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THE old newspaper definition of a good journalist was a man with

a nose for news, but The London

Advertiser's requirement is a man

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BOOSTS INCOME TAX REVENUE IN LONDON

Insists Wilson Merits Honors of Ananias Club

ASHPLANT SEES MAYOR 'AT SEA IN CIVIC SWAMP

Deplores Suggestion That Court Action Be Taken To Force Mayor To Do His Duty.

CITES MORAL OBLIGATION

Reiterates Demand Illegally Tax-Exempted Annex Property Share City Burdens.

Expressing as his unqualified belief that Mayor Cameron Wilson "has lost his foothold and is floundering about Dutch Take Advantage of in a civic swamp," Alderman Henry B. Ashplant acknowledged Thursday morning that upon more than one occasion the city's chief magistrate and himself have failed absolutely qualify in the same class for membership in the Ananias club.

Alderman Ashplant referred spefically to a denial recently published n The Advertiser by Mayor Wilson, hat he had obstructed, as charged by he former, the collection of the anexed school tax levy.

"The facts are on record, Ald. shplant continued, "and speak for themselves. As chief executive at the city hall, it is the duty of the ratepayers, and see that illegally-exempted property in the annex is made to come across with its legal obligation to pay the school tax and relief to the over-loaded downof r taxpayer.

and fallen down on this job. I repeat without reservation, that as chief executive at the city hall, he has obby his influence and exessed opinions, the carrying out of fficial duty in the collection of this nnex school rate

Admits Legality. "Mayor Wilson admits, in his pub-lished statement, that the city council can legally collect school taxes from the \$1,500,000 totally-exempt property in the annex. His worship admits that nothing in the agreement grants this exemption, and yet this hief executive at the city hall has a moral obligation' to keep an agree

ment which does not exist.

were:

Petrolea-

6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Cut Price of Gasoline

THE motoring fraternity will, proval and great satisfaction price five cents a gallon.

price of motor fuel, comes the glad tidings that the price of tires has also been cut

HOLLAND BIDS

Presence of Correspondents at Hague.

Press Thinks Third Conference at Washington Possible.

Wilson has signally failed America's thousands who are now pouring into Europe will include

> correspondents. There are two dominating notes in the comment of the Dutch press on The Hague conference both speculaowner into court and fined him 550 There are two dominating notes in

Five Cents a Gallon

no doubt, greet with apthe announcement that that most precious of all fluids, gasoline, has been reduced in reduction, taking effect Wednesday, brings the price down

to 34 cents a gallon Coincident with the cut in the

FOR TOUSISTS

The Hague, June 22 .- Dutch offi-

OF PERSECUTION

cialdom in general is showing little mayor to respect the law and recog- ing "a wise and well followed pubize his moral obligation to the city licity," and Holland is taking advantage of the presence here of authorities with the testimony of scores of foreign newspapermen, in these Indians that they explained the may be spread to the outside world, expressing the opinion that if these especially the United States so that charges bore any semblance to the encouragement-from the diplomats.

Holland in their itineraries. Municipal and town councils are ex-

LATE SPORTING NEWS

WINNERS OF 8'S IN THISTLES SCOTCH DOUBLES.

start at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The winners of the eights today

Batchelor and Wilkinson 13 Newell and Hanley 22

AUSTRALIA DEFEATS BELGIUM.

RACE RESULTS.

1 to 2, 1 to 4, 1; Better Luck, 2 to 1, even, 2; Spot Cash, 1 to 4, 3.

Jack Shrine, Tiger Empress and Bryngar also ran.

Dorval Race Track, Montreal, June 22.—First race, claiming,

Scarborough, England, June 22.—Australia defeated Belgium

The finals of the first event at the Thistles Scotch doubles will

Petrolea-

Thistles-

7 Edy and Doherty

.... 7 Burnett and Campbell

MUNCEY INDIANS RELATE TALES ROME, June 22.—A royal triangle! A triangle with one of Europe's

Declare Provincial Officers and Mounted Police Guilty of Injustice.

LIQUID CONFISCATED

Indians, Has Matter Under Consideration.

