More Than Fifty From Ontario Divisions Attend General Meeting.

JOINT LUNCHEON

Officials of the C. P. R., number ing over fifty, are in London today to attend the monthly meeting of th mittee, which will be held in the Thisat the Tecumseh House, where Mayo Wenige and Gordon Ingram presi dent of the Chamber of Commerc will be guests of the railwaymen.

Grout, general superintend ent, at Toronto; F. M. Rutter, divi-sional superintendent here; J. D. Al-timus, Montreal assistant superintendent of car service; W. J. Ander-son, district freight agent; Harry McCallum, city passenger agent, and speaker, and Leslie collected it.
other prominent officials are in the There was 70 cents in silver and cop-

W. J. Collins of the car demurrage bureau, Montreal, will address the railwaymen this afternoon with mention of the car demurrage took him into custody. railwaymen this afternoon, while T. H. McGuire, yard foreman, Toronto will speak on yard service. T. G. Connor, agent at Goderich, will present a paper on station work.

The rallwaymen gathered here to-day represent every department of the road, including bridge and building, locomotive, carshops, freight and

Meetings of this nature are held monthly by the C. P. R. for the purpose of discussing the general business of the system and to devise ways and means of improving the service in general. During the winter months

Officials who have registered in the city are George Whitley, assistant general superintendent, motive power for eastern lines; Fred Ronaldson, district master mechanic, Toronto; J. M. Bailey, assistant superintendent, Windsor; M. H. Brown, division freight agent.

The following station agents are Robert Stevens, Louis Barton. The following station agents are attending the meeting: R. Scott, Chatham; J. M. Wright, Ingersoll; J. S. Robinson, Woodstock; W. H. Sanderson, Galt; H. A. Thomas, Guelph; Goderich, and W.

C. P. R. SUPERINTENDENT IS GUEST OF KIWANIANS

Chamber of Commerce and Railway Officials Entertained at Luncheon.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce and of the Ontario District Association of the C. P. R. were guests of the local Kiwanis Club at their weekly luncheon today. Mayor Wenige, also a guest, represented the Kiwanis Club in welcoming the large number of visitors, and in response, Kiwanis Club in welcoming the large Kiwanis Club in response, the purposes and ideals of the district Gibberd, Elsie Talbot, Muriel John-by his grandmother. He didn't want by his grandmother. number of visitors, and in response, the purposes and ideals of the district association were set forth in a short address by H. C. Grout, general superintendent of the C. P. R. at Toronto. Addresses were given also by Major Gordon Ingram, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Jack Foote and F. M. Rutter, divisional superintendent of the C. P. R. The club was disappointed in their special speaker for the day, Professor Ruhtra Dorf of India, who was s.bed-uled to speak on the political situation in his native land. The several addresses, however, made up an interesting program, of which a feature was a baritone solo by F. ank Emeny. The meeting concluded with a boost by Kiwanian Russell Wright of the Wright-Teale Plumbing nad Steam Fitting Company.

The winners were Kiwanians Ed.

Toronto. Addresses hot c. Grout, general Gibberd, Elsie Talbot, Muriel John wuriel John was solo, 230 p.m.

Class 6, vocal solo, girls, 3:30 p.m.
—Muriel Randall, Eleanor McDougal, Marjorie Taylor, Agnes Wilson, Beth Harkness. May Andrew.

Class 16, piano solo, 14 and under, 3:45 p.m.—Barbara Fraser, Florence Hutchings. Minnie Durant. Lenore Gilmore. Barbara Culbert, Evelyn Henderson.

Class 10, violin, boys, 4:15 p.m.—Kelly of the C. A. S. but had to be daken to jail owing to bad behavior.

ENGLISH POLICE WOWAN

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FINANCE MINISTERS BLAMED FOR WRECK

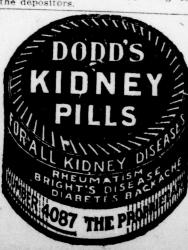
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was any Home Bank at all." Lee said he could not find anything to show that the present finance minister had written a single letter to find out about the condition of the bank. "Sir Henry Drayton did nothing, Mr. Fielding did less, the bank plunged on the rocks and 60,000 lost their money," Mr. Lee declared, "Are these finance ministers coming back to return to us our money?" He had not observed any indication

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Mr. Lee was followed by A. J.

