

SAFETY IN FOOD BUYING SOUGHT

Committee Calls For Bylaw
Requiring Names of
Vendors.

Passing of a bylaw by which all persons offering foodstuffs or other products for sale on the city market will be required to display their name and address prominently on the vehicles from which they make sales, will be requested at the next meeting of the city council. No. 2 committee recommended such action at its meeting last night, as a means of protecting citizens from buying inferior products and later being unable to discover the identity of the party with whom they did business. R. H. Sanders, city sanitary inspector, in his report to the board of health last Friday drew attention to the number of complaints he had received regarding meat and also poultry purchased on the market square.

"One woman bought four chickens on the market, two at a time, and all four chickens were found to be infected with tuberculosis," his report stated. "The last two she bought were in the worst condition I have ever seen. The purchaser asked me to go on the market with her to try to locate the man from whom she bought the chickens, but we were unsuccessful in finding him."

Action of the committee last night was the result of consequent recommendation of the board of health that every person who sells on the market be required to have his or her name and address on wagons, cars, etc., or on the goods offered for sale.

UNITED CHURCH ISSUES SUMMONS TO PRAYER

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out loss of its identity. Almost as important as the union legislation itself is the recognition that these churches are living organisms and have the right to determine their own future.

The first division of the council came on a motion that a new set of rules of procedure be adopted provisionally without discussion. An amendment was proposed to change the rules and discussed, but was voted down by a large majority.

It was decided that the United Church should make application for admission to the Ecumenical Council, the Ecumenical Methodist council and the alliance of reformed churches.

The report of the joint church union committee, of which Rev. Dr. C. C. Pidgeon is chairman and Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore secretary, was read and discussed. The committee is working on a petition of the present denominational officers of the United church had been considered carefully and two more important recommendations were made:

1. Appoint Special Committee.

That a large and representative special committee be appointed to recommend to the first general council the method by which the various church departments should be carried on, the committee to consist of members of the boards affected. The departments include foreign and home missions, Sunday schools and young people's work, evangelism and social service, publications, colleges, education and finance.

That a commission be appointed representative of the whole church to consider the permanent organization of the United church and its general council, their boards and committees, in relation to the basis of union and the legislation affecting the United church.

This commission is to report to an adjourned meeting of the first council or to the next council.

The final report of the sub-committee on law and legislation, submitted by W. C. Brown, K.C., as chairman, set out briefly the combined effect of federal and provincial legislation "relating to the churches" as:

1. To constitute the uniting churches as a body corporate with rights to acquire and hold all necessary property.

2. To vest in the United church all the denominational properties of the uniting churches, with provision for the appointment of a commission with power to divide the same in equitable shares of the denominational property of any of the churches to its nonconcurring congregations.

3. Colleges of the uniting churches stand in the same relation to the United church as they stood to their respective parent churches. The property of the churches is to be made such order in respect of the colleges as are deemed fair and equitable to secure adequate provision for the education and training of students to minister to nonconcurring congregations.

Financial Report.

The financial report of the union committee showed receipts from November 1, 1923, to May 31, 1925, of \$125,101.14, of which the Methodist and Presbyterian churches each contributed \$56,250 and the Congregational church \$12,500. Legal expenses amounted to \$3,485, and the law and legislation committee altogether spent \$74,917, while the literature and information committee spent \$46,791. There was a balance on hand May 31 of \$2,645. Estimates pre-

The Christian Convocation

Epoch-Making Event Takes Place in Presence of 8,000 People—Significance of Important Step Interpreted.

By R. E. KNOWLES.
Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, June 10.—Other pens than mine will tell, have probably already told, the story of this momentous day in the history of the Christian world. All I can hope to do is to interpret, if I can, its high significance and briefly outline its salient features.

For momentous this day will surely be. Union, that mystic thing which all life depends on, well within everybody's ken, pervading as it does every kingdom where life is found. Nor has it been wanting in the history of the Christian church, for there have been plenty among the dismembered church families who have (never having renounced the family name) returned to the untrodden domain of the past, and taken up the past as though it were yesterday.

