

CHURCH HISTORY IN CANADA WILL BE MADE WHEN UNION IS CONSUMMATED NEXT WEEK

Nearly 6,000 Congregations
Will Be Affected in New
Communion.

MEET AT ARENA

Insistent Demand For Tickets
Necessitates Change of
Meeting Place.

One week from tomorrow church history will be made at Toronto, when union is consummated between the Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian communions in the Dominion of Canada. The name of the new communion will be the United Church of Canada and it will embrace between 5,000 and 6,000 congregations from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

The London Methodist conference will have sixteen representatives on the general council of the United Church, while the Presbyterian synod of Hamilton and London will have sixteen representatives. There will be 40 representatives on the council from the whole for the Congregational communion in the Dominion, of about five or six will be from Western Ontario.

The Methodist church is holding a grand inspirational rally in Sherbourne street church, Toronto, on Tuesday, June 9, at which gathering the London conference will have 48 representatives. The synod of Hamilton and London will have 90 representatives to the last general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada, which meets at Toronto about the same time as the general council of the United Church.

So insistent has been the demand for tickets throughout Ontario and the Dominion for the inaugural services scheduled for Massey hall, Toronto, on June 10, that the place of meeting has been changed to the Toronto arena, which will seat between 7,000 and 8,000 people. As a consequence of the meeting now to be held in the arena, Rev. W. R. McIntosh, D.D., moderator of the Presbyterian synod of Hamilton and London, and Rev. H. J. Uren, immediate past-president of the London Methodist conference, have decided to hold an additional service of tickets. The synod will now have 270 tickets for distribution to those desirous of securing them throughout the boundaries of the synod while the conference will have 225 tickets for members of the church within the conference. Mrs. J. M. McEvoy, presiding at the London W. M. S. presbytery, together with the chairman of the church union committees in the several presbyteries, are assisting McIntosh in the distribution of the tickets allotted to the Hamilton and London synod.

In Methodist Rally.
Those who will participate in the Methodist rally, at which Rev. S. D. Chown, D.D., moderator of the Presbyterian synod of Hamilton and London, will preside, are: Rev. T. W. Neal, Toronto; Rev. T. Albert Moore, D.D., Toronto; Rev. W. H. H. Brown, D.D., Toronto; Rev. Trevor Davies, D.D., Toronto; Rev. A. S. Tuttle, D.D., Edmonton; Elmer Davis, D.D., Kingston; Rev. J. E. Hughes, D.D., Hamilton. The Congregationalist representatives from this portion of Ontario are: T. W. Robb, Hamilton; Rev. W. G. Martin, Brantford; Rev. J. L. Alexander, Hamilton; Rev. J. W. Newbury, Waterloo.

The representatives of the London Methodist conference on the general council are: Rev. J. E. Millyard, London; Rev. G. W. Hazen, Blenheim; Rev. J. W. H. Brown, D.D., Brantford; Rev. J. E. Uren, London; Rev. Robert Hicks, St. Thomas; Rev. W. E. Milson, London; Rev. H. Chapman, London; Charles Austin, Chatham; Ezra Hunt, Lambeth; William Heaman, London; J. C. Hay, Lindsay; H. Holtby, Chatham; M. H. Moorhouse, London; J. A. Irwin, Clinton.

The representatives of the Presbyterian synod of Hamilton and London on the general council are: Rev. W. R. McIntosh, D.D., London, moderator; Rev. W. A. McIlroy, Hamilton; Rev. W. H. Brown, D.D., London; Rev. Wm. Beattie, D.D., London; Rev. Norman Lindsay, Dover Centre; Rev. John R. Hall, Sarnia; Rev. Finlay Hogg, Clinton; Rev. W. A. Bradley, Treasurer; Rev. W. H. Sedgewick, D.D., Hamilton; Sir John Gibson, Spencer Stone, Chatham; R. D. Cameron, Lucknow; M. A. Halliday, Chesley; J. S. Park, Lucan; J. E. Lethbridge, M.L.A., Glenora; W. M. Thompson, D.D., Peter Lindsay, Parkhill; alternates, W. J. Haddow, Brantford; Rev. Murray C. Tait, Wallaceburg; Norman Slater, Brantford; James J. Macdonald, London; Rev. H. D. McCuaig, Paisley; members of the union committee, Rev. Robert Martin, D.D., Stratford; Rev. C. A. Macgregor, D.D., London.

