BYNG PRAISES FARMERS OF MIDDLESEX AND OXFORD

BYNG DELIGHTED WITH MIDDLESEX **OXFORD FARMERS**

Meets Counties' Residents On Common Ground In Homes and On Lands.

ILL TOUR BRANT

ets To Governor-General Declare Him "Real Man For the Position.'

Special to The Advertiser, by a Staff Reporter. Voodstock, May 29.-Expressing self as delighted with the farms Vestern Ontario and enamored the country itself, Baron Byng my, Governor-General of Canoncluded a tour of the counties of Middlesex and Oxford with a visit to the farm of Columbus Ross, West Zorra, where he and his party had tea last night before returning to Brantford.

His Excellency said that he was delighted at the opportunity given him of meeting the farmers of the country without any fuss or bother. and seeing their farms and everyday work just as it actually is.

Arriving at the Ross farm at 6:30. Baron Byng, accompanied by His Honor Col. Harry Cockshutt, lleutenant-governor, Major Gordon, A.D. C., and Col. Robert McEwen, did not m to be the least fatigued with the strenuous day he had put in. He was greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Ross and a few members of the immediate family, having a few words with all of them in a most informal way. He then took Mr. Ross off by himself, and they went to look at the farm and the large flock of pure-bred sheep. While inspecting the animals he remarked to Mr. Ross that it was too bad that there were not more sheep raised in Canada. After a few minutes they once more returned to the party and were all photographed.

Acts Like Member.

At tea, which was served in the house, Baron Byng joined in the general conversation as though he were one of the family. He seemed to be much impressed by a milking machine which he had seen during the afternoon. He also remarked several times on the beauty of the country, stating that he did not see how farmers could be dissatisfied when they had such beautiful surwhen they had such beautiful surwincial secretary, and Roy Schuller, mr. Ross' farm, which overlooks county, will act as guides, the latter River. After tea his excellency shook hands with all of them, and expressed ty, and will pass through Guelph, the hope that he would see them Galt, Waterloo and Kitchener, arrivagain, following which the party left ing at Hespeler at 4 p.m., where tea

r the Telephone City. man could fill the position, and this with a trip through York County idea of getting out and meeting the On Saturday the vice-regal party will farmer in his own home without any ostentatious display is one of the finest things that he could have done. farmers of Ontario. It shows the farmer that there is in an official position who

governor-general. Forms Good Opinion.

Asked for an expression of opinion by The Advertiser, Baron Byng stated that he was not allowed to give interviews, but admitted that he had formed a very good opinion of the farmers of Western Ontario.

"But what is your opinion," asked the reporter. "That I can't tell you," laughed his

excellency. "By the way, were you not at Lambeth this morning?" The reporter replied that he had been, and remarked that he had secured several good photos of him.

"I wonder if you would some copies of your paper to Govern-ment House, please? Do you know, I think it is remarkable the way you newspaper men get around the coun-

One little incident that seemed to please the party was the keenness with which the governor-general pored over a map in an effort to find out exactly where he was. Although out exactly where he was found. he knew generally the location, he was not satisfied until the spot where was not satisfied until the spot where knew generally the location, he the farm was located was found.

The story of the afternoon's trip
was told by Col. McEwan, who was acting in the capacity of guide to the

After having lunched at Col. Mc-Ewan's farm, and met several of the residents in that vicinity, the party passed through Byron, and then propassed through Byron, and then progins, M.P., where quite a long stop was made, the governor-general inspecting the farm and buildings ther-He seemed much interested in everything about the place, and in speaking to the owner, encouraged him by stating that the farmers were

backbone of the country.

Impressed With Byng. H. Patrick, Ilderton, was next visited, and here practically the same visited, and here practically the same lattice were the comment of a terday, at a meeting of trustees of favorable nature was passed on the stock and farm of Mr. Patrick, who stock and farm of Mr. Patrick, who was much impressed with the efficiency was in which league's superintendent in the Chicago trustees of on public opinion in the United States will prevent exportation to Canada. Easing in the anthracite supply that, of necessity can be confirmed with the continuous consumption. thing occurred. Much comment of a cient and intelligent way in which cago district. the visitor asked questions and

sought information. The farm of James Thompson. East him to head a new organization to ouri, was the next stop, and here be known as the Chicago Association again the governor-general stopped for Better Government.
for a considerable period. Mr. McEwan stated that the manner in which Baron Byng greeted the far-mers made one think that he would like nothing better than to go up and slap them on the back, and ask after their family, and their farm, and all the rest, just as though he himself but a farmer in a county of Ontario, and not the representative of the king. This was the last visit made before reaching Mr. Ross

farm at West Zorra.
"His Excellency," stated Mr. Mc-Ewan, "is much impressed with the living conditions of the farmers whom he has seen in his little tour of this part of Ontario. He thinks that the farms and all the stock are fine, and in every case expressed gratification and pleasure at meeting the owners."

