

## BANDIT BASSOFF NOW ON TRIAL

Trainmen Tell of His Part in Hold-Up of C. P. R. Train.

**Leithbridge, Alta., Aug. 17.**—Thomas Bassoff, train bandit and alleged murderer of Corporal Usher and Constable Bailey, in a gun fight with the police of Bellevue on Saturday, August 7, was this morning committed for trial on a charge of holding up C. P. R. train No. 63 on the afternoon of August 2.

This afternoon Bassoff stood his preliminary trial on the charge of murder. J. W. MacDonald, of MacLeod, prosecutor for the crown, and Lieut. George Rice conducting the defence.

Bassoff's next trial will be held in Macleod at the fall sittings. The conductor Sam Jones declared he saw Bassoff twice during the hold-up, each time with a gun in his hand.

Baggageman Staples told of coming out of the baggage car to see what was the matter. Bassoff, perched on top of the engine, told the passenger each ordered him to hold up his hands and a second bandit ordered him into the coach.

Bassoff reserved his defence.

## Marries Girl Under Age, Spends Term in Jail

**Kingston, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—Evidence produced in the hearing this afternoon convinced Judge Lavell that Luther Crowder, aged 30, of Mountain, Ont., committed perjury when he secured a marriage license to marry Bertha Davis of this city on July 17, and he sentenced him to two months in jail at hard labor. The evidence showed that the girl was just 16 years of age and that Crowder knew this.

## EMPRESS OF CANADA LAUNCHED IN LONDON

**London, Aug. 17.**—The Empress of Canada, for Vancouver-Japan service, was launched by the Fairfield Company, Glasgow, today, and is the largest liner built by the company. It will be the largest running on the Pacific. It is a vessel of 22,000 tons capacity, splendidly planned, and besides spacious ordinary accommodation, has special features, viz., a gallery 110 feet long and a swimming bath 30 feet long.

The ship leaves Liverpool in March next and will make a world's tour on the way to her Pacific station.

## Father and Daughter Drown; Latter Dies Attempting Rescue

**Victoria, B.C., Aug. 17.**—Wm. King, a well-known church worker of this city, was drowned this afternoon when he slipped from a rock into a deep pool in Coldstream while fishing. His sixteen-year-old daughter, Louise, lost her life in a heroic attempt to save him. Mrs. King, and two other children were witnesses of the double tragedy, but were powerless to help.

## MOVE R.C.R. FROM MONTREAL

**Montreal, Aug. 17.**—The Royal Canadian Regiment will not be stationed in Montreal this winter. Militia headquarters today announced that it had been definitely decided to house the regiment elsewhere, owing to lack of proper accommodation. One company of the regiment will be located at Toronto.

## PRINCIPAL TAYLOR IS HOME.

**Kingston, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—Principal R. Bruce Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, who have been in England and Scotland for the past two months, have returned to the city. Principal Taylor secured several men to take positions on the staff at Queen's.

## FACTS about Willard Hall

Willard Hall was established by the W. C. T. U. to provide a suitable temporary home for young girls who had no homes in the city.

Willard Hall is centrally located at 20 Gerrard Street East, in convenient walking distance from the business district.

Willard Hall provides comfortable bedrooms for business girls at minimum rates with board.

Willard Hall maintains a large, bright dining hall, where three good, substantial meals are served to the girls each day.

Willard Hall provides a reading room, music room, reception rooms and parlors, where the girls may meet and entertain their friends, either girls or boys.

Willard Hall maintains sewing rooms on the second and third floors, and laundry facilities in the basement, which the girls have the privilege of using for the nominal charge of 25 cents a month.

Willard Hall maintains a girls' gymnasium.

The ladies in charge of Willard Hall are experts in home management and housekeeping. They know how to "mother" girls, and exercise a wise supervision unobtrusively.

Three years is the maximum period of residence at Willard Hall. A girl is considered to have sufficient experience in three years to be able to look after herself and let some other and younger girl have her room.

For space in Willard Hall is at a premium.

## We Need 200 More Rooms

The new building extension will provide rooms for 200 more girls. We have a large list of applicants waiting. Our plans call for an expenditure of \$150,000.

The lot is cleared ready to build on, free of debt and encumbrance.

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**Campaign Dates August 23, 24, 25  
Objective \$150,000**

## GUELPH MOULDERS RETURNING TO WORK

Some Reach Wage Agreement—Higher Pay Likely for Firemen.

**Guelph, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—The moulders of the city, who have been out on strike for the past week, have reached an agreement with their employers and this morning they returned to their work those employed at Crowe's Iron Works being the only ones so far, however, to return.