Elected by London.

Representatives elected by the London conference to the Methodist rally on June 9 are: Ministers, E. W. Edwards, Listowel; G. W. Rivers, Parkhill; G. W. Graham, Toronto; Dr. R. H. Barnby, Sarnia; W. E. Hiles, London; E. F. Armstrong, Wallaceburg; C. B. Cragg, Wingham; B. H. Robinson, Leamington; W. Conway, Highgate; H. T. Ferguson, Aylmer; J. E. Holmes, Goderich; Dr. Creighton, Toronto; S. J. Thompson, Watford; John Garbutt, London; new London; alternates, W. R. Osborne, London; A. M. Stewart, Petrolia; R. B. Parnaby, Mount Brydges; J. W. Macdonald, Stratford; F. E. Sawyer, Milverton; laymen, Israel Taylor, London; Wm. Copp, London; D. M. Wright, Stratford; F. O'Brien, Staffa; W. C. Brusse, A. T. Cooper, Clinton; W. S. Medd, Exeter; J. R. Steadman, Petrolia; Bert Wellington, Cambridge.

Theatre Guide

LOEW'S.
Doris Kenyon in "If I Marry Again," and three acts of vaudeville.

THE CAPITOL.
Leatrice Joy in "The Dressmaker From Paris." Peggy Coudray in special vaudeville.

CITY TO RECOVER \$500 FROM BANK

Sum of \$17.60 Deposited in
1854 Grows To Large
Proportions.

Last night the city council asked the Bank of Montreal to pay to the city the sum of \$500, which stands to the credit of the city now. Originally in 1854 someone deposited a sum of \$17.60 to the credit of the city, and then forgot about it. Now the city is able to claim its own and will have a nice little nest-egg to play with for the Old Boys' Reunion or the city hall picnic or some such frivolity.

A few weeks ago a real gold digger blew into London. He went to the city clerk and the mayor with a strange proposition. If he found some money belonging to the city which the city knew nothing of would the city be sportsmanlike and go fifty-fifty with him. The city agreed it would act like a gentleman in the matter, and the result was that he unearthed this money in the Bank of Montreal. So the city, after giving this wanderer his half share in the treasure, now finds itself richer by the price of a good milk cow or a grand piano, and feels well satisfied with its bargain.

HUNT CLUB LADIES ENTERTAIN RIVALS

Interesting Match Played Yesterday Afternoon—Highland Ladies Win.

The golfing ladies of London enjoyed a pleasant afternoon yesterday, when the Hunt club golf team entertained the women members of the Highland golf club. The afternoon was happily begun with a luncheon at 12:30 at the Hunt club, after which the games were enjoyed and following the games the ladies returned to the clubhouse for afternoon tea.

The ladies of the Highland team carried off the honors of the day, winning by a large majority. The match resulted as follows: Mrs. Claude Brown won against Miss Isabel Ross; Mrs. B. Manning lost to Mrs. Archie McPherson; Mrs. Alex. Wright won against Miss L. Ross; Mrs. D. McLean won against Miss E. Pope; Mrs. Kippen lost to Miss Pauline Fitzgerald; Mrs. Hutchinson lost to Mrs. J. Rogers; Mrs. McMahon lost to Mrs. E. Green; Mrs. Gordon lost to Mrs. George MacLachlan; Mrs. Scarf lost to Mrs. E. Nichols; Miss Louise Duffield won against Mrs. E. E. Morris; and Miss Agnes Duffield lost to Mrs. H. Scranton.

