

JOHN WILSON DIES

TILLSONBURG, March 21.—Death me with startling suddenness to John Vilson, a well-known local contractor, and practically a lifelong resident of the town. He accompanied his daughter to the local G. T. R. depot, and while waiting for the train dropped dead in the station. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon, with services in St. Paul's Methodist Church, of which deceased was a member. Mr. Wilson was a member of the Maccabees and Home Circle Lodges. He leaves his wife and daughter.

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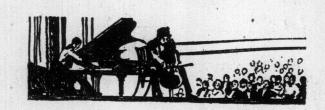
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SUDDENLY IN STATION DENES KILLING FOUND IN WEL

Young Farmer Declares Infant Was Dead When He Got It.

OFFERED TO MARRY GIRL

Jury Returns Verdict of Not Guilty of Murder in

[Special to The Advertiser.] GUELPH, March 21 .- After being out xactly one hour, the jury in the case charged with the murder of the illegitimate child of Mrs. Nellie Beisel, also

shown that there is an attempt at birth concealment, a verdict can be brought in showing this concealment, and provision is made for a penalty.

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WATER CIIDDIY FROM

Revolting Case. Evidence of a revolting character came out this afternoon at the trial.

Laughran entered the court after ten months' confinement in the county jail, and appeared haggard-looking. He pleades not guilty to the indictment in pall, and appeared haggard-looking. He pleaded not guilty to the indictment in a weak voice. Damaging evidence against the prisoner was given by High Constable Green, who led a search party to the Laughran farm in an effort to find the remains of the child, nearly three years after the crime had been three years after the crime had been

Cave Him Warning "What did you say to Laughran after that a strong campaign will be insti-arresting him?" Green was asked by tuted shortly to obtain a supply of Nichol Jeffrey, crown prosecutor.

"I told him I had received instructions from the crown attorney's office to arrest him, and warned him that anything he might say would be used turbidity of the river water evidence against him.'

ton. They left Drayton in the evening and took a roundabout way to the Laughran farm. They stopped at an orchard at the rear of the farm and Laughran took the baby from her and placed it in an abandoned well."
"Did Laughran say anything as to the condition of the baby his part of the condition of the baby?"
"I asked him if it was alive when he took it, and he said 'Yes."

"Did he say anything else?"
"Yes, he said he had asked the girl repeatedly to marry him, but she re-N. F. Perkins, W. C. Walker and E. Green, the constable's son, gave evidence of searching for the baby and finding it in the well, and Dr. Flath of Toronto, formerly of Drayton, told of exhuming the remains and deter-

girl of having smothered the child, and stated that when she had handed the baby to him it was dead. He admitted going to Drayton to meet her, but did not know she had the baby until he went to meet her, following a telephone message to do so. He said he had gone to Toronto to have an abortion performed. He admitted having been intimate with her since 1916. She had informed him she was in trouble in January 1917, and her to means the same state. uary, 1917, and he urged her to marry him, but she refused. When he met her in Drayton, the prisoner said he found she had a baby with her. He asked her to take it to her home, but she refused. She would not leave Dray-

"No, sir, I did not."

Under cross-examination the prisoner said he could not tell how the baby had died. It was dead when the Wetzel girl handed it to him.

"Do you think the woman smothered

"I do."

"And still you wanted afterwards to marry the girl who killed your child. It was your child, was it not?"

"I don't know, but I was willing to

marry her."

Mr. Jeffrey read a confession from Mrs. Belsel to the effect that Laugh-ran had taken the child from ther foreibly, and had taken it and placed

of the directors of the West Kent Agri-cultural Society held here today, they decided to hold a three-day race meet decided to hold a three-day race meet some time during the month of June, the exact date of which will be announced later through the press of Western Ontario. Purses totalling in the neighborhood of \$4,000 will be offered. Ernie Crummer of Blenheim, a well-known horseman of Western Ontario, has been engaged to take charge of the events.

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GORDON McGREGOR RESIGNS,
WINDSOR, March 21.—Gordon M.
McGregor, general manager of the
Ford Motor Company of Canada, today
formally resigned the chairmanship
and his seat in the Essex Border Utilities Commission. Condition of his
health is the chief reason of his
resignation. Last fall Mr. McGregor
was stricken in Montreal where he
underwent two operations.

concerning their application for use of
the armories.

"When Gen. Panet was here he prom.
ised to give us word about our application in a few days time," said Mr.
Johnston. "This time has already expired. As a result, plans for the meeting are being delayed."

