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SEWAGE MENACE IS NEAR END

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RIVER SOON TO BE FREE OF WASTE

Disposal Plant Will Leave Only Two Small Outlets Into Thames.

BUILD ON MONDAY

Will Care For the Entire City Except 40 Houses in South.

Good news for the board of health as well as every citizen of London is conveyed in the announcement of City Engineer Near today that when the duplicate outlet for the west end sewage disposal plant is completed, the raw sewage menace at the river will be a thing of the past.

Work on the west end outlet will start next Monday, the engineer states, and the work will be rushed to completion as fast as possible.

"There will be only two outlets of raw sewage into the river after the west end job is completed," said the engineer, "and these will be cared for by small outlet from Garrae Crescent and another at Ridout street, serving a total of about 40 houses.

Cost \$68,000.

In connection with the west end job, Mr. Near stated that it would be 5,500 feet in length, and would cost approximately \$65,000. It will start at the Wharfedale road subway and go west to the disposal works below the cove.

The capacity of the new outlet is shown in the fact that it is expected to take care of the sewage from the downtown area of the city, north, west and south London, as well as what is known as the "middle east" section of the city.

The huge concrete sections to be used have been in the process of manufacture on Springbank drive below the icehouses for some time. Today they are being hauled on wagons, day after day, to the scene of operations.

Stop Raw Waste.

"It will take care of two-thirds of the sanitary sewage in the city," said the city engineer in discussing the size of the outlet, "and it will relieve the overflow of raw sewage at River street."

When it and the other system at Wellington and High streets are completed, there will be practically no raw sewage into the river.

Two gangs of men will shortly be used on the Hale street sewer system, Mr. Near said. It will be completed by the end of the month. The men are now working on Highgate avenue and are at the deepest and wettest spots. Branch work on other streets will be started and it is expected to tunnel under the C. N. R. tracks of the St. Marys and Stratford branch on Wednesday.

LEIGHTON WITHDRAWS

Canadian Press Despatch.

Kamloops, B. C., Oct. 5.—Raymond Leighton, Liberal nominee for the Cariboo riding, officially withdrew from the federal contest Saturday.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Moderate to fresh northwest winds, partly cloudy and cooler.

Tuesday—Cool and showery.

The outstanding feature of the continental weather this morning is a pronounced area of high pressure which has come into Western Canada from the far north, accompanied by wintry weather.

The depression which was west of the Mississippi on Saturday passed south of the lakes, giving rain in Southern Ontario on Sunday evening.

Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	58	48	Clear
Calgary	58	29	Cloudy
Winnipeg	58	28	Snow
Port Arthur	52	38	Cloudy
Fair Sound	56	38	Fair
London	54	42	Fair
Kitchener	54	42	Fair
Ottawa	58	40	Rain
Montreal	56	42	Clear
Quebec	56	50	Cloudy
Father Point	44	38	Cloudy
St. John	56	38	Foggy
Halifax	60	48	Cloudy

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 55; lowest, 42.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 50; lowest, 40.

Sun rises at 6:19 a.m., and sets at 5:33 p.m.

Barometric Readings.

Sunday—5 p.m., 28.90.

Today—5 a.m., 29.94.

POLITICAL SITUATION IN CITY CLEARS SHOWING LIBERALS IN STRONG PLACE

Little Has United and Enthusiastic Backing of Entire Party.

CONTEST 3-CORNERED

Col. Reason Drops Out, Giving Undivided Support to Candidate.

GREAT CONVENTION

Liberal Rally Largest of All Party Gatherings in London.

The week-end saw the political situation in the city made definite by the nomination of three federal candidates—E. S. Little, Liberal; J. F. White, Conservative, and John Colbert, Labor. Mr. Colbert's nomination was perhaps the least expected of the three and may be ascribed to the last minute withdrawal of Dr. H. A. Stevenson, who had been looked upon as the probable Labor representative. Mr. Colbert has stated definitely to The Advertiser that he intends to remain in the campaign to the end. The contest in London will therefore be between these three as further nominations are unlikely.

