GRABS THREE CASES OF WHISKEY UNDER "GROCERIES" LABEL

Chatham Haul-Thieves Steal Wallaceburg Booze.

CHATHAM, Jan. 2.—Three packing cases, each containing two five-gailon kegs of whiskey, labelled "grocerles" and consigned to the fictitious person, "John Brown, general merchant, Belle River," were seized by High Constable Peters and Liennes Inspector of the contraction of the c Peters and License Inspector T. M. hitting a girl he altered the course of his sled, and it skidded, striking a

French at the Dominion Express Company offices this morning. The booze was confiscated, and in the meantime the police are confident that some local men were interested in the snuggling. It is reported that during the past few days similar shipments to the same fictitious person were secured by A. Haid; Ward 1, Rev. Father Doyle; Ward 2, Frank Smith; Ward 3, A. Haid; Ward 4, L. L. Land; Ward 5, E. J. Sullivan.

L. S. Shupe, local issuer of auto licenses would not be ready until Feb.

Detroit.

STEAL WHISKEY.

During the night thieves broke into the offices of the Dominion Express Company at Wallaceburg, and stole eight gailons of whiskey and a crate of ale. The county police are investigating the matter.

CASE ENLARGED.

Henry and Harry Labadie of Dover Township, father and son, appeared in the county police court this afternoon on a charge of false pretences. It is alleged that they attended an auction sale at J. Stewart's farm, concession 8. Chatham Township, and purchased cattle, sheep, etc., to the value of \$695, giving a note alleged to be worthless. The case was enlarged for one week.

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Frank Brown of this city and C. Hubble of Dresden, driving in a car across Third street bridge, narrowly escaped injury when the machine burned turtle. The wheels became lodged in the street car tracks, and in attempting to get out the car struck the steel work of the bridge, causing it to capsize. RELIANCE CHECKS.

Depositors and debenture holders of the Standard Reliance Loan Company are receiving checks for interest on respective amounts involved from June 18.

J. A. Walker, K.C., former manager of the local branch of the defunct company, states that within the next few days all checks will have been received.

BRUSSELS HAS ONE CASE OF SMALLPOX

BRUSSELS, Jan. 2 .- A mild case of smallpox has been discovered in town, the patient being Lloyd Jackson, teacher in Toronto, home with her parents, H. L. and Mrs. Jackson, for the holiday. Necessary precautions have been taken.

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The council was elected here by actamation. W. H. Kerr declining to run for reeveship. S. T. Plum was declared elected. Alex R. Stewart steps into the vacancy caused by the death of Harry James last year.

There is a lively municipal battle on in Grey Township, chief interest centring around the reeveship Ex. Warden Livingston and Ex-Deputy Reeve McNabb are the contestants.

The week of prayer will be observed by union services in the three Protestant Churches, conducted by Rev. Messrs. Mann, Stafford and Smith, R. C. Wynn, a former Brusselite, who had lived in Detroit for years, was buried here. He died of apoplexy, being at business the day previous. Mr. Wynn was an expert jeweler and held a good position. He was 48 years of age, unmarried, and made his home with his mother and sister, who are the sole survivors. His father carried on a carriage business for years.

Three weddings took place on Wednesday, those of Arthur McCall and Miss Marjory Strachan, and W. Mitchell and Miss Rhoda Hewitt.

Mrs. (Rev.) Davison was waited on at Belgrave Methodist parsonage by the friends of Sunshine appointment and presented with a purse of money for appreciated services in their church in choir and Sunday school.

Under the local Chautauqua course the Hawailan male quartet will give an entertainment here on Saturday even.

with his son.

A series of six public meetings are amnounced under the board of agriculture, commencing January 13. Speakers will be A. R. G. Smith, New Hamburg; Dan Bohedender as mayor. His stand in the county council in connection with accommodation at the House of Refuge is regarded as the dominating factor in the defeat of his opponents

Race For Reeveship in

North Dorchester by the aspirants for

popularity on account of the stand taken of place, has retired, and there are four aspirants for this chair. This leaves a big vacancy in the council which ship's financial affairs, the statute labor

VOTE FOR

FIRST DEPUTY REEVE LONDON TOWNSHIP, 1920

GALT LAD AVOIDS HITTING GIRL; SLEIGH **CRASHES INTO POST**

Inspector Makes Walter Johns in Hospital. Seriously Injured-Acclamation For Trustees.

KITCHENER COUNCIL INSTEAD OF W. ILER

Error Found in Counting-Fourth Smallpox Case.

KITCHENER, Jan. 2 .- Owing to an error in compiling election returns here last night it was discovered today that E. E. Ratz was elected to the council instead of W. D. Iler. Last night's announcement placed Ald H. M. Bowman fourteenth on the list, and Ald. Iler last. The corrected returns showed

in choir and Sunday school.

