Are Far in Excess of Those of

Last Year, According to

Secretary.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS

\$4,000 Spent On Fair Build.

ings in Additions and

Alterations.

and entries still continue to pour into

the buildings is practically all taken

up, most of the larger exhibitors of

past years renewing their stands ear-

promised by the directors of the 1914

\$4,000 Spent on Repairs.
William Moore, chairman of the

grounds and building committee re-

ported that \$4,000 has been spent this

section on necessary repairs and im-

provements in Queen's Park. Many

and in every case the effect has been

for the general improvement of the ex-

Ald. Merryfield, convener of the com-

mittee, which has been considering the

advisability of the establishment of a

winter fat stock show, reported that

the committee did not favor the project. In explanation it was stated that

it would be advisable, instead to con-

centrate in improving the Western

Fair. The fact that the fat stock show

had been tried in several Canadian

cities and from a financial standpoint

had been a failure, was proof to show

Will Attend Toronto Fair.

appointed to go to Toronto for the pur-

pose of getting entries for the London

exhibition. The mayor and council will

be asked to issue a proclamation, ask

ing citizens and merchants to decorate

their homes and stores during the fair

the management of the Hospital for

the Insane, the Orphans' Home and the

Aged People's Home, for Monday, Sep-

Lieut.-Col, Gartshore presided. The

following directors were present: Wil-

liam Spencer, J. H. Saunders, Ald. Mer-

ryfield, R. A. Carrothers, E. Douglas,

William Moore, W. E. Robinson, James

Murray, Ald. Winder, Dr. Routledge,

William McNeil, Ald. Tancock, and T.

Col. Sergt. Fritz Had Wonder-

ful Escape From Death

During Boer War.

Seventh Fusiliers, now quartered

Among the guard detachment of the

who have seen fighting in varioue parts

stories of dangers and hardships under-

heroism which have earned the coveted

the Tugela, where he was wounded in

the thigh, at Koffenfantein, and in other

At Koffeefontein he had a very narrov

scape from death, when a Boer bullet

striking him in the chest, embedded it

self in a cartridge in his bandolier. The

mutilated cartridge he carries always as

a memento of the occasion when he way

Sergt. Fritz is a man of few words.

his history, however, declare he was a

ings Company, in addition to its pre-

vious generous donation to the soldiers

who have volunteered for oversea's

communication with their friends and

ANOTHER CASE OF BLOOD

POISONING.

the best-guaranteed and painless,

Canadians,-You are all doing what

ou can for Britannia's cause. Your

nearts are with our brave boys at the

Local economic conditions may also

seem temporarily depressed, and you

This is the time for poise and self-

possession. The country must be kept

couraged. Preserve your energies and

Drive out morbidity. Turn your

minds for a time away from war. Be

natural. Give yourself some mild,

The publishers of this newspaper

wholesome, absorbing interest.

going. Normal conditions must be en-

are no doubt worrying on that score

is a member of "A" Company.

price 25c, at all dealers.

good humor.

and it needs a crowbar to pry out

ngagements in the Boer war.

CARTRIDGE IN BELT

tember 14.

H. Smallman.

that it might not be successful here.

alterations have been made to buildings

in making his report vesterday.

Below are a few of our prices. They are far lower than any other drug house would dare to make them:

THIS WEEK.

\$1.00 Eno's Fruit Salt. . 56c 25c long bars Pure Castile Soap 18c 50c Fruit-a-tives 27c 35c Syrup of Figs..... 17c 10c Cigars, all brands, 5 for 25c 25c Salus Pile Cure... 17c

25c best Shaving Sticks, 17c 50c Florida Water 34c \$2.00 Ebony Hair Brushes, pure bristles 98c \$1.00 English Shaving

Brushes 48c 25c box Violet Glycerin Soap 19c

25c pure Peroxide 9c \$3.75 Horlick's Malted Milk for \$2.74 35c Castoria 22c 25c Aromatic Cascara, 16c 35c White Liniment.... 17c

\$1.50 Syrup of Hypophosphites 78c 60c Salhepatica 44c 25c Abbey's Salt 17c 60c Abbey's Salt 38c

\$1.00 Morina Face Powder, all bints 49c 25c Nature's Remedy .. 16c 50c Nature's Remedy .. 32c 25c UN rersal Foot Powder

for 9c \$1.00 D.D.1 Eczema Cure for 59c 25c English Tooth Powder for 9c 25c Dr. King's Antiseptic

Tooth Paste 16c 50c Peerless Hair Restorer, best for grey, faded, lifeless hair 38c 25c Baby's Own Tablets, 15c

