

FEW ARE LEFT BEHIND IN CITY

Practically All of St. Thomas
Goes to Port Stanley

M. C. R. PICNIC NEXT
Indignation Over Lack of
Rescue Facilities at Pinafore

ST. THOMAS, July 1.—All roads from this city led to Port Stanley to-day, and by 12 o'clock noon very shortly afterwards the city was practically deserted. Old and young alike packed their picnic baskets this morning to enjoy the cool breezes of Lake Erie and to witness the motorist picnic being staged by the Lake Erie Fishermen's Association.

Even the local lawn bowling association gave up their usual Dominion Day tournament in order to join with their friends at the lakeside. In fact everything closed down and the city went en masse to Port Stanley.

NEXT BIG EVENT.
The next big event in this city will be on July 17 and 18 when the Michigan Central employees excursion is held. Special excursion trains will be placed on the local division and will bring huge crowds from all parts of the country, including a large delegation from Jackson and Detroit, Michigan. The committee in charge, with John Scourman as general chairman, has held several meetings during the past week, and they have almost completed arrangements for taking care of the huge crowd. The skating rink, on Metcalfe street, will be utilized as sleeping quarters for the overflow of visitors and tents have been kindly offered by the military authorities at London so that everyone may have a place to spend the night. Pinafore Park, this city, will be the scene of activity the Saturday, while on Sunday the visitors will be taken to Port Stanley by a special London and Port Stanley train. It is likely that the day will then be spent at the lakeside. Four or five hands will in all probability participate in the events of the two days.

MOTORISTS COMPLAIN.
Considerable complaint is heard from local motorists who find the condition of Talbot street very dangerous. The road of wood blocks and the narrowness of the one side of the street before completing the one on the other half, and consequently in some

NUXATED IRON

HELPS MAKE STRONG, STURDY MEN AND HEALTHY BEAUTIFUL WOMEN

"Iron is red blood and in my experience I have found no better means of building up the red blood corpuscles and helping to give iron to the blood than Nuxated Iron."—Dr. R. H. Vail, formerly Medical Examiner, and now Health and Medical Examiner.

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Ah! How Tiz Helps Tired, Aching Feet

Instant Relief For Sore, Swollen, Tender, Calloused Feet and Corns.

You're footsick! Your feet feel tired, puffed up, chafed, aching, sweaty, and they need "Tiz." "Tiz" makes feet remarkably fresh and sore-proof. "Tiz" takes the pain and burn right out of corns, callouses and bunions. "Tiz" is the grandest foot-gladden in the world has ever known.

Get a box of "Tiz" at any drug store and end foot torture for a whole year. Never have tired, aching, sweaty, smelly feet; your shoes will fit fine and you'll only wish you had tried "Tiz" sooner. Accept no substitute.—ADV.

Run Down, Pale and Weak, Nervous and Tired?

"VITAL" TABLETS

THE GREAT FRENCH TONIC
WILL BUILD YOU UP.

How many people to-day are putting in an existence, far different from what nature intended. Disease of one sort or another is lurking in the system, sapping the very life itself. One cannot enjoy life. The French have come to the rescue of all such persons in VITAL Tablets, which are the essentials to make you healthy and strong. You have no appetite, your food does not agree with you, your nerves are all on edge, why? Because the very part of your body that needs to be kept in a strong, healthy condition is gradually getting weaker, rather than stronger. You must build yourself up. You must fortify your body. Once your body is strong, it will throw off all disease. The question is, what should one take to do this? The makers of VITAL Tablets will sell them under a guarantee. If they do not build you up, you can have your money back. Build yourself up, and away goes every disease. VITAL Tablets are a wonderful reconstructive remedy, known to science. Go to your druggist and procure a box of VITAL Tablets. See for yourself. Price five cents per box, at all drug stores. Seeber Drug Co., Montreal. Sold at all Standard Drug Stores in London and St. Thomas.—ADV.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quartet of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost. Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a cent. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms hands each day, and see how the sunburn, windburn and tan year and how clear, soft and white skin becomes. Yes! It is harmful.