At the special meeting of the fire, light and water committee, held this afternoon, Messrs. Sutton and Hatch, representing the two platoons, appeared and presented their case. The committee considered the question very carefully and voted in favor of giving the men an increase of 10 per cent. on the understanding that no further increases would be asked for this year.

S. Mayers, Metcalf street, was fined \$1,000 and sentenced to the term of three months in jail by Magistrate Watt in police court this morning for selling whiskey unlawfully. James Carren was also convicted of selling whiskey and was sentenced to six months in jail without the option of a fine.

## TIDE OF IMMIGRATION SETTING IN STRONGLY

In Six Months Nearly 69,000 new Settlers Arrived.

**Ottawa, Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—During the first six months of the present year 68,857 new settlers arrived in Canada, of whom 37,261 came from Great Britain, 25,183 from the United States, and 6,413 from other countries. All new settlers had the requisite financial requirements, and passed a rigid medical examination. In June from the British Isles came 6,058 English, 2,886 Scotch and 792 Irish. During the six months 56 prospective settlers were refused admission at ocean ports and 1,799 at the international boundary. Twenty former British residents were deported, and sixty from the United States.

Arrangements have been made for Canadians returning to be exempt from questions at the border. Persons leaving Canada may obtain identification cards in duplicate having the traveler's photo attached. By this means Canadians can return without difficulty.

## Premier Martin Outspoken On Question of Resources

**Regina, Sask., Aug. 17.**—Premier W. M. Martin today characterized the statement of Premier George Murray of Nova Scotia that the Maritime Provinces have a proprietary interest in the natural resources of the Prairie Provinces, as a "bold and presumptuous assertion."

## No Date Yet Set for Hearing Application of Bell Phone Co.

**Ottawa, Aug. 17.**—It was stated at the offices of the Dominion Railway Commission this morning that no date had been set for hearing the application of the Bell Telephone Co. for increased rates. It was suggested that the date might be set for about September 6.

## DRUGGISTS DISCUSS ALCOHOL.

**Montreal, Aug. 17.**—The convention of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association was today held in Quebec when several committees were appointed. Manitoba University sent a communication recommending that the word "signature" be substituted for "methyl alcohol," which was liable to be confused with ethyl alcohol.

## REFUSE AID TO LEADERS

**Winnipeg, Aug. 17.**—The city council, at its meeting last night, refused to aid the strike leaders to immediately release the strike leaders now serving terms of imprisonment for the part they played in the general strike of last year.

## PROVINCE-WIDE LACK OF MOULDERS

Brantford Reports Them in Greatest Demand of All Workers.

**Brantford, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—Secretary McDonald of the soldiers' aid stated this morning that there was a chance of the soldiers' aid taking over part of the pension work for the government and having payments issued from Toronto for this district.

Men from Brantford are still leaving for the west. It is roughly estimated 300 have gone from Brantford and Brant county.

A shoe merchant has reported to the police that he had a bogus cheque for \$35 issued to him, a purchase having been made with the cheque.

Moulders are at present greatest in demand of all factory workmen. It was said this morning that a moulder could secure a position in any town in the province. St. Thomas plant was recently destroyed by fire and a half hour after the evening papers were out wires were coming in from several cities in Ontario asking for the moulders who would be out of work.

A field conference was held in the grounds of the Mohawk Indian Institute today. H. H. C. Guelph, a specialist of Ontario, and Prof. J. E. Howett of O.A.C., Guelph, spoke on fungus diseases of plants and W. A. Ross of Vineland Station on insect pests.

## MANY NEW HOUSES RISING IN KITCHENER

Fifty Dwellings for Industrial Workers Rapidly Nearing Completion.

**Kitchener, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—Rising almost like the houses of Aladdin, the 50 dwellings which are being erected by the Dominion Rubber System in this city and Waterloo are rapidly nearing completion.

In Waterloo the eleven houses planned are all under one roof, and five of the Kitchener houses are roofed with 28 foundations completed. It is expected the houses will be ready for occupancy by winter. They will considerably lessen the housing stress here.

**Raise Price of Gas.**  
It is announced in Waterloo today that the price of gas would jump from \$2.40 net to \$2.90 a thousand feet. The light commission was forced to take this action in order to cover expenses.

## Young Hastings Teacher Dies of Blood Poisoning

**Hastings, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—A message received by friends here today announced the death in Calgary of Miss Teresa Coughlan, B.A., formerly of Hastings. She was a graduate of Toronto University, and had taught two years in Rockland, Ont., high school, and during that time in the high school in High River, Alta. Blood poisoning, as a result of having a tooth extracted, was the cause of death.

