# LONDON WEST MUST WAIT FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Board of Education Will Not Promise New Building At Present.

## OTHER NEEDS GREATER

Residents of West London are anxious to have the Empress avenue public school replaced by a more modern structure, but although they have repeatedly requested this improvement during the past few years there has been no definite promise of action forthcoming on the part of the board of education. While admitting that a new public school is necessary in this part of the city, the trustees point out that other districts are more in need of public school accommodation, and that until these wants are filled West Londoners must wait.

The best action available at present is the information that a new public school in West London will likely be included on the 1922 building program of the board of education, but there is an element of doubt about it. Empress Avenue public school is one of the most antiquated of these institutions in the city, and although repairs have been completed at various times, it is still far from an ideal building. In fact, contractors are of the opinion that further repairs would be a wasteless expenditure and that a new school is the only solution to the problem.

**Depends on Needs.**

"It all depends upon the needs of the case," declared C. B. Edwards, senior inspector of public schools, when the question of a new school was broached to him by The Advertiser. "About eight years ago, a new heating system was installed in the Empress Avenue School. It is not crowded like some other public schools of the city."

"As a matter of fact we are accommodating 15 public school pupils from London Township at Empress Avenue School. There will likely be a new building erected after the high and secondary schools required for the city are completed."

"Then there is the matter of finances. We have spent over $100,000 of our sinking fund. A new public school for West Londod depends on the finances of the city. We are keeping up with the public school attendance by our building, but it is impossible to please everybody. It is all a question of finances, which is a rather important thing. There is a greater need for a new public school in the southeast section of the city, plans for which are under way, with land for the site under option."

**Expects Board to Act.**

"There has been a great deal of talk about a new public school for West London," concluded the inspector, "and I have no doubt but that the board of education will deal with it soon."

In addition to Empress avenue school, children of West London attend a small structure, the Charles street public school, and the new Riverview public school, which is in South London directly across the river, within easy access to them via the Wharncliffe road bridge.

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# *Kind-Hearted S.R. Conductor*

Not all conductors of the London street railway are putting passengers off who board their car fareless. A few days ago a woman boarded North Belt car No. 56, Conductor 154. When the cash box was presented by the conductor, the woman announced that she had left her purse at home. Her sincerity impressed the conductor, and he let her ride down town. The next day the street railway company received a letter from the woman inclosing a ticket and a 25-cent shin plaster to be given to the conductor. He got it, and was evidently not reprimanded, as the complimentary letter written by the woman was posted on the order board at the car barns.

# WILL DECIDE FEE PROBLEM NEXT WEEK

## Board of Education To Consider Recommendations Next Tuesday.

In all probability the board of education will concur with the recommendation of the industrial advisory committee of the Technical School, which recommended Thursday that county pupils attending the above institution be charged 80 per cent of the cost of their education.

The board will likely consider this item along with the question of fees to county pupils attending the Collegiate Institute here when it meets next Tuesday afternoon.

Although some educational authorities contend that the substantial grants made to the local Technical School by the department of education are given on the understanding that it serve the rural district of London as well as the city proper, the majority declare that there will be no objection raised to levying fees for county pupils. The grant is approximately $24,000 per year.

Principal H. B. Beal of the Technical School points out that this school district is identical with that of the collegiate institute, namely, the city of London. It necessarily follows that county pupils are not in this district, and fees are in order for them. There are two courses open, as pointed out Thursday by Dr. F. W. Merchant, director of technical schools for Ontario.

One course is to assess the county 100 per cent of the cost of education per pupil, while the alternative is to collect 80 per cent of the cost directly from each pupil. The latter course will likely be followed, while with regard to county pupils attending Collegiate Institute, it has been recommended that the former course be adopted.

If the board follows these recommendations next Tuesday, county pupils taking the high school course at the Technical School will be in a strategic financial position as compared to those attending high school, the county being liable for their fees.