Under the local Chautauqua course
the Hawaiian male quartet will give an
entertainment here on Saturday evening, January 17.

Hugh Williams, who died at Woodetock, was buried here. He was in his
93rd year. At one time decased followed the carriage business here along
with his son.

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WATERLOO MAYOR.

KILLED BY STREET CAR.
TORONTO, Jan. 2. — Miss Levina
Alexander, aged 40, attached to the
Cotorian Order of Nurses, living at
281 Sherbourne street, was instantly
killed by a street car this morning

WOMAN FOR TRUSTEE FOR FIRST TIME

Reeveship in

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LUCKNOW, Jan. 2.—Lucknow will have its first woman representative on the school board, Mrs. Moorhouse Mitchell taking the place of her husband who resigned. Several other women were nominated, but only Mrs. Mitchell qualified. The school board this year will be. D. R. McIntosh, R. D. Cameron, G. A. Newton, J. O. Glennie and Mrs. Mitchell.

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West Wawanosh will not be bothered with an election this year, the entire council-lors having been elected by acclamation.

David Smith of Avon, who has been reeve for the last four years, is opposed by Stanley Shaw, a member of last year's council.

Year's council.

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Kinloss is going to have a lively fight. Dan MacDonald, who has held the position of reeve so long that anyone else in that position will seem out of place, has retired, and there are four

LUCKNOW COUNCIL. inspection of the rural schools, all of which is finding considerable favor among the ratepayers. Mr. Smith, who during his four years as reeve made no efforts to obtain hydro for the township, is in favor of doing away with the statute labor.

LUCKNOW COUNCIL.

Lucknow council for 1920 will be the same as for 1919. Only last year's council qualified. They are-Reeve, Robt. Johnston; councillors, W. E. Henderson. Robert Thompson, G. H. Smith and William Murdie.

Watchnight services were held in the churches with a good attendance. churches with a good attendance.

The Table Company here presented each employee with a five-dollar bill

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR

Geo. E. Hudson

REEVE, London Township

Hodgins, their eldest daughter, Jennie E., was united in marriage to Earl J. Culbert. At 5 o'clock, the bride, charmingly attired in a dress of white duchess satin with crepe and pearl trimmings and carrying a bouquet of white carnations and maidenhair fern. entered the drawing-room to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Annie E. Hodgins, sister of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. L. Foster.

After the ceremony all repaired to the dining-room, where a dainty wedding dinner was partaken of. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. After a short honeymoon spent in London, Lucan and St. Marys, the happy couple will return to their home in Kinloss.

RAILWAYMEN GIVEN OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE **BEFORE ELECTION DAY**

St. Thomas Has Record Building Year-25th Regt. Band Has Bank Account.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 2 .- Special provision has again been made for the polling of railwaymen's votes in the coming municipal elections. The booth opened today at the city hall and is being utilized by railway employees whose duties take them out of the city or election down and a state of the city or election down. whose duties take them out of the city on election day, and who consequently cannot cast their ballot on the prescribed day. The officials in charge have been warned, however, that there must under no circumstances be a repetition of what occurred in the recent provincial elections, when the count of the railwayman's booth in the Y. M. C. A. was known 48 hours before the regular election day.

Various efforts have been made to learn how this leak occurred, but with-Various efforts have been made to learn how this leak occurred, but without avail. The vote will be counted on Saturday night and the results will be sealed up until Monday, the regular election day. All the old polling booths will be in operation on Monday next and a strenuous effort is being made here to have everyone exercise their franchise. Those in charge anticipate one of the biggest votes in years owing to the fact that the election is not being held on a holiday. The members of the opposite sex are also expected to turn out in large numbers this year.

to turn out in large numbers this year BUILDING PERMITS. Building permits for the year 1919 totalled over \$250,000, an increase of more than \$100,000 over any previous year on record. The amount involved in permits issued during the month of December, however, was small, total

A small blaze at the Royal Cafe opposite the M. C. R. gave the local department a short run last night. The blaze was started, it is believed, by a cigarette stub carelessly thrown away. The firemen arrived in record time and confined the flames to a partition in the building. LICENSES. Henry Roe, license distributor for Eigin, states that the 1920 auto markers will not be issued until Feb. 1. An extension will therefore be allowed all

REEVE CORNELL AGAIN. N. S. Cornell, for several years reeve of Port Stanley, but who retired from public life a year ago, came back strong yesterday, being elected reeve by a large majority. Mr. Cornell was warden of the county in 1918. The first woman trustee was elected yesterday by acclamation in the person of Mrs. A.

THANKS TO "BRINK."

Every school playground in the city has been converted into an open air skating rink, thanks to the thoughtful. ness of Trustee Dr. F. E. Bennett and Ald. Frank Brinkman. The new departure on the part of the city brought about by these two energetic officials is being well received by the public, both grown-ups and children alike. Each night sees large crowds of old and young enjoying the open air rinks. GEORGE EVANS PASSES.