GARTSHORE RAPIDLY REGAINING STRENGTH

Head of McClary's Shows Considerable Improvement At Hospital.

Considerable improvement is reported today in the condition of Col. W. M. Gartshore, president of the McClary Manufacturing Company, who suffered a slight stroke last week. At Victoria hospital, where Col. Gartshore has been resting, he is rapidly regaining his strength, and authorities are optimistic of his early recovery.

RECOVERY OF GIRL HIT BY CAR DOUBTFUL

Thelma Martin, 6 Years Old,
Still Unconscious in City
Hospital.

Little hope is held for the recovery of Thelma Martin, five-year-old daughter of George Martin, Dorchester, who was struck by an automobile in front of her home Friday evening. For three days she has been in an unconscious state at a St. Joseph's hospital suffering from a severe head injury.

P. O. OPEN 2 HOURS ON KING'S BIRTHDAY

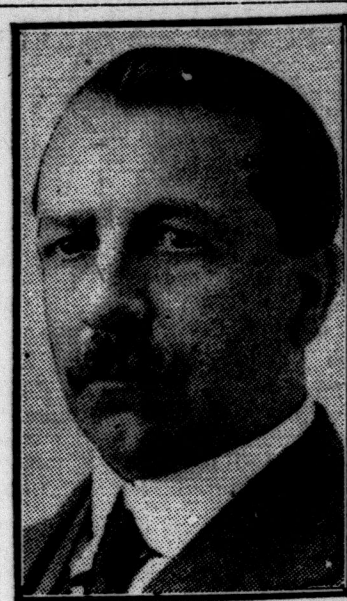
Postage Stamps, However,
Will Be On Sale All
Day.

Wednesday, June 3, being the King's Birthday, the postoffice will be closed on that day except between the hours of 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., during which period the general delivery and registration wickets will be open. The postoffice lobby, however, will be open the entire day and postage stamps will be on sale, according to T. Duncan, postmaster.

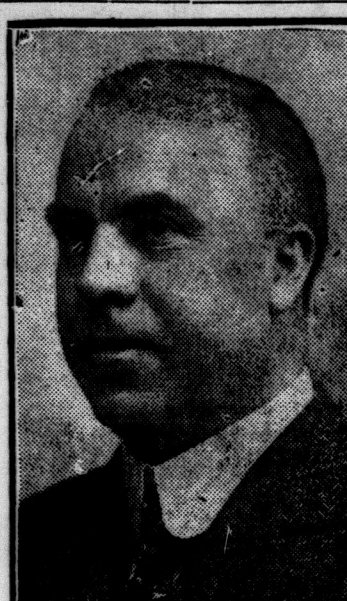
SARNIA'S HYDRO SERVICE IS CRIPPLED BY STORM

Canadian Press Despatch.
Sarnia, June 2.—Industries dependent on hydro power, including the street railway system and the daily newspaper here, were at a standstill today, owing to a serious break in the hydro power service feeding the local lines, caused by last night's electrical storm. The service had not been restored early this afternoon.

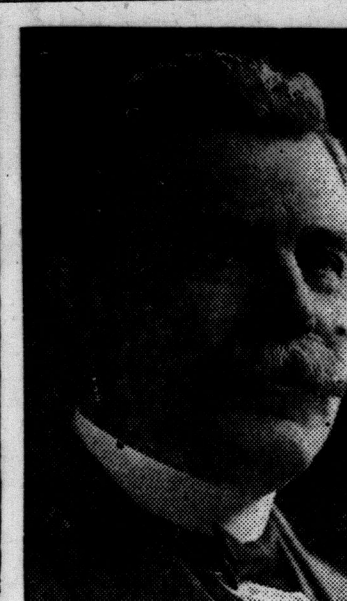
New Directors of Silverwood's, Limited



T. W. McFARLAND,
T. W. McFarland, Frank Ashplant and James Gray were elected at the annual meeting of the board of



FRANK ASHPANT,
directors of Silverwood's, Limited, manufacturers of creamery butter, ice cream, and distributors of eggs,



JAMES GRAY.
cheese, butter and milk. The three new directors succeed J. E. McConneil, E. S. Little and Henry Pocock.