D. R. Ress. Mr. McDonald Wallace,



GOVERNOR-GENERAL MEETS CHILDREN.

Baron Byng of Vimy, governor- an unconventional pose by The Ad- ing down the line, the governor-gengeneral of Canada, who visited Lam- vertiser staff photographer, as he was chatted away inquiring about their beth school yesterday, laughs in shaking hands with the pupils. Pass-

Miss Norma Ross, Miss Ross, Gordon Ross and Gilchrist Murray. Leave for Burford.

This morning his excellency will leave Brantford and proceed to the farm of N. Dyment at Burford, where the first stop will be made. The stock farm of J. E. Brethour, breeder of swine, will be the next, after which the party will visit the Burford Con-tinuation School. Leaving Burford they will proceed to Paris, where they will drive through the streets, pro-ceeding to Moyle's school house and north branch of the Thames during the early morning. After lunch they will visit Waterloo Coun-

will be obtained. They will then I don't think that a better nad Bowmanville, followed on Friday

someone in an official position who considers him worth while. Yes, sir. COL. GRAHAM ELECTED the is a real man for the position of

Unanimously Chosen by Nine Hundred Members Attending Convention.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, May 29.-Col. C. M. R. Graham, former o. c. of the 142nd Battalion and ex-mayor of London. was elected district governor of the in's it the angual

thirteen clubs, attended the affair, given the industry by the governand were unanimous in their selection of Col. Graham. The new district governor was one of the original members of the London Lions, and is at present presi-

CEASES ACTIVITIES

Task of Trying To Enforce which our supply of anthracite from Eighteenth Amendment Too Great.

Associated Press Despatch.

CROWN NORMAL SCHOOL GIRL AS QUEEN OF MAY

Special to The Advertiser. Stratford, May 29 .- At the Normal School Wednesday, the students will crown Miss Irene Bowman, Queen of the May. Miss Bowman's at-tendants will be Miss Janette Pugh, Miss Verna McQuillin, Miss Anne Lawrence, Miss Ina Mills and Miss Edith M. Pollock.

in place of the regular noonday luncheon of the Rotary Club there is at meeting the owners."

Among those that greeted him at 7:10 p.m., at which the Stratford Club the Ross farm were Mr. and Mrs. Clumbus Ross, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Will be host to the Toronto Club. Some Under a new ruling of the department of the Ross farm were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wellace.

Munro, Mrs. McDonald Wellace, Mr. expected to be here, and the visitors tions one year and complete them the

URGES CANADIAN FUEL BE UTILIZED TO SOLVE PROBLEM

Government-Appointed Body Reports After Making An Exhaustive Investigation.

USE WOOD AND PEAT

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, May 29 .- Methods of meetfor the Telephone City.

"I could stand and talk to him for two hours," declared Mr. Ross. "He seems to be so practical in farming matters and so interested in every-The board was organized by orderin-council in November last, under once more return to Ottawa, having the chairmanship of Charles Camsell, concluded a five-day trip among the deputy minister of mines. It points out in its report that in the ten-year and fell caross the tracks, were a trust under which the money was period ending 1921, Canada's bill for imported coal exceeded the sum of \$580,000,000, and emphasizes that the ideal solution of the fuel problem is of this tragic accident.

dependence upon our own fuel re-

sources. The report urges:

and the Maritime provinces. coking plants in the larger centers of population like Montreal and Toronto.

Would Utilize Peat. That peat should be utilized to support a portion of the fuel needs Central Canada, and if the result accomplished last year at Alfred are not sufficient to induce private capital

ments concerned. That our wood resources, under proper management, could be utilized for fuel to a greater degree than at

The board is of the opinion that, except in an auxiliary capacity, electric house heating is impracticable on a but electricity for inrould set free a large amount of coal for heating. The report concludes with a word as to the need of educating the public away from anthracite. Sees Exhaustive Supply.