Tales of injustice, persecution by provincial officers and Northwest decisions in matrimonial matters Mounted Policemen of certain treaty have been accepted without question. Indians residing upon the Muncey eservation in West Middlesex Duke Henry of Brabant, eldest son eached the city Thursday morning. of the Belgian royal couple and heir County constables, who were compelled to visit the reservation on busi- trothal is all but announced. ness Wednesday bring back with them charges related to them by In- to wed the Prince of Wales, regarddians with whom they came in con- less of his wishes in the affair. in their contention that in several plans to go to London incognito to act there and who were emphatic instances within the past few weeks greet Britain's heir now that he's back they have been unfairly dealt with by police officials with respect to the bags for Londonenactment of the law, more particu- around in circles and declare girls of larly the Ontario temperance act.

So impressed were the county hopes that charms of the Netherlands matter to The Advertiser Thursday, truth unstinted publicity should be Boris, who sadly needs the support

Confiscate Liquid. One specific charge is that but tending countless invitations to the few days ago officers from St. Thomas raided a dwelling on the reservation

past few days.

"What about his moral obligation to Page 9, Column 5."

"Youngsters who realize that history moves along pretty fast, will find the key to the Russian puzzle. Anyway, give them a chance."

"ATT CDOD TELLIC"

"The past few days.

"There is one case in particular," explained Attorney Chisholm, "that has been brought to my attention concerning the methods seemingly the method seemingly the method seemingly the method seemin

Shoot at Youth. "It appears that they have been chasing one of the Indians, a youth as a matter of fact, for a considerable They have, I understand, shot at him on more than one occasion, once a bullet whizzing just past his head. The bullet was later re-

covered from a tree, I believe. "I am told, further, that the boy's other went to these officials and asked what charge there was against im, and if there was actually one n to them, warning them to desist. Attorney Chisholm intimated that e would give the question further

in the first match of the Davis Cup tie series, which began here today, Gerald L. Patterson, the Australian star, beat J. Washer, DEFER DELORME SANITY HEARING

Montreal, June 22.-The hearing to 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs: Flea, \$5.60, \$4.55, \$3.70, 1; Alessablish the mental status of Adelarde Delorme, charged with the murder of his half-brother Raoul, did sale to the insurance company spoiled adds, and died almost immediately. mirante, \$37.55, \$24.05, 2; Fair and Warmer, \$9.85, 3. Time, 1:13 3-5. Lady Betty, Landless, Carry On, China, Allies' Way, resulted in an early adjournment in not located a suitable one. Aqueduct Race Track-First race, 5 furlongs: Goshawk, 7 to 5, the afternoon. The cold had reached his chest today.

Princess Scorns Heart Advice Of Europe's Diplomats

most beautiful princesses at its apex, and two heirs to thrones at the other

While a Balkan king at any time may break openly into the regal scramble for a heart and change the triangle into a quadrangle!

That situation has been brought about because Princess Yolanda, eldest daughter of the Italian reigning king, has a mind of her own.

Revolutionary Yolanda, a girl in A. G. Chisholm, Counsel For her early twenties, says she's going to pick her husband without diplomatic aid. She's defying all the counsellors of her royal parents.

Diplomats Amazed.

They're aghast-in the past their They decreed Yolanda should wed

to the Belgian throne. The be-But Yolanda is said to be anxious

And it's said here that the princess Meanwhile as Yolanda packs her

the royal counsellors run the past were never like this-And Duke Henry is wondering

whether he'll have a bride or not-King Boris of Bulgaria is keeping watchful eye on the whole affair. This impoverished Balkan king sued for Yelanda's hand and got some of one of the greater powers,

ders just what his status at Rome is.

CANADA MAY BUY HOUSE IN LONDON

Renew Search For Suitable Location to Replace Present Temple.

In search of a site for a new Masonic Temple, to replace the present him, and if there was actually one sonic Temple, to replace the present that he would surrender. She says that they said they didn't have a charge against him, and I have written to them, warning them to desist."

sonic Temple, to replace the present was wounded.

A few months ago Field Marshal Wilson accepted an appointment as military adviser to the Ulster government to them, warning them to desist." that the McDonagh property on Duf.

> London Life Insurance Company, This property was regarded by the the committee plans. Undaunted by

ferin avenue had been sold to the

"We had the McDonagh property Turn to Page 2, Column 2.

FIELD MARSHAL WILSON SLAIN

London, June 22.—Field Marshal Sir Henry Hughes Wilson miners and non-union men employed legger as their profession on the inwas shot and killed in front of his house on Eton Square, London, by the Southern Illinois Coal Com- come tax return.

Two assailants of the victim have* marshal delivered a LARGE BOULDER DERAILS seech at the Liverpool street statio

in the city, this morning in con nection with the unveiling of a war memorial. Apparently he had just returned home when the tragedy oc-Late reports state that Sir Henry

was not killed outright, but that his wounds proved fatal within a few minutes.

was wounded.

