AUSTRIAN HITS CONSTABLE AND MAKES ESCAPE

Two Were Under Arrest, But Are Now at Large.

ASSAULT NEAR STATION

Foreigners Had Just Come From G. T. R. Montreal Train.

Constable H. R. Davidson of the civil department of the military police, was assaulted Thursday evening by two Austrians.

Constable Davidson met the 6:40 o'clock Grand Trunk train from Montreal and arrested two Austrians for not having their proper permits. The men started for the office of the military police and walked along the platform to the rear of the station and started to go on to York street, when the bigger Austrian of the two hit the officer in the eye and knocked him unconscious.

When the officer came to, the men were running down York street, and he was unable to catch them. Up to the present time the men have not been arrested, but the police are on the look out for them.

The men were coming from Montreal and intended to go to Stratford.

This is the first trouble of this kind that the civil department of the military police have had. Most of the men when they are arrested for not having their proper permits or papers, go along without any trouble.

REMEMBER NURSES AND THEIR HEROISM, IS SOLDIER'S PLEA

Writes From English Hospital To Praise Them.

EXPRESSES GRATITUDE

Says Sisters Deserve More Notice From Public at Large.

Praise for the nursing sisters overseas has been too meagre, according to the writer of the following letter, who wrote direct to The Advertiser from England. Let his own words explain:

No. 15 Canadian General
Duchess of Connaught Hospital,
Taplow, Bucks., Eng.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Will you allow me a little space in your paper to air my feelings towards our noble nursing sisters, about whom we so seldom hear very much, unless some big disaster befalls them, like the raid at Etaples, and it's only then that we, or rather the general public, get to know of the wonderful deeds which they do to save their helpless patients from any more harm than they have already met with on some battlefield.

Who Helps the Helpless.

We hear of all kinds of gallant deeds done by our officers and men, and for them all kinds of praise is forthcoming, and well they deserve it. All honor to them. But if in the performance of these gallant deeds they get a nice "Blighty" or a severe one, to whose lot does it fall to get them nursed back to health, so that they may enjoy the honor of their deeds?

In my trip from the line to this hospital, the thought struck me that our nursing sisters, whose work is just as important towards the winning of the war as any other, were so rarely heard of by the public.

Nurses on Hand.

My first stop from the line was at a C. C. S. Were they all doctors there? No; they couldn't get along at all without a few of those untiring nursing sisters, who face imminent danger far up the line with just as good a heart as any of us. And yet nothing much is said about what they do. Not that they want a lot said, but I think it would be as well if the general public were reminded once in a while that they have a nursing sisters corps that is second to none, and from my observation, coming from the line to the hospital, they deserve at least a portion of the public's praise.

FROM ONE WHO IS THANKFUL.

PTE. WALTER E. SCOTT WOUNDED IN FINGERS

John Scott, 131 Maple street, today received word that his son, Pte. Walter Earl Scott, No. 802929, infantry, had been officially reported admitted to No. 22 General Hospital, suffering from gunshot wounds in the fingers. Pte. Scott left this city with the 135th, Middlesex, Battalion, and has been in France two years. He was shell shocked on August 16 of last year, and was out of action for some time. He is well-known about this city, and was a very popular young man, having been employed locally prior to enlisting for overseas.

TENAYLIA NOW WORKING IN ITALIAN MUNITIONS FACTORY; NOT PRISONER

Roy Tenaylia, an Italian, formerly of this city, who was believed to be a prisoner in Italy, is now working in a munition factory in Italy, according to information received by the secretary of the Soldiers' Aid Commission from the Italian consul at Montreal.

Mr. Tenaylia enlisted with the 135th Battalion, and went overseas with that unit. He fought in France and was wounded. When he recovered from his wounds he was granted leave to go to Italy to visit his mother, whom he had not seen since he was a lad. He went to Italy, and it was believed by some of his friends in this city that he was made a prisoner for not reporting whe nordered to do so.

Secretary Ed Lance of the local branch of the Soldiers' Aid Commission was notified, and he sent letters to the Italian consul at Montreal, and also to high military officials in Italy. The military officials in Italy did not answer the letter, but the Italian consul answered, stating that Mr. Tenaylia was now employed in a munition factory in Italy.

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LOCAL NEWS

H. D. S. A MEETING.—A meeting of the Honorably Discharged Soldiers' Association will be held in its club rooms, 428 Park avenue, this evening.

MUST PAY UP.—A returned soldier wearing a wound stripe on his arm appeared in police court this morning, as a result of not keeping up the payments to his wife, which he had been ordered to make by the judge at the time of their separation. He was ordered to pay the $25, which, she asserted, was due, and was allowed to go.