25c Thomas' Eclectric Oil for 14c 35c best Improved Blaud's 100 A.B.S. and C. Tablets 50c Nestle's Food 39c

15c Dwrant's French Tal-25c Tetton's Pure Talcum

50c Pebeco Tooth Paste, 29c \$1.00 Pinkham's Compound 60c pint pure Olive Oil, 49c

25c Pine Tar Liquid Shampoo 16c \$1.50 Sanol 89c \$1.50 Bed Pans 89c 25c Mecca Ointment ... 16c 25c Liquid Veneer.... 16c

\$1 Quinine, Iron and Wine Tonic 64c \$1 Beef, Iron and Wine, 38c 50c Canadian Hair Dye, 33c 15c Snap...... 2 for 15c 25c Witch Hazel Cream, 16c

50c Canthrox 37c 25c Mentholatum 14c 25c Carling's Malt Extract for 18c 25c fine linen Writing Pads for 9c

50c Palmolive Shampoo 28c 25c Parmalee's Pills... 14c 25c Belladonna Plasters, 14c 25c Winslow's Soothing Syrup 16c

25c Nature's Oil 16c 35c Extract Wild Strawberry 18c 15c Cold Cream..... 5c Our prices are always the

lowest. Whether or not the article you need is listed here, you can always save money by buying it at any one of our four London

MARKET BRANCH. 399 Talbot Street, Opp. Market.

NORTH BRANCH, Corner Central Avenue and

EAST END BRANCH.

652 Dundas Street.

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LONDON'S GREATEST CUT-RATE DRUGGISTS.

QUALITY STORE

We offer the best value in London in Teas.

Ceylon Tea, very fine quality, per60c Ceylon Tea, great value, pound. 45c OUR SPECIAL 30c BLACK TEA

Our usual supply of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables for Saturday.

HARRY RANAHAN

Pictures

Choice modern and classic subjects-a visit to our picture gallery and art room will solve the autumn wedding gift problem.

GRAVES

Ladies' Early Fall Hats

BELTZ & CO. Practical Furriers

Contributions Are Already Coming In Without Solicitation.

The commercial travelers of Canada 1915. are preparing to do their part toward raising a patriotic fund. At the present time there is a mempership of approximately 3,500 in the Travelers' Association. Circulars are now being sent to all members, notifying them of the steps that are being taken toward the raising of a fund. Arrangements are also being made for ne placing of a card, giving full inobby of every hotel in the Dominion. Many members of the association, although Canadians, are traveling in the States, and they, too, will be notified. J. H. Hitchcock, secretary of the association, reports that some money is already on hand, having come in without any solicitation. Once the literature, which is being sent out, has time to reach the members of the associaon, a large and generous response is

looked for. When the fund is completed a conference will be held with heads of other patriotic funds, which are being raised, to decide as to what purpose the are often cases where people in boats money shall be put to.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor of The Advertiser: We note with interest that among others who have expressed their opinion on this matter, the Hon. W. J. Hanna- all concerned, launch men say. his or his party's soul, and we have rom the lips of this authority that aspurance that a condition of unemployguard against this very contingency. idate any effort of any municipality, no season is nearly over now but there are caterer to the officers' mess, and still how far in excess of municipal powers well if the council would consider do- South Africa, as a drummer boy with might go to bridge this gulf into which the wage-earning and industrial portion of our province is hurled, after

must and will be made." Then why in the name of Whitney, Hanna & Co. on't they call Parliament together and produce the solution of the municipali-

A TORY WORKMAN. TYPO. UNION GIVES \$25 London Printers Assist In Patriotic

Work-To Help Craftsmen. Local Typographical Union, No. 133. last night voted \$25 from the union funds for the patriotic fund. At the meeting at which this donation was voted, it was also decided to take care of any members of the local who might be thrown out of employment during the winter as a result of the war.

Buying ASTORIA SHOES Means Economy

Because every pair is built of the finest and best leathers obtainable. That is why so many people wear them and

SOLD IN LONDON BY THE THE STORE THAT SERVES YOU BEST

ON SATURDAY

You will probably buy your supplies for over the

We will have a very large stock of the most enticing delicacies. Cakes. Pastries, Buns, Rolls and

Fancy Bread. CANDY DEPT.

COSSACKS - A special new confection. A rich cream centre with chocolate coating, then covered with Ceylon cocoanut. To start them, only 35c a lb.

They are worth 50c. PETERS - 2 SHOPS

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER WESTERN ENTRIES TO BE OBSERVED HERE

Special Services Will Be Held in All London Churches Next Wednesday.

