THOMPSON URGES PROVINCES TO WORK TOGETHER

PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR BOYS URGED

Captain Joe Thompson Makes Strong Appeal to Kiwanis Club.

TELLS OF SCHOOL

Public support of movements for the betterment of boy and girl life in Canada was urged by Captain Joe Thompson, speaker of the Ontario legislature, who addressed the Kiwanis Club today.

"Boys and girls are the material we are putting into our national structure and we have to be careful what sort of material they are. The Kiwanis Club is the pioneer in this work of the under-privileged boy, a work which now claims the attention of all governments, entirely apart from the question of party consideration. The province is steadily giving it more time and attention, but it cannot give it all that is necessary without public support."

Tells of School.

Captain Thompson referred to the new school which is shortly to be erected near Bowmanville and for which Hon. Lincoln Goldie is enlisting support. This school was made possible by a gift from citizens of Bowmanville, and this was augmented by the grant of an equal amount from the government. The school is to be conducted on lines similar to those of the famous Shawbridge Boys' School in Quebec.

Public backing of sports, he added also, was a factor in the proper development of boy life, since sports tended toward cleanliness and wholesomeness.

"If one person out of every ten were killed at the level crossing just outside, Captain Thompson said, the citizens of London would soon be in arms. Yet disease is carrying off more than one out of every ten in young life. Some of the greatest men and women in the country are working to check disease but it cannot be accomplished without public support."

Captain Thompson urged more national unity of thought in the Dominion.

"We talk a great deal about a league of nations," he said, "but what we really need right at home here is a league of provinces. We can put whatever material we like into our structure, but unless we bind it all together with a feeling of national love and unity it won't stand."

The Lombardo Royal Canadian Orchestra were guests at the meeting and received a warm welcome home from the Kiwanians.

BRITISH PUPILS WILL PARADE AT EXHIBITION

Empire Day in Great Britain Will Be Celebrated Tomorrow.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, May 23. — Empire Day, which is held in Great Britain on May 24, not on May 23, as in Canada, never has been a public holiday here. This probably is because Whit Monday, which comes so shortly after Empire Day (June 9) has been a statutory holiday for a long time.

School celebrations, however, are becoming more popular on each succeeding Empire Day in Great Britain, and tomorrow a wonderful pageant will be presented at the British Empire Exhibition in connection with this year's celebration. Nearly 10,000 school children, bearing ensigns of the various dominions, will parade before the Duke of Connaught, who will take the salute. There will be a choir of 1,000 Boy Scouts, and afterwards the biggest band the world has ever seen, comprised of 1,000 musicians, representative of every branch of the British army, will be assembled in the stadium.

GLASGOW BY-ELECTION IS BEING HELD TODAY

Communist Candidate Is Receiving Strong Support From Laborites.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, May 23.—The by-election in the Kelvingrove division of Glasgow, due to the death of W. Hutchison, Conservative member, is taking place today, but the result will not be known until tomorrow. It is a triangular contest, with Captain W. E. Elliott, the Conservative candidate; Sir J. W. Pratt, Liberal, and Aitken Ferguson, Labor.

Despite the fact that Ferguson is an avowed Communist, he is receiving the support of both the local and national labor party leaders. He also identifies himself with the Clydeside group of Labor members of the House of Commons, who hold themselves, more or less, as a party of their own.

The Kelvingrove contest has been very lively in the past few days. Much of this is due to Lady Astor's incursion and her candor in describing the Clydeside members at Westminster as "windy fellows, whose hearts are all right but whose heads are all wrong." Captain Elliott, in whose behalf Lady Astor has been campaigning, has been asked if he approves of this scurrilous outburst, but he has declined to accept responsibility therefore.

If the Labor candidate should win in Kelvingrove it will be a rather sensational victory, for the constituency, like so many of the poorer working class areas in Great Britain is Tory by tradition.