But never before have any great churches, of differing historical sources, of alien traditions, of varying names, of apparently diverging and ever-conflicting doctrines—never before have they sunk their distinctive differences, adjusted the opposing creeds, laid aside the vesture of dear and familiar names, surrendered their separate journals, scrapped their bureaucratic formalisms, and entered into a united life and a united effort, further the welfare of mankind and the interests of the Kingdom of God.

These things today were done by the Presbyterian church in Canada, the Methodist and the Congregational churches together. This epoch-making union, toward which the eyes of all Christendom are turned, was effected

amid great pomp and circumstance this morning, in the presence of 8,000 people, in the vast arena of the arena here in Toronto.

Pomp and circumstance—but not of the traditional or metropolitan sort—far other was the case. The glory that shone around was not that of gorgeous ritual or glorious music, of imposing millinery, of ecclesiastical symbol, but rather in the deep and pervading joy, the reverent hope, the wistful outlook to great days beyond, the suppressed sorrow over all that has been renounced, swallowed up in the rich harvest of a nobler visibility of the church of God before the world, of a burning purpose to prove before men and angels that the sovereign things of the faith as it is in Jesus have hidden the theological trifles that have so long been a stumbling block to the world.

There was a sublime rapture of ministers in the great exercises of today. Denominational lines were impossible to discover. And the greetings that gladdened the exultant thousands came from every quarter of the globe. Dispersed from the remotest Africa, trans-globular China, far-off India, antipodean New Zealand, all contributed their voice of joy and blessing. With one accord, and usually in so many words, they acclaimed the United Church of Canada as the most truly forward-looking of all the Christian churches of the globe. The eminent delegate from the United Free Church of Scotland boldly affirmed that Canada has led the world. His affirmation that in union churches do not die, that they rather therein enter a new and larger life, was received with rapturous acclaim. The occasion was one of unmeasured inspiration and power, harbingers of a bright and blessed day in the moral and religious life of Canada.

DAY OF DAYS FOR 1,300 CHILDREN

Annual Separate School Picnic
Gathers Big Crowd At
Springbank.

Today the annual London separate school picnic is being held at Springbank park and 1,300 children and their teachers are taking advantage of a clear, cool day to enjoy themselves to their heart's content.

Special cars were provided by the London street railway to transport the battalion and a half of youngsters to the picnic grounds, where they were all safely deposited by 10:30 o'clock this morning.

Immediately upon arrival at the park the different schools embarked enthusiastically into their individual sports programs of races of all sorts. Following the races later this afternoon four teams from St. Peter's school will stage a softball tournament. This will be followed by a softball game between the girls of St. Mary's school and the girls of Sacred Heart school. The winner of this latter game will match forces with the girls of St. Joseph's school.

The mothers' clubs of the different schools co-operated in supplying the picnic baskets, while the separate school board arranged for a variety of refreshments. The picnic was provided by the school board. The picnic was provided by the school board.

City Klan To Aid Police Bare Fake Cross Pranks

Order's Connection With Last
Night's Burning Denied
By Local Kleagle.

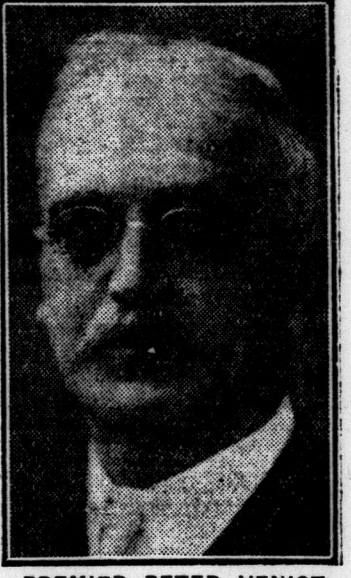
SEEK PERPETRATORS

Friday Night Ceremony Was
Unauthorized Action of
Klan Members.

