchaser of coal. The cancellation of existing rates at the first of the year will mean an increase when coal consumption is at its height.

The chamber will present a protest to the railway commission.

SHIPBUILDING TRADE DECLINING IN EUROPE

Associated Press Despatch.

Copenhagen, Nov. 23.—The shipbuilding industry in Europe is growing worse day by day, says the Scandinavian Shipping Gazette.

Not only is the situation already desperate in Germany, but orders everywhere are slack. Even Denmark, the cradle of Diesel motor ships, is without orders for new vessels.

SPANISH COURT MOURNS.

Associated Press Despatch.

Madrid, Nov. 22.—By a royal decree issued Saturday, the Spanish court went into mourning for a period of seven weeks because of the death of Queen Mother Alexandra of England. King Alfonso directed the sending of telegrams of condolence to the English royal family.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today — Moderate northwest to west winds; fair.

Tuesday—Fresh southwest winds, mostly fair with somewhat higher temperature.

WARMER - HOT - COOLER - MODERATE - NO CHANGE - SNOW - CLOUDY - FAIR - RAIN

Stations.	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	50	28	Clear
Calgary	48	30	Cloudy
Winnipeg	22	22	Cloudy
Port Arthur	18	6	Cloudy
Toronto	44	24	Clear
Montreal	48	30	Fair
Quebec	42	36	Cloudy
Halifax	48	42	Cloudy

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 47; lowest, 27.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 28; lowest, 18.

Sun rises at 7:23 a.m., and sets at 4:47 p.m.

Barometric Readings.

Sunday—8 p.m., 29.09.
Today—8 a.m., 29.13.

MINERS' PRESIDENT ALLEGES VIOLATIONS

Lewis Now Awaiting Reply From Coolidge on Soft Coal Situation.

Associated Press Despatch.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, today awaited a reply from his letter to President Coolidge in which he pointed out alleged violations by certain operators of the Jacksonville bituminous coal wage agreement, and asked whether the federal government desired to intervene, and if not whether the union men would be justified in taking their own measures to enforce it. Until this reply is received, Mr. Lawis declared he would not have anything further to say regarding the soft coal situation. He refused to state what measures would be taken by the union in case the government declined to act.

After pointing out that the Jacksonville agreement, which expires March 31, 1927, was reached with the co-operation of the departments of justice, commerce and labor, Mr. Lewis, in his letter to the President named the Pittsburg Coal company, Consolidated Coal company, Bethlehem Mines corporation, and the coal interests of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad as among those he alleges have dishonored their wage agreements with the mine workers.

SOVIET ISSUES ORDERS TO OUST U. S. LEADER

Foster Loses Job When Headquarters In Russia Is Displeased.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 23.—The New York World says that William Z. Foster, former head of the communist party in this country and its presidential nominee last year, has been deposed from leadership by order of the soviet government in Russia.

The new leader of the workers' party of America, the Communist organization, is "P. Green," soviet agent in this country.

DETROITERS HOLD SERVICE FOR LATE QUEEN MOTHER

Associated Press Despatch.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 23.—Tribute was paid to the late Queen-Mother Alexandra at a memorial service held here yesterday. The memorial address was delivered by Rev. G. G. Atkins of the First Congregational church of Detroit. John Cameron, British consul, and his staff attended. The consul, in a short speech, expressed appreciation for the sympathy extended by the people of this country following the death of the Dowager Queen.

SISTER OF DEAD QUEEN IS SOMEWHAT BETTER

Associated Press Despatch.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Nov. 23.—The former dowager empress of Russia, Maria Feodorovna, regarding whom anxiety was felt yesterday, passed a good night and was up early this morning for a walk in the garden of the royal palace. Maria has been much affected by the death of her sister, Dowager Queen Alexandra of Great Britain.

NEW YORK TRIES SERUM TO CHECK WHITE PLAGUE

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 23.—The New York department of health is testing the Calmette process of tuberculosis vaccination on animals with a view to immunizing babies in New York City if it is found practicable, according to report. The Calmette method, as discovered by Dr. Calmette of the Pasteur institute of Paris is that of inoculating infants three days after they are born with a living strain of tuberculosis. Dr. Calmette has inoculated more than two thousand infants, none of whom has contracted tuberculosis.

STEAMER AGROUND.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 23.—The New York freight steamship Susherico was aground today at Punta de Maternillos, Cuba, S. O. S. calls picked up here indicated.

STINNES WORKS BANKRUPT.

Associated Press Despatch.

Berlin, Nov. 23.—Bankruptcy proceedings have been instituted by the directors of the Aga motor works, of which Edmond Stinnes, son of the late Hugo Stinnes, is the chief stockholder.

Heaviest Fog In Forty Years Ties Up Shipping Off Britain

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Nov. 23.—A dense fog enshrouded most of the ports of the United Kingdom the latter part of the week with the result that shipping was held up for some time. Indeed, it is said that nothing like this fog has been known for more than 40 years.

Eighteen warships, which were en route to Portland, anchored off Brighton on account of the fog. The Mersey roadstead was choked with vessels awaiting a chance of entering the harbor.

The Manx steamer Tynewald took 40 hours to accomplish a passage that normally occupies five hours. There were fifteen passengers on the steamer, and they were putting in the time playing cards or singing songs when a wireless message about the death of Queen Mother Alexandra reached them. Immediately thereafter they joined in singing the national anthem and then they engaged in prayer for the royal family.

Fortunately there was ample food aboard the vessel and the delayed passengers did not suffer from hunger.

Mechanical Sleuth Recovers Fortune In Radium From Sewer

Associated Press Despatch.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 23.—Six weeks' patient search with a "mechanical blood hound" has resulted in the finding in a sewer pipe of a tiny tube containing $800,000 worth of radium which disappeared from a hospital here.

Professor Henry A. Rickson, head of the physics department, University of Minnesota, constructed ionization chamber detectors which were attached to electriscopes and began to hunt along sewers leading from the hospital.

Today the detectors led him to a nine-inch pipe in a sewer tunnel. The radium tube was found within two inches of the mark he made on the pipe.