WHEAT INSPECTIONS.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, May 23.—Wheat inspections yesterday totalled 431 cars, of which 378 graded contract. Coarse grains totalled 160 cars. There were no inspections for the corresponding date last year.

ELMWOOD SEASON OPENS TOMORROW.

Here The Advertiser camera man shows the newly renovated clubhouse on the grounds of the Elmwood Bowling Club in South London. Great improvements have been made in every department by members of the club this year. The large building which formerly served as a toolroom and refreshment booth has been removed and the original clubhouse moved back from the greens. A large addition was then built to the clubhouse, which is now more than half as large again. It is equipped with all facilities for preparing luncheons for the members and as well there is a large cloakroom and toolroom.

Hooks Baited Behind Tree Up In Merry Northland

Walter J. Brothers, C. N. R. telephone inspector, is an ardent disciple of Isaak Walton and his summer haunts are where the big trout change. This morning he walked into the office of Dave McHarg, car distributor, with a carpenter's plane in one hand and a couple of hacksaw bands in the other.

"Going fishing, Walter?" asked Dave.

"Sure am. Hitting out for Muskoka the first of the week. Here's what I'm going to catch them with. They're so big up there this year that they're chasing the cows out of the water and I figure if they are that ferocious they'll think nothing of nibbling at a stray hacksaw on the end of a line. Then when I catch them I'll scale them with this plane. It would take you all day to scale them with anything else this year."

"They're pretty good up north, eh?"

"Pretty good isn't the word, Dave. Why, listen—the fish up there are so doggon grown up that you have to get behind a tree to bait your hook. One of them pulled a full-grown man off the bank the other day and took him so far down the river that the poor fellow died from homesickness before he could get back."

And so on—!

BELIEVE COUNTY RATE HIGHER FOR THIS YEAR

Equalization Committee Meet To Prepare Schedule of Estimates.

The equalization committee of the county council, composed of the warden and the chairmen of the various committees, met at the county buildings yesterday afternoon and prepared a schedule of estimates to be handed to the county council for consideration when the council meets on June 2.

County Treasurer Capt. Tom Robson, who is an authority on county finances, was of great help in the matter and the majority of his recommendations were adopted by the committee.

No information was obtainable as to recommendations that will be made, but it is believed that the county rate will be slightly higher this year, although several councillors intimated there would be no change from 1923.

Those present at the meeting were Warden C. C. Henry, Metcalfe, and Reeves A. MacPherson, Glencoe; D. Gordon, Delaware; A. L. McDougall, Caradoc; Dave Calvert, Dorchester, A. C. Hodgins, London Township.

WESTERN "U" LIBRARY IS NOW BEING MOVED

Iron Stacks Are Ready in the New Building For Reception of Books.

The new library quarters of the University of Western Ontario are nearing completion. The iron stacking has been installed in the new building. The big long reading tables are there, and the linoleum will be laid the first of the week.

Half the books from the Barnett Library have been moved and in the annex on St. James' street the packing of volumes is going on all the time, the halls being filled with heavy cases of books that are ready for their removal to the new buildings.

It will take almost a month to complete the work, which will have to be finished before the summer school sessions start.

SMUTS POLICY CAUSED JAGGER TO RESIGN

Minister Declined To Consent To New Plan of Locomotive Construction.

Associated Press Despatch.

Cape Town, S. A., May 23.—In connection with the resignation of J. W. Jagger, minister of railways and harbors in the Smuts government, which was announced yesterday, the correspondence between Mr. Jagger and Premier Jan Christian Smuts show that the former's resignation was due to his unwillingness to remain in office longer in view of the premier's intention to go in for an "advanced industrial policy," the chief item of which would be the building of locomotives in big railway workshops to be established.

HON. W. E. KNOWLES ILL.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Moose Jaw, Sask., May 23.—Hon. W. E. Knowles, K.C., is critically ill here in the hospital suffering from pneumonia.

