

MODERN IDEAS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOLS

A splendid programme was given at the opening session of the Inter-Church Teacher Training School held last night in the Church of England Institute, when sixty-five enrolled to attend the course which includes sessions on each of the five Tuesdays in November. The registration was divided as follows: Anglicans, eighteen; Baptists, thirty-one; Presbyterians, four; Methodists, twelve. The programme for the series of sessions has been well planned and among the speakers are to be Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong, Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts, Rev. Frank Milligan and Rev. Waldo C. Machum. Last night the address of the evening was given by F. L. Kipp.

Mr. Kipp urged upon the teachers to preach the honor of work and the dignity of labor. Rev. A. S. Bishop took up the study of the book, "The Teacher" in the standard teacher training group. Rev. Archdeacon A. H. Crowfoot was leader of the second group and the study of the book of Judges and the First Book of Samuel was taken up. Rev. H. B. Clarke took for the subject for study in the third group the gospel according to St. Matthew. Miss M. Beattie, superintendent of the Carleton Methodist Sunday School, read an interesting paper on the programme of a Sunday school session, which was discussed and praised by Rev. Archdeacon Crowfoot, Miss Allen, Mrs. G. D. Hudson, Robert Reid and others.

REPORTS ON THE PURITY OF THE CITY'S WATER

At a meeting of the Board of Health yesterday afternoon Dr. H. L. Abramson submitted his report of the city's water supply and in four examinations during the month of October the water was found to be good. Miss Murdie, superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses, gave her report which showed that fifty children were born during the month and 221 child welfare visits made. The records show sixty-seven deaths in the city during October. Miss Brophy gave the report of the anti-tuberculosis society. Dr. T. Fred Johnston, dairy inspector, submitted his report. Dr. Mabel Hamington, medical inspector of schools, was granted leave of absence. Mrs. Edmund Flewelling, food inspector, submitted her report. Mrs. Hooper gave an account of the meeting of the Canadian Council of Child Welfare at Ottawa. On account of the unsuitableness of the building permission was not granted the N. B. Cold Storage Company to kill fowls on its premises for shipment to steamers. The city council will be asked to extend the sewer in Ritchie street to receive the drainage of four houses in White street. A committee was appointed to submit plans to the council regarding the space required by the board of health in the new municipal building.

The chairman, John Kelly, presided, and other members present were: Mrs. R. J. Hooper, Dr. William Warwick, district medical health officer, and T. M. Burns, secretary.

NEW BATHING HOUSE FOR INDIANTOWN

The erection of another bathing house at Kennedy street at an estimated cost of \$400 to \$500 was decided upon at yesterday's meeting of the common council. The new building is to be paid for out of the \$515.40 unexpended balance from last year's appropriation for swimming scows. Commissioner Bullock said that the new accommodation could be ready for next season's use. Mayor Jones was the only member of the council dissenting.

The recommendations of the committee of the whole were adopted. Mayor Schofield and the controller were appointed to represent the city at the hearing before the public utilities commission on an application from the New Brunswick Telephone Company for permission to increase its capital stock.

SERIOUS PROBLEM WHICH IS FACED IN PALESTINE

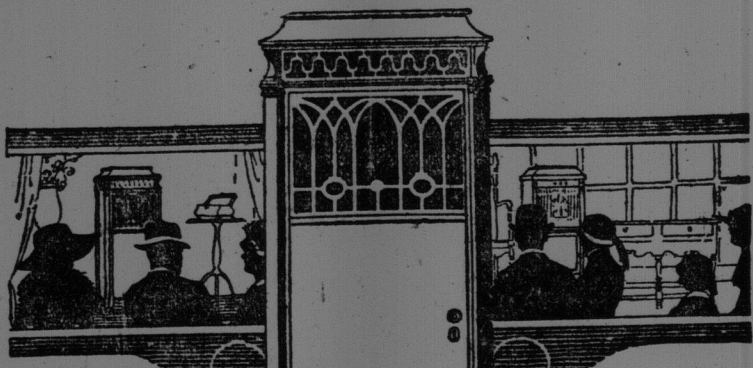
London, Nov. 2.—The scarcity of livestock, cereals and vegetables in Palestine is resolving itself into a serious problem, says a Jaffa dispatch. To meet the situation an agreement was arrived at with the Egyptian and Sudan governments for a monthly importation of 500 head of cattle, but by the time this was ready for consumption, the price was found prohibitive. Efforts are now being made to purchase livestock from the natives in the Eastern Jordan, and the importation of Australian frozen meat is resorted to. The embargo placed by the high commissioner on the export of wheat and barley helps the situation considerably, but resentment at the restraint is being voiced by the grain growers, who are in a position to realize better prices outside of the country.