"After passing through a period in the United States has been interrupt-ed and restricted by an unusual combination of labor and transportation difficulties," said the report, "it is only natural to expect a period of from which the groans and cries had from which the groans and cries had from which the groans and cries had from the country of the unfortunate man Chicago, May 29.—The Chicago several years comparatively tree from such unusual disturbances. When branch of the Anti-Saloon League the usual supply is forthcoming there ond and third cars remaining in the has found the task of attempting to will be a tendency to forget the re-inforce the eighteenth amendment lentless approach of the time when picking him up from beneath inforce the eighteenth amendment to great, and will discontinue all the anthracite fields are nearing extrain that Graham is said to have its local activities, save routine legisits local activities, save routine legis- haustion, when prices will rise to lative work, E. J. Davis stated yes-prohibitive heights for the ordinary ties. of necessity, can be only temporary, tentative plans are being made for tending to prevent other fuels, inin the Central Canada market; and it brings with it another danger no deemed it necessary to add the less real in the sense of false security suggesting some precaution to consumer in the acute fuel area.'

> MANY STRATFORD PUPILS WILL TRY EXAMINATIONS

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, May 29.—C. A. Mayberry, principal of the Collegiate Institute. fiss Verna McQuillin, Miss Anne Jawrence, Miss Ina Mills and Miss Jawrence, Miss Ina Miss school. There are quite a few of these pupils who will not try the complete schedule of examination, as tions one year and complete them the following year.

Assert Duncan Graham May

Have Tripped On Raised Ties.

TRAINMEN TESTIFY

The coroner's jury investigating the death of Duncan Graham killed while ing the fuel problem are suggested in working with a shunting gang on the day morning, last night brought in a verdict of accidental death. In rendering the decision of the jury the foreman expressed the opinion of his fellow jurors that the switch ties on which it is alleged Graham tripped

The witnesses of the accident examined were Engineer Archer, who was in charge of the engine used in Wider range of utilization of the shunting operations at Egerton street: coals of British Columbia, Alberta Yard Foreman Matthews, in charge Investigation into the feasibility of of the yardmen working with Graby-product recovery ham; F. W. Lucas, yard helper; Robert Stanley, brakeman of the shunting crew, and Wm. Clarke, car checker at Egerton street yards.

Examines Witnesses.

J. C. Elliott examined the witnesses and in the evidence offered it apengage in the production of this peared that none of the crew had Nine hundred Lions, representing fuel, further encouragement should be seen Graham fall and that nothing definite in the way of a statemen proving the cause of the accident would be forthcoming. Two of the witnesses said that when the deceased was questioned by Lucas as to how the accident happened, he answered, "I tripped on the ties." The evidence given by Lucas practhat the crew was shunting cars off

dustrial and transportation purposes tically sums up the story. He said a string of nine; that Graham wasriding the lower step of one car and that he had pulled the coupling lever that freed the car they wished to Egerton street. The train was brought to a standstill as soon as the car was "kicked" and the crew then heard a cry for "Help."

The trainmen rushed to the spot

come and found the unfortunate man lying between the wheels of the sec-

The witnesses said that the ties were probably the switch ties which run back from the right of way to At the same time, Mr. Davis said will likely be the strongest force slightly raised above the track ties in tending to prevent other fuels, including our own, gaining a foothold switch from ice and snow. It was in suggesting some precaution to safeit engenders in the mind of the coal guard against further accidents of a

similar nature.

The inquest was conducted by Coroner Dr. Robert Ferguson. The jurors were George Steer, Horton street; Benjamin Talbot, Grosvenor street: Robert Munroe, Marley Place: Albert Mantell, St. James street; M. F. Cartier, Cathcart street; J. F. Arderson, Richmond street; Frederick, Highway, Stanley street; Eli Bice

Galt, May 29.—Galt Chamber of Commerce is the official name of Galt's new community organization, the first step in the election of a board of directors of ten for same having been taken today, when the ballots were mailed out.

FIRE DESTROYS VERNER VILLAGE **BUSINESS AREA**

Blaze Caused by Smoker Results in Loss Between \$150,-000 and \$200,000.

STARTS IN A STABLE

General Stores, Stations, Hotel and Small Shops Succumb to Flames.

Canadian Press Despatch. Sudbury, May 29.-The entire

of the Sturgeon Falls fire brigade.

There was no loss of life.

The general stores of Gerard, Belanger and Bertrand, the U. F. O. Cooperative store, the C. P. R. station, the C. P. R. hotel, a barber shop and dwellings were totally seven dwellings were totally destroyed. The fire had gained conous farming community, and is one of the most picturesque French-Canadian communities in the north turn in behind either of them."

SETTLEMENT PAPERS

Office In Osgoode Holl Rifled In the denied of Documents In \$100,-000 Case.

