

DIVORCE IS SCORED BY BISHOP FALLON

Criticizes Legislation to Establish Special Courts in Ontario.

IN WOODSTOCK SERMON Declares That Outside Catholic Church, Marriage is "Scrap of Paper."

Woodstock, May 16.—(Special.)—Bishop Fallon of London conducted confirmation sacrament in St. Mary's Church here tonight. He preached a strongly worded sermon, in the course of which he referred in no uncertain terms to the attitude of the church toward divorce. "I abominate divorce," he said. "The sacred sacrament of marriage has today, outside of the Catholic church, become a scrap of paper. We are threatened here in Ontario with legislation to establish divorce courts within the province. One reason given for this is that divorce within the reach not only of the rich, as heretofore, but of the poor man also. They are becoming very considerate of the poor man, although they do not care if they place other things within his reach or not. But the Catholic church holds that a lawful Christian marriage can never be broken. This is her glory. "It is almost too much to hope that the Christian people of the province will rise up against this iniquitous legislation which threatens to be enacted. Let a young couple start life knowing that they have divorced with their reach, and they will start looking for it, and at the first chance they will start thinking of obtaining it." The bishop's sermon was listened to by a large congregation.

TRADE IN EUROPE AWAITS CANADIANS

Lloyd Harris Says Percentage of Goods Should Be Reserved for Export.

Hamilton, May 16.—That the stage had been set for a great selling campaign in Europe after the signing of the armistice by Germany, but that the extravagance in Canada, which made the domestic demand for manufactured goods so great, was such that it was impossible to fill the orders which were available from foreign countries in Europe, was the statement made by Lloyd Harris, former Canadian trade commissioner in London, England, in addressing the Hamilton Travelers' Association at luncheon yesterday. Mr. Harris expressed the opinion that the government should have passed a law to provide for a certain percentage of goods being available for export. This export trade was made possible in Roumania and other European countries by the part Canada had played in the war.

Urges Reduced War Debt. The need of Canada at the present time, Mr. Harris said, was the keen realization of the responsibility of the citizens and a proper conception of the responsibility of the various governments. The citizens should figure out how the great debt incurred by the war was to be reduced and not object to paying fair taxes to that end. Robert Hobson then spoke briefly at the business meeting which followed. It was decided to change the name of the organization to the Hamilton Commercial and Industrial Association. The following officers were elected: Robert Hobson, honorary president; R. M. Monopry, president; F. S. Bryce, E. C. Zimmerman and C. G. Senye, vice-presidents; R. T. Hunter, secretary; H. A. Cusben, assistant secretary; James Daw, treasurer. An advisory board of twenty-five members was also appointed.

Relief of Freight Jam Within Forty-Eight Hours

Washington, May 16.—There were indications tonight that the government would act within 48 hours to break the country-wide freight jam which for nearly a month has been slowing up the grip on the throat of the industry. Sweeping orders by the interstate commerce commission, granting priority of shipping of coal, fuel and perishables, were confidently awaited by railroad officials, who yesterday appealed to the commission to use all the emergency powers vested in it by the transportation act.

Troops in Dusseldorf Region Transferred to Civilian Rule

Berlin, May 16.—A presidential decree issued last night transfers the military in the district of Dusseldorf and Muenster to the civilian authorities. At Arnsberg, 41 miles southeast of Muenster, military officials have been ordered to take no action without express orders from the civilian government commissioners. Drumhead courts-martial are abolished by the decree, but military tribunals will continue to function, their members being appointed by civilian commissions to whom the local authorities are also subordinated.

ARRESTED AFTER TWO YEARS.

Two years ago, the police officer, Thomas Bachwal, 211 George street, stole two street suits of clothes from a D'Arcy street residence. He was arrested yesterday by Detective Koster on the charge.

FALLS FROM CAR.

When she fell off a Queen street car at the corner of Queen street and Ossington avenue, Mrs. Ballinay, 116 Queen street, received a bad shaking up. She stated to the police that the car started before she was able to get off and gave the number of the car as 148 and the number of the motorman as 1951.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

CHURCHES OBSERVE BROTHERHOOD DAY

William Ward, World Commissioner, Appeals for Destitute of Serbia.