Masonic Hall building committee of Uster. He spent most of his time London expressed keen disappointing in London, however, attending the that the McDonagh property on Duf. The Central News account of the tragedy says he was stepping from

his car a few minutes after three o'clock this afternoon when two men committee as ideal for a new Ma-suddenly appeared and opened fire sonic Temple, and prospects for pur- on him with revolvers. He was not continue this morning on account the committee plans. Undaunted by some continue this morning on account the committee plans. Undaunted by some continue this morning on account the committee plans. Undaunted by some continue this morning on account this setback, the committee is cast-this setback. ordship took cold yesterday, which ing about for another site, but have staff of the British army. He represent year and stood for the imperial parliament as Unionist candidate for North Down, Ireland. He was elected member for this Ulster district on February 21, and shortly afterward was appointed by Premie Craig as Ulster's agent for the restoration of order.

The field marshal went to Belfast from England early in March with plans for restoring order, which he submitted to Premier Lloyd George

While the choice of Field Marshal Wilson as organizer of pacification measures was favorably received in Ulster, it had a contrary reception n Southern Ireland. The former British chief of staff was regarded from capture. ere with more or less the same Turn to Page 2, Column 6.

TWO EX-PRIVATES DROWN IN RIVER

Montreal, June 22.-Ex-Private voted for the Liberal Budget are rescue him. Neither of the bodies Liberals in disguise, stated R. B. have so far been recovered. Cuthill effect a rescue, but was saved.

C. P. R. PASSENGER TRAIN

Fireman Killed and Engineer Badly Scalded In Accident Near Brownsville, Me.

St. John, N. B., June 22 .- A serious derailment occurred on the Can-A policeman who was near the adian Pacific Railway line near marshal at the time of the shooting Lakeview, ten miles east of Brownsville, Me., at 5:20 o'clock this morning, when No. 10 passenger train, en route from Montreal to this city, crashed into a large boulder.

Lockhart. Brownsville, was instantly well as the express car, and pracsection of the rails was torn up.

car, and hurled both cars off the rails. With the exception of the fireman and engineer, no other passengers or members of the train crew subdued in demeanor since yesterday

Wants Yohn, Anderson Tried Outside County Of Lambton

WILLIAM R. MEREDITH counsel with Norman Newton for John Yohn and George Anderson, two of the four alleged Wyoming bank bandits yet to be tried, ex-plained Wednesday night that he will move for a change of venue in their cases. He feels confident that the prisoners do not receive exactly a fair hearing in Lambton County, where public sentiment would be apt to be influenced to a certain extent by the fact that the robhappened within the county.

26 PERISH AS MINERS ATTACK NON-UNION CAMP

Strikers Stage Miniature War at Mine in Herrin, Illinois.

DARKNESS ENDS BATTLE

Combatants Pillage Hardware Stores for Arms and Ammunition.

BULLETIN.

Herrin, III., June 22.-A check up this afternoon showed 26 known dead, and indications that the total would be more than thirty in the hostilities between striking union miners and ployees of the strip mines of the Southern Illinois Coal Company near here.

asional shots were heard early to- lection of income tax in London conday from the direction of the mining camp near here, where striking union In reference to returns submitted by persons selling whiskey contrary camp near here, where striking union approximately 100 non-union workers to the law, Mr. Grant stated that he are quartered. Sounds of explosions, did not think prosecution could be known to be dead today, six unac-counted for, and nearly a score of men wounded as the result of an open fight between striking union that they will not put down bootof here, which broke out late yesterday and continued until darkness caused its cessation.

Attack Truck.

Unverified reports were that more than twelve men were killed in the fight at the mining camp, in an explosion between Carterville and May, near the scene of the trouble, and in an attack on a truck carrying nonunion men to the mine, which occurred near Carbondale. It was im-Turn to Page 2, Column 5.

LONDONERS HELD AT SARNIA SILENT Sarnia, June 22.-Strains of melody

no longer reach the precincts of the of courtroom of the Lambton county killed, courthouse from the jail below, as leggers in London," ventured The and Engineer Rogers was quite bad- was the case during the earlier part ly scalded. The engine was derailed of the Wyoming bank robbery trials. All is quiet today in the cells, tically the entire mail car, while a where George Anderson, Ed. A. Mc-Mullen and John Yohn of London The passenger train was proceed- await trial at the next general sesing through a rock cut when it sions of the peace, and William Ayers crashed into the large boulder, which awaits the completion of arrangewas described as fourteen feet by ments for his dispatch to Kingston ten by six. The terrific impact tore penitentiary to commence the twelvethe truck off the engine and express year term to which he was sentenced

prisoners have been very quiet and and converse only in undertones.