Browning, K.C. also appearing for Browning, K.C., also appearing for



FORMER LEADER OF JOBLESS HURLS DEFIANCE AT POLICE

William Leslie, Self-Styled Communist, Gets Six Months in Toronto Jail.

GUILTY OF BEGGING

Headed Unemployed British Harvesters in Recent March to Ottawa.

Canadian Press Despatch

Toronto, May 16 .- "Though I am put behind prison bars. I will strike when I come out, remember that, and will be taken out either dead or alive," said William Leslie, former leader of the British harvesters and self-styled communist and friend of Lenine, in police court today. He was sent to jail for six months ollowing his conviction on a charge

According to the police Leslie was he principal speaker at a meeting of communists held last evening. The police warned him that if he asked for money he would be arrested. At the conclusion of the meeting money was thrown into the ring made by the audience around the

DOGS ARE PREPARED

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shells, Keith Reynolds, Wm. Christenson, jun., Norman Taylor, Maur-

MACHINE SHOP PRODUCTS.

Class 1-Senior Boys-Wilson Dur the sessions are held in Toronto, but in the summer they are held in the various cities throughout the province.

din: silver medal, Earl Harding: bronze medals, C. Heard and Clarence Wilson; C. Lane, Roy McTavish, Roy Toll. Class 2-Alex. Cooke, Wilfred Tay

lor; honorable mention, Wm. Oke, Stewart Fisher. Class C-Bronze medal, A. Wilsie: Fred Sackse, Stanley Waspe, Russell

Windsor; M. H. Brown, division freight agent; J. H. Marshall, general agent, Windsor.

The following station agents are 4-Bronze medal, Gordon

MECHANICAL DRAWING.

Class 4-First-Year Students-W. Young, B. Shearer, M. Dunkin, K. English; honorable mention, L. Stock. Waspe, D. Salton.

Class 3-Second-Year Students-Cronkwright, R. Coltman, R. and, E. Coutts; honorable mention. Watson, W. Oke.
Class 2—Third-Year Students—R. McTavish, S. Hale, W. Jarmain, J. Crouse; honorable mention, A. Mc-

Class 1—Special Students—D. Bain-rd, E. Goulding, G. Walsh, W. Han-

MUSICAL ENTRIES.

Saturday night music contest:
Class 16, piano solos, 7 p.m - G.
Orendorff, John Orendorff, Alice Hunt, Ida Glemmon. Class 5. vocal solos, 7:30 p.m .--Margaret Liberty, Helen O'Donnell, Mary McGinnis.

Class 16, piano solos, 7:45 p.m.-Emily Smith, Janet Smith, Edna Hun-Class 12, violin, 14 and under, 8

p.m.—Jean Boyd, Francis Hodges, Evelyn Henderson, Marcel Roy.

Class 15, piano solos, 18 and under, methods of handling juvenile criminals, nassed through London charges. p.m.—Antoinette Gillis, Violet Lethbridge, Gladys Lowes.

Class 11, violin solo, 18 and under, 8:30 p.m.—Bertha Gilles, Hylda Gowie, Eleanor Eagan.

CHILDREN'S AID CHIEF ATTENDS CONVENTION

Mr. Lee's argument, which opened resterday and occupied a large part.

W. E. Kelly, local superintendent of the Children's Aid Society, is at present in Toronto attending the annual convention of the association of the Children's Aid Societies of the province. He would return to London some time to be superintendent, as wonderful country. She was greatly impressed with Toronto, she said. She promised Mrs. McIntyre, Y. W. C. A. travellers' aid secretary, that the would return to London some time.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

April the local Children's Aid So-clety received 25 applications for children and 17 children were brought into the society. Transactions alto-gether involved 380 children, 88 investigations were made by the society's inspectors, and 478 interviews given. Twelve wards were placed ut, and in five cases the parents were prosecuted.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIED. BREMNER—At his residence, 76 Gar-field Ave., South Hamilton, Ont., on Friday, May 16, 1924, Robert Brem-ner, aged 65 years. Funeral notice later,

Britain Aids In Peace Cause

Associated Press Despatch.
London, May 16.—The British
government, the Daily Express says has just made a remarkable sacrifice in the cause of peace. Certain Baltic interests offered to buy large quantities of surplus war materials, the cabinet not only vetoed the deal, but took general decision against all such

BILL AGAIN IN TROUBLE, BUT CASE ADJOURNED

Magistrate Postpones Case of Hagin, Charged With Non-Support.