THOMAS S. LAWRASON DIES IN HIS 54TH YEAR

Well-Known Implement Dealer Passes at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Thomas S. Lawrason, for the last 15 years a widely known local implement dealer, passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday in his 54th year. Mr. Lawrason was born in the township of Burford, secured his early schooling there, and later graduated from the Brockville Business Colege.

He was formerly a commercial traveller and while connected with the Woodstock Wagon Company, travelled from coast to coast in Canada.

He is survived by his widow, Margaret, Leonard of this city, his mother, Mrs. Ellen Lawrason, and one brother, Miller of Cathcart, Ontario, and two sisters, Mrs. Alfred Leonard, and Mrs. Josephine Shwartz of London.

Mr. Lawrason was a member of the Masonic lodge of Woodstock and was a member of the Woodmen of the World also.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon from his residence, 2 Cathcart street, to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. W. L. Hiles of Memorial Methodist Church will conduct the services.

NEW ADVERTISING BOOK IS PLACED IN LIBRARY

A new book has been added to the Anson McKim Memorial Section on Advertising topics of the London Public Library. Its title is "Principles of Advertising," by Daniel Starch, Ph.D., of the Graduate School of Business Administration of Harvard University.

A collection of books dealing with advertising was presented to the library by the Canadian Press Association in January, 1922, and is known as the Anson McKim Memorial Section. It perpetuates the memory of the late Anson McKim of Montreal who was the founder in Canada of the business of specialized service to advertisers, and did a great deal fo promote public and private business through advertising.

INSPECTS ROADS.

County Engineer Charles Talbot is today inspecting the county roads of London Township, accompanied by Reeve A. C. Hodgins and Deputy Reeves Winter and Butler.

CIVIC EMPLOYEES REST TOMORROW

Swords Sheathed and Cutting Grass and Other Pastimes Promised.

HAIL THE 24TH

Fishing, ball games, gardening, cutting grass, and doing the hundred and one things that are always necessary in a well regulated home, are providing food for thought and aspiration in the minds of city hall officials today in anticipation of the 24th. One is wondering if they will bite good on Saturday, another if the mower really needs new knives, a third whether the friends who promised to come over from the old place will really come, and a fourth whether the Tecumsehs will get a sunny day and show their true form

On Saturday the civic typewriters will cease their weary round of clicking, the ancient boards will cease to creak, and the doors will hang motionless in the breeze. The hive of municipal industry will hum no more and the strife will follow the captains and the kings and depart. The ash cans at the back in the city hall garden will gaze with empty faces at the skies, and the mayor's office will rest in the peace of that quiet dignity that goes with age and the memories of other centuries and other mayors.

The city hall mice, if there are any, will have a palace all to themselves on Saturday, no one will bother them; they can chase the spiders up the walls to their little hearts' content, an no rough-handed alderman will bar their progress.

"We all have our troubles, here as anywhere else," said one official today. "Even if you wouldn't think so. Personally I am going to do what Saul did and take my trouble to a witch, only in this case the witch is a new car, and I'm going to give her a run if the weather is decent. The wife and I are going out to the country. If it rains we'll stay at home and paint the attic. I'm praying for a good day."

ALEX. MILNE AWARDED $65.75 BY THE COURT

Two Items of the Claim Are Dismissed in Plumbing Case.

Judge J. C. Judd today gave judgment in the first division court action of Alex. Milne, plumber, against Miches Bros. The plaintiff sued for a plumbing bill of $199 and was allowed $65.75 and costs.

Two items on the bill were alleged by the defendants to have been incurred by Zaffiron Bros., restaurant proprietors, amounting to $133.

The court held that the evidence showed the work in question was not ordered by the defendants, and dismissed th eclaim as far as the two items were concerned. A third item wa sheld, however, to have been ordered by the defendants, and judgment was given for the above amount of $65.75.