"HUGHIE" FOX WOUNDED.—"Hughie" Fox, the Toronto hockey player, who is reported wounded, is a nephew of William H. Fox of 340 Grosvenor street, city. Hughie went overseas from Toronto last March with the Flying Corps, and has been through some of the heavy air fighting. His father is J. J. Fox of Hampton road, Toronto.

J. B. COX RECOVERING.—J. B. Cox of this city, who was hurt some time ago at the local market, when he was hit and knocked down by an automobile, sustaining serious and painful injuries, is still at the Victoria Hospital, but is reported to be resting easily, with his condition improving. Mr. Cox's ankle, which was badly broken, is reported to be knitting quite satisfactorily.

ASKS CITY FOR SWITCH.—Controller Little this morning asked the board of control to consider the extension of the M.C.R. switch to the proposed site of the new Holeproof Hosiery plant on Clarence and Bathurst streets. The extension, he said, would be under 450 feet. Engineer H. Brazier will be asked to prepare an estimate of the cost.

SERGT. LITTLE WOUNDED.—Word was received Tuesday by J. A. Little, 1324 King stret, that his son, Sergt. Charles B. Little, of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, was officially reported wounded on August 23. Sergt. Little enlisted in Regina in the second university company in 1915, and has been in France for three years. this is the second time that he has been wounded. He was well known here, being employed in this city prior to leaving for Regina.

GRATEFUL FOR EGGS.—Sergt. T. A. Cresswell desires to thank the members of the London Poultry and Pet Stock Association for their donations of eggs to returned men. He has 43 fine chickens which were hatched from eggs received from members of the association. They are such fine birds that he has decided to enter some of them at the Fair next week, and he hopes to win several firsts with them. The generosity of the members of the association cannot be too highly spoken of, he says.

WILLIAM GURD HIT BY CAR.—William Gurd, of Gurd's Sporting Goods Company, sustained painful injuries this morning, when a Ford sedan driven by Dr. John Hunt collided with the bicycle he was riding. Mr. Gurd, who is over 80 years of age, was riding his wheel on the wrong side of Dundas street, and was about to make a sharp turn, when he collided with Dr. Hunt's car. After having a severe cut behind his ear dressed by Dr. Hunt, Mr. Gurd was able to resume his work this afternoon.

CLERGY IN TORONTO.—The Bishop of Huron is in Toronto this week, attending meetings of a number of committees preparatory to the convening next week of the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada. Canon Craig, Rev. W. J. Doherty, secretary-treasurer of the Synod of the Diocese of Huron, and Dr. Matthew Wilson of Chatham will attend a meeting of a committee to consider beneficiary funds on Saturday. The following Tuesday, Rev. Dr. Tucker and Mr. Doherty will be present at the meeting of the Council of Social Service of the church.

FORMER STUDENT'S PRESENT.—J. F. Hall, who graduated from Western University in 1899, has presented to the university library a set, in six handsome volumes, of the Polyglot Bible, printed in six languages. The work is an important one and will be a noteworthy addition. Mr. Hall is vice-principal of the State Normal School at Tempe, Arizona, but has recently been selected by the United States Government as one of the Normal School experts in connection with educational work for soldiers overseas. The commission of which he is a member sailed within the last few days for Europe. Mr. Hall will be remembered by old students at the collegiate institute and at Western University.

UNDERWRITERS ARE PRESSING CITY TO GET MORE FIREMEN

"Dictation," Says Controller Moore, Discussing Matter.

The Fire Underwriters are pursuing their finding that the fire department of London is undermanned. They communicated the city some time ago and today another letter was received. Today's letter calls attention to the fact that the city has not replied to the representations of the underwriters. They state that they would like to hear from the city.

Controller Moore thought it was an odd way to do business to have outsiders come in and dictate what shall be done.

Mayor Somerville said it could hardly be that. The underwriters were looking after the interests of the stockholders.

Controller Moore said he thought that such matters were to be dealt with by the Legislature. So long as no other body acts, the dictation must continue.

The matter will be taken up with Chief Aitken. It is understood that he is adding new men to the department. Later a reply will be sent to the underwriters.

J. R. LECKIE TO RETURN HERE WITH PROMOTION

J. R. Leckie, who has for the last two years been assistant master mechanic of the London division of the G. T. R., has been appointed en assistant to the superintendent of motive power, Ontario lines, with headquarters at London. Mr. Leckie was formerly locomotive foreman here, and left a few years ago to take a position at Toronto as assistant master mechanic of that division. He returned to London about two years ago, and has been here since.

J. C. Garden has been appointed superintendent of motive power at the G. T. R. shops at Stratford. He has been master mechanic there during the last year.