George Evans. well-known resident THANKS TO "BRINK." George Evans, well-known residen Union for many years, passed away sterday in his 79th year. The fu-ral will take place on Monday next Union Competery. esterday

BOWLING TOURNEY. A lawn bowlers' five-pin tournament was held at the Strand Alleys yesterday. The first prize was awarded to W. Heal and J. McPhail; I. H. Kaiser and W. Boozey took second honors, and Brooks and Haight took third.

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BAND ACCOUNT.

The 25th Regiment Band has a balance at the bank in this city of over \$982, according to a financial statement made public today. This amount is intact after meeting all expenses in connection with the year's operations of the band, including the bandmaster's salary and the purchase of a number of instruments and other equipment. instruments and other equipment.

BRIG.-GEN. ROSS, OF EMBRO, IN CHARGE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Mrs. J. H. McDonald was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence. Mrs. McDonald is survived by her husband and a family of seven: John of Winnipeg, Mrs. Stoddart and Mrs. Ledermain of Regina, Mrs. McDonell of Edmonton, Mrs. Rapsey of Port Arthur and Wm. and Miss Frances at home. Christmas eve Mrs. McDonald suffered a second stroke, from which she never rallied. She died early Sunday morning. Previous to this illness Mrs, McDonald had not been in very good health since the death of her youngest son, Julian, who was killed in the war. Mrs. McDonald was an active member of Knox Church and of the W. P. L. and W. C. T. U. The function are conducted by Rev. J. M. Nicol, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hardie of Lochalsh, a former minister of Knox Church, WOODSTOCK, Jan. 2.—Brig.-Gen. John Ross, D.S.O. and two bars, C. M. G., has been appointed district commanding officer for British Columbia, with headquarters at Victoria, B.C. Gen. Ross, who has been visiting with his father, D. R. Ross of Embro. since his return from overseas, enlisted in Vancouver in 1915 as a major, and went overseas with the second division. He left last night with his family for the West.

HIGHEST DEATH RATE. The vital statistics for the past year show that Woodstock had the highest death rate in its history. The records show a total of 178 deaths. This is said to be principally due to the aftereffects of influenza which raged here in the early part of the year.

YOUNG WOMEN ENTER URSULINE ORDER AT CHATHAM CONVENT

London Clergy Attend Impressive Cere. mony of Reception and Profession -Bishop Fallon Officiates.

The Table Company here presented each employee with a five-dollar bill in his envelope as recognition of their services during the year.

On the 26th of this month, the rate-payers will vote on borrowing the sum of \$18,000 for installing a plant to distribute electric power to be supplied by the Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario.

Local curlers at an enthusiastic meeting elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Russ Robertson; vice-president, John McQuaig; treasurer, T. S. Reid; secretary, Robert Johnston; bönspiel committee, William Allen, Robert Brown, W. J. Davison, Chief Aitchison and G. H. Smith. A local bonspiel was held on Christmas Day and also on New Year's, and prospects look bright for the best season in years.

CHATHAM, Jan. 2.—On December and Perigious reception and profession took place at the Ursus line Convent, Chatham. The Right Rev. M. F. Fallon, D.D., Bishop of London, officiated; Very Rev. Dean Downey, Windsor, and Rev. T. Noonan, Dublin, acted as deacons of honor. High mass was sung by Rev. A. P. Dumouchelle, C. S. B., Detroit, the deacon being Rev. M. J. Hartow, Jan. 2.—In the field for public office:

Reeve—W. H. Ferris, George Higgins.

Councillors—Arthur Martin, Orlando Hends, Willage trustees—E. Richardson, Andother Wille, Walker-ville, Rev. M. J. Neville, Walker-ville, Walker-ville, Rev. Father Bernadine, O. F. M., Chatham, was master-of-ceremonies.

Final vows were pronounced by Sr. M. St. Michael Sr. M. Madeleine Sophie, and prospects look bright for the best season in years.

CULBERT—HODGINS.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter

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Rev. M. F. Fallon, D.D., Brashop of London, and the sub-deacon Rev. J. Neville, W

Joan of Are.

The religious habit was received by Miss Teresa Veness, St. Albert, Alta. (Sr. M. St. Cyril) Miss Albina Bedard, Zurich (Sr. M. Eugenia); Miss Irene Kelly, Lucan (Sr. M. Angelne); Miss Blanche Gignac, Windsor (Sr. M. Francis Borgia); Miss Anna Winterhalt, Kitchener (Sr. Anne Marie); Miss Mary Nagle, Dublin (St. M. Ligouri); Miss Mildred Hurley, Wallaceburg (Sr. M. Mildred).