G. N. Weekes appeared for the plaintiff and W. B. Henderson for the defendant.

INTER-CITY SWIMMING CONTESTS ARRANGED

The inter-city swimming meet between London and Kitchener at the Y. M. C. A. will be staged at the "Y" in the near future, state officials. Conflicting dates at Kitchener and London have held up the meet, but the teams at both centers are practicing for the event.

London "Y" will enter two swimming teams, the midgets, boys from 10 to 12 years of age, who are having tri-weekly workouts, and the junior swimming team of boys of 12 to 16 years.

The midgets: B. Baldwin, B. Higgins, S. Reid, G. Williamson, E. Luck, F. Welsh. The junior team: L. Fitzgerald, V. Walker, J. Martin, V. Wong, W. Farquharson, J. Manuel, K. Smith, B. Foote, J. Rankin, N. Noble, Max Grier.

VISITS POSTOFFICE.

P. T. Murphy, superintendent of equipment and supplies, postal department, Ottawa, was in London yesterday arranging to make the local office the headquarters for a mail bag depository for this district.

Faithful Old Fire Horse Will Find Home On Farm

Within the next few days, "Doc," the old, faithful, bay horse, who has seen 25 years of service under three chiefs in the London fire department, will leave his stall at the central station to spend his remaining days on the farm of Ald. John Anderson at Hyde Park.

The passing of "Doc" from the King street station whence during his long years of service he has gone to approximately 12,000 calls, will leave a gap that no shiny motor-driven piece of mechanical apparatus can fill.

"Doc" first came to the fire department in the time of the late Chief John A. Roe, and then served under Chief Lawrence Clarke, and he is still doing light duty. Gone for him, however, are the mad, nerve-straining runs to all parts of the city, the belching smoke of widespread conflagrations and the companionship of other horses in the fire hall. Quiet repose has taken their place and poor old Doc will never again be called upon to gallop out of his stall to take his place on the hook and ladder wagon.

He is destined to spend his time away from the city's noise among the songs of larks, with all the green grass in the world to eat and nothing to worry about.

"He was a good old horse," said Chief John Aitken this morning, "and we will miss him. He is the last horse to go, but the boys are glad that he will always have a good home. When Doc was in his prime, he and his running mate "Mack," were famous all over the city. When the two were pulling together on the ladder wagon it was all two men could do to hold them.

"Lieut. George Gray of 428 Queen's avenue, drove Doc for twenty years, and it was beautiful to see the fondness of one for the other. Old Doc was so intelligent that if George were away for a day or two, you would see him lifting his head every time anyone came in the door—hoping it was George."

TUSTIN PRESENTS MONTHLY REPORT

Total Number of Cases Investigated by Inspector Is Placed at 611.

SEEKS CO-OPERATION

At the monthly meeting of the Humane Society last night Inspector George Tustin reported that the total number of calls received and answered by him during that period was 489 and that the total number of cases investigated was 611. It was brought out at the meeting that in one case for which the inspector was called he was forced to travel nearly 140 miles before it was cleared up.

Mr. Tustin reported that he had addressed the Team Owners' Association of London and that he had received assurances from this body of co-operating with the Humane Society. Mr. Tustin is making plans to address the Sunday school children of Lucan on humane education in the near future.

During the past month there were two convictions for cruelty to animals. They were both county cases. Emergency calls numbered 86.

Mr. Tustin's work during the month included the following items:

Complaints received	259
Horses examined	354
Horses destroyed	6
Cattle inspected	624
Cattle destroyed	2
Other animals inspected	242
Dogs (stray) removed from city streets, no owners	53
Dogs destroyed	33
Warnings issued for cruelty	14
Poultry inspected	289
Prosecutions for cruelty	3
Convictions	2
Emergency calls	86

EXPECT MANY TO VISIT SPRINGBANK ON MAY 24

City's Big Picnicking Grounds Will Be Open For First Time This Season.