## FIVE PER CENT ADDED TO TAX AFTER SATURDAY

The third installment of city taxes falls due on Saturday, and those who haven't paid by the time the tax collector's office closes on Saturday night will find that a 5 per cent penalty has been added on Monday morning. So far about $50,000 has been paid in, but City Treasurer Bell expects that the bulk of the installment will come in Saturday through the mail. The total expected is $200,000.

## EXPECT 500 DELEGATES AT DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Five hundred delegates are expected to attend the London district conference of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, which opens here Friday evening.

On Saturday there will be a business session at 10 a.m., and at noon dinner will be served in the Maitland Street Church. On Sunday there will be a prayer and sacramental service early in the morning, and preaching services in the morning, afternoon and evening.

## 150 APPEALS ENTERED FOR COURT OF REVISION

About 150 appeals have been entered against the 1922 assessment to be heard by the court of revision, which sits at the city hall on October 5. This number is far in excess of other years, the total usually falling below 100. Of the appeals now in, about 75 of them are against realty assessments, and the balance are the result of changes in business, persons going out of business, income tax, etc. There is still some time to send in appeals.

# PLAINTIFF AWARDED $2,200 AND COSTS

## Harold Coates Secures Judgment in Supreme Court.

Harold Coates won his suit against R. M. Brisco and Karrie G. Brisco for the specific performance of an agreement regarding the sale of stock for the defendants, in the supreme court Friday morning. In addition he secured judgment for $2,200 and costs, with a stay of fifteen days.

The plaintiff claimed that the defendants were to buy 50 shares of preferred stock and 20 shares of common stock in the R. M. Brisco Company, valued at $6,000. As part payment, he testified, he received the right of redemption in house No. 368 Princess avenue, but says the Briscos refused to proceed further.

Settlement out of court was made in the case of John William Soutar against the county of Middlesex, an action for damages for injuries received when he was thrown from his bicycle on a county highway, and in the case of M. White & Son against the Elmira Machinery Company, a suit for $1,000 for goods alleged to have been sold and delivered.

# CITY NEWS in BRIEF

IS ACTING MAYOR.—Ald. Fred Watkinson is acting mayor today in the absence of Mayor Little from thec ity.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETS. — The executive board of the G. W. V. A. meets Friday night at 8 o'clock in their club rooms, Dundas street. Col. W. G. Coles, president of the association, will preside.

MEETING POSTPONED.—The "Safety First" meeting, which was to have been held in this city on Friday by the official and agents of the local districts of the G. T. R., has been postponed until Monday next.

GAS EXPERT COMING. — Ald. W. Wilson has been notified that Federal Gas Expert J. Harkness is coming to the city to look over the reported gas field at Crumlin. Mr. Wilson is strongly in favor of getting a natural gas supply for the city if it is possible.

TRUCK IS DAMAGED.—A light delivery truck belonging to A. D'Amore, fruit merchant, 599 Richmond street, skidded on the wet pavement at the corner of Queen's avenue and Wellington street, about 10 o'clock Friday morning, breaking off a rear right wheel.

NEW CHURCH AT CHATHAM.—Bishop Fallon stated Friday that a new parish is being formed in North Chatham, and that a new church is to be erected. It will be in charge of Father Dignan of this city, and will be known as the Church of the Blessed Sacrament. Work on the new building will be commenced as soon as possible, Bishop Fallon stated.

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# MINIMUM WAGE BOARD IN SESSION

London are closed, as the great bulk of the information obtained from the employers is confidential.

Mrs. Horace Parsons, one of the members of the board, is also an active worker in the National Council of Women. She stated to The Advertiser that some very interesting problems are revealed in connection with the work.

**Spends Earnings.**

"Last night, for instance," she said, "a girl told me she was making $40 a month and gets three meals a day provided. She thought she should have more. I asked her if she was spending her $40 a month in dress and amusements, and she admitted that she was. I pointed out to her that she is making a mistake. Another girl who only recently came to Canada wanted to throw up her job as a domestic because she is only getting $25 a month. She has a nice comfortable room, and all her meals are provided. I advised her to stay where she is, as in my estimation she is very well provided for. It seems very hard sometimes for the girls to make any allowance for their employers' side of the question, and, of course, we have to consider that also in making our recommendations."