VICTORIA HOME URGED FOR AGED

Suggestion Made by Ald. Ashton Disapproved by Relief Officer.

That the old Victoria home, on Dundas street, could be made into a suitable home for the aged in London, and that there is need for a building of this kind is the claim made by Ald. John Ashton. At the next meeting of the council, Mr. Ashton will introduce a motion asking that this be considered.

R. H. Sanders, city relief officer, says there is still plenty of room in the Aged People's home on Richmond street north, and that when that institution is filled, the Strathroy house of refuge is used.

"There are a large number of aged couples in the city for whom more and better provision should be made by the city," says the alderman. "There are couples now where the city makes an allowance of two or three dollars a week, and allows them to live in their own homes rent free."

"The home on Richmond street is often filled to capacity, and it is a shame to send these people out to Strathroy. The old Victoria home would make an ideal place for these aged people, and I shall move that the city consider this suggestion at the next meeting."

On the other hand, Mr. Sanders says that most of the old people who draw a small weekly allowance from the city and live in their own homes would much rather live at home even on the very small sum they draw than go into an institution of any kind. In one case he has four old men living in a private house in the city, where they are exceedingly comfortable, and where they are well looked after. He does not see any immediate need for a new home at the present time, especially in view of the fact that so many old people are averse to going to them.

LADY BYNG ADDRESSES I. O. D. E. CONVENTION

300 Delegates in Ottawa—
Greetings Come From
India.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Ont., June 1.—Her excellency, Lady Byng of Vimy, addressed the national meeting of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire here tonight with high commendation of their aims, their accomplishment, and their history and with advice quoted from Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The occasion was the ceremonial opening of the 55th annual meeting, and it was marked by a recital of the history of the order since its founding in Montreal by Mrs. Clark Murray. Hon. H. B. McGivern spoke for the government. Greetings were brought from the mayor of Ottawa, Mrs. N. C. Smillie, municipal regent, Ottawa welcomed the 300 delegates and Mrs. Colin Campbell, of Winnipeg, replied. Mrs. P. E. Doolittle of Toronto, national president, presided. Of particular interest were the greetings from Dawson City chapters, the most northern in the empire and from the chapters in India.

Daredevil Dies In Auto Jump

Canadian Press Despatch.
New Westminster, B.C., June 2.—Robert Swayne, 24, of North Bay, Ont., was instantly killed here Monday when attempting a long jump stunt with an automobile. The stunt consisted of rushing up a prepared incline at a speed of 40 miles an hour and jumping the car off an eight-foot platform, a distance of 40 yards. The car, instead of landing on its four wheels, lurched to one side and struck the ground nose first, a distance of 28 feet from the platform, turned turtle, and crumpled up, a total wreck. Swayne was thrown out and landed on his head. He suffered a broken neck, fractured skull and other injuries.

LAW MAY BRING NEW TENANT RULE

Landlords Condemn Legislation Making Them Liable For Appliances.

The last report of the landlords in Ontario, who by the new provincial law, are responsible for all hydro appliances bought by their tenants, is to rent their houses on a new set of conditions.

"Buy your stuff from a private dealer," they will say, "and you can live in my house. Otherwise pick another home."

Whether this is legal they have not yet determined. They say that various landlords in the past have placed all kinds of restrictions on tenants, and that this would not be any more inconvenient than many others. In the meantime they are consulting their lawyers to see if they can include this in the new leases.