All London and his kid brother will make Springbank Park their Mecca on Victoria Day. The city's big picnicking grounds will be open for the first time this season. Scores of private picnic parties are planned, thousands of citizens will make it an all-day or afternoon outing and special arrangements are being made by the street railway authorities for extra service. Given good weather, it will be a gladsome opening of the picnic season in London.

Springbank's midway and amusement park will be in full swing, with added features. The pony rides, coming to the park for the first time, are expected to make a big hit with the kiddies, and the mechanical rides also look for a strenuous day in helping to bring joy to the holiday makers.

No big picnics are on the boards. It is just a great day for family parties and authorities are not slow at predicting a record crowd if the weather is right.

HAGERS FAMILY ROW IS SETTLED IN COURT

Husband Agrees To Pay His Wife Ten Dollars Each Week.

After several appearances in police court the family troubles of the Hagers, William and his wife, Helen, are at last settled. Mr. Hager has agreed to pay his wife $10 a week and this amount has proved acceptable to the wife.

Hager brought his wife from Syria during the winter months and saw for the first time his daughter 17 years of age. Mrs. Hager and her husband had a row and she had him summoned to court on a charge of assault. This matter was adjusted and she had him brought up again before the magistrate on a charge of non-support.

W. B. Menzies, acting for Mr. Hager, didn't think his client should have to pay much as he was earning but $15 a week. Gordon Tennent, acting for Mrs. Hager, declared he was earning more than that and the magistrate adjourned the case until today in the hope that a settlement would be reached.

WISE OLD OWL ACCEPTED FOR ZOO AT SPRINGBANK

The wise old owl which wound its way into the city hall this morning and winked so solemnly at all the girls has now found a home at the Springbank Zoo, where it was taken by Superintendent Graham, and will in future view Londoners from behind the wires down by the riverside. He was accepted by the commissioners for the Zoo partly on account of his winning manners and partly by reason of his sunny smile and philosophic wink.

SUPREME COURT OPENS AT 10:15 O'CLOCK MONDAY

Owing to the large number of cases (eighteen) to be tried by Mr. Justice Kelly at the non-jury sittings of the supreme court, his lordship has notified court officials that he will arrive in the city Sunday night and that court will open at 10:15 Monday morning.

Twenty-two cases were set down for trial, but four have been settled out of court.

ONE LONE DONATOR.

One lone motorist contributed $10 and costs in police court today for "stepping on the gas."

ANCIENT PRICE LIST SHOWS SUITS WERE SOLD FOR $4.50

"Good Taffeta" Lining Would Be Added For Sum of $1.25.

SKIRTS FOR $2.00

Most Expensive Item Is Suit of Broadcloth For Eleven Dollars.

Many a man wrote a check for $100 last month, the price of his wife's spring suit. The only place nowadays that a suit can be purchased at less than $25 at least is a rummage sale; yet it seems there was a time when a five-dollar bill was sufficient to keep a woman clothed and her husband in his right mind.

A London family recently undertaking extensive repairs to their home found between two layers of flooring the price list of the Southcott Suit Company of London. A perfectly good suit of English cheviot, according to this, could be obtained for $4.50. The lining in this case was stipulated as "good mercerized sateen," and for the trifling additional sum of $1.25 could be procured a lining of "good taffeta."

Lining Incidental.

Nowadays the lining is incidental. One pays whether it is good taffeta or not. It appears, however, that there was quality, since the list reads: "Add $2 to above prices if our best taffeta or our best satin lining is desired in jackets." The price mentioned for the jacket only is $2.50, and for skirt $2, with "only 40 cents extra if lined." The price of the waist with a good lining was $4.95, and the notice reads: "Add price of waist to price of skirt, and you have the price of a shirt-waist suit." With the present mode, the shirt-waist, an elaborate affair and most certainly without the "good lining," would about equal the cost of the entire costume in the good old days.

No Date Is Given.

