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5,500 GARDENS WILL BE TILLED THIS YEAR BY SCHOOLS

Thousands "Enlisted" To Further Production.

REPORTS ARE RECEIVED

More Sections Give Figures On Number of Pupils Engaged.

The campaign to enlist school children in garden operations is proving to be a great success and Inspector Edwards is all enthusiasm.

In addition to the list reported on that there are 136 gardens worked by the pupils of the Talbot Street School, 175 by the Lorne Avenue School, 120 by the Riverside School, with 20 gardens at Riverdale School, with 20 children helping others, as they have to gardens, 55 at the Lord Roberts School, out of an enrollment of 541 pupils, a great record, with 312 families who engaged in gardening, and 178 at the Alexandra School, with 124 pupils assisting.

"That is a great record," said the inspector. "I am more than pleased. These children are greatly interested, and I am confident that great results will follow. I have many other reports to come in, and I figure that there will be more than 1,500 gardens put in by public school pupils this year."

The inspector is also confident that 10 pupils will go to the farms. He is working out a proposition to send two boys together to each farm. The chum will make for greater efficiency, and will tend to keep the boys contented and alive to their work.

The boys and girls have the right to make no mistake," said Mr. Edwards. "They are not advertising men, but they will make good."

COMPLAIN OF SPIKES USED BY PHONE MEN

A. Fraser and Others Say Damage to Trees Is Being Done.

The board of works hold a short session last evening little business coming for settlement.

Complaints were made by Mr. Fraser, K.C., and others that the Bell Telephone Company's men, in digging for cables in the streets, were using spikes in climbing trees, with the result that many had died. City Engineer Brazier will put a stop to this practice.

The residents of Talbot street consider that they are entitled to some rebate on the asphalt pavement laid on that street two years ago, on account of the amount of broken asphalt which has been used elsewhere. City Clerk Baker and City Engineer Brazier will prepare a report on this matter.

The proposition to erect a sign board on Waverley road, near Beaconsfield avenue, did not meet with the approval of the residents of the road, and City Engineer Brazier will make an investigation.

On the request of the board of health it was decided to have garbage collections three times a week from the restaurants down town. This is considered necessary from the standpoint of health.

Ontario street, from King to Dundas, will be put in a proper state of repair.

MRS. SLACK'S LETTER

To Mothers of Delicate Children

Palmira, Pa.—My little girl had a chronic cough and was so thin we could count her ribs and she had no appetite. Nothing we gave her seemed to help. After, until one day Mrs. Nibbeli asked me to try Vinol, and now she is hungry all the time, her cough is gone, she is rosy, and has a more healthy color. I wish every mother who has a delicate child would try Vinol.—Mrs. Alfred Slack.

We guarantee Vinol, which contains beef and cod liver peptone, iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates, to make delicate children healthy and strong.

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Cut Prices Every Day.

PARTY IN SPECIAL CAR WILL MEET MR. TAFT

American Statesman Will Be Given Hearty Reception by Citizens.

A courtesy extended to the Women's Canadian Club in connection with the visit to the city this afternoon of ex-President Taft by the board of the London and Port Stanley Railroad, is much appreciated. This forenoon Sir Adam Beck telephoned the president of the club, Mrs. Donald McLean, that a special car would be placed at the disposal of the Women's Canadian Club to go over to St. Thomas to meet Mr. Taft on his arrival there via the M.C.R. The car will leave London at 2:30 o'clock. The party will include the executive of the club, the mayor and board of the London and Port Stanley Railroad, F. P. Belts, who will be the host of the distinguished visitor during his stay in town, and representatives of the press.

A hearty welcome will be given to Mr. Taft when he reaches London by members of the Women's Canadian Club, prominent men of the city and others who will join in demonstrating their appreciation of the distinguished American statesman and the country he represents as an ally in the war. Music will be furnished by Venus's Band and a large number of decorated automobiles have been offered for the procession, including the Mayor's car of the stock of new McLaughlin cars in the local headquarters. The former president of the United States will be driven to the Hunt Club where a dinner of fifteen covers will be given in his honor by Mr. Belts.

The large advance demand for seats indicates that there will be a good attendance in the Princess Winter Garden this evening to hear Mr. Taft speak on "The United States in the War."

NEW EULOGY OF SOCKS WRITTEN BY SERGEANT

Pays Hearty Tribute to Work of Overseas Chapter.