The Liberal convention on Saturday night has undoubtedly been the most interesting and remarkable feature of the local situation thus far. In size and enthusiasm it far surpassed either the Conservative or Labor meetings and proved a surprise even to Liberals themselves, who have seen no such demonstration of strength and spirit in London for a generation. The nomination of Mr. Little was accompanied by an equally important development in the decision made by Col. Clifford Reason that he will throw his support behind Mr. Little in the interest of Liberalism rather than accept an invitation to be a candidate himself.

Pendulum Is Back.

Liberals are making comparisons between the Saturday convention and those held when Liberalism was in flower in London. The pendulum, they claim, has swung back. It was not only the size, but also the complete representation of all the city's interests and sections, which was the encouraging feature. The placing of the Liberalism before the convention, any one of which carries a great deal of weight in this city, also added strength. All of these men have given assurance that they will support Mr. Little as Liberal candidate.

There was a very noticeable number of young men and women at the convention, which goes to show that Liberalism, as always, still makes an appeal to the young far beyond the less progressive and more reactionary policies of Conservatism. The nomination of J. R. Stritvert, a young man, was a tribute to young Liberalism, which through the country is being given an opportunity for greater service by the King government.

Statements from the men whose names were placed in nomination at the Liberal convention indicate the unanimity of the party. Without exception they are enthusiastic for the chances of the Liberal in this contest. Little, it is said, will do all in their power to elect him. They had no opportunity to express their sentiments at Saturday's convention, as all the addresses were made before the selection of Mr. Little was announced.

Reason Optimistic.

"The chances of a Liberal victory are excellent, and judging from the ardor displayed at the Saturday night convention, London Liberalism is nearing success," Col. C. H. Reason declared.

While looking over the country the principles of Liberalism are being sought with greater and greater enthusiasm, and everything points to Mackenzie King being returned to the helm of government. The fact that the Canadian Press Despatch.

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Sparks from the Fire of the Liberal Rally

Major W. H. Kippen, D.S.O., M.C., who made a splendid chairman, shows courage in peace as in war. He was once a Liberal candidate for the legislature in North East Toronto which is a Tory stronghold. In a campaign of very short duration he reduced the Conservative majority by thousands. Liberals of Toronto would like to have seen him remain in that city as they expected to have him in the legislature the next time.

There were a large number of women at the convention. They are rapidly taking a greater interest in politics, and in the years to come there will probably be many more women candidates, and Agnes MacPhail won't be so lonely at Ottawa.

Senator Pardee of Sarnia makes a strange contrast with his fellow townsman, R. V. Lesieur, the Apostle of Gloom, over in the border riding. Lesieur, here Saturday, left the Conservatives in melancholy. Pardee left the Liberals in cheerfulness.

Dr. W. J. Stevenson wasn't present, but his name received the cheers that it deserves in the city. He is a Liberal all the time and reckoned as one of the strongest men in that party in London.

Andrew Robson is a veteran of many campaigns, and more eager than ever. He's younger every day.

Mr. Buchner likes members of parliament to be regarded as heroes. He put Mackenzie King in the hero list, and then added the Liberal candidate. The convention agreed.

When Senator Pardee quoted the official figures showing the tremendous strides Canada is making in his export trade and prosperity just naturally disappeared. The sun of prosperity is dawning.

Col. Reason was right when he said that London was out of the infant class and should have two members. Hyman hall will need an addition if Liberal conventions grow in size.

Mr. Little is another manufacturer who believes the Liberal tariff policy is the proper one for a united Canada, and hence a prosperous country.

Jared Vining made a snappy

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BUS ISSUE MAY SOON BE SOLVED

Ald. Douglass Will Meet Representatives of Company This Afternoon.

SEEKS PROPOSITION

Hopes To Have Definite Proposal To Lay Before Council.

Whether or not the citizens of London and South London in particular will ride to and from their work this winter in buses in addition to the electric chariots provided by the street railway, will depend in great measure on a gathering this afternoon between Ald. L. H. Douglass and transportation men outside the city who are already running successful bus lines in other cities.