No date is given with the list, nor is it definitely known what years the Southcott Suit Company was in existence. The most expensive item mentioned is a suit of imported broadcloth, and this runs into the staggering sum of $11. It could be obtained in "black, navy, seal brown or myrtle green." The same price today would more nearly purchase a yard of imported broadcloth (if "they" happened to be wearing broadcloth), and the shopper would protest vigorously if she were offered the choice of only four shades. English broadcloth in black came a little cheaper, only $8. The tweed sounds very natty, "black and white snowflake goods," also other fancy mixtures." Vicuna cloth also sounds intriguing, although it is a question if it could hold its own with the mysterious modern weaves. There are also frieze, Venetian cloth, imported cheviot and French cheviot.

Princess Now In Ranch Home

Young Couple Arrive at California Ranch at Arcadia.

Associated Press Despatch.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 23.—Prince Erik of Denmark and his bride, formerly Frances Louis Booth, were at home in their pink stucco ranch house at Arcadia today, surrounded by young peach trees and 6,000 chickens.

Reporters and cameramen mingled with the townspeople, who gathered to greet the couple, home-bound from their honeymoon, but the prince was uncommunicative as he lifted his baggage from the small sedan in which they arrived, and before the dust had settled in the driveway, the massive door of the house had closed behind them.

Y.M.C.A. PLANS SUMMER CAMPS

Hopes To Be Able To Accommodate Greater Number of Boys This Year.

The boys' committee of the Y. M. C. A. is planning the summer camp program. Details of the trip to out-of-town camps are being arranged. Last year 35 boys and six leaders from London attended the Fisher's Glen camp, while 50 boys and six leaders enjoyed a stay at the Ki-Y camp at Sage's Farm. The London Fresh Air Camp at Rondeau had the largest attendance, 115 boys and eight leaders; of these, however, only 40 of the boys were "Y" members.

The men's department at Bear Island, Temagami, from which canoe trips will be taken this summer, will cover the Temagami district pretty thoroughly. The trips will go in all directions from the camp and will cover the bays, inlets, branches and arms of the north country waters. The trips will be under the direction of G. R. Sinclair, physical director, and the dates will probably be from July 19 to some time in August.

The camp will supplement the annual two weeks' canoe trip that has been conducted the last two years. Already several members have signed up or signified their intention of taking the vacation trip.

The Y. M. C. A. hopes to increase its facilities to receive a greater number of men and boys at the summer camps this year, and expects to announce the complete camp dates soon.

JAMES BRADY DIES FOLLOWING OPERATION

Was Visiting His Brother, Rt. Rev. Mons. Brady of St. Mary's Church.

James Brady of Chicago, and a native of this district, died in St. Joseph's Hospital last night, following an operation.

Mr. Brady was visiting his brother, Rt. Rev. Mons. Brady of St. Mary's Church here, and was fast regaining his health after a recent illness, when he was suddenly stricken Monday night. His recovery, however, was expected until yesterday, when he took a turn for the worse. Mr. Brady was in his 71st year.

The funeral services will be conducted Monday morning in St. Mary's Church, when solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated by Mons. Brady. Interment will take place in the family plot at St. Thomas.

Up to his retirement several years ago, Mr. Brady was prominently connected with mining enterprises in the Middle Western States, and especially at Cripple Creek, Colorado. Later his inventive powers took him into the manufacturing field, and for some years he was associated with a brother in the steam turbine industry in Chicago.

Mr. Brady leaves one daughter, Marie, K., of Chicago, and two brothers, J. F., of Kansas City, Missouri, and Mons. Brady of this city.

CANADA HAS NEW FLAG FOR HOLIDAY DISPLAY

Merchants Are Now Showing Ensign To Take Place of Old Red Flag.

Canada now has a flag of its own that has been ratified both in England and in Ottawa for flying on all public holidays on public buildings in the form of a red ensign, bearing on the red background the national emblems of the five peoples who made up the original population of the country.