CITY CAN MAKE OUT BILL FOR $8,000 IF IT CARES TO DO SO

Delay In Contract Would Net Such a Penalty.

The city has a chance to make out a good, legitimate bill for $8,000. It is for delay in the construction of the East End sewage disposal plant. There is a penalty clause for delay, which gives the city the right to demand $10 for each day's delay. The completing of the contract is just about two years behind.

However, the original contractor, with whom the contract was made, failed, and the contract was completed by the assignees. An effort is now being made to wind up the business of the Arnott Construction Company. It is, therefore, doubtful if the bill would be worth even the paper it is written on, and it is hardl ylikely that the city will order a bill made out.

LEAFS PLAY STRATFORD.

STRATFORD, Sept. 5.—There is considerable local interest manifest in the baseball game scheduled for here tomorrow afternoon, when the Toronto Leafs come here on their tour of Western Ontario. The game is called for 4:15 on the collegiate flats.

ENGINEER TO GIVE REPORT ON CAUSE OF DAM BREAKING

Commission Wants to Show Itself Blameless.

NEW SITUATION PROBLEM

Some Want Site Further West and Others Object to This.

The utilities commission proposes to have a showdown with certain members of the city council, who have been laying the responsibility for the breaking of the Springbank dam at the door of the commission. It has been said that neglect on the part of the latter body caused the break.

The subject was discussed Thursday afternoon at the meeting of the commission. Chairman Pocock said that it was up to those making the charges to substantiate them or to retract; otherwise there should be an investigation into the cause of the break. He stated that the commission had always cared for the dam. Last year $900 was spent on repairing it. The commission was satisfied with its position, and willing to have any competent engineer go into the matter.

Would Ignore Statements.

Commissioner F. G. Mitchell said that the commission should ignore the statements of the officials in question. What should have been done, he said, was to have Manager Buchanan present a report on the cause of the break in the dam and the commission could then indorse it. He thought that it was not too late yet. The members would then know the real cause of the break and could present it to the critics

Mr. Pocock said that he had taken the stand that it was a thing for the past. Other commissioners said, "They are asking for it. Let's give them a report." Mr. Buchanan will prepare a report for the next meeting.

The matter of reconstructing the dam was discussed. Manager Buchanan said his staff was taking levels. Judging from the remarks made the moving of the dam about 4,500 feet further west will greatly add to the beauty of Springbank and at the same time give three or four times more power than the old structure.

The proposed new location is just below the site of the old theatre at the east end of the little island. This would give an additional head of 4½ feet of water, which would mean considerable more power. It would likely flood the river road, and Commissioner McFarlane said they could raise the road and have lagoons, etc., and make the spot most beautiful.

Would Flood City Springs.

Mr. Pocock said that to move the dam farther west than the present site would flood out one of the city 1,000,000-gallon springs. Mr. Buchanan said he would continue the work of compiling the water levels.

Mr. McFarlane questioned whether the power developed would make the new dam a paying proposition. He asked if the commission should meet the total expenditure. Mr. Pocock said that he believed it would be able to get enough power to care for the sinking fund and interest. The proposal was to have a plant that would give a good supply of power for a short period, whereas the old plant gave a small amount of power for a long period.

Every Precaution Taken.

The board of health will be informed that every precaution is being taken to care for the purity of the city water and that in the meantime experiments are continuing. Mr. Buchanan said that the chlorinating plant which he proposed to use will be far ahead of what has been asked for by the board. He has also filled in a spot which it was believed was responsible for any water impurities. If these are found again he will erect a gutter around the pond in question.

Manager Buchanan reported that the water situation had been satisfactory during the hot summer. However, he asked authority to purchase four small pumps to have them on hand. Two are for the Foster and two for the Horton street wells. He was authorized to go ahead.

To Ask for Water.

Ald. Wilson headed a deputation to ask for water for Mrs. Barnes on Huron street. It would be necessary to pipe water 450 feet from the nearest main on the street, or as Ald. Wilson proposed it might be carried through a back lot from Regent street. He said that the cost would be small. He thought that the woman in question should not be allowed to starve for the want of water.

The commissioners one and all explained that the policy of the commission was the same as it has been for 40 years. There were hundreds of cases just like the one in question in the city, and to grant a favor to one meant that they would have to do the same for all.

Commissioner Mitchell said it was a nasty precedent.

Chairman Pocock said that the commission could do nothing. However, he was willing to go down in his pocket and help out. Mr. Mitchell said he would do likewise. He was sure that Ald Wilson would also go down in his pocket, and Ald. Harley also.