NO PROHIBITION PLANK INCLUDED

But Bryan Renews Fight in
Dem. Committee

SYMPATHY FOR IRELAND
Subcommittee Overruled by the
Full Committee

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.—The Democratic platform committee at an early hour on Thursday morning adopted a plank dealing with the League of Nations. A long, bitter fight so delayed the platform workers that at 3:30 o'clock the committee recessed until 10 o'clock. Leaders had hoped to have the platform ready for the convention in the afternoon.

CAUTION DOWN.
Knex Presbyterian Church at Dutton which was condemned some time ago as unsafe, has been placed under a more modern structure. The old building has been practically removed. Only the old foundation remains. The new structure is being built on the old foundation. The new church will be started. It is expected to be completed in the winter. Dedication services will undoubtedly be held before the snow falls.

Henry Latham, of this city, reports the loss of a purse containing \$40 while he was returning to St. Thomas in a L. & P. S. car to-night.

TO LEAD LIBERALS
May Replace Dewart As Head
of Ontario Party.

TORONTO, July 1.—(Special to The Free Press.)—The dissatisfaction which has been smouldering in the ranks of the Liberal members of the Legislature for some time with the leadership of Mr. Dewart, has at last broken out into flame and preliminary steps have been taken which will test out whether Mr. Dewart is strong enough to hold the leadership. The first step was taken at the Ontario Club on Wednesday night, when a meeting of Liberal members decided that they would send a memorial to Mr. Dewart, declaring that they could no longer accept his leadership.

All during the evening it was evident that a number of the Liberal members were not satisfied with Mr. Dewart's course and his attitude toward the Farmer-Labor Government. Dissatisfaction has now reached the stage of open revolt upon the part of a small group, who expect to add to their numbers as time goes on. The leader of the group in the Legislature, it was stated to-night, will be Major J. C. Toine, of Windsor, who ran Mr. Dewart a close race for the leadership at the provincial convention last summer.

Mr. Toine is believed in giving the new Government every chance to make good and has no sympathy with Mr. Dewart's policy of criticizing and fault-finding. As to the general attitude of the group towards other parties and the suggestion that they might be quite willing to swing over to the support of the U. F. O., it was stated that their attitude would merely be one of friendliness towards all parties who were willing to endorse their principles.

STATEMENT FROM DEWART.
When the matter was drawn to the attention of Mr. Dewart last night he stated that he would shortly have a statement to make with regard to the general situation. He added: "If you worried about the memorial as much as I do, there would not be any presentation. I consider that I have done my duty conscientiously as a member of the Legislature, and beyond serving the whole people I have not the least political idea in my mind. I feel that I have an absolutely clear conscience in looking after the interests of all the people of the province, and if some of the people who are criticizing would get busy and do as much as I have done, they might get somewhere."

A canvass of the Toronto Liberals members who were in the city last night would indicate that the Dewart supporters outnumber the Toine. Mr. John O'Neill could not be reached, but his running mate in Southeast Toronto, W. W. Curry, admitted that he would be one who would sign the memorial. The two other Liberals, Capt. Jack Ramsden and Lieut.-Col. H. S. Cooper, declared they would have nothing to do with the getting-under movement. Capt. Ramsden, who was Mr. Dewart's running partner in Southwest Toronto, declared he had heard nothing of the memorial and had not been invited to the special conference. Col. Cooper, of Northwest Toronto, stated he "would not think of doing anything so disloyal as going against Mr. Dewart. If there is anything like that under way it is up to somebody to call a general convention of the party and not leave it in the hands of a few with a grudge. It won't come to anything."