A convincing little sermon on "Socks" is preached by Sergeant H. J. Bennett of the 4th Reserve Battalion, Western Ontario Regiment, Brampton, in a letter of appreciation just received by the Overseas Chapter, L. O. D. E. He says: "Dear Friends—I want to acknowledge the pair of socks that I received through your chapter. If I were revising a portion of the Bible I would make this change in the place where it says 'as cold water is to a thirsty soul, I would have it read, 'as home knit socks are to a tired soul, so is good news from a distant country.' I have worn them for a week, and they are a change from the socks we get issued, so nice and soft and comfy, and longer in the leg. I almost hate to change them for fear they would be lost in the wash. Socks are one of the needed comforts when a man walks about twelve miles to the rifle ranges with all his equipment on, and carrying a rifle, his feet get tired, blistered and sore, and when he returns and has a wash and a soft pair of socks to place on his weary feet, he is glad. 'When he knows that they were knit by some kind friend in Canada, he unconsciously murmurs a prayer for those who are the backbone of the Empire, the ladies, especially of the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire.'"

First in the List.

Continuing the writer pays this tribute to the Overseas Chapter: "Many associations of ladies in Canada are doing great work, many women who do not belong to any association or society are doing their bit in a quiet way. But I think the Daughters of the Empire are doing one of the greatest, if not the greatest work of those who are helping the men win the war."

The Overseas Chapter is one that any woman should be proud to belong to, as it carries with it the honor that a near relative must be overseas, or a member. Although all chapters are doing their share, still the Overseas Chapter is the heart of the Overseas Chapter. I am sure that each member will have loved ones back with them, and have a grand reunion. With the Overseas Chapter, I remain, yours faithfully, SERGEANT H. J. BENNETT.

Thanks From 14th.

The following letter has been received by Mrs. Galbraith, recent of the Overseas Chapter, from Lieut.-Col. W. MacVicar, O. C., 14th Battalion, in acknowledgment of kindness to the members of the unit:

Dear Madame—On behalf of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the 14th Battalion, kindly acknowledge the opportunity of us during our period of training in London (Ontario). Assuring you of our appreciation of the beautiful luncheon, I am, yours faithfully, W. W. MACVICAR.

FEWER INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPORTED

It is apparent from the returns reported by Dr. H. W. Hill, medical officer of health, that the epidemic of infectious diseases is subsiding. During the week ending May 5, 25 cases were reported, of these 5 were diphtheria, 2 mumps, 4 scarlet fever, 10 tuberculosis, 2 whooping cough, 1 typhoid, 2 enteric fever, 1 measles, 1 chickenpox, 1 scarlet fever, 1 diphtheria, 2 of German measles, 1 of mumps, and 18 of whooping cough, of which 24 are for scarlet fever, and 9 for whooping cough.

PERSONAL MENTION

Vint Atkinson, Dundas street, east, left last night via G. T. R. on a business trip through Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Poplin Raincoats

Poplin Raincoats in all colors. A Friend-Making value that is extra special, at

\$3.95

FRIEND-MAKING SALE

To Make New Friends and Draw Old Ones Closer

This sale's values are the result of long and thorough searching of the wholesale markets. With the great buying power of Three Busy Stores, we everywhere command the lowest prices on merchandise. Thus we can and do offer values such as other stores, less advantageously circumstanced, cannot be expected to equal. Hundreds of London's best dressed women have learned also that Raphael-Mack styles are distinct from those that other stores show. They have an air of smartness and a look of quality that puts them in a class by themselves. To prove these facts to other women, and to make hundreds of new friends for this store, we have arranged this "Friend-Making Sale" of very special values,

Silk and Cloth SKIRTS

At Friend-Making Prices

In Serges, Gabardines, Wool Velours, In newest stripes and checks; Taffeta Silks, Satins, Fancy Silks, and Silk Poplins in plain colors and new coin spot designs. Latest styles, including many clever effects in belts, pockets, etc.

At \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$7.95 and \$8.95

Corduroy \$2.69 Skirts

Newest sport styles, pocket trimmed.

RAINCOATS

Paramattas, Poplins and Smart English Tweeds, all splendidly waterproof. Included black, tan, olive, etc., also shepherd checks and grey and brown mixed effects.

\$4.95, \$6.85, \$8.90 and \$10.75

Serge Suits, \$7.85

Ten only Cloth Suits—all different styles.