Brotherhood Day was observed with special services in many churches and mission halls throughout the city yesterday. In the eastern section of the city, World Commissioner, William Ward, world brotherhood commissioner, addressed a crowded congregation in Woodgreen Tabernacle, East Queen street. At the evening service, Mr. Ward spoke about the destitute children of Serbia, in which work he was engaged, and visited that country on the first of the war. There are about 600,000 destitute children in Serbia, of whom 200,000 lost both parents during the war year. For their relief children homes, convalescent home and general relief stations have been established. The World's Brotherhood Federation is now co-operating with the Serbian government in the establishment of farm schools for the boys, and dairy farming for the girls. Mr. Ward pointed out that these farms were being supported. He also stated that \$100 is sufficient to support one Serbian child, and that the Canadian Brotherhood Federation has already contributed \$250,000.

Rev. E. B. Lancelotti, pastor, preached on the subject of self-glorification in the morning. Special preachers also addressed large audiences in connection with the brotherhood movement at Danforth Methodist, Simpson Avenue Methodist, Danforth Baptist and Kew Beach Presbyterian churches.

Pastor's Salary Raised By Woodgreen Tabernacle

At the recent quarterly official board meeting, held in connection with Woodgreen Tabernacle, in the church, East Queen street and Bolton avenue, it was decided to advance the pastor's salary \$500 and furnish an assistant pastor at \$600 per annum. Rev. E. B. Lancelotti was extended an invitation to remain another year. All reports of departments showed good progress.

Riverdale Presbyterians Hold Anniversary Service

Rev. R. B. Cochran, M.A., College Street Presbyterian Church, was the morning preacher at the anniversary services in Riverdale Presbyterian Church, corner of Pape and Harcourt avenues, yesterday, and Rev. James Little, B.A., of Westminster church, addressed the large congregation in the evening. Special music by the choir was rendered under the leadership of Arthur Bennett, musical director.

A substantial collection was received in connection with the new church building fund, yesterday, marked the seventh anniversary of the church. Rev. L. I. Hunter is minister.

COLD HITS GARDENERS.

Riverdale Horticultural Society has secured a large tract of vacant land in the morning for vegetable production. According to A. J. Smith, president, potatoes will be first favorite among the members in their choice of vegetables. Wilbur Park plot of about 2 1/2 acres in the southeast corner, is now nearly all planted with all kinds of vegetables. The section comprises about 30 lots.

Another man's son gives up opportunity and privilege to go to the nation. He comes back to find his place has been filled. Is that fair play? I believe that the time has come now that the war is over, we should be looking fairly and frankly at the questions of today, as a Christian people, dominated by the spirit of brotherliness.

DWELLING CATCHES FIRE.

An outbreak of fire from some unknown cause at the residence of W. Dixon, 39 Leuty avenue about 4 p.m. yesterday caused damage to the extent of \$85. Spreading to the adjoining dwelling, 37 Leuty avenue owned by J. Martin, damage to a slight extent was caused.

Calvary Baptist Seceders To Build Own Church

That portion of Calvary Baptist Church congregation which is at present holding services in St. Paul's Hall, Main street, East Toronto, since the division two years ago from Calvary Baptist Church, will shortly secure a building of their own.

A building committee with Rev. C. Schutt of Century Church, is handling the matter and a site will be secured. The board needs \$10,000 from the church forward movement, and a portion of this will be used in the building fund.

SHACKS REPLACING HOUSES

Owing to the shortage of houses in the east end and the influx of newcomers from the old country, which is appreciably noticeable in this section at the present time, a serious situation has developed. Shacks are springing up along the radial line on account of the lack of accommodation within the city limits. Within the last few days seven shacks have been erected between West Hill and Birch cliff, and others are in course of construction.

Earlscourt Salvationists Open Self-Denial Drive

The Salvation Army self-denial campaign, which began on Saturday in Toronto, had its counterpart in Earlscourt, where the interest in the Army's work is very keen. One large manufacturing concern started the list in this district with a donation of \$250. Many of the Salvationists from local corps in this district attended the great spectacular display of social and missionary work at Loew's Theatre, where massed bands and a choir of 500 voices entertained the visitors. Entertainment was expected to contribute a large sum of money towards the work of the Army, the leading merchants and business men having already promised liberal support.

SAYS BROTHERHOOD SO MUCH PIFFLE

J. H. Buckley Claims Education and Agitation Labor's Best Friends.

James Simpson, T. G. Bond, J. H. Buckley and Joan McDonald were the speakers at Mavety Theatre, West Toronto, last night. Publication had been made that three or four members of the Ontario parliament, who were Labor men, would be on hand. T. G. Bond, who was also chairman, gave reasons for the absence of the men as bereavement in one case and strike trouble in the others. The four impromptu speakers were long and deliberate in their arguments, excepting the chairman, who spoke only of the working phase of labor interest.