The Ku Klux Klan in London will take action to discover the persons responsible for the burning of a fiery cross near Blackfriars bridge last night. The burning was condemned by a Klan Kleagle this morning as a dangerous prank, and Klan members will assist officers of the law to put a stop to the practice.

The burning of a fiery cross near Richmond street north last Friday night was an unauthorized action of Klan members, the London Kleagle stated today. The action received some official recognition, however, as did the burning of other crosses at Woodstock, Ingersoll and Dorchester.

The first Klan ritual with its attendant outside organizations, it is said, is a burning cross ceremony. The message a burning cross reveals is one intended for official members of the Klan. It is a warning to the public that the Klan is active and that it will do all in its power to see that the thing is stopped.



PREMIER PETER VENIOT

stated this week that a New Brunswick provincial general election would be held before the fall, and that there might be one within seven weeks.

RAILROADS ALARMED BY AIR FREIGHT LINES

Growing Competition of Motor
Truck and Airship Is
Discussed.

Competition arising out of the growing business done by motor truck, airship and the Panama canal was one of the important subjects discussed by the members of the Great Lakes regional advisory board which met at Toledo, Ohio, Tuesday, according to F. M. Rutter, divisional superintendent of the R. C. R. who represented the road at the sessions.

Mr. Rutter said today that the members were enthusiastic about the new business that was apparent for the summer season. Further co-operation, especially in the matter of the use of equipment, would be a necessary factor in profitable railway and steamship operation in the future.

The airship and the motor truck could load and unload rapidly. To meet the competition, it would be necessary for the railways to get the most out of their cars. One point was that a freight car was tied up for several days with a shipment which occupied probably a day of travelling.

The loss time was in loading, unloading and switching. This would have to be remedied so that the \$22,000,000,000 tied up in railway equipment in America could get the best of the investment.

It was decided that a steady flow of products spread over a long period would help to solve the situation. This applied to coal and coke products, which in the past had been shipped in large quantities over relatively short periods, causing congestion.

Following are the officers elected for the year: L. G. Macomber was re-elected president; K. A. Moore, assistant traffic manager, Detroit; Frank H. Barr, secretary, Cleveland.

An executive committee was made up of F. M. Renshaw, Buffalo; John McNally, Detroit; E. C. Nettels, Battle Creek.

Representatives of the Pennsylvania, Norfolk and Western, Pere Marquette, Wabash, C. P. R., W. & L. E., New York Central, Lehigh Valley, Baltimore & Ohio, and D. & W. railways were present.

POLE RELIEF SHIP CHANGES COURSE

Will Go To Advent Bay To
Meet Steamer From Base
Party.

Associated Press Despatch.
S. S. Ingertre, en route to Spitzbergen, June 11.—Lieut. Lutzow Holm, commander of the naval fliers who are on their way to search for the missing Amundsen Polar expedition, has received wireless message from Oslo the Norwegian capital, stating that the Ingertre will proceed to Advent Bay instead of King's Bay. This is more than double the flying distance to Dunes Island from which Amundsen and his five companions hopped off on their flight to the Pole.

The message says that the steamer Farn, bearing part of Amundsen's base supplies will meet the fliers at Advent Bay. Captain Johannessen of the Ingertre, however, has not yet been notified of the change in plans, and the reason for it is unknown to those aboard this ship.

CENTENNIAL PLANS ARE ADVANCING

Ed. Struthers Writes Mayor of
Strides Being Made at
Border.

London old boys from Windsor, Michigan and counties of Essex Kent and Lambton are already well organized and preparing to take a big part in next year's centennial celebration here.

Ed Struthers, a former well known resident of London, is the man behind the guns down at the Horder Cities, and in a letter to the mayor today he remarks that "if the centennial was in 1925, instead of 1926, our arrangements are complete. A lot of good work has been accomplished without fuss." As evidence, he enclosed a ticket entitling the holder to membership in the London old boys' centennial club.