"I may have a proposition to lay before the city council tonight, and may not," said Ald. Douglass early this afternoon. "I am having a meeting with these men later on in the afternoon and something worth while may develop."

The citizens are entitled to better transportation service than they are getting and if a bus system will give it to them, they will have it. It is service that we want and it is service that we will get if it is at all possible.

"While outside capital will be used principally, there are still some Londoners interested enough to invest their money, one being ready to put in a whole lot of money, so sure is he that it is a good proposition."

THREE OFFICERS ARE RE-ELECTED

Very Rev. N. L. Tucker Again Heads Anglican Clerical Association.

Very Rev. Dean L. Norman Tucker, D.D., D.C.L., rector of St. Paul's cathedral, was re-elected for the sixth successive year as president of the Anglican Clerical Association at its inaugural fall meeting in Cronyn hall this morning. Rev. Canon C. R. Gunne M. A., Christ church, was re-elected vice-president, and Rev. Horace E. Bray was re-elected secretary.

Dean Tucker delivered an eloquent address on the subject, "Versions of Scripture," for which he was accorded a vote of thanks, while the business included the selection of Tuesday, October 27 as the date of the fall meeting of East Middlesex deanery.

Rev. A. L. G. Clarke, Church of St. John the Evangelist, rural dean, will preside, and the place of meeting will be decided later.

The following program for the ensuing months was adopted as presented by the secretary: Nov. 2, "Canada and the Orient," Prof. Freeman, M.A., Ph.D.; Dec. 14, "Nobody's Dog," Ven. Archdeacon G. B. Sage, M.A., D.D.; March 1, "Some Wonders of the Sky," Prof. H. R. Kingston, M.A., LL.D.; April 5, "The Soul of the City," Major W. H. Wood, M.A.; "Recent Changes in the Chancelless Orient," Prof. Frank Anderson, M.A., D.D.

WHEAT INSPECTIONS.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 5.—Wheat inspections over the week-end totalled 3,912 cars, including 3,285 of contract grade. Coarse grains numbered 808 cars.

Empty Purse Found in Vacant Lot On York Street.

Entering a bedroom at No. 15 Alexandra apartments, tenanted by J. W. Mills, an unknown thief stole a purse containing \$10 last night. The bedroom window was left open as members of the family were in a vacant lot on York street this morning. The money was gone. The theft was reported to the police department last night and a constable on patrol duty recovered the purse today.

How Candidates Are Distributed.

In Quebec province, which has 65 seats, 105 were entered by today, made up of 54 Liberals, 46 Conservatives, 39 Independents and two Laborites.

Prince Edward Island, four seats, has a Conservative and Liberal running in every seat.

New Brunswick, with 11 seats, has Continued on Page 13, Column 1.



LONDON'S NEW LORD MAYOR AND WIFE.

The court of alderman has elected Sir William Pryke, an iron and hardware merchant, as lord mayor of London, to succeed Col. Sir Alfred Bower, who retires on Nov. 9. The above photo shows Sir William and Lady Pryke.

Revised Calendar Would Remove Many Difficulties, Says Western 'U' Professor

Effect Considerable Simplification in Reckoning Time, Is Claim.

OBVIATE CONFUSION

Calls For Days Falling On the Same Date Every Month.

If the steps taken to reform the calendar into 13 months of 28 days each goes into effect the result will be a considerable simplification in reckoning time. This is the opinion of Dr. H. R. Kingston, M.A., F.R.S., professor of mathematics at the University of Western Ontario.

Commenting on the statement of Moses B. Cotsworth, Vancouver, director of the international fixed calendar league, that the great Christian church authorities were ready for the change, Dr. Kingston said that the new calendar would obviate adjusting business and academic calendars. It would mean a tremendous saving in clerical work.

"All the days of the week would fall on the same date every month," said Dr. Kingston. "One would know then that a certain day meant a given date on the calendar. When making announcements of events that were to take place the dates would be fixed by the naming of the day. Thus confusion would be avoided."