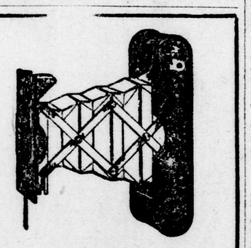
"Yes," said the latter. He suggested that Mr. Mitchell furnish the pipe and Ald. Wilson supply the digging. The distance is 240 feet.

Ald. Wilson did not say "Yes" or "No" to these proposals. He said that the commission's law was a rotten one and as he was departing asked Ald. Harley if he was satisfied with this crowd.

PTE. DAVID TINDALL WOUNDED SECOND TIME

Mrs. Martha Tindall, 155 Briscoe street, received word Thursday that her son, Pte. David Tindall, No. 401514, infantry, has been officially reported admitted to No. 12 Stationary Hospital on August 27, suffering from gunshot wounds in the left hand.

This is the second time that Pte. Tindall has been wounded, the first time being just about a year ago. He left this city with the 33rd Battalion, and has been in France for two years. He is well known about this city, being employed here prior to enlistment.



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PARK FRESH AND SMILING AND EXHIBITS IN PLACE FOR THE GREATEST FAIR ON RECORD

Preparation Day Finds Crowds Wending Their Way In and Out of Gates, Exhibitors More Than Busy and Secretary Almost at Wits' End With Work.

O, it's hey an' it's ho, for the Western Fair of 1918 is off to a grand, good start! All circumstances point to a rare fine finish as well if the weather which ushered in Preparation Day today continues, with perhaps a few points rise in the temperature.

After the recent rains, Queen's Park is as fresh and smiling today as a September bride, trees and grass vividly green, flowers a-bloom, and the buildings shining with fresh coats of paint.

Going through the gates, it's a case of "step lively" for both pedestrians and vehicles to avoid the collision, so many are the people who are coming and going, concerned with the dressing up for Exhibition of the finest Western Fair yet.

Sure it is going to be bigger than ever! Don't the secretary and his weary staff of assistants know it? Entries have been simply coming in avalanches until every inch of space is taken in the buildings, and exhibits will be squatted all over the grounds.

Notwithstanding the insistent advertising, the notes appearing in striking lettering in the prize lists, many exhibitors as usual have waited till the twelfth hour has struck to get into the show. That means piling up of work for the staff.

Never Such a Week.

"In all my experience, I never remember such a year," says weary Secretary Hunt, as he tells of the long list of machinery exhibits, of the growth of the live stock entries, and the fact that the Western will have the finest and first of the Canadian National Exhibition sheep and cattle; of the number of Government exhibits, and dozens of other interesting features which will be seen by thousands during the coming week.

Passing through the main gate and entering the Main Building, it seems impossible to realize that a whole year has passed since a Western Fair has been in progress. There is an amazing familiarity about everything. It seems like a visit to the old hometown, where the houses always stay in the same place and people never move, only improve their property as a concession to the passage of time. The names over the various sections are the same as they have been for years past. Anyone who has been addicted to visiting the Western Fair might find his way around blindfolded in the Main Building.

But it wouldn't be absolutely safe to try it much farther. There are changes, real radical ones, for example, there is the big automobile gate and subway leading from Dundas street, a block east of the main gate, right into the ring, which is the official parking ground.

All automobiles carrying visitors to the fair are expected to enter by this Dundas-Egerton street gate and subway. Delivery cars, etc., still being allowed the use of the King street gate. An entrance fee of $1 is being charged for automobile and driver, which includes parking the whole day, evening as well.

Exhibits Ready.

The Pure Food Show is being rapidly set up in the process building, and by noon today several exhibitors had everything in place and ready for inspection, decorations and all.

The flowers, roots and grains, which form the basis of the Hospital for the Insane exhibit have been arranged in an impressive manner in the usual place at the west end of the agricultural hall. Already the horticultural hall has assumed a festive appearance in spots, thanks to the quantities of potted plants ranged about.

Some place in the agricultural building the Canada food board is to have an exhibit, the local household science teachers assisting in the food conservation demonstrations. For this purpose electrical apparatus is being installed today for the cooking.

Owing to the fact that space is being given in the dairy building to the Government exhibits of wool and eggs, it has been necessary to arrange for the exhibit of honey in the horticultural building, suggesting the slogan, "From blossom to can."

Talking of the dairy building, exhibits of butter have come all the way from the far end of the prairie provinces. Contrary to tradition, the dairy products will be sold at public auction this year on Monday evening, instead of putting off until the last day, as formerly. Buyers will thus have an equal chance, as the selling will take place before the judging.

Lots of Art Work.