London Ministerial Alliance will meet this afternoon at five o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlors to complete plans for the days of prayer to be observed in all the city churches next Wednesday. The heads of all denominations in Canada have authorized a national day of prayer for peace, and that right may triumph in the present conflict. The regular Wednesday night prayermeeting of all the city churches will be given over to the special services and in addition mass-meetings will be held during the day at one or more central places. Referring to the holding of special services, Rev. W. R. McIntosh, of King Street Presbyterian Church, described the European war as a war to establish a moral law instead of a military law for the nations. 'We believe it is a war in which God is not neutral," he said. "We believe in prayer, and we are going to pray that God may decide the war

will be established in the world.' SUGGEST POLICE LAUNCH FOR BOATING SEASON

such a way that moral sovereignity

Launch Owners Would Equip Speedy Boat With Constable and Pulmotor.

That a pulmotor in a swift launch with an experienced attendant should be stationed at the foot of Dundas s being strongly favored by citizens canoe owners. It is not improbable that the council may be petitioned to use its influence in arranging for the

through placing splash boards on the fast motor launches and speed boats on the river this year, while the numformation regarding the fund, in the increased. Add to this the fact that whether it is forbidden or not, several thousand kiddies and older people as well swim in the river, the need for some means of preventing drowning is greatly increased. It is a fact that a pulmotor kept at the fire hall is little use for accidents

> that happen far down the river. This idea of placing a pulmotor in launch originated here with the motorboat owners. It is employed in many launch could also act as a police boat and patrol the river at night. There have been insulted from the banks and made by loafers loitering along the river banks. An attendant in a boat of this kind with authority to arrest asset on the Thames. Safety to boat ing enthusiasts and police duty would thus be combined to the advantage

more drownings do not occur on our river." said one launch owner this af-"People go out in canoes who ternoon dently Hanna has learned a few since he them. A canoe is as safe as any eered and scoffed at Mr. Rowell's pro- other boat if it is is well handled. But osal in the House some months ago to people who know how to run things establish a Government department to don't need looking after. It's the In suggesting a remedy for this conlition we wonder if Mr. Hanna spoke many of them who take to the river self-sacrificing acts which have received or himself or his leader when he for pastime, and it is these people who no official recognition pledged the Ontario Government to val- must be looked after. Of course the matter how excessive or abortive, or other seasons to follow. It would be quite a young man, sew active service in ing something towards the prevention the Twenty-first Mounted Infantry, at

of drownings next year." eing dangled over its brink for months FOUND LYING BY TRACKS

Caused Mild Sensation,

or each municipality to do its worst, station, Horton street, when the night and then come to Parliament for ap- agent in charge discovered a young groval? Is the job too big for the Gov- man lying near the rails as if he had mment, or the Government too big been bady injured by a passing car. or the job, or why is the Government His eyes were wide open, he was breathing heavily, and appeared to be unconscious. A large crowd gathered on lis tunic. and the police ambulance was summon ed. First aid was rendered to the unfortunate man, who soon revealed the fact that he was intoxicated and had merely fallen by the wayside while waiting for a car. Meanwhile, as the police ambulance was out of commission, an officer was sent down from police headquarters, but arrived too late to make an arrest, the young man having been spirited away by friends. Early this morning, however, he was arrested and taken to the police

"Eminent Coiffure Specialist

Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, will be at the City Hotel for three days of the and Erie Loan and Savings Company, ings the association ever had, and this London Fair, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 14, 15 and 16, appreciated by the boys and their famwhen he will be busily engaged in consultation with their many patrons in this city. The Dorenwend Company is relatives. well known throughout the Dominion. and their visits here are always signalized by activity in their line. There may be seen, at the City Hotel, during the three days of visit, a sample stock of the most fashionable hair-goods and the latest modes in everything pertaining to the hair. A specialty will be the Dorenwend, sanitary patent toupee, an nvention which should be examined by every man who is bald. London Fair visitors are cordially invited to call and inspect these goods.

How About

That intention to insert a Small Ad?

Act before it is too late.

Buy Your Tea From BREAK RECORDS **Rowat's Grocery**

Tea is Sold in Bulk, So That Every Ounce Will Be Tea

"TEAS THAT PLEASE." 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c and \$1 per pound.

COFFEE.

That this year's entries for the Western Fair are far in excess of last year's. was the statement made to the board of directors by Secretary A. M. Hunt.

Rowat's Special Coffee is a standard that is hard to equal. Buy the

OLIVES

at a special,

Our assortment BISCUITS Biscuits is complete. We have a biscuit for every taste. From 20c to \$1 a pound.

VINEGARS for PICKLING.