"At the last elections we had no idea there would be many Labor men elected," said Mr. Buckley, referring to the U.F.O.-Labor coalition, he said, "it is a curious thing that we provided for that three years ago." The difficulty that was apparent to some in the enforcement of the eight-hour day would disappear with the establishment of the fair wage clause, Mr. Buckley contended. The workmen would not be receiving 75 per cent. today in the case of illness, he claimed, had the government been in power. Nor was 75 per cent. enough, for there should be provision for physician and such allied demands. Mr. Buckley described the Kerensky victory in Russia as a case where the middle classes had overthrown the working classes.

PROFITTEERING AN ABOMINABLE THING

Says Rev. T. A. Moore on "World Brotherhood" at Howard Park.

"I have been stirred about some things that have occurred in this Dominion under our laws," said Rev. T. Albert Moore, preaching yesterday morning at Howard Park Methodist church on "World Brotherhood."

The preacher gave an instance of law in the east of Canada recently where a thief who stole five lambs from a flock of sheep was given six months in jail. "We need such laws that make it harder to do wrong and easier to do good."

"But nineteen days ago in the western part of this country on the prairie a man sent his beautiful daughter of eighteen on an errand. A man met her in the dark of the evening—the horrors of it. Eleven days ago that man was before the court under the laws of this land, and he was sent to jail for ten days. What do you think of that? He stole six crimes in jail for the theft of shoes and a few days in jail for the other crime?"

"We must have laws that protect rights. The time has come, we must live under the law. Law must protect the weak."

REDEMPTORIST MISSION ENDS.

A week's mission to men given by the Redemptorist Fathers McLaughlin and Kearney was brought to a successful close last night in St. Clare's Catholic Church, West St. Clair avenue, with benediction of the blessed sacrament and reception of 40 new members into the Holy Society. The large building was well filled.

SHEEP AND GOATS ALIKE.

Sheep and goats in Ceylon are not very different in appearance to the ordinary vision, at least this was what Dr. Anne Young said yesterday afternoon to the students of the Young Women's Bible Class at Howard Park Methodist Church, in an address upon the possibility of forming a horticultural society in the district. C. Honeyman, member of Riverdale Horticultural Society, gave an interesting talk on the formation and growth of the Riverdale association.

A RECORD IN MARRIAGES.

St. John's Parish Church, Norway, is becoming famous for the number of marriages celebrated within its walls, since the close of the Lenten season.

Yesterday the rector, Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reid, D.S.O., published ten sets of banns of couples about to be united in holy wedlock. A marriage a day has been celebrated at St. John's on an average for some time past.

Woodbine Heights Would Form Horticultural Society

A meeting of Woodbine Heights ratepayers and lot-holders was held at the home of Mrs. S. J. Baynes, recently with C. Raven president, in the chair. A fine illustrated lecture by G. Baldwin, F.R.H.S., gave confidence as to the possibility of forming a horticultural society in the district. C. Honeyman, member of Riverdale Horticultural Society, gave an interesting talk on the formation and growth of the Riverdale association.

The gathering was fully enlightened on the subject of gardening. J. Milne operated the lantern and in great measure the views made the lecture understandable.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Baldwin. It is intended to hold several similar meetings in the near future.



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Regarding the water and sewer service for the eastern district of York township, the committee of the various ratepayers' association, appointed to circulate petitions for signatures of residents to be presented to York township council, are busily engaged in the different sections securing names.

In an interview with The World yesterday Sept. Rowe, president of the Eastern and Danforth Avenue Joint Ratepayers' Association, pointed out the extreme necessity for sewers and water services, more particularly the latter. As an example he pointed to the congested condition in the section immediately north of Danforth avenue, where within 200 feet of Second School there are 27 dumps and 12 wells, a standing menace to the health of the whole community.

With the water installation on the damge would be overcome for the time being, as the sewage could be disposed of by septic tanks or other sanitary methods. Any one of the three plans for water service suggested by School, Barrington avenue, recently, Chas. Roberts occupied the chair. The gathering was one of the largest ever held in the district, proving an interest in the water and sewerage question cropping up, and opinions being divided. The meeting was eventually adjourned until May 23.