## Arthur Ecrement, ex-M.P., Asks for Speedy Trial

**Montreal, Aug. 17.**—Arthur Ecrement, former notary of this city, and member of parliament, appeared before Judge Cusson today on a charge of attempting to defraud Michael Connolly of \$125,000. He came up for voluntary statement this afternoon and asked for speedy trial. He was committed for hearing before the court of sessions next week on a day not specified.

## U. S. LAWYERS ARRIVE IN CASE OF ELWOOD

Two United States attorneys, acting on behalf of D. C. Elwood, alleged ringleader of the trio of bandits who held up the Rosenthal jewelry store, West King street, on June 18, when jewelry estimated last worth \$100,000 was taken, arrived in Toronto last night to arrange, it is understood, the surrender of their client to the local police.

Inspector of Detectives George Guthrie was notified last week that Elwood was on his way to Toronto to give himself up, but nothing had been seen or heard of him since that time.

It will be remembered that Elwood was arrested by the Miami, Fla., police, but was subsequently released as a result of habeas corpus proceedings taken by his lawyers.

## Carpenters Unanimous For Blanket Provision

Brotherhood of Carpenters, Local 27, unanimously approved of the adoption of the blanket provision applying to the nineteen organizations included in the Building Trades Council, at their meeting last night in the Labor Temple. Instead of each constituent union in the council negotiating its own agreement with the employers as to hours, wages, etc., the proposed blanket provision provides that all these matters be incorporated into one agreement, which will be adopted by the Building Trades Council as a unit, and used as a basis of negotiation with the employers.

J. Cottam, J. Allen and C. Mead were elected delegates by the local to the Trades and Labor Congress at Windsor next month.

The Builders' Laborers held a well-attended meeting last night, at which ten new members were initiated.

## A.F.L. REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS

John Flett, representative of the A. F. L., addressed the structural iron workers last night on the conditions prevailing in the building trades generally.

The recently-organized Concrete Reinforcement Workers' Union is progressing favorably.

## VISITOR FROM ILLINOIS

A. S. Burgess of Zion, Illinois, who states that he has been a satisfied subscriber to The World since 1901, is in the city visiting his father, Samuel Burgess, and his brother, Mr. Burgess has not been in the city for fourteen years, and intends to stay several weeks.

## Will Those Who Doubt the Excellence of

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## MONTREAL TO FIGHT HIGHER PHONE RATES

**Montreal, Aug. 17.**—Montreal will join Toronto in fighting the proposed increase in the telephone rates. This was announced today by F. R. Decary, chairman of the administrative committee, who said that a big meeting of the board of trade, chambre de commerce and all the commercial and industrial institutions of Montreal, as well as all other interested citizens, will be held on Monday afternoon at the city hall to protest against the proposed increased telephone rates.

## E. MORRIS, FONTHILL, DIES

**St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 17.**—Edward Morris, founder of the Morris, Stone & Wellington Nurseries, died last night, at his home in Fonthill, where he had resided for over fifty years.

## MONUMENT IN MILTON TO HEROES OF THE WAR

**Kingston, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—A monument by the residents of the village of Milton and vicinity to perpetuate the memory of the men who gave their lives in the great war, and those who served their country, was unveiled this afternoon. Mrs. Harvey Mills, an aunt of William Davey, and Mrs. Fred Brown, sister of Walter Bush, who gave their lives, unveiled the monument. Major-General Sir A. C. Macdonell, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., gave an address.

## CELESTIALS ON ONTARIO FARMS.

**Kingston, Ont., Aug. 17.**—(Special.)—Two Chinamen are operating a farm at Portland and are the first celestials to take up farming in this district. They came from Saskatchewan, and both were farmers in their native land and are making good.

## HIGH COURT OF I.O.F. IN ANNUAL SESSION

Meets in London, Ont.—Reports of Finances of Order in Excellent Shape.

**London, Ont., Aug. 17.**—Increases in the per diem allowances from \$3 a day to \$4 a day were approved by the delegates in attendance at the 26th session of the high court of the I.O.F., which opened in the Masonic Temple today. It was also decided to make the traveling allowance seven cents a mile instead of five cents, which has been the rate for some years. High Chief Ranger John H. Laughton is presiding over the convention. Mr. Laughton gave a resume of the work of the order and he stated that the finances are in excellent shape.

## RESTRICT SALE OF BEER TO STANDARD HOTELS

**Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 17.**—In accordance with a resolution passed by the city council, the sale of two per cent. beer will be restricted to standard hotels. The license inspectors claim that two per cent. is being used as cloak for harder stuff.

