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FLORIDA WATER DRUNK
COSTS JUST AS MUCH
AS ANY OTHER IN COURT

Probably he was celebrating his recovery, but at any rate one visitor from St. Thomas, who has spent his time in Victoria Hospital since coming to London, pleaded guilty in police court this morning while charged with having been on the street in an intoxicated condition. It may have been, however, that he had taken the Florida Water to kill the odor of the medicine which he had taken, as three bottles, which had contained this toilet water, were found on him. He paid \$10 and costs.

Two other drunks were similarly assessed by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon. One of them, who appears to be a regular, protested that seven months had elapsed since his last appearance in the court on this charge. He was warned the next time might bring a heavier sentence.

REMEMBRANCE HOSPITAL
IS ANOTHER SUGGESTION

A delicate sentiment moves William Sneath to a suggestion for the name of the new military hospital. Mr. Sneath, who ranks high among local poets, would call the institution Remembrance Hospital. His idea is accompanied by the following letter: "Editor of The Advertiser—May I have the privilege of suggesting a name for your new hospital for soldiers which I should suggest be called Remembrance Hospital, as no doubt many of the boys while lying and being treated there will remember what they and others went through for the freedom of this country. William Sneath."

ORGANISTS ORGANIZE

Club Elects Officers and Plans a Big Year.

The Organists' Club of London, unique among musical clubs, being the only one of its kind in Canada, held its organization meeting last night at the home of E. W. G. Quantz, when the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. Mr. Quantz, the retiring president, was made honorary president; Thos. Mitchell, vice-president; Parnell Morris, vice-president; Clarence Gilmore, secretary-treasurer; F. J. Wilgous was elected to the executive committee. The club is planning a big year.

NEWS

PTE. CANNING WOUNDED.—Thomas Canning, 341 Ridout street, has received word that his son, Pte. Ernest Canning, has been admitted to the hospital suffering from gunshot wounds in the left leg. He is also suffering from shell-shock. Previous to enlisting Pte. Canning was employed at Boomer's confectionery store.

ENLARGING EXPRESS SHED.—The Canadian Express Company is erecting a large addition to its sheds at the Grand Trunk depot. This is amounting to an express handling, and it is expected that shortly a still larger addition will be erected at the rear of the building facing on York street.

EIGHT VOLUNTEERS.—There were eight volunteers at the mobilization centre yesterday. Six of these came from Detroit. Five defaulters were apprehended. The volunteers are as follows: W. J. Sanders, of England; A. Fraser, C. J. Forrest and M. Bell, of Scotland; J. W. Rakestraw, A. Zimmer, H. E. Knapp, H. C. Karm, of Canada.

MOS. ON THE BUZZER.—A short time ago considerable discussion took place over the uncleanliness of the public buildings at Dundas and Richmond streets. Immediately the city authorities took action and the trouble was removed. Yesterday the Greek mosque was noticed on the edges.

THEFT OF BICYCLES STOLEN.—The theft of four bicycles was reported to Detective Nickle last evening. No particular number was given, as those picked up included a Red Massey-Harris, an Indian and a Cleveland. Two were taken from the front entrance of 247 Dundas street, one from in front of the Royal Bank, and the other from 227 Clarence street. Detective Nickle has the numbers of the bikes and is making an effort to catch the thieves.

APPLES FOR OVERSEAS.—W. E. Mitchell, manager of the Mitchell cooperative, announced yesterday that he had donated 50 apple barrels to the Red Cross to be filled with apples for patriotic farmers to send overseas. Mitchell stated that there were a lot of apples in the country that were undoubtedly going to waste, and now that the Red Cross is in need of foodstuffs, the kinds of apples that have helped make Ontario famous, one of the Springfield growers when interviewed barrels with handpicked fruit.

1,200 CIVILIANS WERE
FOUND BY THE ALLIED
TROOPS IN ROULEURS

Inhabitants Had Been Living Normal Lives, Claims Correspondent.

London, Oct. 16.—Twelve hundred civilians were found in the city of Roulers when the British and French troops reached the place on Monday, according to the Mail's correspondent at British headquarters. They had been living a more or less normal life there during the German occupation of the city. The correspondent says that it was noticed that the Germans had put up signs which may be an indication of the announced German intention to set up a separate Flemish kingdom.

GARROS' DEATH CONFIRMED.—Ambrose Garros, a French aviator, who was posted as missing on October 7 after a flight over the German lines, was shot down and killed on October 4, a Berlin message today announces.

PRESIDENT INAUGURATED.

Peking, Thursday, Oct. 10.—Hau Hsi Krang was inaugurated president today in the presence of members of the cabinet and of the Parliament. A reception followed, at which members of the diplomatic corps tendered their congratulations. The press was not represented at the reception.

KILLED IN ACTION

PTE. T. C. ROSSON, YOUNGEST SON
OF ANDREW ROSSON, 250 OXFORD STREET.



Advertiser illustration of Andrew Rossion, youngest son of Pte. T. C. Rossion, 250 Oxford street.

METHODISTS WILL
CLOSE CONFERENCE
THURSDAY NIGHT

The Ban on Public Gatherings Causes Immediate Action To Be Taken.

Hamilton, Oct. 15.—As a result of the proclamation about to be issued by the board of health closing churches, schools and theatres and banning all public gatherings, the Methodist General Conference, decided today to bring its business to a close by tomorrow night. The announcement was made this morning by Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore.