The fact that a regular stream of artists made their way to the art building gave to the Western Fair a high-brow tone, even in the first hours of Preparation Day. Some came afoot and some in automobiles, others in drays and wagons, along with their canvases. Whatever they were painted on, the pictures were in frames, anyway, and mighty big frames in some cases.

The eight or ten pictures loaned by the Canadian National Gallery were early unpacked and waiting to be hung. Judging by the depth to which pictures were lined up on the floor against the walls of the gallery, the artists have been industrious in the past year, and art is going to flourish at the Western.

Mr. Sharman, who is director of the grandstand and midway attractions, has arrived in town, and announces a number of big features as his part of the daily program in the ring.

So far as the races are concerned, every heat is going to be a thriller this year, and never have there been so many entries. The races, it is evident, are going to furnish a big share of interest.

Then there are to be the military features, Tuesday next—Military Day—with a grand march-past in front of the grandstand, and all manner of stunts. For the last night (Friday) has been reserved a grand military tattoo, in which all the military musical organizations in the city will take part, the fireworks to be thrown in for good measure.

Tomorrow it will be "pay as you enter" at the Western Fair, and the public is advised, for the sake of convenience, to have the right change ready to slip into the coin turnstiles. Otherwise it will mean having change made at the coin booths, which always spells delay.

ONLY $2,000 GIVEN TO SAILORS' FUND UP TO NOON TODAY

Local Organization Not Perfected for Canvass.

Today is Friday of the sailors' fund week, and but $2,000 of the $25,000 objective have been contributed. The main difficulty seems to be that the chief men's organizations of the city are not in action. There is a branch of the Navy League here, with a membership of 70, yet when Lieut. Elliott, and late., Rev. Mr. Conn, arrived in the city, fully expecting a thorough organization for canvassing the city, nothing had been done.

London has the money and London will give, as the previous patriotic campaigns have proved, if the approach is made in the proper way. There seems to be some misunderstanding between the men of London and the representatives of the Navy League of Canada. London was not consulted sufficiently previous to the campaign, so says rumor, and consequently the men of London have decided not to organize, although they have promised to assist the ladies in every way possible. As a result, Mr. Conn, who came here as a speaker, and Lieut. Elliott have been the only convassers, and they cannot begin to cover the ground which several well-organized teams of local businessmen might.

It would be a pity if through lack of organization here, the wives and children of the sailors who protect the shores of Canada from Hun vessels, who transport London men to the battlefields of France safely, and who take their lives into their hands bringing across merchandise to supply London businessmen, should suffer.

One Day Left.

One day yet is left; the big Tag Day tomorrow, when the sailor boys themselves will be seen driving about the streets. The women's Tag Day organization is excellent, but if tomorrow the businessmen of the city would undertake to tag their fellows, the necessary $20,000 might easily be attained.

The cause of the sailors is indeed a worthy one. Major Smith, writing to Mrs. J. B. McKillop, convener of the campaign workers, says that to come across the ocean now inspires one with a sense of security and great confidence in the sailors. One man in London recognizes the need of backing up the sailor to such an extent, that although he has been ill for five years, he walked this morning all the way from Byron Sanatorium, where he is a patient, and handed to the Navy League headquarters the sum of 51 cents, gained by the sale of 17 pounds of rags at 3 cents a pound. A soldier with one arm subscribed a dollar because the sailors had enabled him to come home.

A lady with eleven relatives among the merchant sailors and a merchant who has goods coming across also made donations. The following is a list of the subscribers to date:

Subscriptions.

Robinson & Little Company, $500; Lord Roberts Chapter, I. O. D. E., $200; Huron and Erie, $150; McMahen & Granger, $150; V. Cronyn, $100; C. E. F. Returned Soldiers' Chapter, I. O. D. E., $100; J. S. Meredith, $100; A. M. Smith, $100; McCormick Manufacturing Company, $100; H. E. Gates, $100; D. H. Howden Company, $100; Sir Adam Beck, $100; Mrs. Ellen Smallman, $100; soldiers' collection, Saturday, $53; G. Adams & Co., Limited, $5; Mrs. William Wigg, $50; Mrs H. A. Boomer, $25; A. M. Hamilton, $25; T. W. McFarland, $20; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Pearson, $10; Miss Ethel McRoberts, $5; Mrs. McTaggart, $5; Biggs, $5. Other contributors were: Miss Lucy Hobbs, Miss Bodkin, Charles S. Martin, Miss Gunaress, G. F. Saunders, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Preston, Mrs. W. Braith[illegible] Ashley, Miss Burgess, Mrs [illegible] diers also have [illegible]

E. B. Smi[illegible] campaign [illegible] treasurer.

FOOD BOARD TO INVESTIGATE EGG TROUBLE IN CITY

The Canada Food Board has ordered an investigation into the alleged destruction of 20,000 dozen of eggs here.