No word has been received locally
from "Pussyfoot" Johnston other than
a press dispatch announcing his illunderwent two operations.

WOODSTOCK COUNCIL WILL OPPOSE PLAN TO TAX HYDRO USERS

Object Also To Double Platoon System For Fire Depart-

WOODSTOCK, March 21.-The proposal to tax city users of hydro to enable the Government to extend the service throughout the rural munici- Fear Avonbank Resident Was palities is opposed by the Woodstock council and a strong resolution will be forwarded to the Legislature this week. The North Oxford member, John Calder, has been instructed by the council to oppose the bill before the Legislature to impose the

expenditure here of \$6,000.

WATER SUPPLY FROM LAKE ERIE SHORTLY

Many Citizens Are Opposed Strongly To Present Supply From River.

CHATHAM, March 21 .- It is rumored

drinking water from Lake Erie. The recent freshet. Advocates scheme are stated to be preparing to Nellie Wetzel (Mrs. Beisel's name at that time) at the Queen's Hotel, Drayof water supply from the lake into serious consideration in the near future. Their plan is to have the lake water piped to every house in the city through the present mains, and to use the old large mains for fire-fighting purposes, and the present pumps at the river for boosting fire pressure. The matter is arousing keen interest in the city, and developments are expected at a contraction. developments are expected at an early

"How did you know where to look the remains?"

At Bottom of Well,

"Laughran told me I would find the child at the bottom of an old well on his father's farm."

"Did he say anything else?"

W. H. Wristman of the water commission in a statement to the press today relative to the supply of drinking water for the city declared that it seems a tyery short-sighted policy to be trying to secure a satisfactory water supply from a filthy river, which in reality is acting as a sewer to carry reality is acting as a sewer to carry off the filth of a very large tract of country as well as the city of Chatham commissioner also contends that despite the fact that additional filters are now in operation, the condition of the

mining them as those of an infant. Thomas Coulter, a young Mariborough farmer, and former ffiend of Laughran's, stated the prisoner had told him in December, 1917, that he had put the baby in the well. Prisoner's Story. Laughran, the prisoner, was the principal witness for the defence. To his counsel, C. L. Dunbar, he accused the girl of having smothered the child, and WITH \$3,870 CASH

Chinese Merchant At Windsor Victim of Early Morning Robbery.

WINDSOR, March 21.—Faced by two Six Nations Indians, spoke at the masked and armed robbers at 5 o'clock chamber of commerce today. "Of this morning, Jungo Lee, proprietor of course," he said; "I admire an Indian an Oriental store, was forced to open his safe and hand over \$2.250 in the course," he said; "I admire an Indian who endeavors to be like a white man and give him all credit, but not when his safe and hand over \$3,870 in cash.

Lee told the police that he was

EXPRESS CRASHES INTO AUTO TRUCK

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 21.—One boy was killed and six others injured tonight when the second Empire Express on the New York Central lines crashed into a truck carrying 30 boys

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Riordon Pulp and Paper Company, Limited, in session here today, announced the annual meeting of the new Riordon Company for April 21 next.

Figures made available this after.

AWAITING WORD

concerning their application for use of

Wm. Ferris Dies From the Effects of Internal Injuries. NO TRACE OF WM. MILNE

Struck by Lightning and Fell in River.

[Special to The Advertiser.] KINCARDINE, March 21.-William double platoon system in connection Ferris, aged 28, a farmer living two and with the operation of fire departments a half miles west of Glammis, died in in all cities over 10,000. The passing the hospital here today from injuries which Col. Laughran of Maryboro was of the bill would mean an additional sustained in the tornado Saturday. With his brother-in-law, Hugh J. McArthur, A prominent young East Zorra far- who was killed, he sought refuge from mate child of Mrs. Nellie Beisel, also of Maryboro, returned with a verdict of not guilty of murder, but guilty of birth concealment. The prisoner was remanded until tomorrow morning for sentence.

When court reconvened this evening at 3 o'clock the jury was addressed by C. L. Dunbar, for defence, Crown Prosecutor Jeffrey and his lordship, Justice Masten. The latter pointed out a section in the criminal act which provided that where a person is charged with the murder of an infant, and where it is shown that there is an attempt at birth concealment, a verdict can be brought in showing this concealment, and provision is made for a penalty.