TO DRAFT MEMORIAL.
At the special conference yesterday it was decided that the memorial, naming Mr. Dewart of their action, should be drafted at once and that it should be presented to the Liberal leader as soon as it has been given the signatures of all the Liberals who have agreed to sign it. The strength of the bolters and the number who will sign the memorial is not yet known, as there has not yet been any general attempt on the part of the leaders of the movement to put the question up to all the Liberal members in any definite form. In view of that it may be presumed that the group is still small, but they have the confidence that their influence will grow as time gives the other members a chance to decide which side they will line up with.

Quite regardless of the numerical strength of the bolters, it appears that they may rely upon some important newspaper backing, judging from the seemingly inspired article which appears on the front page of the Toronto Globe this morning. This article had been held, and though it momentarily flamed from letting the importance of the move being made known, the tone of the article would indicate that the paper was quite in sympathy with the movement, and that it would hardly discourage furtherance.

LIBERAL OUTSPOKEN.

One of the Liberal members who was present at the conference at the Ontario Club let it be known to-night that conditions were such within the Liberal ranks that he could not possibly remain on in his legislative unless there was a change in leadership. As he put it, he would give up his seat before he would put in another season under Mr. Dewart, and that, he believed, was the attitude of all the Liberals who were present at the conference. The necessity of resigning, however, did not appear to be necessary, in view of the fact that there is a possible leader in sight for the emergency of a split Liberal party. The same member pointed out that the objections to Mr. Dewart were quite "general." It was felt that some of the policies which the old Liberal party represents have not been brought to the front, and that they were not strongly advocated during the last session of the legislature.

DISORDER IN DUBLIN

Firing Heard Near Railway Line, But Disturbance Not Found
DUBLIN, July 1.—Soldiers were hurriedly called out of their barracks in this city at 1:30 o'clock this morning by the discharge of firearms in the neighborhood of the Kingsbridge terminus of the Great Southern Railway line.

reported and it was even said there might be no report until to-morrow.

PROHIBITION.
The committee has virtually closed its work without deciding any prohibition plank in the platform and the recess for an hour was for the purpose of giving William J. Bryan, brother of the President, another opportunity.

Whether Mr. Bryan would stick to his original bone-dry plank or offer another was not disclosed.

Aids from wet and dry issues the biggest fight of the day was centered in the Irish plank. Overruling its sympathizers and backed by a declaration of sympathy and a pledge to take whatever diplomatic action would be in consonance with international comity.

In making their decision the platform makers also rejected by a two to one vote the plank proposed by organized Irish sympathizers and backed by a caucus of about 200 convention delegates for diplomatic recognition of the Irish republic.

Magistrate: "Do you want a lawyer to defend you?"
Prisoner: "Oh, I'm quite willing, but I would as far as I'm concerned."

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GERMANS EXTORTIONATE WITH FOREIGN VISITORS

Hotels Mulct Them From 100 to 200
Per Cent. More Than Natives
Are Charged.

BERLIN, July 1.—As a result of the steady rise of the German mark foreign visitors are discovering that for them Germany is now, perhaps, the dearest country in Europe. And as the mark strengthens prices continue to rise.

For several months German hotels have been forcing foreigners to pay from 100 to 200 per cent. more than natives are charged. Many shops also make a practice of mulcting foreigners, some haberdasheries in Berlin charging 60 cents (American) for an ordinary white collar.

Newspapers, learning of the great influx of American tourists to England and France, are beginning to wonder if the extortion of shops and hotels will have the effect of keeping the Americans and other foreigners out of Germany.

But few men ever live long enough to realize their own unimportance. Some men do good things for publication and not as a guaranty of good faith.

GIVES BUILDING FOR HOSPITAL TO TOWN

WALLACEBURG, July 1.—(Special to The Free Press.)—The park site recently donated to the town by J. W. Steinhoff, was to-day formally opened for use, and coincidentally this event Mr. Steinhoff announced the gift to Wallaceburg for hospital purposes.