POTATO BOYCOTT FELT

The potato boycott is being felt in the Riverdale and Danforth district, according to the statement of a prominent business man. Quite a large number of grocery stores are reported, and the people are loyally supporting the Consumers' League in its effort to defeat the spud profiteers. Several stores have refused to sell potatoes, and the price demanded on Saturday was \$1.20 a peck.

Beach Avenue Methodists Sunday School Anniversary

Sunday school anniversary services were held in Beach Avenue Methodist Church yesterday with large attendances. The pastor, Rev. A. T. Addison, preached on "The Value and Privileges of Church Membership" at the morning service when 28 members of the school were received into church membership.

MAJOR BUCKLAND PREACHES.

A special sermon preached by Major (Rev.) C. H. Buckland, M.L.A., before a large congregation yesterday morning in St. John's Parish Church, Norway. Rev. Mr. Buckland, who was formerly ass't pastor at St. John's, was invited to preach on the occasion of his visit to the city as a military chaplain in England.

HEN-HOUSE CATCHES FIRE.

A fire causing \$200 damage to the hen-house and adjacent buildings at the rear of 18 and 20 Pelham avenue, West Toronto, occurred at 3.20 this morning. Mrs. Evans, of No. 20, was the occupant. The cause is unknown.



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UNIONVILLE BOWLERS ELECT OFFICERS

New League Embraces Markham, Elmira, Stouffville and Richmond Hill.

The annual meeting of the Unionville Bowling Club, held at the Queen's Hotel in that village on Friday evening, was one of the most enthusiastic and largely attended in its history. That the coming summer will be one of the best since its inception was the opinion freely expressed.

The officers elected were: J. J. Dunn, president; W. M. Smith, vice-president; and Abner Summerfelt, secretary-treasurer. The grounds committee will consist of T. G. Harding, convener; R. J. Allan and W. Shaw.

Last year's skips were all re-elected by acclamation, and others will be named as the necessity arises. They are Frank Frisby, Harry Flummerfelt, W. Caldwell, A. L. Brown and G. A. M. Davison.

Appeal to the bowling clubs in York county is the formation of a new league embracing the towns of Unionville, Markham, Elmira, Stouffville and Richmond Hill. It is proposed, by a system of elimination, to reduce the competing rinks to three in each of these clubs, and play a series of home-and-home games for a handsome trophy to be provided later.

The idea has caught on immensely, and is popular. J. J. Dunn, W. M. Smith and Abner Summerfelt were appointed a committee to confer with the other clubs, and to make the necessary arrangements.

Last year's great trophy will again be used, and are already in splendid condition. An added feature will be the installation of electric light from a local business house, the formal opening will take place on May 24.

MT. DENNIS MAKES WONDERFUL GROWTH

Population Now Five Thousand in Comparison With Five Hundred in 1912.

The phenomenal growth of the town of Mount Dennis since the completion of the street railway in 1912, has attracted the attention of some outstanding facts in both its historic and present day condition.

In 1912 there was a population of 500; today it is over 5,000 mark. During the past year 350 houses were erected, and over 200 in Black Creek Valley toward the city. It is judged that as many more will be erected this year. The two most popular types of building in course of construction are four and five-roomed one-story frame structures at \$2,500 and two-story brick bungalows of six rooms at \$3,500. Fifteen permits for building were issued by the township office in the past two weeks.

The Presbyterian Church are completing their church building, the Methodist and Anglican Churches have just added new parsonages to their property, and the St. Paul's Church have made arrangements to complete their basement church.

There is in Mount Dennis a railway frontage of four miles on both C.P.R. and G.T.R. Recently a five-acre lot east of Lambton avenue and between Weston road to the railway was subdivided and there is now less than 300 out of 1,700 foot frontage not acquired.

There are three schools in the district, which is No. 28, and all three schools have been enlarged or doubled. The schools are the Dennis avenue, Bala avenue and Silverthorne, a petition being now in circulation for a new section for Silverthorne.

A new water main from Toronto to Eglington avenue is approaching completion. A delegation from Weston and the township council to the Canadian National Railways, a short time ago, received new proposals that extra switches would be placed on the radial and the service doubled at rush hours. Last week assurance was received that the Hydro poles would receive lights on every second pole on the main street, Weston road, instead of every fourth, as at present.

Besides the ratepayers' association and the Mount Dennis volunteer brigade there is the Resources League which has 203 lots under cultivation on the face of production in vogue during the war.

Mount Dennis has a cemetery known as the Dennis cemetery, on the corner of Weston road and Eglington. It was set aside for burial purposes by the late



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