The following is the minimum cost of living budget set for Toronto. Every item is regarded as an essential. Since this was arrived at there have been some reductions in the prices of some of the articles named, and this will affect the award slightly.

**Cost of Living Budget.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Board and lodging, at $7 per week | | $364 00 |
| Clothing— | | |
| Footwear and repairs | $21 00 | |
| Stockings | 6 75 | |
| Underwear | 8 50 | |
| Nightgowns | 4 00 | |
| Petticoats | 5 00 | |
| Corsets | 5 00 | |
| Corset covers | 4 00 | |
| Kimona | 2 00 | |
| Hats | 15 00 | |
| Suits (half cost, to wear 2 years) | 12 50 | |
| Winter coat (half cost, to wear 2 years) | 10 00 | |
| Winter dresses (half cost, to wear 2 years) | 7 50 | |
| Summer dresses | 12 00 | |
| Shirt waists | 8 25 | |
| Sweater | 3 25 | |
| Aprons | 2 75 | |
| Handkerchiefs | 1 50 | |
| Gloves | 5 00 | |
| Scarfs | 1 25 | |
| Umbrella | 2 00 | |
| Total expenses for clothing | | $138 25 |
| Sundries— | | |
| Laundry | $52 00 | |
| Doctor, dentist, optician | 20 00 | |
| Car fare | 20 00 | |
| Reading matter | 6 00 | |
| Postage and stationery | 5 00 | |
| Recreation and amusement | 23 00 | |
| Church and charity | 10 00 | |
| Incidentals (including brush, comb, soap, tooth paste, talcum powder, nail file, shoe polish, hand lotion, pins, needles, thread, whisk, shoe laces, etc.) | 15 00 | |
| Total expenses for sundries | | 151 00 |
| Total expenses for year | | $635 25 |
| Board and lodging per week | | $ 7 00 |
| Cothing per week | | 2 66 |
| Sundries per week | | 2 90 |
| Totals per week | | $12 56 |

# STREET RAILWAY CO. PLANS REAL SERVICE

## Manager Bares New Schedule Effective Saturday.

The London street railway will put its new schedule into effect Saturday morning, according to Manager C. B. King. When asked as to what changes would be made in the service, he stated that the new schedule was devised by a rearrangement of the early morning cars.

With so many cars leaving the barns at the early morning hour, Dundas street was given a frequent service.

It is therefore intended to divert the cars on the short Dundas street run to some of the outside lines for their first trip.

This will give the same service on the outside lines, only by different cars. After making this trip, the Dundas cars will return to their usual run, and the cars that they replace on the early run will not appear quite as early as usual.

Mr. King said that the change really meant that after the first car in the morning there would be a slight variation in the service and then the usual routing of cars will follow.

After 11 p.m. this slight variation in the service will again be made, but the last cars will leave the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets as usual.

"The new schedule will give us a little more efficient service in the quiet periods. Practically no one rides on the first trips in the early morning," said Mr. King.

The change means that the motormen and conductors will now work nine hours daily instead of ten and over as formally. The company has not given out the amount of saving, but the men estimate that the cut means about $1,500 monthly.

# Y.M.C.A. RADIO CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

## Courses For the Junior and Senior Members.

Officers of the local Y. M. C. A. Radio Club were elected at the annual meeting held in the association's club rooms Thursday night.

The officers elected were: R. H. Gurd, president; J. Foley, 1st vice-president; J. McIntosh, 2nd vice-president; R. P. Liddle, 3rd vice-president; D. Hutchison, secretary-treasurer; E. M. Berry, publicity manager; Burwell Graham, electrical supervisor.

It was decided that all club members shall be obliged to join the Y. M. C. A., and if they own or operate either a radio-telegraph or radio-telephone transmitting or receiving outfit they will have to be holders of an amateur radio-telegraph license.

Regular courses are to be proved, so that it will be possible for a junior member to become a senior member by passing an examination, and so that senior members shall be able to try a preliminary examination at Christmas and then at the close of the season a final examination.