A very eloquent sermon on the hap-diness of the religious life was preached by the Rev. J. Cox. S. J., Montreal.

January Clearances

Monday this first annual event will begin. We have just entered the last month of our business year. Stock inventory will close on the 31st day of January and we have insured a thorough stocktaking clearance of every department before that date. Reductions are being radically made and many specially purchased lots of quality, just as good as what we always sell at prices that under present conditions will be wondered at. Here is the story for tomorrow, savings for all, with the pick, of course, for early shoppers.

Millinery Clearance Monday

Every Hat Just Half of Half Price

This means just one-quarter the original cost of the hat, and every hat should go in a hurry. You may just multiply the price of any hat in this sale by four for its original value and most every color. You may find a bit of trimming, fur. a flower or wing on some of these hats of more valu than the price of the hat. Shapes of panne velvet, beaver and beaver cloth, feathers, flowers and fur trimming; about five dozen trimmed hats. Prices \$1.75, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.25, \$5.25, \$6.00, \$7.25, \$8.00 and \$10.25



90 Banded Hats and Shapes, 47c to \$5.00

Also one or two better in this lot, but all are reduced the same proportion as above-half of half price. Beavers, velours, hatter's plush and a few silk velvet in every color you would desire. We will give you only a few of the prices

.47c, 68c, 87c, \$1.42, \$1.82, \$2.37, \$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.00



MOUNTS AND WINGS

One table market at ridiculously low prices to clear quickly. Some expensive pieces in this lot. See them

Yarns and Art Goods Clearance Monday

After the Christmas rush there are many odds and ends to be cleared in this section-yarns, wools and art goods, and with stocktaking in view, the stocks have been thoroughly combed and marked at prices that will insure a speedy clearance; mostly about half.

McCarthy, Stratford; Rev. L. Forristal, London; Rev. G. Blonde, Wallaceburg;

FIRE NEAR OWEN SOUND.

OWEN SOUND, Jan. 2. — To be turned out of doors on a stormy winter night was the lot of Mr. and Mrs. Alex.

Taylor, who reside not far from Owen type of the control of the contro

The house was a total

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destroyed early this morning. Mr. Taylor awoke about 3 o'clock to find the house filled with smoke. He awakened Mrs. Taylor and their

daughter, and they succeeded in making their escape, taking refuge temporarily in the barn and later going to a neigh-

oss and only partly covered by insur-

HARROW CANDIDATES.

HARROW, Jan. 2. - The following andidates are in the field for public

Rev. Mr. Sullivan, London.

326 Skeins of Zephyr Wool, twofold, our entire stock of colors; 326 skeins to go at.....9c skein

Zephyr Wool, 9c Grey Fingering, \$1,98 Lb.

48 lbs. of Soft Fourfold Light Grey Fingering

Angorina Fluffed Cotton, 9c Ball

tams and carriage covers. This will be cleared at just half price 9c ball

BURIED AT ARKONA. ARKONA, Jan. 2.—The funeral

Mrs. George Eastman, 80 years old,

took place here Wednesday afternoon

held in the Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist Churches, but the annual new year's function in the Bap-tist Church was called off, the enter-

taining party being held up by the

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January White Sale

LISTOWEL, Jan. 2.—The funeral of Mrs. Eastman was preceded by her Mrs. J. H. McDonald was held this husband some 40 years ago, when they



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Corner Dundas and Adelaide Streets.

(Main Office)

Corner Richmond and King Streets

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January White Sale

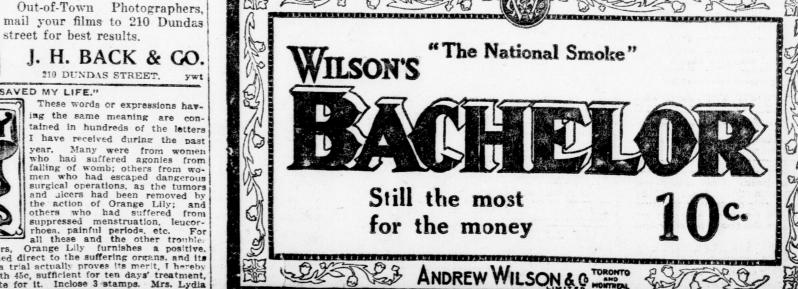
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by the Rev. J. Cox, S. J., Montreal.

The following clergy were also present in the sanctuary: Rt. Rev. Mgr.
West, St. Thomas; Rev. C. McRae, Dickenson's Landing; Rev. E. Tierney, Mount Carmel; Rev. J. Brennan. Wallaceburg; Rev. A. Goodwin, Raleigh; offer to send, absolutely free, a box worth 45c, sufficient for ten days' treatment, Rev. J. Young, London; Rev. T. Corcoran, Hotel Dieu, Windsor; Rev. T.

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