Every old boy in the territory named will have a chance to acquire membership in this club, which means that he will be required to attend the celebration next year. Other towns and cities all over the continent will soon be perfecting similar organizations, and the biggest homecoming London has ever witnessed will be under way.

In the meantime the committee is exhausting every means to get the names of all possible London old boys and girls. A special stenographer has been installed in the mayor's office to handle the details of this big job, and any citizens who know of former residents of the city who might conceivably be missed on the invitation list are urged to send the names in to the mayor's office without delay. Suggestions on any phase of the celebration will also be welcome.

SON OF ARCHDEACON SAGE HONORED BY CITY CHURCH

Prof. E. Walter Sage of the University of British Columbia, son of Ven. Archdeacon Sage, of this city, was presented with a club bag last evening by the men's club of St. George's church at the regular congregational meeting. The presentation was made by W. Wilson.

Addresses by Frank Cop, Chairman J. R. Hobbs, Fred Turnbull and P. A. Andrews, solos and orchestration made up the program. About 200 attended.

Prof. Sage, who is visiting his father, will return to the coast next Tuesday.

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SALVATION ARMY HAS 26 STAFF CHANGES

Thirteen of the 28 Corps in
the District Are
Affected.

Changes to the number of 26 have been made in the personnel of the Salvation Army officers in Western Ontario. They were announced this morning by Brig. MacAmmond, chief of staff here, who returned today from a conference with the Army headquarters in Toronto.

Thirteen of the 28 corps in the division are affected. The officers who will say farewell to their congregations on Sunday, June 28, do not yet know where they will be stationed. It is expected that word from Toronto will be received in a few days notifying them where they will be moved. It is likely that one or two changes will be announced before the end of the month.

The following officers will receive new appointments: Capt. P. Bobbitt and Lieut. Grace Sarron, Aylmer; Capt. Frank Clarke, Clinton; Capt. L. Danby and Lieut. E. Johnson, Hanover; Ensign Chittenden and Ensign A. Stokes, London 2; Ensign and Mr. Robert Foster, London 3; Capt. J. Evenden and Lieut. V. Tidman, Mount Forest; Commandant and Mrs. F. White, Owen Sound; Capt. D. Laird and Lieut. C. Murray, Palmerston; Ensign and Mrs. G. Kirbyson, St. Marys; Ensign and Mrs. W. Kison, Sarnia; Capt. A. Buntion and Lieut. J. Tevlin, Seaforth; Capt. J. Stevenson and Lieut. F. Evenden, Theford; Capt. P. Pettigrew and Lieut. E. Briggs, Wingham; Capt. A. Nevill and Lieut. Wm. Janaway, Wingham.

BISHOP TO OFFICIATE AT McCALL FUNERAL

Late Senator Was Prominent
in Huron Diocese
Activities.

Rt. Rev. David Williams, D.D., C.L., lord bishop of Huron, will conduct the funeral services of the late Senator Alexander McCall at Simcoe tomorrow afternoon.

Senator McCall, who died yesterday at his home in Simcoe in his 86th year, was a lifelong member of Trinity Anglican church, and was one of the most generous benefactors of the Anglican church in the diocese of Huron.

Bishop Williams today paid eloquent tribute to the late senator for his many services on behalf of the church, which included a scholarship for Huron college and the establishment of a trust fund for the women's missionary auxiliary.

"Senator McCall," observed Bishop Williams, "was my personal friend. He was always prominent in church affairs, and in fact a those movements which made for the improvement of conditions in the community in which he resided."

The senator, who was ill at the time of the last annual meeting of Huron synod here a few weeks ago, was the recipient of a letter from the synod expressing regret and appreciation for his work on behalf of the Anglican church in this portion of the province.

Military Notes

Bruce Regiment To Encamp
—Instructors Get R.M.C.
Certificates—Chaplain
Appointed.

The Bruce Regiment has been granted permission to carry out a six-day camp at Kincardine. The strength will be 180, all ranks. Training will be carried out all next week, according to orders issued today by Lieut.-Col. F. Gilman, G.S.O.