It was decided that the fees for the coming season would be $1 for junior members and $2 for senior members. Juniors must be 16 years of age and under and seniors are to be 17 years of age and over.

# Obituaries

**JOHN OTTO SUCCUMBS.**

John Otto, 62 years old, died Thursday morning at the family residence, 390 Ridout street. He came to this city from New Hamburg, and the body has been forwarded to that town for interment. The deceased is survived by a widow and eight children.

## NEW HAMBURG BLOCK IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

New Hamburg, Sept. 30. — At 6 o'clock this morning Mr. Schroeder, who has dwelling-rooms upstairs in the rear of the William Tell block, noticed smoke coming from the east end of the hallway over Albrecht's hardware store.

An alarm was immediately sounded, and Fire Chief Scherer and his firefighters, with the Ronald steamer, soon deluged and extinguished the fire. The damage by water to several occupants will be considerable.

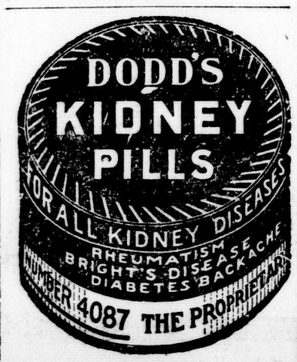
Among the occupants are the Standard Bank, W. R. Plum, insurance; Dr. Nile Winn, dentist; Canadian Order of Foresters and C. M. B. A. lodge rooms. The damage by fire was mostly confined to the walls and ceiling, and is comparatively light. The losses are fully covered with insurance.

## BRITISH LAND OWNERS SEEK ONTARIO FARMS

Intent upon purchasing large tracts of land in Canada, F. R. Taylor of Yorkshire, England, is touring the Dominion, and was in London Friday. Accompanied by Mr. J. Farrell, district representative of the Ontario department of colonization and immigration, he will visit every county of Western Ontario within the next few days. Mr. Taylor comes to Canada, not only in his own personal interests but on behalf of a large number of wealthy residents of the old country.

Commencing in Eastern Canada, he has traveled west through the rural districts and explains that without pursuing his journey any further he is very favorably impressed with Canada, more particularly the sections in Ontario west of Toronto.

He advises that the people in England, whom he represents, are desirous of undertaking mixed farming on a substantial scale, and that they will be guided mostly by his reports.



## Writes Farewell Note On His Collar

TORONTO, Sept. 33.—The body of Harry H. Unsworth, of Fergus, Ont., 35 years of age, and employed as a traveler, was found at the end of Bloor street viaduct where it crosses the Rosedale ravine. He had evidently taken off his collar and written a note on each side of it.

On one side he expressed regret for the sorrow he had caused his lady friend, and requested all to aid his mother, sister and brothers.

On the other side was written: "Good-bye, nice old world, though I have not been happy at times, yet I have drawn a good deal of pleasure from life, and though my last act may be rash, yet God is merciful, and Christ died even for me. Good-bye all. Dick, don't forget my last request. Forget all, as I have, and Christ will forgive us."

## WALKERTON K. OF C. ELECTS OFFICERS

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Walkerton, Sept. 29.—The annual meeting and election of Father Cummings Council, 2042, Knights of Columbus, held Tuesday night, was largely attended, and resulted as follows: Grand knight, J. T. Clancy; deputy grand knight, John Scanlon; chancellor, John Hanmere; recorder, B. W. Schumacher; financial secretary, P. A. Lambertus; treasurer, R. J. Clancy; advocate, A. E. McNab; warden, A. J. Miller; inside guard, Ralph Schmidt; outside guard, W. G. Lambertus; chaplain, Rev. P. J. Maloney; trustee, John Meagher.

## TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Considerable activity and strength developed in Abitibi and Winnipeg Railway on the local stock exchange this morning. Abitibi, on sales of 215 shares, advanced to 31, a gain of ¾ from yesterday's closing price. Winnipeg Railway was ¾ higher at 38. Steel of Canada, continuing yesterday's strength, advanced to 57½, a point above yesterday. Brazilian was held to small fractional changes, and closed ¼ off at 22¾, 260 shares changing hands between 23 and 22¾.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

| | | | Toronto, Sept. 30. | Asked. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Abitibi.. | 31 | 30¾ |
| | | | | Asked. | Bid. |
| do pfd. | 89 | .. | Sawyer.. | 12 | .. |
| Am Cy.. | 15 | .. | do pfd. | .. | 29 |
| do pfd. | 40 | 20 | SWheat. | .. | 126 |
| A Sales. | 4¼ | 3½ | do pfd. | .. | 90 |
| do pfd. | 75 | 73¼ | Spanish | 56 | 55 |
| A Sugar. | 30 | 29 | do pfd. | 70 | 68 |
| Barcel... | 4¼ | 3¾ | Stl Can. | .. | 57 |
| Brazilian | 22¾ | 22½ | do pfd. | .. | 90 |
| Bell Tel. | .. | 104 | Tor Ry.. | 72½ | 72 |
| B C Fish | 19½ | 19 | Tre'wey. | 14 | 12 |
| Br Emp. | .. | 9 | Tucketts | 39 | 38 |
| Burt.... | 97 | 95 | Tw City.. | 45 | 43 |
| do pfd. | .. | 101 | W'Flour.. | 125 | .. |
| C Bread. | 26 | 25 | Win Ry.. | 38½ | 38 |
| do pfd. | 87 | 85 | Banks, etc.— | | |
| C Car... | 50½ | 49½ | Com'rce. | 186 | 185 |
| Cement. | 55 | 54 | Domin... | 194½ | .. |
| do pfd. | .. | 83 | Hamil'n | 171 | 169¼ |
| C Fdry.. | 50 | .. | Imperial. | 183 | 181 |
| C S L.. | 20 | 19 | Merch... | .. | 166 |
| do pfd. | 50 | 49 | Molsons | .. | 175 |
| CGElec.. | 93 | 92 | Montr'l. | 210 | 208 |
| do pfd. | 94½ | 93½ | N Scotia. | 248½ | 248 |
| C Loco.. | 76 | 74 | Royal... | 199 | 197½ |
| do pfd. | 80 | .. | Stand... | .. | 203½ |
| C P R.. | 126½ | 125½ | Toronto | .. | 188 |
| C Salt.. | 75 | 65 | Union... | 145 | 144 |
| C Dairy. | .. | 75 | C Land. | 70 | 68 |
| do pfd. | .. | 85 | C Perm. | .. | 161¼ |
| Coniag's. | .. | 160 | Col Inv. | .. | 6 |
| Smelters | 16 | 15¼ | H Prov | .. | 138 |
| Con Gas. | 68 | 67 | H & E.. | | 108¼ |
| Cr Res.. | 13 | 12 | do 20p | .. | 101 |
| Cr Nest.. | 50 | 46½ | L Bank | .. | 136 |
| Dome . | 2150 | 2050 | N Trust. | 197 | .. |
| Canenrs. | 26 | 25 | TGTrus. | 199 | .. |
| do pfd. | 79 | 77 | T Mort. | .. | 63½ |
| DSCorp. | 27½ | 26½ | U Trust. | 83 | 81 |
| Dom Tel. | 39 | 36 | Ames... | 90 | .. |
| Duluth.. | 16¼ | 15 | C Bread. | 88 | 86½ |
| Ford M. | 310 | 300 | C Loco.. | .. | 87 |
| Larose.. | 32 | 30 | Canners. | .. | 87 |
| Mackay.. | 78 | 77¾ | D Iron... | .. | 81 |
| do pfd. | 62 | 60 | Elec Dev | 94 | 90 |
| M Leaf.. | 118 | 116 | Mex Elec | .. | 35 |
| do pfd. | 97 | 96 | Mexican. | .. | 35 |
| Monarch | 60 | .. | Penman. | 87 | 86 |
| do pfd. | 80 | .. | Pt Rico.. | 73 | 70 |
| Nipis'g.. | 590 | 550 | Quebec.. | 64 | 61 |
| NSSteel. | .. | 26 | Rio Jan. | 77 | 76 |
| Ogilvie.. | .. | 160 | Sterling. | .. | 85 |
| do pfd. | .. | 100 | S Paulo. | 73½ | 72½ |
| O S P.. | 54½ | 50 | Stl Can. | 92 | 91 |
| P Burt.. | 39 | 37 | War Loan, | | |
| do pfd. | 75 | 72 | 1925.. | .... | 95.05 |
| Penman. | 100 | 95 | 1931.. | 92.40 | 92.25 |
| Pt Rico. | 42 | .. | 1937.. | 92.40 | 92.25 |
| do pfd. | .. | 74 | 1937.. | .... | 97.75 |
| P Paper. | 92 | .. | Victory, | | |
| do pfd. | 87 | .. | 1922.. | 99.10 | 98.90 |
| Quebec.. | 25 | 24½ | 1923.. | 98.15 | 98.10 |
| Riordon. | 3½ | 3 | 1924.. | 96.90 | 96.70 |
| Rogers.. | 55 | .. | 1927.. | 97.50 | .... |
| do pfd. | 78 | 76 | 1933.. | 97.55 | 97.50 |
| Russell.. | 50 | .. | 1934.. | 97.70 | 97.60 |
| do pfd. | .. | 50 | 1937.. | 99.10 | 99.00 |