MORE FRIEND-MAKING VALUES IN SMART COATS



\$5.95, \$8.75, \$10.90, \$14.85 and \$18.50

Every garment represents a value which is notable both for style and utility. A full range of colors, including the new high shades, as well as many navy blues and blacks.

At \$22.75

Finest Model Coats, in strictly exclusive styles. Belted and flared effects, featuring large sport and distended pockets, novel ideas in cuffs and collars, over-collars, rows and rows of stitching and fancy buttons.

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Women looking for Suits out of the ordinary should certainly see these. Every material in use this season is to be found in the assortment—serges, gabardines, poplins, poiret twills, jerseys, burrills, gunniburrs, etc., in all colors, including a full range of the so-called "high shades." They have the smartness, workmanship and tailoring that mean so much to the carefully dressed woman who demands perfect style.

\$9.98, \$14.85, \$18.95 and \$22.75

WITH GENUINE NEW YORK MODEL SUITS

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Only one of a kind. Choice of any Suit in the store.

These Specials in WAISTS

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In Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine and Habutal Silks. Our collection of waists captivates all who see them. Not only is there a beautiful array of styles, but the range of color affords an unusually good opportunity for selection.

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Jap Silks, in both black and white.

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Smartest and newest styles, in green, brown, sand, navy and black.

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Genuine New York Sample Dresses—just one of a kind. Nothing higher in the store.

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New York Silk Dresses

Crepe de chine and taffeta.

FRIEND-MAKING PRICE \$14.85

SECURES OPTION ON PIPE FOR GAS SUPPLY

General Manager Told That It Will Last Ten Years.

General Manager E. V. Buchanan was in Hamilton and the Selkirk gas fields securing a supply of gas pipes to deliver a supply to McClary's, and other manufacturers. He was able to get options on a sufficient quantity of pipe to last at least ten years, and the price was satisfactory.

It is expected that the utilities commission will ratify the deal at once, and that construction work can be commenced.

CITY HALL SHORT OF COAL TODAY

Contract Not Ratified and Engineer Had to Get Busy.

City Engineer Brazier had to do some hustling this morning to secure coal for the city offices. Some time ago the board of control ailed for tenders and the board of control awarded the contract to W. Hoaman & Sons. However the council refused to ratify the contract, and Mr. Hoaman notified Mr. Brazier this morning that the price quoted had been withdrawn.

As there was no coal in the cellars the city engineer got busy, and secured a sufficient supply to tide the city over for a day or two, or until such time as the weather improves.

75 CANDIDATES WILL GO OVER THE SANDS

Five Hundred Shriners Expected in City on Friday.

The Shriners will be here on Friday for the annual spring ceremonial. It is expected that 500-550 members of the (F) will be on hand.

The business session will be held in the afternoon, and in the evening the 75 candidates will be helped over the hot sands.

Alkali In Shampoo Bad for Washing Hair

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

OUTINGS FOR SOLDIERS DURING NEXT SUMMER

Motor Owners Will Endeavor to Make Life Pleasant for Boys.

The Soldiers' Aid Commission has named a summer outing committee, who will arrange for motor trips and excursions for the returned soldiers, particularly those confined to hospitals. It is hoped that the motor owners of the city will co-operate with the committee in making the summer pleasant for these men. The committee is composed of ex-Ald. R. J. Webster (chairman), ex-Controller W. W. Gammage, A. W. White, J. K. McDermid, Chas. Abbott, J. C. Beemer, E. R. Wilson, Ald. F. E. Harley, ex-Controller J. Frank Little, T. A. MacMahon, A. E. Miller, and Alk. Talbot.

INDIAN BRAVE READY FOR ANY OLD WEATHER

Reaches City in Coonskin Coat and Straw Hat.

Prepared for any sudden change in the weather, an Indian brave from Muncie arrived on a morning Grand Trunk train attired in a coonskin overcoat and at the same time wearing a wide-brimmed straw hat.

He immediately attracted considerable

MONTHLY LEAVE.

Camp orders announce today that hereafter monthly leave will extend from Saturday to Monday inclusive, instead of from Friday until Monday, in exceptional cases, where the men concerned live at such a distance that they have not sufficient time to get home, or for other reasons, longer time may be granted.

MCALLISTER NOMINATED.

St. John, N. E., May 9.—Dr. D. H. McAllister was nominated by the Liberals of King's-Queen's last night at a convention held at Norton, as candidate for the House of Commons in the next federal elections. He was member of Parliament for King's County from 1908 to 1911.

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