Two instructors have received certificates from the Royal Military school, Kingston. They are W. J. Gillman and G. P. Howard, lance corporals in the R. C. R.

Lieut. H. A. Fraser has been re-elected.

Rev. J. A. MacKenzie has been appointed as chaplain to the Guelph college cadet corps there, according to orders issued by Lieut.-Col. W. T. Lawless today.

Thirteen officers who tried the militia staff course examinations in May ten were successful, according to the results issued today by Col. E. Dean, A. D. C. G. Chisholm, 2nd Machine Gun Brigade; Major W. C. Butler, Canadian Fusiliers; Major H. Bingle, Canadian Fusiliers; Major G. H. Ellis, C. R. R.

Major A. K. Hemming, R. C. R. will attend Sarcee Camp, Alberta to act as chief instructor at the small arms school there during the summer.

Two instructors of the R. C. R. will go to Kincardine next week to assist in training at that camp. It will be the first camp maintained in military district No. 10 this summer.

The Highland Light Infantry won the baseball tournament which has been held in conjunction with the monthly meetings of the officers of the 2nd Infantry Brigade. The Wellington Rifles won the shooting competition. At the meeting of the officers held at the headquarters of the 2nd Infantry Brigade assemble at a convenient place in the brigade area this summer for training, likely a target shoot, it is likely that Galt will be chosen as the next central point.

A greater interest in shooting has manifested in the past few years. Col. Dean said today that not for years have the ranges been as busy as at present. Double the number of targets are in use. There is a keen rivalry exhibited by the units that use the targets on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

PROVINCE ORDERS CITY TO BUILD SYPHON SEWER

City Clerk Baker was notified today by the provincial board of health that a mistake was made in sending to the city a notice of approval of the Evergreen avenue siphon sewer when it was intended that a notice ordering its construction should have been forwarded.

This acknowledgment removes the perplexity and doubt which had surrounded the wording of the certificate, and there is now no further obstacle in the way of commencing the work.

CLASS 27.
In spite of the cold weather of yesterday a large number attended the picnic of Class 27 of the Dundas Center church, which was held at Springbank. One of the main features of the event was the baseball game played with much zeal. Owing to the excellent players on both sides the game was decided a close tie. Following the sports a delicious picnic supper was served. The event was greatly enjoyed by those present.

SPEEDERS CONTRIBUTE \$390 IN GLENCOE COURT

Fine Is Raised by Magistrate
When Drivers Ignore
Law.

Motivists who ignored speed laws in Glencoe and vicinity during the month of May contributed \$390 in Glencoe police court, County Magistrate today announced.

"There seems to be more speeding this year than last," commented the magistrate, who was a visitor at the court house this morning.

"This speeding has got to be stopped, and consequently I have raised the fine from \$10 to \$15 on all motorists going more than 35 miles an hour."

RISE FROM WINDSOR COSTS THREE TEN DOLLARS A PIECE

En route from Windsor to Sarnia, John Cahill and Peter Walsh, of Glencoe, lost their way. They boarded a freight at Windsor and came to London. As they stepped down from the train last night they were arrested by C. N. R. constables.

"Too many people are trespassing on railway property these days," Magistrate Graydon remarked as he fined each of the two men \$10 for their appearance in court this morning.

sent April 21, it was stated, provided for further expenditure of \$52,892, of which \$48,450 was by the law and legislation department.

After an hour of devotion this morning Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, as chairman, took the chair of the business session. They had come, he said, to the supreme moment of union as they sat down to put into action the resolutions of the synod.

Yesterday they had been raised to the sublime heights of ecstatic feeling now they had come to a time when they needed much of the grace of God. By custom and practice they had attained to different methods of approach.

There was some objection to the adjourned meeting of the synod in that they referred to church leaders back by their previous affiliations, and finally the minutes were referred back to the clerk for consultation with counsel in regard to their legal form.