40c a gallon 40c a gallon 50c a gallon Cider Vinegar Best Cider Golden Syrup 50c a gallon Imported English Malt 80c a gallon

Be Found Full Strength.

Telephone orders receive the same are and attention as though per

General Moderator of Presbyterian Church Maps Out Itinerary.

Rev. Dr. Herridge, moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Ontario this month, and early in October in the interests of the church With Dr. Grant, chairman of the board of finance, he will visit the following

laitland (Wingham) Oct. 1 the board.

SOLDIERS OPTIMISTIC

company is turned over to an instruc- coats of paint. The latest things in

Sergeant Paul says that 900 engineers When the decorating work is finally are now in the camp. The Fourth completed, it will be a real police sta-Field Company has a fine gramophone, tion, so far as mural decoration is conwhich provides welcome amusement to the men at night time. He speaks in high praise of the cooking and feeding

BACK FROM CONVENTION

duty, has sent to Valcartier Camp Important Part in Discussions. writing material for the London Boys. The gift includes a pad of paper, pen pencil and ink for each member of "A" Company, also ten thousand envelopes. The cover of the paper is inscribed 'A' Company, Fifth Battalion, Second Infantry Brigade, Seventh Regiment Fusiliers; presented by the Huron was especially true from the point of London, Canada." This gift will be attendance "There were some fine papers read on that he forged the signature of ilies as it will be useful to them in

"and we learned considerable about the wisdom of having a purchas-One of the members of the Huron and Erie Staff, Lieut. Campbell Galbraith, ing agent for each city. The auditing system of Frank Jewell, our auditor. was praised by the city treasurer of Brantford, who said Mr. Jewell's system was the finest of any city in the & J. Dowler, Limited. in their St. Persisted in paring his corns with province. There was another speaker who praised the system adopted in this a razor. Foolish when cure is so city by Assessment Commissioner Grant. painless and sure with Putnam's Corn Extractor. Use Putnam's only-it's

Controller Rose declared that in spite of the war talk and the so-called rumors of the war talk and the so-called rumors of business depression. Toronto was having the largest crowd in its history ar the great exhibition.

ASKS ASSISTANCE

Cement Company Wants City to Guar. antee Work for Winter.

move its remaining business to the including hundreds of lines for which

earnestly suggest to the public such The matter was taken under consigmental self-healing. One very good Chatham plant. Competition. Today's instalment can be found on another page.

The matter was taken miles and the company employs 20 local by R. H. & J. Dowler, Limited, in their nen. It makes concrete tiling nen. It makes concrete tiling.

Rowat's Special Blend of

While other teas have increased in retail price, you can still buy the same quality tea as sold previous to declaration of war at the same prices at Rowat's.

ROWAT'S SPECIAL

The duty on coffee bought whole-sale today makes it cost is more

We were well-stocked, and while our present stock lasts we will maintain our former

45c a pound.

Owing to a fortunate purchase, we can offer regular 35c quality Olives

29¢ See Window

When pickling, the quality of the vinegar improves the flavor.

Special Pickling 75c a gallon XXX White Wine ... 50c a gallon

Our Spices Will Always

presbyteries: Stratford Sept. 29 | Mr. Nutter said today he had not was going to do.

Thrive Under Hard Work at Valcartier,

Says London Engineer. News from London's citizen soldiers at Valcartier continues to be most opti- ters, whoever he may be does not matmistic. In a letter to Captain E. V. ter, has had a new dignity added to Buchanan, of the Seventh Company, aul, who went down as a volunteer brass network, much the detachment sent from here, says an armored cruiser. the men continue in the best of spirits tended for protection, although it serves and health, and appear to thrive under to that end also. It's there to be orna- for some time. When he returned the missioned officers put the men through way, leading to the sacred precincts

years the King's South African ribbon for lessons in the various branches small-paned doors are now decerating of engineering work.

arrangements.

Controller Rose, Ald. Donnelly and City Engineer Ashplant returned last night from Toronto, where they attended the cessions of the Ontario Municipal Association. Ald. Donnelly said today that it was one of the best meet-

nunicipal government," said Ald. Don-Altogether London played an important part in the meeting."

The London officials were shown many courtesies by the officials of Toronto.

The judging was done by the men The Canadian Concrete Products waiting for their turn to try on, and The Canadian the board of control by an outsider. This was the third sale company asked the arrangements to of the kind run by this firm, and from guarantee work at its plant for the the enormous crowd, which reached far winter. The company submitted a letout into the street, almost all day, was ter in which it stated that unless the announced by all to be one of the ter in which it stake its products next most successful sales put on in Westyear it would have to shut down and ern Ontario. A duplicate of this sale they will not have space in their ad-

Friday and Saturday Savings at PURDOM'S HARDWARE

PROMPT ATTENTION TO MAIL AND PHONE ORDERS.