| Sales. | High. | Low. | Noon. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 215 Abitibi | 31 | 30¾ | 31 |
| 260 Brazilian | 23 | 22¾ | 22¾ |
| 5 Bell Telephone | 104 | .. | .. |
| 2F. N. Burt, pfd. | 101 | .. | .. |
| 15 Canada Bread | 25¾ | 25½ | 25½ |
| 25 Cement, xd. | 55 | .. | .. |
| 12 Mackay | 77¾ | .. | .. |
| 30 Ontario Steel | 54½ | 54¼ | 54¼ |
| 50 Steel of Canada | 57½ | 57 | 57½ |
| 5 Toronto Railway | 72 | .. | .. |
| 100 Winnipeg Railway | 38 | .. | .. |
| Banks— | | | |
| 12 Imperial | 183 | .. | .. |
| 25 Royal | 198½ | 198 | 198½ |
| 3 Standard | 203½ | .. | .. |
| 5 Union | 145 | .. | .. |
| 10 Canada Landed | 69 | .. | .. |
| Bonds— | | | |
| $1000 War Loan, 1937 | 97.75 | .. | .. |
| 150 Victory, 1922 | 98.75 | .. | .. |
| 7100 do, 1923 | 98.10 | 97.80 | 98.10 |
| 400 do, 1934 | 96.65 | 96.60 | 96.60 |
| 10900 do, 1923 | 97.50 | 97.30 | 97.45 |
| 31000 do, 1934 | 94.60 | 94.50 | 94.50 |
| 1000 do, 1937 | 99.00 | 98.80 | 99.00 |
| Unlisted— | | | |
| 25 Brompton | 21½ | .. | .. |
| 5 Lake Shore | 134 | .. | .. |
| 50 Laurentide Pulp | 73 | .. | .. |

## GOLD AND SILVER

New York Sept. 30.—Foreign bar silver, 70½c per ounce.

## EXCHANGE RATES

New York, Sept. 30.—Foreign exchange irregular; demand, Great Britain, $3 72½.

Canadian dollars, 9 per cent discount.

## MONTHLY BANK CLEARING

| | |
|---|---|
| Toronto | 379,360,589 |
| Halifax | 13,345,726 |
| Kitchener | 3,863,633 |
| Sherbrooke | 3,663,677 |
| Peterboro | 3,460,228 |
| Kingston | 3,276,743 |

## STANDARD EXCHANGE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Morning sales: Dome Lake, 1000 at 6½; Dome Mines, 100 at 21.00; Holly, 30 at 743; Kirkland Lake, 1000 at 36, 1000 at 36¾; McIntyre, 700 at 194; New Ray, 1000 at 5½; Porcupine Crown, 500 at 15; West Dome, 1000 at 7; Wasapika, 1500 at 4¼; The Petrol, 1000 at 20; Crown Reserve, 2000 at 13¼, 500 at 13; La Rose, 2000 at 32; McKinley, 2500 at 21; Nipissing, 100 at 565; Peterson Lake, 1000 at 6½; Trethewey, 5000 at 13½. Total sales, 21,830 shares.