Rev. Dr. F. W. G. Brown of Ottawa presented a draft of rules of procedure for the council. Dr. Chown suggested that they be adopted as prepared, and revised as experience justified.

The names of the eminent Montreal divines was put forward by Rev. Principal Fraser and seconded by Rev. Dr. Clay. No other name was suggested by the delegates.

Reference was made, not only to the long and valuable service Dr. Scott had rendered to the church as pastor and editor, but also to the large part he had taken in the struggle during the past twenty years.

Following his election Dr. Scott addressed the court on the present position of the church. After the election of a permanent clerk and the appointing of a business committee the Presbyterian church association, the missionary organization and other committees organized at the gathering in St. Andrew's church in 1915, presented their report, and the assembly adjourned for lunch to meet again this afternoon.



DR. G. PORTER

was elected president of the Canadian Public Health Association at the conference at Ottawa this week.

E. MIDDLESEX FARMERS PICNIC NEXT WEDNESDAY

Ball Games and Horse Racing
Will Be Features
of Day.

Large crowds are expected to attend the annual picnic of the East Middlesex farmers' association at Ilderton fair grounds next Wednesday. Plans for the best picnic in the history of the district have been completed by Lee R. Telford, Ilderton, president of the association, and Hilson Stanley, Granton, secretary.

The events will start at 9 o'clock. Thorndale and Pleasant Valley will lock horns in a ball game. In the morning while there will be a softball tournament in the afternoon, Lambeth vs. Ilderton, and Thorndale vs. Dorchester. The winners will play off for the championship.

Foot races and a baby show are scheduled, and there will also be three horse races.

R. H. Halbert, M.P., North Ontario, will be the speaker of the afternoon and give the picnic a political flavor.

BOARD TO MEET ADVISORY COMMITTEE THIS EVENING

Dr. Clegg, superintendent of Victoria hospital, has written City Clerk Baker requesting that a meeting be arranged for the board of health and members of the advisory committee of the hospital, to discuss certain changes in the regulations governing the operation of the hospital.

The meeting has been fixed for 7:30 this evening, and notices have already gone out to the board.

SUFFERING FROM LOCKJAW, 3 HORSES ARE DESTROYED

George Tustin of the Humane society destroyed three horses this morning, all suffering from lockjaw. One of them had to be shot on a city street.

Four stray cats and three dogs were taken to the shelter this morning.

TOURING DOCTORS NOW VISITING IN IRISH CITIES

Cosgrave To Receive Canadian
and United States Medical
Men.

Associated Press Despatch.
Dublin, June 11.—Canadian and United States doctors who recently attended the interstate post-graduate assembly at London have divided into parties and are visiting Dublin and Belfast.

Today they witnessed surgical operations and listened to lectures by prominent Irish doctors in hospital here. Later they visited a brewery which is said to be the largest in the world.

Tonight they will be given a reception by President Cosgrave of the Irish Free State and members of his cabinet.

LONDON TO HAVE TAX CONFERENCE

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and there will also be representatives of provincial and municipal governments throughout the country, besides executives of many of the dominion's leading industrial, business and financial concerns who will meet in an effort to find solutions for many of Canada's most vexing tax problems.

Local Officials.
The local advisory committee of the institute consists of Col. W. J. Brown, Col. H. H. Leonard, D.S., W. C. Benson, C.A., Col. J. J. Murphy, C.E., E. S. Little and J. G. Richter.

The convention is receiving the full co-operation and support of the London chamber of commerce, and is largely from consideration of the interest taken in the past by members of the local chamber in the work of the institute that the convention was secured for London this year.

LOCAL C. N. R. STATION
TO BE REPAIRED, PAINTED
New lumber and many gallons of red paint were brought up to the ancient C. N. R. depot this morning by a gang of men from the bridge and building department, who will brighten up the old-time station for the summer.

Early this morning a portion of the station platform was torn up and new boards were put down. A scaffolding was erected on the station roof to give the painters a place to work.

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