Word to this effect reached the city today. It is understood that the enforcement branch of the board will take charge of the probe.

As far as can be learned, the trades and labor council did not as a body make complaint to the food board, but it is believed that one of the members of the trades and labor council, acting as an individual, did make a complaint to the board, and this has resulted in the ordered investigation.

The food board has no enforcement officer in London, as far as can be learned. The local police state that the enforcement officers are likely Government men. Probably one will be sent here from Toronto.

Inspector J. W. McCallum, London's relief inspector, has not acted in the matter. He has not authority. He was asked to look into the complaint by Mayor Somerville and id so. He then reported to the mayor.

City Clerk Baker stated this afternoon that the city had received no word from the food board in regard the matter.

O.T.A. IS BEYOND THE EXPERIMENTAL STAGE, SAYS AGAR

Decided Decrease in Arrests for Drunkenness Proves Success.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Sept. 6.—According to Rev. Gilbert Agar, secretary of the committee of one hundred, who has been in communication with Chief Grassett, the Ontario temperance act has passed the experimental stage and its success has been proved from the continued decrease in arrests for drunkenness. "There has been a steady decline," said Mr. Agar. "With the exception of March, there has been a monthly decrease," Mr. Agar went on. "The decrease is more marked since the Dominion order went into effect. In the first three months the arrests were 1,131, as compared with 1,062 in the former year, or 1.6 per cent less, while in the last five months the arrests were 1,130, as compared with 1,884 in the corresponding months of the year previous, or 40 per cent less.

MANY FOR TANKS.—Volunteers for the Tank Battalion are continuing to present themselves at the local mobilization Centre, and many have joined. These men are attached to the Western Ontario Regiment pending the mobilization of the Tank Battalion, when they will be placed on the strength of that unit.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Morning sales: Apex, 3000 at 3¼; Davidson, 1000 at 36¾; Dome Extension, 5000 at 16; Kirkland, 1000 at 38, 1000 at 39, 2000 at 40; McIntyre, 500 at 150, 500 at 151; New Ray, 1000 at 15; Porcupine Crown, 2000 at 13; Imperial, 2000 at 1¼; Preston, 3500 at 3½; West Dome, 1500 at 12, 500 at 11¾, 1000 at 11½, 1000 at 11¼, 5500 at 11; Holly, 100 at 510; Adanac, 500 at 7½; Beaver, 1000 at 29, 1500 at 29½, 3000 at 30, 2000 at 31, 1000 at 30½; Ferland 1000 at 11; Gifford, 1000 at 2; [illegible]hern, 1500 at 3½, 500 at 2[illegible] month some 15,0[illegible] 2000 at 41½; [illegible] from Algonquin Park [illegible] Lake, 1000 at [illegible] for Government use to [illegible] provincial institutions, inc[illegible] Parliament Buildings in Toro[illegible] estimated that Hamilton will g[illegible] ernment wood at $9.50 a cord.

SUNDAY TEMPTATION PROVES TOO STRONG FOR MEN OF LONDON

Several Indulge in Forbidden Activities That Day.

NUDE BATHING FORBIDDEN

Two Men Pay Fines for Disregarding This Law Here.

Sunday is a long day for many citizens, and to while away the time a number gathered in a stable in the south end of the city last Sunday to enjoy a quiet game of crap-shooting. Whether one of the bunch was losing too much and "tipped off" the police has not been stated. At any rate, the officers heard of the game and journeyed to the scene. As a result, George Pugsley, Edward Fountain, Robert Harris, William Groat, Robert Smith and Maurice Gootson appeared in court this morning to answer to a charge of a breach of the Lord's Day act. Maurice Gootson pleaded not guilty, and in the absence of one of the witnesses his case was adjourned until next Monday. The others paid fines of $2 each.

Too Keen on Work.

Samuel Robinson, a returned soldier, has been painting a restaurant. He was very anxious to finish the job. Sunday looked too long to lay off, when there was so much work to be done. Accordingly he continued his labors last Sunday. One of the patrolmen with an eagle's eye saw him decorating the restaurant. At the same time he was committing a breach of the Lord's Day act. He was summoned to court and paid $2 and costs.