Three weeks ago William Hagen fore from Syria after a parting of

The troubles of the Hagens wer again brought to the notice of Magis trate Graydon this morning who William was charged with nor support by his wife. Gordon Tennent, appearing for

Mrs. Hagen, submitted that the husband was making \$40 a week and ould easily support his wife.

W. B. Menzies, acting for Hager declared this was all wrong. His cilent was earning but \$15 a weel he declared.

Mr. Tennent, however, stuck to guns, and the magistrate venture the opinion that Bill was certain earning more than \$15 per week. Is suggested Hagen pay his wife \$7 week, and asked the lawyers to consult with their clients as to the amount being favorable to both pa

Apparently it was not, and the

John Farrell Holds Boy For Word of Inspector From Toronto

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John Farrell of the immigration

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PROVINCIAL ENGINEER HERE FOR CONSULTATION

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WOMAN IS RELEASED ON BAIL PLACED AT \$1,000

Bail of \$1,000 was arranged for Mrs. Heman this morning by her relatives from West McGillivray. The woman and Walter Bloomfield were arrested in the twonship Wednesday night by Constable Wharton and charged with immorality. The pair appeared in police court Thursday and the case was adjourned a week.

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WORKERS HONOR SUPERINTENDENT

Chain by Baptist Sun-

VETERAN LEADER

Sarnia, May 15.-Members of endent of the Sunday School, who has been one of the most active officers in the church for the past quarter of a century. He was presented with a handsome gold tch and chain and addresses by his orkers as a mark of appreciation g his long tenure in office. For ast seventeen years as superinent Mr. Mills has been an un ng worker in the building-up of Sunday School and church. Aid Relief Fund.

The central relief fund exchequer should be materially enriched from fourth night of the K. of P. carnival. The various attractions and conces sion stands were thronged again was charged in police court by his last night from early in the evening along toward midnight hour, and there was no letup in the en-thusiasm. One-half the proceeds will ised to get a house for his wife and be donated to the city central relief child who arrived a few months had fund by the fraternal organization

PIONEER OF MITCHELL REACHED RIPE OLD AGE

Andrew Byers Cut Own Wood and Did Own Chores

At 92.

Mitchell, May 15.-Andrew Byers, ged 92, who had been very active up spring. He looked after a cow and Stratford;

rch, and since retiring from that

Born in Roxboroughshire, Scotland, came to Canada with his parents, se late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Byers. seventy-two years ago. On way from Hamilton to Mitchell

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

Goderich Organization Reports Show Year of Marked

The officers are: Honorary presidents, Mrs. D. MacDonald, Mrs. M. G. Cameron; president, Mrs. W. L. Horton; vice-president, Mrs. Felker; treasurer, Mrs. Redditt; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Redditt; assistant of Fullarton; David of Guelph, and reasurer, Miss Claire Reynolds; sec-etary, Miss Etta Saults,

Manager Resigns.

Moriey D. Wyman has resigned as nanager of the local branch of the R. Steel Company, Limited, after two years' occupancy of that posi-tion He was a member of the Menesetung Canoe Club and Mait-land Lodge, No. 33, A., F. and A. M. Firm Dissolves.

der the direction of the G. C. I. board and the supervision of George Mc-Leod, head reed-worker and designer of the Goderich Art Craft Furniture Company, held a display of their work in the basement of the public library. There were on display vases library. There were on display vases, ferneries, trays (hand-painted and inset with cretonne), candlesticks jardinieres (three styles), sandwich baskets and gladiolus baskets. The various places trays (hand-painted and speaking class that has been receivages).