The new law, said one landlord today, "simply means that the burden of following up delinquent buyers of all goods from the hydro commission has been shifted from the shoulders of the commission to ours. It is a most unfair proposition. I do not know how the house can be sold to pass it. It also constitutes, in my opinion, an unfair business condition on all private dealers in these goods. The private dealer has to make sure that he gets his money, but the commission has only to sell to the purchaser, and then let the landlord do the worrying."

FERNIE MAYOR SAYS RELIEF WILL BE CUT

Government Home Bank Grant
Will Provide 60 Per
Cent Relief.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, June 1.—That depositors in the Home Bank will only receive from 60 to 65 per cent of their holdings even if the government grants them the sum of \$5,450,000, was the statement made today by G. C. Henderson, mayor of Fernie, B. C., and one of the inspectors appointed by the liquidators of the defunct bank. Mr. Henderson is in the city in connection with claims of local depositors. He pointed out that the statement had been made that the government had already advanced money to the depositors when as a matter of fact not a cent had yet been received from the government.

HOUSING BODY TO DEBATE POST

Chairman Wray Calls Meeting To Take Up Building Inspector's Appointment.

Harry Wray, chairman of the London housing commission for 1925, will call a meeting of the commission the end of this week or early next week to consider the appointment of a city building inspector. He has called two meetings in the last three weeks only to find that no quorum was present either time.

"This appointment is a sufficiently important matter to make it necessary that the whole commission should be present to express their ideas on the matter," he says. "I do not propose to deal with it in a minority report. The members of the commission who have been in service as commissioners for years have a better background of experience in these matters from which to suggest a building inspector. If I cannot get all the commissioners to attend a meeting there will be no report to send to the city council."

Members of the London housing commission are E. R. Dennis, Rud Hessell, the mayor, Ald. Paul Dreyer and Harry Wray. It takes three to make a quorum.

At the last meeting of the board of works T. C. McBride was recommended at a salary of \$2,500, in spite of the active opposition of Chairman Bottrell. Mr. Bottrell maintained that no recommendation should go to the city council that had not the sanction of the housing commission, which was directly concerned.

Ald. Kibbourne asked the council last night to lay the matter over for consideration by the housing commission on the same grounds taken by Ald. Bottrell. Whether Mr. Wray will be able to get a full meeting is questionable in this sultry weather. But he says there will be no recommendation unless the city and all the commissioners turn out.

CHILD SERIOUSLY HURT WHEN STRUCK BY CAR

Thelma Martin, Age 5, of
Aylmer, Is in St. Joseph's
Hospital.

Special to The Advertiser.
Aylmer, June 1.—Thelma, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, Dorchester, was knocked down by a car driven by Miss Letta Simpson, daughter of George Simpson of Lyons, and was seriously injured. Miss Simpson, who is employed in the office of the Aylmer Garage Co., Aylmer, was returning home when Thelma Martin and her little brother were bringing the cows home along the gravel road. The boy had just crossed the road, and when the car was almost beside her, Thelma, evidently not seeing it, darted in front of the machine to follow her brother and was struck in the head by the fender of the car. The car did not run over her, but the blow was so severe that the little girl was rendered unconscious. Dr. Leeson of Aylmer was called and the child removed to St. Joseph's hospital in London.

Reports from St. Joseph's hospital at midnight indicate the patient is still in a very serious condition, with any change hard to ascertain. She is in a state of coma and suffering keenly.

ANNUAL OUTLAY OF \$5,000 WOULD BRING WINTER FAIR

Mayor Declares Scheme Could
Be Easily Financed
by City.

PLAN IS OUTLINED

"London can have a first-class winter fair, with all its attendant advantages both to the business community and citizens generally, for the comparatively small outlay of about \$5,000 a year for ten years, and for my part I would like action to be taken right now. I believe it can be done and there will never be a better time than the present."

Such was the pronouncement of Mayor Wenige who with E. S. Little was deputed to report on financing arrangements.