Canadian Press Despatch Toronto, May 29.—Some time between last Friday and this morning papers filed in half a dozen cases were removed from the office of As-sistant Registrar D'Arcy Hinds at Osgoode Hall. The wire basket in which they had been was left empty.

The papers had vanished. Included in the missing papers was Corporation as she saw fit instead of being bound by the restrictions of a termination of the Ontario temper-trust under which the money was ance act.

No finder was added to the After lunch, his excellency chatten outburst of handelapping, which was with those who had remained to see him and seemed in a very cheerful appeal dismissed by the divisional Howard Ferguson's pronouncements prisoner and adjourned court.

The matter was adjourned.

KENT LIBERAL CANDIDATE ORGANIZES FOR CAMPAIGN stood for maintenance and enforcement of the act. The Liberals had

Chatham, May 29,-R. L. Brackin night. There was a good attendance of workers from the city and surrounding district, who devoted themselves to examining the voters' lists and arranging to register appeals before the hudge on Lune 8

LIBERAL LEADER **WIDENS BREACH**

Wellington Hay Definitely States Fusion Is Out of Question.

DRURY ATTACKS

Premier Again Declares Ferguson's Charges Are Unjustifiable.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, May 29 .- The line of cleav ousiness section of Verner, a small age between the United Farmers and farming village between Sudbury and Liberals in the province of Ontario North Bay, was wiped out by fire this has been more clearly defined during afternoon. Damage was estimated at the past few days as a result of debetween \$150,000 and \$200,000. The clarations made by Wellington Hay blaze was first noticed at 2 o'clock the Liberal leader. Early last week starting in a stable near the C.P.R. Mr. Hay emphasized that the Liberal hotel, presumably from a careless forces in the province would not smoker, and at 5 o'clock this afternoon was still burning, although under control, following the arrival the farmers, while at North Bay last countenance any form of fusion with

Liberal leader, the Farmers' Sun says furnished the police by Louis Taylor, siderable headway before noticed, and that "Between a Liberal who, with driver for the Williams' dairy, their the hotel was soon in flames, despite efforts of townspeople, and within half an hour the entire central section was in flames. The fire brigade from Sturgeon Falls arrived shortly after 4 o'clock and succeeded in leader who is open to the charge of held up by a man on Cottage avenue, show of fight, and a Conservative by Taylor is to the effect that he was getting the fire under control, but not before the business section was in ashes. The buildings were all of frame in little to chessive the people, there of the handlis area. Two companions of the handlis area. construction. Definite figures on the construction. Definite figures on the detailed loss are as yet unavailable. Ontario, with a government that, devenue is in the center of a prospersuite some faults, has been efficient. When his late. Two companions of the bandits sprang upon him from behind, and he was relieved of about \$15. He was then tied up with the spite some faults, has been efficient, reins of the harness and the holdup honest and clean, are not likely to men escaped in a high-powered

> Ontario tonight, Premier Drury, speaking at Carleton Place, did not the street about 2:30 this morning deal with Wellington Hay's criticism. Two owners of automobiles have rebut delivered a broadside at Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, the Conservative leader. He vigorously defended the government's administration of the Intario temperance act, and denied that his party had made it an issue in the present campaign. He also denied charges of extravagance leveled at his government.
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> It is possible that Hon. T. W. Mc-

Garry, provincial treasurer in the Hearst government, may receive the Conservative nomination tomorrow in the constituency of South Ren-

Continuing his Northern Ontario tour, Wellington Hay spoke tonight

DRURY'S DEFENCE. Canadian Press Despatch.

Carlton Place, May 29.—Speaking Included in the missing papers was a bundle connected with litigation referring to the marriage settlement of Mrs. J. M. Laing. The suit was brought for a declaration that Mrs. Lanark, Premier Drury made a stout packages containing papers was a bundle connected with litigation referring to the marriage settlement of Hiram McCreary, M.L.A. for South former postmaster of Equility of the theft packages containing Laing could dispose of some \$100,000 held by the Toronto General Trusts Corporation as she saw fit instead of

court, and now the case is to be taken on the prohibition issue and denied to the privy council, providing the plaintiffs can satisfy the requirements that it was his government that had brought this issue into the election. In the process of litigation the He said Mr. Ferguson himself raised costs have been taxed at \$6,289.85.