Will Seek Treasure Trove Off Nova Scotia Coast

New York, June 22 .- Five men will sail today for an island off Nova Scotia in search of a legendary \$50,000,000 hoard. Edward Browne, of New York, who heads the searchers, said a resident of California told him that during a war between South American countries many years ago the national treasure of one of the participants was put on a ship to save it The vessel escaped, and on reach-*

ing the Canadian coast the treasure promoters of these companies did was buried. Browne said the Calivery well, but the shareholders fornian convinced him that he held never received dividends. About

of treasure, seeking by proxy. The has surrendered the lease,

the secret of the treasure, and decided to lead the search.

The Argonauts probably hope to many months with hundreds of men locate the treasure trove of ten mil- and horses, and a lot of machinery lion pounds sterling alleged to be which had a high value on the books Cuthill, 35, and ex-Private Umlack, lion pounds sterling alleged to be which had a high value of the company, but always broke buried on Oak Island, in Mason Bay, of the company, but always broke buried on Oak Island, in Mason Bay, of the company, but always broke down when the excavators arrived civil Re-establishment Hospital at N. S. Earlier legends connected down when the excavators arrived had been connected as the company of the company but always broke the company of the com Ste. Anne de Bellevue, were drowned with the search for this treasure near the place where the treasure in the Ottawa River yesterday when are said to have inspired Edgar was supposed to be located. An old seven Progressives from Ontario who voted for the Liberal budget are vessus him. Neither of the hadron of the hadr been formed to recover this legend- ties to help him in another search. Hanson, M. P. for York-Sunbury, N. was sitting on a rail at the forward ary treasure, and about a million The Chicago parties had a scheme B., who was one of the speakers at end, of the steamer when he slipped dollars has been collected from the annual convention of the Carleinto the water. A third man, excredulous folk in New England and
ton County Conservative Association

Private Taylor, also jumped in to

Nova Scotia, eager for the thrills

Ontario Legislature, To Be Effective Jan. 1.

Drastic Change Is Made by

ALL INCOMES ARE LIABLE

'Bootleggers" to Needle Sellers Come Within Scope of New Law.

Sweeping changes in the municipal income tax regulations have been made by the Ontario Legislature, simply by inserting one word in an amendment to the present law, City Treasurer James Bell informed The Advertiser Thursday.

Inclusion of this one word means that after Jan. 1 next, every citizen London engaged in business, legitimate or otherwise, "from bootleggers to needle sellers," will find their incomes are liable to taxation. The word in question is "profits," which, by the new law, are now assessable for municipal income tax in

Ontario. "The word profits included in the amendment means income from any transaction or sale," said Mr. Bell, "wholesale, retail, or any other kind of trade. It includes bootleggers, and every person in business from bootleggers to needle sellers.

"Previous to this amendment profits were not taxable. While bootlegging is an illegitimate business, there is nothing in the new municipal income tax law that lets it out. The assessment department must treat the returns, however, as confidential." Commissioner Agrees.

Assessment Commissioner Stephen Grant, whose department is respon-Herrin, Ill., June 22 .- Sounds of oc- sible for the assessment and colfirmed the city treasurer's interpretation of the new law.

said to be dynamite blasts, also were based on the returns, even if they audible here. Two union miners are were not treated confidentially.

"What do you think they would

write in as their profession?" Mr. Grant was asked. "O, wine clerk, vendor or something

like that," Mr. Grant replied. "Regardless of what they write it will be treated as confidential here, just as is done with the Dominion income tax returns, and will appear on the assessment roll as merchant (class of rade not mentioned). "How about fines? Will they be

deducted from the income Require Statement. "What we will require is a statement of the net income after fines

and expenses for gasoline are deducted," continued the assessment commissioner. "Profits mean the difference between profit and loss, and the latter includes fines and the price of gasoline." "Well, you will know all the boot-

make friends with Mr. Grant. "Yes, I guess we will, but what difference will that make?" he countered. "I do not think my staff or myself will be stealing away to see them all the time. Of course, we for the bootleggers.