In a shield on the red of the ensign which is divided into five parts, are shown at the top the lions of England and directly opposite, the rampant lion of Scotland. Below the English leopard is shown the harp of Ireland and on its right the fleur de lis of France. Right at the bottom, occupying the full measure of the escutcheon, are three maple leaves.

This is the new Canadian flag, to take the place of the old red ensign with the provincial arms which is now used by the Canadian merchant marine. It is just printed and being shown to the public for the first time. There are several of the new flags in city store windows.

PLENTY OF NOISE SOUGHT BY BOYS

Firecrackers That Make Racket Are the Greatest in Demand.

SALE IS BRISK

The dimes of London children will go today and tomorrow to the purchase of over a million Chinese firecrackers, which will be part of the city-wide celebration of Victoria Day. There will be tens of thousands of packets of the snappy holiday explosives sold, besides countless numbers of display fireworks. The demand is as great as ever, and with little variance in the price from other years, the sale here and in other parts of Western Ontario has been large.

"Practically 60 per cent of the fireworks sold will be Chinese crackers," Beverly Hay, of Hays' Stationery Company, told The Advertiser today. He was authority for the statement that 5,000,000 firecrackers would be sold by his firm alone in Western Ontario.

Styles Unchanged.

Styles remain unchanged, and the whims of Canadian boyhood on Victoria Day still run in the same channels they did twenty years ago. The big demand is for the noisy firecrackers, and nickels and dimes are spent daily by the younger generation in every corner store. Parents go in for the purchase of display fireworks, and in these lines the sale today is well up to the mark of other years. Skyrockets, Roman candles, and the other whatizzes and thingumbobs for display after dark are of the same type as other years and just as popular.

Fireworks Safer.

"Canadian laws have made fireworks in this country much safer in late years," Mr. Hay said. "Firecrackers are restricted in size and, properly handled, are not dangerous. The department of mines at Ottawa has special supervisors for censoring fireworks, and a constant check is kept on noise makers and display works to eliminate danger as much as possible."

Obituary

MRS. FLORENCE M. ARMSTRONG

Yesterday Mrs. Florence May Armstrong, wife of Harry Armstrong of 512 Charlotte street, passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital in her 31st year. Mrs. Armstrong was born in England, but had been a resident of Canada for many years past. She leaves besides her husband, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Reeves, one sister, Mrs. J. S. Stephenson, and one brother, George Reeves, all of London.

The funeral will be held from the home of her parents, 1229 Dundas street, Monday morning, to St. Patrick's Church, where requiem high mass will be sung. Interment will be made in St. Peter's Cemetery.

EDWARD O'FLYNN.

Edward O'Flynn, for many years a resident of Chatham, died in London yesterday in his 76th year, following a long illness.

The funeral will be held from the funeral home of E. C. Killingsworth Saturday morning to St. Peter's Cathedral. Following requiem high mass, interment will be made in St. Peter's Cemetery.

THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND SWIM IN Y.M.C.A. TANK

Over thirty-five thousand people swam in the Y. M. C. A. last year. The figures recently compiled by the physical instructor for the fiscal year ending April 30, show that 15,340 boys used the bathing facilities, while men to the number of 17,860 took the plunge. Non-members totaled 2,102.

A noticeable increase has taken place in the attendance since the new filter plant was installed, and G. Sinclair, physical instructor, states that an analysis of the plunge water shows that the fellows are swimming in purer water than they drink.

TANK WILL BE OPEN.

For the benefit of those who take their cold plunge or hot showers every day the Y. M. C. A. tank will be open all day tomorrow, May 24.

It's flavor is sealed within

The only usuable part of coffee is the oil which is brought to its prime condition by roasting the coffee beans.

Coffee oil, like all other vegetable oils will become rancid if exposed to the air any length of time.

To prevent this, we seal Rideau Hall Coffee in air-tight cans by a vacuum process. It is never again exposed until you open the can yourself, after which the tight fitting lid retains the fine flavor until used 3

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