## RUNS IN GOUIN'S RIDING

**Quebec, Aug. 17.**—(Canadian Press.)—Captain E. E. Gouin has formally announced his candidature for head of the party in the riding of Gouin, which seat was made vacant by the appointment of Sir Lomer Gouin to the legislative council.

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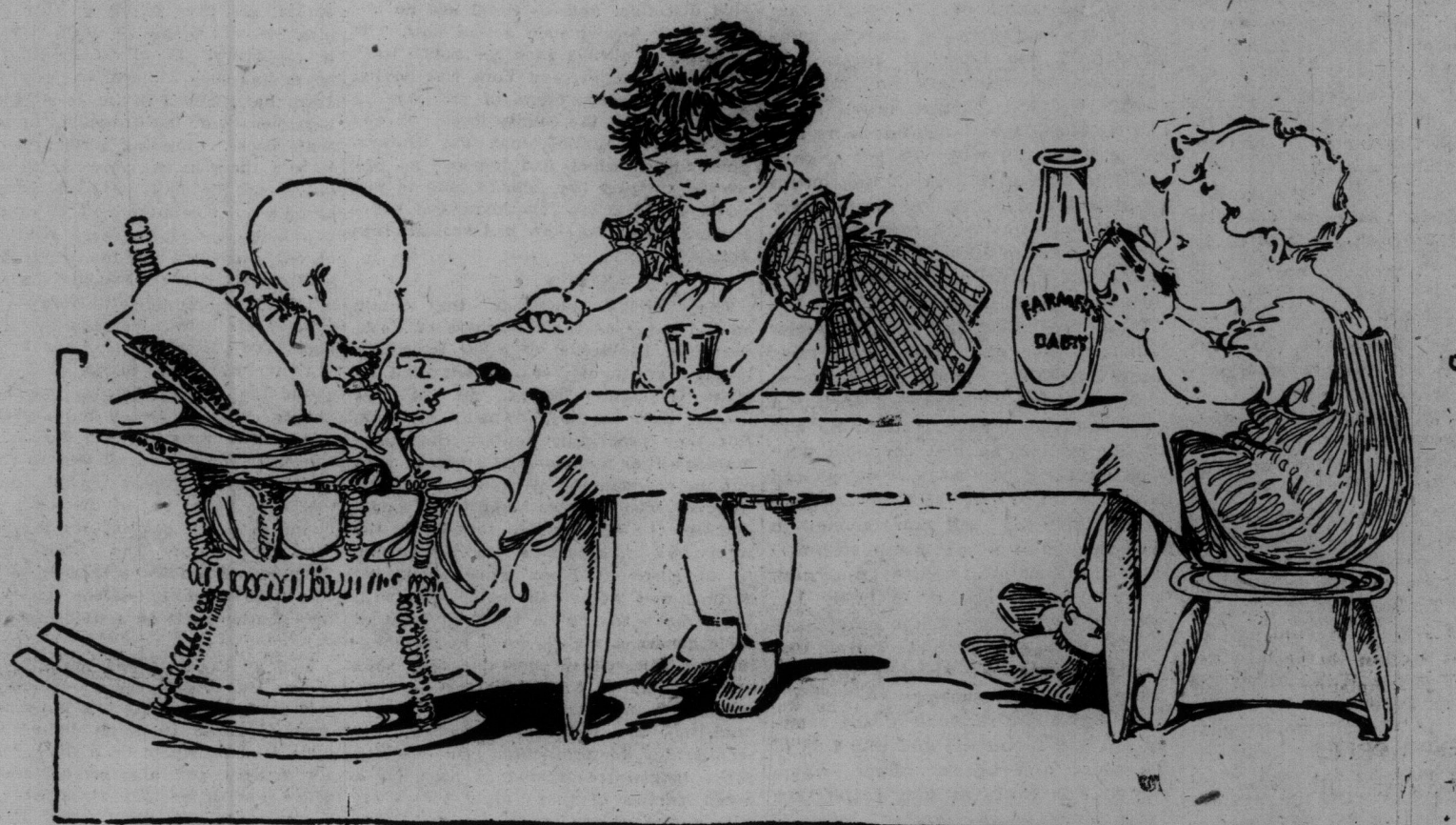
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Captain Gouin will run as a supporter of the government.

## DROWNS IN LAKE ERIE.

**Port Stanley, Ont., Aug. 17.**—Harold Scarlett, of 490 Princess avenue, London, lost his life when a canoe capsized in a light breeze a mile from the head of the pier here early this afternoon. A young woman, also of London, was rescued with difficulty after clinging to the upturned canoe for some time.



## Now is the Time To Build Up Their Health

The long summer vacation is the time to build up the children's health.

Too often autumn finds them pale and languid after the summer months.

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