The report of the educational committee recommended that Wesley College, Winnipeg, should not have the right to appoint a committee with power to dismiss a professor. Dismissal must come from the board of the college which is under jurisdiction of the conference. The matter arose out of the summary dismissal of Rev. Dr. G. H. McLean, of the University of Winnipeg, by the board of trustees. The recommendation was adopted.

The establishment of an archives department, and the appointment of an archivist at a salary of \$500, to preserve records of Canadian Methodism, was agreed upon. Rev. Dr. D. McLean of Winnipeg, was unanimously elected to the position. Changes in the text of discipline were also adopted. The term Holy Ghost given place to that of Holy Spirit and Lord's Day replaces the old name of the Sabbath.

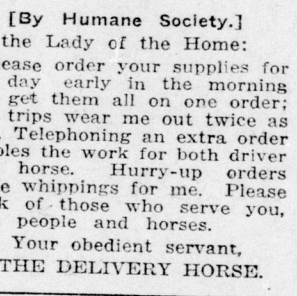
WILL YOU ASSIST?

[By Humane Society.]

To the Lady of the Home: Please order your supplies for the morning early in the morning and get them all on one order; two trips save me one order; fast. Telephoning an extra order doubles the work for both driver and driver. Please make whippings for me. Please think of those who serve you, both of them.

Your obedient servant,

THE DELIVERY HORSE.



Advertiser illustration of a delivery horse.

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SIX BARRELS OF LEMONS SENT TO INCINERATOR TODAY; LARGE QUANTITY OF OYSTERS BURNED

Most of Fruit Spoiled, and the Shellfish Are Said To Have Been Unfit for Human Consumption When They Reached the City.

Six barrels of lemons, the fruit that is priced in several of the fruit stores today at six for 25 cents, and hard to get at that, were taken down to the incinerator this morning by one of the garbage wagons. They were taken from the central district of the city. It is said that most of them were spoiled. Why they were allowed to decay could not be ascertained, but they were carted to the incinerator. Several of the fruit men of the city say that lemons will spoil quickly at this time of the year. While no blame may be due to anyone for the loss, and naturally no merchant would care to throw away his twenty one hundred and one hundred and

twenty dollars, which is the estimated selling price of the fruit which was spoiled, the opinion is freely expressed that some way should be taken to overcome this waste, if it is at all possible to do so. The general public has been taught to associate the scarcity of lemons with high prices, and any article with high prices, and any article which is always looked at with suspicion, it is especially liable to be carted to the incinerator by the express company.

THREE BROTHERS, INFLUENZA VICTIMS



Advertiser illustration of three brothers, sons of David Welch, of Sycamore street, city, who all died within one week from Spanish influenza and its complications.

UNDERTAKERS MUST
REPORT ALL DEATHS
TO B. OF HEALTH ON
DAY OF OCCURRENCE

A New Regulation To Keep Track of Epidemic.

SEVERAL MORE DEATHS

Need For More Nurses Still

Most Urgent in the City.

According to a new order issued under the health report deaths to the board of health, early in the morning, this law may be accurately kept on the books, and in connection with the Spanish influenza epidemic.

Deaths of cases were slow in coming in to the vital statistics bureau of the board of health this forenoon, due to the fact that physicians are so rushed with cases. One doctor reported a death among his patients at 10:30 o'clock last night, but he being unable to have his evening meal.

Typical of the manner in which doctors and nurses are living, the days of the big Spanish influenza often reach a maximum stage here, according to the statistics of the city.

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TO THE 1ST BATTALION. THIS IS HIS
FIFTH TIME WOUNDED AND IN THE CAUSAL
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OF JOHN MORGAN, LANGRISH STREET.

dated to be held here the end of this month, but it is possible it will be necessary to have a postponement. The question has been asked if any regulations are to be issued in regard to disinfecting barber shops, razors, etc., in order to prevent the spread of influenza through the medium of barber shops.

Dr. Downham says concerning this: "Disinfection is very strict in regard to sterilization of instruments used, towels, etc. In any case, barber shops are not crowded as they used to be, and was just taking over this with a barber yesterday afternoon. He used to have four assistants. He has now only two. The men who used to go regularly to the barber are the men who are now overworked. Under present conditions, there isn't need for any further restrictions to govern barber shops."

STAY AT HOME. "If you haven't got Spanish influenza and aren't obliged by your business to mix with other people, stay at home." This is the advice which doctors and nurses are impressing upon the public this week, now that the epidemic has reached a more serious stage than they believed it was going to be, and now that they are convinced it has reached the maximum period of seriousness and the maximum period of danger.

Lid on Tight. Last night picture theatres, dance halls, pool rooms and such places of amusement, were all darkened, and all gatherings of a public nature were cancelled. The street cars had no passengers, and anybody who ventured out on business or to get exercise, was advised to "stay at home."

Doctors Agree It. The doctors have agreed remarkably well so far. Only two are known to have been ill and both are recovering. Owing to the demands on their time to attend influenza patients, operations are being postponed by doctors as far as possible, except in emergency cases.

While something has been reported in the city, it is estimated by a public health official that there have been 11,000 cases, which means one-fifth of the citizenship. The disease has been spreading for two weeks, and its progress averages six weeks. This will mean at the rate at which it has been contracted the first two weeks, that the fifth of the citizens of London, or the passing of the plague, will be a fact.

Keep away from other people. Keep your hands clean. Use a reliable germicide as a mouth-wash and gargle. Be cautious of sneezing or coughing into your handkerchief. Keep your houses, offices and shops well ventilated, and your disinfecting apparatus in good condition. The foregoing is the gist of the advice physicians and nurses are offering to people who have escaped so far.