GAS PRICE RAISED WHEN WAR ENDED

W. L. Mills Given Watch and Motorists Have Benefited by Low Price For Some Weeks.

GARAGE MEN MEET

Stratford, May 15 .- Stratford's gas Central Baptist Church met last war has come to an end, and from night in the Sunday School room to now on motorists will pay 32 cents a do honor to W. L. Mills, retiring gallon. At some of the garages for some weeks past the price has been 22, 23, and 24 cents per gallon, but following a meeting, which was attended by representatives of several oil companies, the price was again set at 32 cents.

All of the dealers here did not cut prices, the service stations particularly not making any reductions. In fact the war was rather ruinous for many of them as motorists mostly went to garages for their supplies where the 22c rate prevailed.

There appear to have been a numper of different grades of gasoline brought into the city during the war brought into the city during the war, and some of the gasoline is not up to the standard, according to motorists using it. One dealer said that he could sell at 20c a gallon and make a profit, and as much of the gasoline, when the war started, was costing the dealers around 27c and 28c a gallon there must have been some reductions or change in quality secured. ductions or change in quality secured.

Force Reduced.

Following their policy of cutting own expenses, the Canadian National Railway shops here today let Roberts announced that starting im-mediately the 40-hour week would be put into force every other week. The shops will be closed this coming Sat

Join Celebration.

Perth County farmers will in a ikelihood take part in the semi-cen tennial celebration of the O. A. C. at Guelph on June 12 and 13. These dates have been designated as farmers' days, and it is understood an excursion is planned from Perth and the surrounding counties for Friday, June 13. The railways are offering reduced rates.

Jewelers' Officers.

Stratford District Jewelers, at their annual meeting here, elected as offi-President, Murray Rocne ord; vice-president, W. An-Stratford; vice-president, W. Andrew, St. Marys; secretary-treasurer, W. Johnston, Listowel; executive, L. Appel, Tavistock; press reporter, Nelson Pequegnat, Stratford.

Addresses were given by Toronto man Mr. Levingston speaking on Addresses were given by Toronto men, Mr. Levingston speaking on "The Diamond," Mr. Pearson on "Mutual Insurance" and O. M. Ross Appraisal Company, Montreal, is in the Canadian of the National "Mutual Insurance" and O. M. Ross on general workings of the National St. Joseph's Hospital with a broken limb and injuries to his head as a second of a fall from the window of Jewelers' Association. It was de-cided to hold the annual picnic at

Cleap-Up Week.

Conservative Rally.

Perth Conservative Association will be held in Milverton on June 4 in the afternoon. Efforts are being made to get two speakers, a man and a Norman Orse for the window. Glassford struggled with the man for some time as he balanced on the window.

Across the street Fire Chief Riches of ikely be a cabinet minister.

Stratford Pioneer.

who passed away at the family residence, 36 Norman street, at the age of 65 years. He had been ill

of Fullarton; David of Guelph, and Mrs. William French of Fullarton, GUELPH HOTELMAN DIES

The firm of Gray & Cartwright, of Guelph, for many years proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, and known as one of the best hotelmen in the province. The firm came to town two dissolved. one of the best hotelmen in the prov-ince, died at his home last night and C. V. Cartwright has dissolved.

The firm came to town two years ago last March, at that time purchasing the business of D. Millar & Son. It is understood that Mr. Gray will continue the store here.

Deskets Display

Ince, died at his nome last lings after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Lansing was well known in fraternal circles, having been a member of Waverly Lodge, A., F. and A. M., Guelph Chapter, R. A. M., Victoria Precentory, Knights Temp-The basketry classes of the industrial evening classes, carried on under the direction of the G. C. I. board and the supervision of George Mc-



AWARD OF TAILTEANN GAMES.

out 14 men. Superintendent John of victory is the trophy given for the games to be held in Dublin, August 2 to 18, this year

Quick Action of Two Firemen Saves Man When He Plunges 60 Feet From Hotel Window

J. H. Bracken, Montreal, Suffers Mental Seizure in Chatham.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Special to The Advertiser

the third story of the new Garne Hotel this afternoon.

y from Hamilton to Mitchell team of horses and wagon.