While the last few days have been rather cool, George Dent and Clinton Kent decided that they would enjoy a dip in the river near Egerton street on Tuesday, September 3. Acordingly they piled themselves to the river and proceeded to disrobe. When they had finally gotten out of their lightweights they discovered that the air was rather cool for comfort. Deciding to light a fire, they made a search for some wood. Rather than take the trouble to "slip 'em on" again they imitated Adam in the Garden of Eden, before the fig leaves were the fashion. This costume, or absence of one, may have been perfectly all right when there were only two persons occupying this world, but Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon intimated that one should not appear without even a headless barrel right in the midst of civilization. Complaints had been heard from the residents of this locality, and as the two pleaded guilty when in court, they were fined $2 or three days.

Same Old Excuse.

Solomon Brand is a junk dealer. He was caught plying his trade in the city of London without having been properly branded. In other words, he did not have a city license. Through his counsel, he informed the court that he has a license for the county of Elgin, and that he was not aware that he had to take another one out for London. Magistrate Graydon branded this as a stock statement, which all junk dealers hand out when haled to court for not having a license. Solomon was willing to take out a license now, however.

"Yes, he is like all the others of his ilk, when before the court he is willing to pay for a license," said the magistrate. The court was about to impose a fine of $5 and costs until he was informed that the old license year has just passed, and the defendant had been without a license. Accordingly, the penalty was increased to $10 and costs, and he also paid another $10 for the privilege of continuing in the business another year. The next offence of a similar character which he commits will be punished by a $50 fine, said the court.

One citizen was accused of breaking the war measures act by having an advertising sign lighted. He proved to the satisfaction of the court that some lads had lighted the sign and the case was accordingly dismissed.

STREET CLOSED TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS DURING FAIR WEEK

Dundas, From Ontario to Quebec, To Be Kept Clear.

Dundas street from Ontario to Quebec street will be closed to vehicular traffic during fair week if Chief of Police Williams deems this necessary. At any event, it will be closed during the hours when the crowds are rushing for the street car.

This decision was reached at the meeting of the board of control this morning. Mayor Somerville said that if the crowds this year were much larger than last there would be grave danger of accidents. The autos will leave the park via the Egerton street entrance, and he suggested that the block in question be closed and the autos diverted down Quebec street to Queen's avenue. They could then proceed to the city along that thoroughfare.

Controller Saunders said that this plan was followed in Toronto with great success. He thought it might be wise to have the block closed to all vehicles.

It was decided to leave that point to the discretion of the chief of police. He can close the block whenever he sees fit.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.] Toronto, Sept. 6.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	28	40	SWheat	104	101
Ames, c.	28	25	St Chem. ..	16	60
pfd.	71½	..	do pfd. ..	69	73
Barcel..	11¾	11	Stl Can..	73½	73
Brazilian	43⅞	43⅝	do pfd.	97¾	97¼
B C Fish	51	50	Tooke...	24	20
Burt, p..	..	84¼	Tor Ry.	61	60
C Bread.	19¾	19	Tre'wey.	27	25
C Car...	38	37	Tucketts	23	21
do pfd.	90	..	Tw City.	45	44
Cement.	69	68½	Win Ry.	48	..
do pfd.	95	93	Banks—		
C S L...	45	44½	Comm'ce	185½	185
do pfd.	79	78½	Dom ...	202	..
CGElec.	104	103¼	Hamil'n	188	..
C Loco..	..	65	Imperial.	185	..
do pfd.	90½	..	NScotia	248	..
C Dairy.	..	45	Ottawa	201	..
do pfd.	..	84	Royal ..	208	..
Coniagas	..	250	Stand ..	200	..
C Smelt.	25	24¾	Toronto	187	..
Con Gas.	..	145½	Union...	..	155½
Cr Nest.	55	..	Loans, etc.—		
Canners.	44	39	C Land.	148¾	..
do pfd.	..	70	C Perm.	..	164
DSteel p.	100	98	H Prov.	..	133
DSteelC.	63¾	63¼	H & L.	204	..
Duluth..	41	..	20% pd.	196	..
La Rose.	47	45	L Bank.	..	140
Mackay.	80	77¾	L & C..	126½	..
do pfd.	..	64	N Trust.	199	..
M Leaf..	119½	114	T Trust.	..	200
do pfd.	98	..	T Mort..	134	..
Monarch	..	43	Bonds—		
do pfd.	80	..	C Bread.	90	89½
N S Car	9½	7	D Iron..	84	..
do pfd.	38	36	Elec Dev	..	98
Nipis'g.	915	895	Permans	..	85
P Burt..	34	..	P Rico..	..	80
do pfd.	77¼	..	Ontario.	..	76
Penmans	..	81½	Rio Jan.	..	83
Petrol.	1425	1375	S Paulo.	..	79
P Paper.	50	..	Stl Can..	..	93
Quebec.	19	18	War Loan—		
Russell..	86	..	1925....	96¼	96
do pfd.	89	..	1931....	..	95¼
Sawyer.	15	..	1937....	94¾	94
do pfd.	40	..			