**SKIDS INTO CURBING.**

Skidding on the slippery pavement at Queen's avenue and Maitland street, a motor car driven by E. W. Steinhoff, 561 St. George street, ran on to the curbing, smashing a front wheel. No one was injured.

# KIWANIANS TO HELP NEEDY CHILDREN

## Will Undertake Extensive Child Welfare Work in City.

Child welfare work as undertaken by the London Kiwanians continues with even renewed zest. At the conclusion of Friday's luncheon, the local members responded generously to the appeal for financial aid from Kiwanian Kenneth Murray.

The latter explained one pathetic case that had been brought to his attention within the past few days, that of a crippled youngster, whose chances for the future would be greatly improved by immediate medical treatment. It is the case of a little fellow with a deformed foot, and although Kiwanian Murray had been offered aid by different public-spirited citizens, he preferred, he said, that the cost of the treatment be shouldered by the club, each member contributing his share.

On Thursday, October 13, the Kiwanians will hold a dance at the Winter Garden, the proceeds of which will be placed with the fund for the aid of the 56 fatherless youngsters who are wards of the Kiwanians.

The last announcement of the district convention which occurs in Montreal October 7 was made at Friday's gathering. A special car leaves on the C. P. R. on the night of the 6th. Kiwanians from Windsor, Galt, Hespeler and other Western Ontario points will accompany the London quota.

## N. OXFORD LIBERALS TO HAVE CANDIDATE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodstock, Sept. 30.—North Oxford Liberals will have a candidate in the field when the federal elections come along. This morning, George Mahon, secretary, sent notices to the members of the executive to meet a week from tomorrow, when a date will be selected on which to hold a convention to select a candidate. Mr. Mahon, it is said, will be an aspirant for the candidature, and the names of Dr. Sinclair, James Baird of Plattsville, and Dr. Wearing are also mentioned.

## PAYS $5 TO FIND OUT SPEED OF HIS AUTO

George Chantler paid $5 and costs into police court Thursday morning, but in return received information that his auto could travel 26 miles in an hour. He told the court that he did not think it was "in the car." Another point in his defence was that at the time of the speeding his son was driving a woman to the hospital, and it was necessary to speed.

However, the officers who took the number of the auto, testified that car was being driven away from the hospital. The defendant then stated that his son, who was driving, was bringing other members of the family home from the hospital and they wanted to get home as soon as possible.

## FARMERS' CLUB ISSUES SUPREME COURT WRIT

Supreme court action has been commenced by the North Dorchester Farmers' Club against Gordon Harris, formerly manager of the society, for an accounting of all money received since January 16, 1919. The writ issued against him also asks for judgment against him for all money found due the plaintiff.

Similar legal measures have been taken against Henry Harris, as the other defendant's bondsman, the club asking for judgment against him and payment under his bond, dated January 16, 1919, of all money due. Meredith & Fisher are acting for the plaintiffs.

## NEW CLUBROOMS TO BE FURNISHED FOR BOYS

At a meeting of the boys' committee of the Y. M. C. A., held in Smallman & Ingram's Thursday evening, further plans were prepared for the decorating of the new room in the Y. M. C. A., which is to be known as the Ki. Y.

When completed the room will be used by the younger boys of the association. It is believed that there are many children in the city who will welcome this addition. The contents of the room will be large lounge chairs, tables, fireplace and phonograph. The latter will be donated to the "Y" by the Kiwanis Club, who have already voiced their intention of presenting a large shield to help decorate the room.

**BILLION MARKS DAMAGE.**

Berlin, Sept. 30.—Latest estimates fix the material damage resulting from the recent explosion at the Badische Aniline Company's plant at Oppau at one billion marks.

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# SOCIAL PROBLEMS AND CHURCH UNION

Wednesday, October 5, the House of Bishops of the Church of England in Canada has been sitting in Toronto for some time past.