A prominent young East Zorra farmer, Roy Hallock, died today, aged 27. He lived all his life in the township in which he died. He is survived by like in the township in which he died. He is survived by his wife and three small children.

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Geo. C. Sisson, born in Galt in 1841, but who has resided in this city practically all his life, died last night. He was the grandfather of Reginald the foundation. This burst his abdoton the foundation. This burst his abdoton here early today and when searched the police found a quantity of morphine and also an outfit of skeleton keys and other burglar's tools. He was remained for a week. The prisoner said he was released from Burwash two which he and Councillor Ferguson had in whore of the conference so which he and Councillor Ferguson had in the company that the storm in the town the town in 1841, who was killed, he sought the town the town at whose place fhey were attending a two hos walls. The barn was completely demost whose place fhey were attending a sale. The barn was completely demost whose place fhey were attending a two hos walls. The barn was completely demost whose place fhey were attending a two hos walls in 1841, but who has resided in this city practically all h

SENT CHECK FOR \$300.

INGERSOLL, March 21.—At tonight's meeting of the council Mayor Henderson gave a report of the conference which he and Councillor Ferguson had in New York with the officials of the Dominion Natural Gas Company. He stated that there was no expense whatever in connection with the trip to the town, except the railway fare. The gas question had been gone into thoroughly, and the officials were of the opinion that Ingersoll would be well looked after in the bill before the Legislature. Since their return a check for \$300 had been received and turned over to the clerk to be devoted to charity. A claim made by George A. Ionson for \$100 for sheep worried by dogs was referred to a committee to investigate and report on.

IS STILL MISSING.
STRATFORD, March 21.—The mysterious disappearance of William Milne of Avonbank, near St. Marys, is still unsolved. Up to tonight no trace has been found of Mr. Milne, who left his home last Tuesday night just before the big storm. The belief is that he was struck by lightning and fell into the Thames River.

REMANDED FOR A WEEK. STRATHROY, March 21.—Wm. Benjamin and Albert Ashton, who were arrested Saturday night by Chief of Police Wilson charged with breaking into and stealing from the premises of the Cuddy Hardware and Keyser's Poolroom on the night of March 16, appeared before Police Magistrate R. M. Trueman today and were remanded for a week until their past career could be looked up. They were removed to London jail by Chief Wilson.

WILL TAKE ACTIVE PART. WINDSOR, March 21.—According to statements made by Rev. J. O. L Spracklin tonight, he has every inten tion of taking an active part in the referendum campaign. Announcement of a series of meeting, which he will address, will be made shortly. Mr. Spracklin stated he was unaware of the reason for cancelling a meeting in Belleville, where he was scheduled to

WILL DISCUSS LAY-OFF. 24 to April 4, will be discussed Tuesday evening, when the local union men will meet representatives of the London Federation. The cause given for the lay-off is general reduction of ex

SAYS INDIANS NEED BETTER EDUCATION

Chief Cornellus of Oneidas Gives Address at Stratford Meeting.

STRATFORD, March 21 .- Expressing his opposition to the present system of enfranchising the Indian, K. W. Cornelius, chief of the Oneidas of the awakened by the men breaking in a responsibility for which they are not as yet capable. The movement of the Government is. however, very slow to she refused. She would not leave Drayton until it was dark, and insisted that she would not take the baby home.

Would Kill Baby.

"She told me," said the prisoner, "that she would smother the baby if I would throw it away. I asked where I could put it, and she said to put it in the old well. She had a rug around the baby, and when we came to the orchard she handed it to me, and the baby was dead. I then took it and put it in the well."

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"She told me," said the prisoner, "the Indian," he declared, "has not a popular education and is anxious for a better system. The Indian, is in a curious situation, as he is not permitted to exercise his vote as long as he is on the reserves, and so who is to interest themselves in securing good the baby was dead. I then took it and put it in the well."

"Did you kill that baby?" asked Mr. he went to investigate he was faced make him capable, because education own money. The Indian has ceded all his rights to this country, to the white man. He has given up a beautiful country, and a certain amount is due him. He has only his reserve left, and you do not want to take that away

RIORDON EARNINGS SHOW BIG SURPLUS

foreibly, and had taken it and placed it in the well. The prisoner said this was not true, and he denied the statements of Green and Coulter that he had told them he had put the baby in the well when it was alive.

CHATHAM TO HAVE \$4,000

RACE CARD IN JUNE

CHATHAM, March 21.—At a meeting of the directors of the West Kent Agri-

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