RENFORTH CASE WAS OPENED YESTERDAY

Yesterday afternoon at Hampton, before Chief Justice H. A. McKeown in the presence of a large number of spectators, Harold Beverly, Allan Currie, Charles Ross, Jack Wilkinson, John Dean and John Kennedy appeared to be tried on the charge of manslaughter and with wanton and furious driving of a motor vehicle or other misconduct causing bodily harm to Virginia Garrett. An unusually large panel of jurors was summoned and the following were selected: I. Bliss Marr, W. H. Holman, Charles H. Brennan, W. H. Gannoy, Rainsforth Keith, Abner Crips, Addington Cosman, Wilfred S. Thorne, R. Z. Fleming, Albert R. Smith, R. J. Huggins, Simeon Crawford.

Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., appeared for the crown. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., is representing Currie, Wilkinson, Ross and Dean. Dr. Wallace opening the case for the crown, outlined to the jury the salient features of the case and what the crown expected to prove. The first witness for the prosecution was Dr. J. R. Nugent who testified to the ill health of Frederick Trifts, one of the principal witnesses for the crown. Mr. Trifts is at present confined to the St. John Infirmary and will be unable to testify at this session of the court. It is expected that the crown will seek to have the evidence which he gave at the preliminary hearing read before this court to the jury.

Benjamin Dennison gave evidence substantially the same as he gave at the preliminary inquiry. With reference to Colby's store at Renforth encroaching on the limits of the roadway he said that he had built the store and had placed it



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P. W. F. Brewster, the magistrate before whom the preliminary inquiry was conducted, testified to taking the evidence of Frederick Trifts and the prisoners.

Dr. Baxter moved that the jury be given an opportunity to view the scene of the accident to become familiar with the locality. This was agreed to by Dr. Wallace and the sheriff then procured automobiles which conveyed the jury to Renforth. The court stood adjourned to this morning at ten o'clock.

TAX AUTOS BY WEIGHT.
Toronto Globe: The total revenue to the province from auto license fees up to October 1 was \$1,946,000. A change in the system of licensing automobiles is being planned by Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of public works and highways. It is quite likely that the weight of the car will be a consideration. The new arrangement will affect the middle-priced cars more than any others.

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GREEKS ROUT THE KEMAL FORCES

Turkish Nationalists Reported Beaten on the Quchak-Ghaki Front.

Athens, Nov. 3.—A Greek counter-attack has routed the forces of Mustafa Kemal Pasha, Nationalist leader, on the Quchak-Ghaki front, according to an official communication issued yesterday. "The enemy, who suffered very heavy losses in men and material," adds the statement, "is retreating in disorder."

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Egnat Olkovic, a Russian of the Kam-sack district near Yorkton, Sask., was yesterday found guilty of murder and sentenced to hang on January 28, by the court of Kings Bench. He murdered his wife in August.

The body of Dr. J. A. Johnson, a dentist, who has been missing since Friday from his home in Lunenburg, was found yesterday in a pasture some distance from the town. He formerly resided in Parrsboro and Halifax. He was forty-five years of age and is survived by his wife and two children.

Sir George E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce; Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice, and Mrs. Doherty left today for England on the steamer Empress of France which sailed from Quebec.

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