Mrs. Byers rode and the of the family walked, as I was bad and the horses much good.

More than 100 cubic yards of rubbish were lifted by the clean-up squad yesterday. The squad is working pretty close to schedule, though the heavy rain this morning interpret this afternoon.

The unfortunate man, who arrived in the city on business last night, is reported to have suffered a mental seizure. Travelling men kept close the heavy rain this morning interpret this afternoon. ed twice and is sur- fered with the work to a great ex- this morning Ernest Glassford too up the vigil until the arrival of his doctor and relatives from Montreal.

This afternoon Bracken had an The annual meeting of the North other seizure, and made a other seizure, and made a other seizure.

One of the speakers will a cabinet minister.

Across the street Fire Chief Richard Pritchard and Fireman George Hill were standing at the entrance to the fire hall. Taking in the situation at have been appointed to the ex-Stratford today lost a valued citizen a glance, they ran beneath the window just in time to break Bracken's Stratford today lost a valued circle, dow just in time to break brackers the person of William Nichols, family fall as he slipped out of his coat, family fall as he slipped out of his coat,

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INSTALL NEW ENGINE

Associated Press Despatch Shanghai, May 16.—Stuart MacLar en, British aviator on a world flight who left Allahabad, British India, at AFTER LONG ILLNESS dawn today, for Calcutta, plans to halt at Calcutta until next Wednesday in order to permit a general over Guelph, May 16.-Mr. Harry Lan-hauling and installation of a new low sing, one of the best known citizens compression engine in his aeroplane

LONE BANDIT REAPPEARS AND MAKES \$20,000 HAUL

Associated Press Despatch Gainesville, Fla., May 16.—A lone bandit yesterday entered the office of the American Railway Express Com pany at High Springs, near here shopmen, estimated at between shopmen, estimated at between \$16,000 and \$20,000. J. T. Pendleton company agent, said the bandit drove away in a small touring car.

The first afternoon of the session will be devoted to the presentation of reports and routine business. Cn hat afternoon Miss Lida Pratt of Petrolia, returned missionary from India, will give an outline of her work in that field. Mrs. W. L. Kingdom of Toronto, literary secretary is to speak on "The Baptist Visitor," and Mrs. Balwin will give an acount of the circle and band work. Mrs. Kingdom and Rev. O. G. Buck, missionary on furlough from

Bolivia, will be the speakers of the "The Need of the Hour in Home Mission Work" and the latter's, "Missions in the Foreign Field." The election of district officers will also mark the sessions, throughout which Mrs. Doolittle of Forest, the acting president, will preside. Londoners who will attend the meetings include Mrs. F. T. Holland, Miss Grace Pickett, Miss D. H. Gillies

BAPTIST MISSION

CIRCLES TO HOLD

District Convention Is Planned

For June 4, 5, 6-Londoners

Will Attend.

MISSIONARY TALKS

st mission circles will be held in

FOREST MEETING

AMUSEMENT RIDES ARE DEFENDED BY SHOWMEN

Claims Autos Kill 50 People to Every Fatality in

For every person killed on amusement rides on the American conti-nent in 1923, there were fifty killed y auto accidents, according to fig ires submitted in an article in the January issue of the American City Magazine by a showman who is de-fending the amusement parks of the country from being classified as dan-gerous to the public.

He adds that these rides are usu ally superintended by experienced owners and that it is a great deal safer to ride in a roller coaster than n the average automobile. He states

Several Organizations Unite For Undertaking At

Much Interested

Forest Renewal

Special to The Advertiser.

Durham, May 15.—Dr. Jamieson,
M.P.P., is planting about 12,000

rees on his Egremont property as

Wilder's Lake. Among the sever or eight kinds are Scotch pine

Fisher's Glen. Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, May 15.—The following

SUMMER CAMP AUTOISTS MUST PARK

Police Will Rigidly Enforce Regulations Within City

Parking areas have been outlined ecutive of Fisher's Glen Camp to be in white paint today on the parking held under the auspices of the various area in the city and must be adhere

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