**Discuss Church Union.**

The much-discussed question of church union, on which particular stress was laid at the great Lambeth conference, is one of the big problems with which the ecclesiastical dignitaries are concerning themselves, and this matter has engaged their attention at the preliminary conferences already held. The status of women is another topic which is provoking diverse comment.

Among the several boards and committees which will have convened in Toronto prior to the opening of the general synod in this city on Wednesday next, three of the most important, perhaps, are the mission board, the board of religious education, and that which has to do with social service.

The subjects of marriage and divorce; the relation of the moving picture to child welfare, and similar topics come under the purview of the social service council.

There are several weighty problems that will, in the efforts to find a solution, prove not unlikely of a contentious nature. When the final draft of the prayer book is presented, as revised, there will probably be considerable discussion.

**Favors Ritualistic Service.**

It is known that the dean of Quebec is strongly in favor of making the communion service more ritualistic, and that he will forcefully advance his views on this subject. One of the biggest things with which the mission board will have to deal will be the consideration of the taking over by the Church of England in Canada of all the missions to the Eskimos and Indians in Northwestern Canada.

Since 1800 the Church Missionary Society of London, England, has fathered the work. A check for £25,000 was sent by the parent society last year, preparatory to the transfer that will in all likelihood be made during the deliberations of this august body. The Canadian society has increased this amount to $500,000. Practically all the missionary bishops of the church will come from home and foreign lands to take part in the proceedings. Among them will be Bishop Harding of Mid-Japan, Bishop White of Honan, China, Rev. Mr. Ford, a misisonary from the India field, Bishop Brent of New York, formerly bishop of the Philippines, and Bishop Tucker of Southern Virginia.

Stephen Baker of New York city, a prominent United States banker, will be here as a representative layman.

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# CATHOLICS ASK TAX DIVISION

the Honorable Members of the Cabinet of Ontario:

"The petition of the undersigned duly qualified Roman Catholic electors of the Parish of ....., in the County of ....., in the Province of Ontario, humbly sheweth:

"That under the British North America act, which is the Constitution of Canada, the educational rights in the matter of denominational schools of the Protestant minority in Lower Canada and of the Roman Catholic minority in Upper Canada were guaranteed by mutual agreement and solemn compact, and

"That amongst these rights is the full development of the common school system and the equitable and proportional division of all school taxes and all school grants, and

"That the school system of the Roman Catholic minority of the province of Ontario is deprived of the legal machinery necessary for its complete functioning, and does not receive its just and proper share of certain school taxes and school grants.

"Therefore the undersigned electors respectfully request the Government and the Legislature of Ontario to enact such legal measures as will put the Roman Catholic minority of this province on a footing of equality with the Protestant minority in the province of Quebec, in the full enjoyment of its educational rights under the constitution.'

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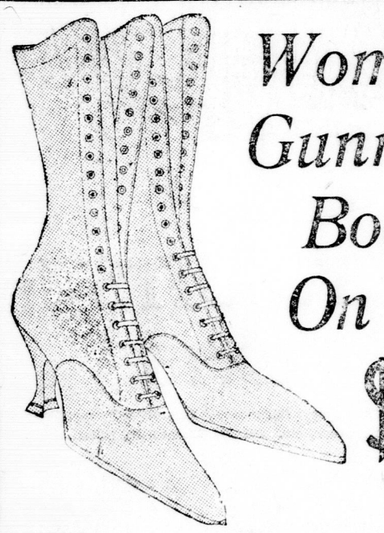

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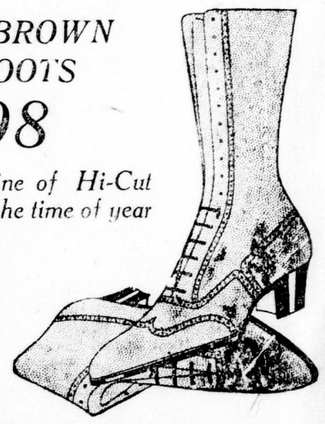

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