J. M. Laing, appearing for the plaintiffs, objected to having to give sequentity to twice the property of to twice the amount of the inquiry and poured sarcasm on Mr. taxed costs as well as a \$2,000 bond forguson's capacity for administra-to cover the appeal. When the case tion. As to the Ontario temperance came up a week ago he had filed a act, Premier Drury produced one of came up a week ago he had filed a ct. Premier Drury produced one of bond which he sought to have the court allow. The matter was adjourned, and today it was stated that read the first sentence which said considered Armstrong's alleged rethe bond was among the missing the people were now within sight of government control. He wanted to know who had given rise to such an idea. Not the Drury government, he said, for everybody knew that it also made it clear they stood for its

Premier Drury admitted that the Liberal candidate in West Kent, held O. T. A. was the most important issue an organization meeting at the formal in the election, and he commended opening of his committee rooms in Sir William Hearst's courage if the Sheldon Block, Sixth street, last passing such an act in face of the Paincourt on Saturday evening next.

MISS CARRIE JOYNT.

Camlachie. May 29.—After an illness of some months, Miss Carrie Joynt passed away yesterday afternoon. She leaves one sister. Ellentath home, and four brothers. Dudley, John and Joseph of this village, and Robert of Detroit. Funeral arrangements are not yet made.

or four years he and his party had made continual and persistent attacks on the attorney-general and his attempts to enforce the law. Charges laid by Mr. Lennox before the public accounts committee had been dismissed and Hon. W. E. Raney came through absolutely clear. Mr. Drury criticized Mr. Ferguson's policy as a "wink to the wets and a made continual and persistent attacks on the attorney-general and the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and if the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and if the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and made continual and persistent attacks on the attorney-general and his attempts to enforce the law. Charges laid by Mr. Lennox before the public accounts committee had been dismissed and Hon. W. E. Raney came through absolutely clear. Mr. Drury criticized Mr. Ferguson's policy as a "wink to the wets and a made continual and persistent attacks on the attorney-general and made continual and persistent attacks on the attorney-general and made continual and persistent attacks on the attorney-general and the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys will be 21-end affairs, and the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys mid the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys mid the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys mid the success of previous years' afternoon tourneys

enforcement.

Woman to Claim Whole Township

Special to The Advertiser.

Brantford, May 29.—Believing that she may be entitled to the ownership of the township of Burford, Brant County, because it was given to her grandfather, Peter Martin, about the year 1800, Mrs. M. E. Stanbrough, 6009 12th street, Detroit, has written to Mayor Brillo asking what disposition has been made what disposition has been made what disposition has been made of the land. If there has been no disposition, Mrs. Stanbrough wants to know what is being done to bring the matter to the proper settlement among the rightful heirs

The writer states the entire township was given to her grandfather as a reward for loans made to the British about or during the period of the

THREE MOTOR BANDITS ROB INGERSOLL DRIVER

Bind Louis Taylor With Harness, After Taking Cash.

Special to The Advertiser. Ingersoll, May 29 .- Three holdup men whisked into Ingersoll at dawn Commenting on the attitude of the today, according to information

The information given the police

automobile. Information has also been received Carrying the battle into Eastern from another source of three desper-Two owners of automobiles have reported the theft of gasoline from their cars.

FORMER POSTMASTER IS FOUND NOT GUILTY

George S. Armstrong of Edmonton Acquitted On Charge of Theft.

Canadian Press Despatch. Edmonton, May 29 .- After ten ninutes' deliberation, a jury in the aide-de-camp; Col. Harry Cockshutt and Col. Robert McEwen. Several of and Col. Robert McEwen. Several of and Col. Robert McEwen. Several of and Col. Robert McEwen. criminal court here late this afterhere at a meeting in support of moon found George S. Armstrong, Hiram McCreary, M.L.A. for South Lanark, Premier Duny mode South Merchants' Bank bills from the postoffice on August 10, 1919. No rider was added to the jury's

Premier Drury criticized Hon. promptly quelled by the sheriff. Mr. him, and seemed in a very cheerful Howard Ferguson's pronouncements. After his discharge, Armstrong, who had maintained his composure

> trial, which aroused interest all over the dominion, broke down when friends crowded around him to offer of Mr. Hodgins and Mr. Thompson in their congratulations. "There is no evidence which irectly connects Armstrong with the irectly connects Armstrong with the rrip at Kintore, from which

stolen property, the evidence is purely circumstantial," said Judge Simmons

mark to a postoffice employee when the packages arrived at the post-office, to the effect that they would "make a good haul for somebody was a thought, father to the deed. "Gentlemen of the jury. I have I hesitation in saying that the crown's case against George S. Armstrong is founded on the mere shadow of sus ' said Sydney B. Woods, K.C. picion," said Sydney B. Woods, Acchief counsel for the accused, to the

L.R.C. AFTERNOON BOWLING SEASON OPENS TOMORROW

The London Rowing Club will ope the afternoon bowling season tomorrow fore the judge on June 8.