The proposal to establish such an institution here has been the subject of a great deal of study and effort by a number of organizations both in the city and surrounding countries of Western Ontario, and the proposal has now reached the stage where definite action may be expected at an early date.

All are agreed. There is practically unanimous agreement on the desirability of holding a winter exhibition here, in the interest of the whole of Western Ontario. The question of finances is the only one now standing in the way of immediate action, and this Mayor Wenige believes can be solved without great difficulty.

At a meeting held in the county buildings last February, attended by members of the city council, county council, chamber of commerce, Western Ontario Consignment Sales Co., and a number of prominent stock-breeding classes in the city, was advanced to the point where two committees were appointed, one to look into the financial possibilities and the other to work out a plan for financing the building of a new stock arena in the Western Fair grounds, which is practically all that is needed in the way of equipment in addition to the buildings already there.

The financial committee under the chairmanship of E. S. Little held two subsequent meetings and Mr. Little stated this morning that he and Mayor Wenige had been deputed to work out a plan for financing the building of a new stock arena in the Western Fair grounds, which is practically all that is needed in the way of equipment in addition to the buildings already there.

Will Call Meeting.
The Mayor stated this morning that pressure of other matters had prevented a meeting between himself and Mr. Little up to the present, but he is hoping to arrange immediately a conference between them together with James Bell, the city treasurer, whose fertile brain has in the past evolved many a successful scheme for the city's financial difficulties.

The Mayor believes that the necessary capital expenditure for the erection of the proposed arena will not be more than \$200,000 or \$250,000 at the outside, and is hopeful that it may be possible for the city to draw a substantial part of this amount in exactly the same manner which was followed so successfully in the erection of the Manufacturers' building. The Mayor would not cost the city a cent beyond making provision for the carrying charges on this amount, which would run to about \$200,000 annually. The annual grant of \$5,000 from the city with a grant of \$3,000 from the county of Middlesex and proportionate grants from the other thirteen counties of Western Ontario would easily take care of this amount, in the Mayor's opinion, and he believes London would be getting most excellent returns for the investment.

WEDDINGS

GREENING-GROOM.
St. Martin's church was the scene of a pretty June wedding this morning at 2 o'clock when Mary Amelia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Groom, Euclid avenue, became the bride of Mr. Dan Greening, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Greening, of this city. The Rev. Monsignor McKee officiated.

The church was lovely with flowers and greenery. The bride wore a gown of white georgette with trimmings of silk lace and ribbons. She wore the conventional veil of silk net, prettily embroidered with white and orange ribbon. Her slippers were of white kid and her flowers a shower bouquet of pink roses and real orange blossoms sent by a friend from the Southern states. Miss Clare Groom was her sister's bridesmaid, wearing a Dolly Varden frock of rose printed chiffon, and picture hat to match with rose-trimmed crown. Her flowers were pink roses and lilies of the valley. Mr. Jack Teahan of this city acted as best man, while the wedding music was played by Miss Moore.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome diamond dinner ring, to bridesmaid, a silver bracelet, to the best man, cuff links and to the organist, a pretty vanity compact.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast and reception was held at the home of the bride. White and blue streamers and flowers in profusion decorated the house, while roses and carnations were used on tables. About twenty-four guests were present including Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groom from Detroit, and Miss May Teahan of St. Mary's. The mother of the bride assisted in receiving the guests wearing a smart gown of black georgette trimmed with steel beading and corsage of mauve sweetpeas, while the bride wore a black georgette with jet trimming and wore a corsage of sweetpeas.

Mr. and Mrs. Greening left at noon today on a motor trip to Ottawa and through New York state and will be gone about ten days. For going-away the bride donned a pretty gown of figured chiffon with powder blue georgette coat hat to match and black satin slippers. On their return they will live on Forward avenue this city.



VISCOUNT GREY
of Fallood, who as foreign secretary before the war, and during its early period, left an enduring mark on British history. The above picture shows Lord Grey as he is today.