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Morning sales: Steamships, 387 at 44¾@46¼; do, pfd., 65 at 78½; Mackay (cumulative dividend), 3 at 79¾; General Electric, 10 at 103½; Locomotive, pfd., 10 at 89; Brazilian, 166 at 44@44⅞; Smelters, 26 at 24⅞; Canada Bread, 25 at 19¼; Dominion Steel, 50 at 63⅜; Cement, 100 at 68½; Barcelona, 200 at 11½; War Loan, 1937, $5,100 at 93½@94.

That Your Boy Would Care To Wear

Tans, in military style, Big Boys $3.50
Little Boys $2.75
Tan Elk, regular blucher cut, Big Boys, $3.50; Little Boys, $3
Black Velour Kip and Grain Leathers, in blucher cut. Big Boys $3.50; Little Boys $2.50.

Ashplant's THE GOOD SHOE STORE

BROWNLEE'S BIG ENAMELWARE SALE

These are first quality goods; positively no seconds.

ALL GOODS DELIVERED

10, 14, and 17 quart Dish Pans at..	55c, 65c and 75c each
Nos. 52 and 53 Milk and Rice Boilers, ..	75c and 90c each
1½ and 2 quart Pudding Pans	20c each
3-quart Pudding Pans	25c each
4-quart Pudding Pans	30c each
6-quart Pudding Pans	35c each
Preserving Kettles	25c up
No. 20 Teapots	65c each
No. 6 Berlin Kettles	75c each
No. 8 Berlin Kettles	89c each
No. 7 Teakettles	$1.00 each

With a variety of other vessels.

SPECIALS.

Blue enamel heating Stoves	$2.25 each
Stove Boards, 28 and 30 inches, ...	$1.25 each
Stove Pipe, 6-in. and 7-in., slightly soiled.....	20c length
8-loaf Bread Mixers	$3.00 each
2-burner glass front Ovens, slightly damaged, ..	$4.25 each

J. A. BROWNLEE

Opposite Market. Hardware and Sheet Metal.

YOUTHFUL THIEF IS REMANDED, HAVING RESTORED THE CASH

Admits Being Guilty of Taking $28.

Another burglary mystery has been cleared up by the local detectives, and the culprit was in juvenile court this morning. He pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing, and was remanded for a week. The money which was taken has been restored.

Twenty-eight dollars were taken from a purse in a house on Stanley street on Wednesday night. An examination of the premises would lead the uninitiated to believe that an entrance had been effected through a rear window. Closer examination by the detectives proved that if entrance had been gained in this way it was done by an expert. As it was thought, experts were not on the job, another theory was developed.

It appears that a lad of tender years has been boarding at the house. That he had taken the money and left the windows open to make it appear that an outsider had done the deed was a reasonable supposition. Working on this, the lad was questioned, and he admitted his guilt, and returned the money.

Chief W. T. Williams and Detective Thomas Nickle both wish to warn the public to take special precautions about locking up their houses during fair week. They point out that there may be some light-fingered fellows floating into the city to take in the fair, and anything else that is removable. The citizens will do well to heed this warning, say the heads of the departments.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

EGGS IS EGGS.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

The old saying that "eggs is eggs" seems to be challenged these days. Messrs. Silverwood, McCallum and Downham would have the general public believe through the columns of the newspapers that eggs is two-thirds shells. It ain't so. "Eggs is eggs"; that saying is as old as the hens.

In the cold, grey dawn of Thursday morning we officially accompanied the trades and labor delegates to Frank's farm and saw those eggs, and seeing is believing with us. We're from Missouri.

Now we are willing to admit that those eggs were the worse for wear, but for all that, "eggs is eggs." One of the party, suspecting camouflage, commenced puncturing some of the eggs, and we threatened to resign if he perforated any more of them until we had a chance to get on the windward side of the situation. A truce was declared, and the delegates finally decided that whether hen fruit is picked direct from the tree, as it were, at 58 cents a dozen, or encountered en bloc as a fertilizer, "eggs is eggs" until they get feathers on 'em. And that verdict goes.

So when anyone tries to tell you that eggs is shells, be sure that they are not trying to Barnumize you. We know eggs when we see 'em, and we know shells when we see 'em. In our expeditionary days with the "Fighting 18th" we made a passing acquaintance with all kinds of shells, from Jack Johnstons to whizz bangs. And you can bet your boots that if eggs were shells, those Krupp folks at Essen would have got wise to it and thrown some at us. That settles the argument. "Eggs is eggs."

We understand that the Ministerial Alliance visited the scene later