Dr. Kingston said that such a calendar might spoil a lot of birthday parties, since a child born on Sunday would always have a birthday on Sunday, while a child born on the last day of the year could not lay claim to being born in any month or on any date, for the last day in every year would be called International Day, according to the proposed calendar.

"A vast amount of work has been done toward a simplification of the present calendar," said Dr. Kingston. "There is no doubt the proposed change would solve a lot of appointment difficulties and make the reckoning of time easier."

ROUNDHOUSE DESTROYED.

Oxford Junction, N. S., Oct. 5.—The Canadian National Railway roundhouse, C. N. R. locomotive No. 5519, a van and ash car were destroyed by fire last evening. The loss was placed at upwards of \$50,000.

In those days few goods were manufactured in Canada. The necessity for the importation of garments and other necessities was great. George Priddis, however, was a pioneer in the social work of the Salvation Army. They are making a tour of Canada, Australia, South Africa and other countries.

Col. MacMond, chief of staff here, said today that the London corps was looking forward to warmly welcoming the noted officers. They will speak in Woodstock on the day following their visit here.

DOCTOR FOUND DEAD.

Saskatoon, Oct. 5.—R. H. Burrell of Elrose, a medical doctor, was found dead on a bed in a room in the Empire hotel here late last night. On a dresser near the bed was found a small empty bottle which had contained hypno brome, a powerful hypnotic.

REDS PLAN ATTACK ON DELEGATES

Special Guards Protect Dr. Stresemann and Party at Conference.

GATHER IN LOCARNO

Von Hindenburg and Other Germans Threatened by Fascists.

Associated Press Despatch.

Locarno, Oct. 5.—The conference here of statesmen having as its objective a security pact for the peace of Europe also is concerned with the question of security for one of its chief delegates, Dr. Gustav Stresemann, Germany's foreign minister. Stories of plots by German ultra Nationalists or Fascists against Dr. Stresemann because he failed to insist on the question of Germany's "war guilt" being added to the conference agenda, caused the police to assign guards to his hotel.

When he came to Locarno, Dr. Stresemann, who was accompanied by Chancellor Brüning, left his special measure against possible attack and it is the purpose of this village where the future peace of Europe.

GET WARNING LETTERS.

Associated Press Despatch.

Berlin, Oct. 5.—President Von Hindenburg, Foreign Minister Stresemann and other members of the government received numerous threatening letters prior to the departure of the German delegation to attend the Locarno conference. It was on this account, officials said, that the political police took such unusual precautions to safeguard Dr. Stresemann and the others on the journey to Switzerland.

CONFERENCE OPENS.

Associated Press Despatch.

Locarno, Switzerland, Oct. 5.—The conference of allied and German statesmen, called to consider the conclusion of a security pact, was opened here today. The sessions are being held in the cantonal courtroom, on the second floor of the palace of justice.

The inaugural meeting was formally opened shortly after 11 a.m. by speech of welcome he retired, as all the sessions of the conference are being held in private.

The delegates arrived promptly on the hour in automobiles led by Austen Chamberlain, the British foreign secretary, who was followed in turn by the Italians, French and Germans. M. Vandervelde of Belgium, however, spurned the luxury of a motor car, and arrived on foot.

Cordons of police held back a crowd about the entrance of the palace.

The place of meeting is an austere rectangular apartment with big windows overlooking Lake Maggiore. A clock hangs in one end of the room and a painting of the harbor of Locarno decorates the other.

An attempt to relieve the bareness of the apartment by the addition of a chamberlain painting by Ciseri met with the resistance of its owner. He insisted on keeping it at his chateau, where Mussolini is expected to stay.

The picture portrays an episode in the life of Jesus when he said to the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's.

NOTED SALVATIONISTS COMING TO LONDON

Commissioner and Mrs. Lamb Will Arrive Here On October 15.

Commissioner Lamb and Mrs. Lamb, international commissioners of the Salvation Army, who are head of the immigration and social departments in army work the world over, will be in London Thursday, Oct. 15.

The commissioners are pioneers in the social work of the Salvation Army. They are making a tour of Canada, Australia, South Africa and other countries.

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