The building, of which Mr. Steinhoff is owner, is on the south side of the river, across from the Dupont Hotel, and has been closed for some time for a temporary hospital, which Wallaceburg has not hitherto possessed. Mr. Steinhoff also makes a money donation towards the cost of furnishing the institution.

At the opening of the park, addresses in appreciation of Mr. Steinhoff's generosity were made by T. B. Durand and J. S. Fraser. The park is in an excellent situation about a block from the river, and the work of improving it will begin at once.

WE WONDER.
Does the recording angel, we wonder, keep track of the number of times a day the conductor says, "Step forward, there—plenty of room in the front of the car!"

SPECIAL TRAINS FOR ST. THOMAS ORANGEMEN

Arrangement for July 12 With M. C. R.
and Pere Marquette

ST. THOMAS, July 1.—It is announced here to-day that special trains will convey crowds of local Orangemen, who intend celebrating July 12, from this city to Port Huron. There was some discussion among local Orangemen when the annual celebration was first discussed, and despite the fact that practically all other Orange lodges in the Dominion are going to Port Huron on the 12th, it was some time before the local lodges decided to follow suit.

The M. C. R. and Pere Marquette will assist with special excursion trains to Port Huron on the day mentioned.

OWEN SOUND CHARTER
ARRIVES BY PLANE
OWEN SOUND, July 1.—Owen Sound to-day fittingly celebrated the entrance into cityhood with a program of sports and other events, of which a feature was the arrival of Col. "Bibi" Bishop, V. C., by airplane from Toronto, carrying the charter from the Ontario Government which authorizes the municipality's new status.

MARKS NEW MILESTONE IN MINING INDUSTRY

British Columbia Plant To Remove
Valuable Ore To Extent of 90
Per Cent. Assay Value.

QUEENSLAND, B. C., July 1.—Announcement of a local firm that it is in the market for black sand concentrates and plant to remove values to the extent of 90 per cent. of the assay value is believed by many experts to mark a milestone in the development of the mining industry in this province. In British Columbia there are millions of tons of black sand carrying high values in gold and alloys of platinum which have hitherto been of little economic value because the precious metals could not be separated therefrom at a profit.

TO DEVELOP GLAUBER
SALTS IN SASKATCHEWAN
SASKATOON, Sask., July 1.—Plans are under way to develop the valuable deposits of glauber salts north of Saskatoon, Sask., according to information received here.

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Where in this entire country can you find such famous clothing worth every dollar of the regular prices, yet reduced to less than cost of production? The answer is AT GRAFTON'S AND NOWHERE ELSE! STOP PAYING THE MIDDLEMAN'S PROFIT.

Our Wonderful Boys' Dept.

The whole department is a-bustle and a-flutter with thrifty mothers taking advantage of this most marvelous Midsummer Sale. The most extraordinary sale of Boys' Suits in the history of this store. Our entire stock of New Spring Suits is in this great sale at reduced prices. All are of the most desirable colorings, pleated or belted models with full, roomy, lined bloomers.

\$6.98 \$8.98

WORTH UP TO \$10.00 WORTH UP TO \$12.00

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WORTH UP TO \$16.00 WORTH UP TO \$18.00

Small Boys' Wash Suits

Of timely interest to the great many mothers confronted with the problem of providing the little chaps with a summer wardrobe. Decided reductions have been made from prices already the lowest in town for such excellent, serviceable apparel.

98c, \$1.28, \$1.48, \$1.68, \$1.98 up to \$3.98

Separate Wash Knickers

59c 68c 98c

Khaki Bloomers, \$1.18 to \$1.68

Boys' Blouses Reduced

78c, 98c, \$1.28, \$1.48,
\$1.68, \$1.98

Men's Panama Hats --Save!

A remarkable opportunity to save 25% (and in many instances more) on a smart, cool Hat that will give service for years.

\$3.98 \$4.98 \$5.98
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The Matchless Japanese Toyo, \$2.98

WORTH \$4.00

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