It was decided that the Liberal candidate should open his campaign at Paincourt on Saturday evening next.

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BYNG EXPRESSES PRAISE OF FARMS IN LONDON AREA

Governor-General Visits Home of Colonel McEwen at Byron.

REGRETS DELAY

States First Real Opportunity of Meeting the Ontario People.

Baron Byng of Vimy, after stopping at the Lambeth school yesterday, drove to Alloway Lodge, the farm of Col. Robert McEwen, at Byron: The neighbors had gathered at the farmhouse to see Canada's governorgeneral, and before entering the house, where luncheon was awaiting him, Baron Byng addressed the gath-

He stated that his present tou through Western Ontario was most enjoyable visit he had had with

the people of Ontario.
"I regret that we have been so de layed in reaching Alloway Lodge," he sald, "but I have been so thoroughly rtertained at the farms and school houses at which we stopped that I simply could not hurry my visits. "I have visited cities from coast to coast, but this meeting the people in their own homes and attending their own farm work is far more interest ing, and I feel that for the first time have really mingled, as it were

head Address. "At the school in Lambeth, a ver inv young lady read an address, and was really splendid and wholly un-

When asked what he thought of the farming country through which ne has just toured, his excellency told The Advertiser that he had not been able to consider the economic side of the farm question, except that the being immensely productive if the reportion of tilled land and splendid buildings could be taken as an indi-

oncerning the economic side of the farmers' business in this trip. I am rying to become acquainted, and I must say that the hospitality show by the farmers has left me no time to consider anything but their kind-

Colonel McEwen introduced both Baron Byng and Lieut.-Gov. Harry Cockshutt to the friends and neigh-bors who had gathered to meet him. and his excellency spoke a few cheery words to each of the company.

Greets Bishop. He renewed his acquaintance with Bishop Williams and greeted him most cordially. The governor-general Colonel McEwen's intimate friends lency responded to the eager inquir-ies concerning his trip and the im-

expressed it, "thoroughly enjoying

The party left Alloway Lodge a all though the long, nerve-wracking 3:30 and continued their ping at the Sanatorium at Byron, and point they will motor direct to Brant-

EXPLOSION IN ILLINOIS KILLS FIVE WORKER

Blast Does \$10,000 Damage To Aetna Powder Plant In Fayville.

Fayville, Ills., May 29 .-- Five men vere killed and three seriously inured in an explosion in the gelatin packing house of the Aetna Powder Company here today. The blast was heard in every surrounding town in the extreme south-ern portion of Illinois, and in towns n Missouri and Kentucky.

The dead are: Harry Gammon, 35; Cletas Gammon, 21; Dave Hamilton, 23; Lawence Gimper, 23; Wade Griggs, 28. Three other men, including the superintendent of the packing house were injured.

Griggs' home is in White Water Mo. The four other men were residents of Thebes. Property damage was estimated by officials of the company at \$10,000 with slight damage to private residences in Fayville. The cause of the

blast was not determined. CARRIER PIGEON ALIGHTS ON FARM NEAR ALLENFORD

D. MacDougall, a farmer living in Amabel township near Allenford, has in his possession ,a carrier pigeon which came to his farm Thursday

Mr. MacDougall is of the opinion that the bird is a valuable one, and probably belongs to some person owning racing pigeons. It has a band on its leg bearing the inscription "A.J.-22-C.C.C. 470." The owner of the bird may secure by corresponding with Mr. Mac-

Nominations

Prescott. - Gustave Evanturel, Lib-East Peterboro.-H. K. Denyes, North Bruce. - Major Fenton North Huron.—Sheldon Bricker U.F.O.

Thomas Crawford, Conservative Northwest Toronto, Seat B.-A. R. Nesbitt, K.C., Conservative.



DISTINGUISHED VISITORS AT LAMBETH SCHOOL Group of distinguished visitors at Lambeth school this morning, taken by The Advertiser staff photographer. Reading from left to right they are: ernor-general, His Honor Col. Harry Col. Robert McEwan, Major Gordon, Cockshutt. lieutenant-governor, and by The Advertiser staff photographer. A. D. C., Baron Byng of Vimy, gov- Col. W. H. Moore.