THE CHI-NAMEL STORE.

SPECIALS No. 1 White Mop Wringers. Regular \$2.00, Now \$1.73 No. 3 White Mop Wringers. Regular \$1.75. Now \$1.48 Wonder Shine. Regular 25c, now.....10c 500 Aluminum Sauce Pans. Regular 40c. Now 23c \$5.00 Gas Plates, now.....\$4.00 \$4.00 Gas Plates, now.....\$3.00

Leather Case Safety Razors, regular \$3.00,

now \$1.23 Lawnmowers at cost.

SPECIALS

Metal Case Safety Razors, regular \$3.50 now \$1.98 Re-Nu-All Furniture Polish, regular 50c, now 30c Sherwin-Williams' Paints, regular 65c. now 50c 500 Alarm Clocks, guaranteed. Regular

Graniteware sale now on. 2 only Couch Hammocks, regular \$15.00,

JACK-KNIVES.

50 doz. guaranteed Jack-Knives. Regular 60c, for....25c

FRIEND Very handy in kitchen. Price, regular \$1.50, now 98c



SAD IRONS. 500 sets of No. 90

E. Nutter Will Not Accept

\$1,812 For His \$3,262

not accept the amount allowed him by

the hallway leading to the courtroom.

SUSPECT TAKEN BACK

Goes to Tunnel Town.

Tomlinson, it is said, put his name

to a check for several hundred dollars

in Sarnia, drawn on a bank in which

he had no funds. It is also alleged

A unique sz. was put on by R. H.

Thomas store, last Saturday, under the

name of Dollar Day Sale. Extra spe-

cial novelty sales were put on hourly

on the stroke of the clock, such as a

ten dollar suit, a seventeen dollar over-

coat, boy's suit, a raincoat, each of

which were sold for one dollar. These

were not freak off sizes, but taken from

the standard stock, and given to the

first man or boy who could wear them

without alternation; for the sum of one

"Try ons" were arranged by numbers

in the order customers entered the

store, in many cases as many as seven

ty-five customers were after one article

vertisement of Friday, will be run off

PRICES PREVAIL

Acton of Sarnia.

Sarnia businessman.

WHERE NO WAR

Dignity for

Dover Sad Irons.

Regular \$1.50,

Liquid Veneer. Regular 50c, now...39c Reg. 25c, now. . 19c REVIVO.

FURNITURE

GLASS SHELVES. 200 Glass Shelves. Regular \$1.50,



Choppers, complete with five blades. Regular \$1.50. now \$1.23

FOOD CHOPPER.

300 Climax Food



The Purdom Hardware Company

124 DUNDAS ST., 123 CARLING.

SAYS BRITISH CRUISERS ARE GETTING SUPPLIES

> German Ambassador Asserts That American Vessel is Taking Them

Coal. [Canadian Press.] New York, Sept. 4 .- Count Von Bern-German ambassador United States, announced today that he had received positive information that two British cruisers lying ten miles from New York harbor, had received Architect A. E. Nutter will not accept supplies of coal, provisions and ammu-

he settlement of his bill against the nition from a vessel flying the Ameri can flag. ew on the alterations to the Ches-The supplies, Count Von Bernstorff ley avenue school. The improvements said, were taken aboard yesterday, acto the building cost about \$35,000, and cording to his information. He declined to give his authority for making the at a meeting Tuesday, decided to allow statement or to say what steps he in-Mr. Nu'ter \$1.812, which is 5 per cent tended to take, if any. The neutrality of the contract price of the cost of the laws were so vague, he declared, that

TRIAN.-John Koolski, an Austrian the C. P. R. yards as a trespasser, by Special Officer John Langley, was brought before Squire Chittick yester-day afternoon on a charge of theft. When arrested on the charge of trespassing, a gold hunting-case watch was Thomas Nickle identified as a watch which was stolen from R. Lucas, or his office. There is now a sure-enough | manded Koolski for trial. His case w" come up again tomorrow morning. Wednesday he was absent from the tent

> necessary to camping, were missing Ha immediately notified both city and county police. on different package goods by pasting

> watch, a considerable sum of money two pairs of trousers and sundry articles



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The other youth was able to ext

"Any woman in London can through the streets at night with

to the satisfaction of the magist

that he had made no remarks to

Diamond Merchant: and Jewelers

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Palace Liver

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THE UTMOST IN CHOCOLATE

NEILSON'S CHOCOLATES

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