Advertiser reporter, attempting to

City Treasurer Bell does not agree with Mr Grant that the rum-runners' business will be concealed from the assessment department by camouflaged terms.

"There are questions on the income ax return which must be answered, nd when a bootlegger answers them, any clerk can read between the lines and learn his business," asserted Mr. Bell. "Anyway, the reso what difference does it make?

The Weather

FORECASTS. Moderate to fresh north and north-west winds; fine today and Friday; moderate winds; fair and warm.

Temperatures.
The highest and lowest temperatures luring the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:



today were:

High. Low.
Victoria ... 62 52
Calgary 82 42
Winnipeg 78 60
Pt. Arthur. 70 48
P. Sound ... 66 48
Toronto ... 78 55
Kingston ... 72 56
Ottawa ... 68 56
Montreai ... 68 60
Quebec ... 74 56
F. Point ... 62 42
St. Lohn ... 76 58 St. John.. Halifax ...

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours revious to 8 o'clock last night were;

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were Highest, 67; lowest, 50

Time, .58 2-5. Caveat Emptor, William Tell, High Chief, Son o Unc, Better Times, Shuffle Along, Keenan and Coeur de Lion. LATE NEWS BULLETINS. SENATE WOULD PROTECT GAMES OF CHANCE.

REPORTS BIG REAL ESTATE LEASE. Reliable information, furnished The Advertiser Thursday ofternoon, states that the property at the southwest corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, now occupied by the C. P. R. ticket office and Sanders' Photo Studio, has been leased to McNee

office and store building on the site. This property is a portion of the McDonagh estate, which is being handled by executors in Toronto. A persistent rumor states that the property has been purchased by the McNee brothers, but nformation obtained at the office of John McNee & Sons Thurslay afternoon, declared that a long lease held on the property

precludes the possibility of a sale. None of the McNee brothers could be located to obtain details proposed plans Thursday afternoon, but it was definitely stated reliable authority that this property has been leased by them.

URGE OHIO MAN AS KIWANIS HEAD. Toronto, June 22.-The Kiwanis Club International, in contion this afternoon, will elect officers for the next year. The presentatives of each district appointed a caucus to nominate of-ers, who will, it is understood, present the name of Edward greatest form of gambling-horse ras of Columbus, Ohio, for president. Many visitors have urged racing—but had been content to raise George Ross, city finance commissioner and an international tes, be rominated,

Flays Raney-Drury's Stand On Horse Race Gambling

OTTAWA, June 22.—The Senate resumed discussion yesterday on amendments to the criminal code. Senator Dandurand, in advocating the return of certain fines to municipalities in Ontario, said the attorney-Brothers, of John McNee & Sons, who purpose erecting a modern general of Ontario dissented from this course, but that the government in This view was supported by Sena-+

> the local governments was to monopolize all sources of revenue at the expense of the municipalities. On the clause relating to games of hance, Senator Fowler said it was the duty of the senate to protect innocent amusement from fanatics, and

claimed that the more moral legis-

lation there is on the statute, the more was broken. Senator Bennett said much of the gambling in Ontario was due to the "religious spasms of Raney-Drury and Company." They had had an op-

He did not see why an innocent ton County Conservative Association card game on a train should be a held here yesterday.

tor Lougheed, who said the trend of race track allowed to go free. Senator Lynch-Staunton asserted that the present amendment "was drawn with the usual slovenliness of parliamentary legislation." The clause was finally amended to prevent innocent amusement becom-

> Further clauses in the bill have still to be considered. ARE LIBERALS IN DISGUISE.

ing the victim of prosecution.

owner into court and fined him 250 and \$20 costs without allowing the low, perhaps at Washington, if The Hague meeting proves fruitful and constructive. The second emphasizes the fourthfulness of the majority of the delegates here. "Who knows," remarks one editor, "perhaps these persistent, optimistic youngsters who realize the history." "Be Hague conterence both specula-and fined him 250 and \$20 costs without allowing the another conference will have to follow, perhaps at Washington, if The alleged beverage had been analyzed. When acquainted of this charge Thursday morning, A. G. Chisholm, K.C., counsel for the Indians, explained that he had been in receipt of many personal complaints within the youngsters who realize that history." Wictoria. June 22.—(By Canadian Press.)—The Dominion may purchase outright British Columbia in Columbia in Columbia in Great hist commissioner for Canada in Great Britain, it was learned here yesterday, following the arrival of F. C. Wade, agent-general of the Province of British Columbia in London. Mr. Wade said he was here in confusite that history was few days.