LONDON STUDENTS DESERT TORONTO

Examination List Contains No
London Names—Western
Holds Fort.

Proof that the university of Western Ontario is serving the educational needs of the community was evidenced in the report of the graduating classes in honors of the university of Toronto issued this morning. No London names appeared.

Within the last four years the local colleges have forged ahead to such an extent that there is no need to go out of Western Ontario for academic instruction. The university is recognized abroad, for the university of the state of New York places it among the "standard colleges."

In the published list were the names of 30 Western Ontario students from Stratford, Sarnia, Strathroy, St. Marys, Amherstburg, Farkhill, Clinton, Waterloo and other points. The numbers are showing a decrease, as new buildings and modern equipments are being made a part of Western.

BOARD COMPLETES PLANS FOR PICNIC

Concluded From Page One.

Thompson, Jos. Wilson. (West end No. 1 diamond, near road).
No. 4—Lord Roberts, St. George's. Committee—Truett F. H. Greenlee, Geo. R. Copeland, Principals W. E. O'Brien, D. J. Ferguson, Miss M. Tolhurst and R. J. Shaw, Osborne H. Banks, J. C. Webster. (West of pavilion).

No. 6—Rectory, Pottersburg, Chesley Avenue. Committee—Trustee W. G. Murray, Principals G. N. Edwards, M. Garrett, E. E. Kirk, and others. (West of pavilion).
No. 7—Talbot, Charles St. Empress, Ryerson. Committee—Trustees B. N. Campbell, A. R. Cairncross, Principals R. N. Welsh, Miss H. Blackwell, R. G. Fowler, H. B. Galpin, and R. H. Newton. D. H. Carr, Chas. Deele. (West of pavilion).

The Departure.
Arrangements have been completed with the London street railway to transport the children to Springbank and return on a ten-cent fare with coupon good for a ride on city cars to any part of the city when returning. The schedule of the street car service arranged for the different schools is as follows:

Aberdeen—William and Hamilton loop, 8:30 a.m.
Alexandra—Dundas and Colborne loop, 8:30 a.m.
Boyle Memorial—Fair grounds loop, 8:30 a.m.
Charles street—Empress and Wharncliffe road, 10:15 a.m.
Chesley Green—Adelaide and Ottawa, 8:30 a.m.
Chesley avenue—Rectory and Van, 8:30 a.m.
Ealing.
Rectory street—Dundas and Rectory road, 8:30 a.m.
Empress avenue—Empress and Wharncliffe road, 10:15 a.m.
Knollwood—Fair grounds loop, 9:45 a.m.
Lord Roberts—Cartwright and Central avenue, 8:30 a.m.
Lorne avenue—Lyle and Dundas, 8:30 a.m.
Pottersburg—Pottersburg loop, 8:30 a.m.
Rectory street—Dundas and Rectory, 11:30 a.m.
Riverview—Wharncliffe road and Railway, 10:45 a.m.
Ryerson—Waterloo and Chesley, 11:15 a.m.
Simcoe—Horton and Richmond, 11:30 a.m.
St. George's—Waterloo and Oxford, 10 a.m.
Talbot street—Central and Richmond, 10:30 a.m.
Teece avenue—Ridout and Elmwood, 9:30 a.m.
Trafalgar—Hamilton road and Trafalgar, 8:30 a.m.
Victoria—Wharncliffe and Railway, 9:15 a.m.
Wortley road—Wortley road and Briscoe, 11:30 a.m.

Wonderful For Indigestion

When your stomach feels bad; when Gas, Sourness, Nausea or after-eating pains make you feel miserable, a single dose of pure, Blurred, Magnesia will bring you instant relief!
For indigestion, the prompt effectiveness of this special non-laxative BISURATED form of Magnesia is really wonderful. Even the most obstinate cases quickly respond. Pleasant and inexpensive to use. Ask your druggist—Adv.