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CARDINAL GIBBONS' CONDITION.

Baltimore, Md., March 23.—Cardinal Gibbons passed a restless night, and was weaker this morning, his secretary, the Rev. Albert E. Smith, said, adding, however, that the doctor had reported the patient's pulse to be good, and had told the members of the household that there was no immediate danger, unless something unforeseen sets in.



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GAS CHARGE TO BE \$125 PER THOUSAND PENDING INQUIRY

Audit of the Company's Books Will Be Made—Ten Cents of the \$1.25 To Go Into Reserve Account—Agreement Will Be Drafted As Soon As Possible.

(Special to The Advertiser.)
Toronto, March 22.—London gas consumers are to have the privilege of paying the City Gas Company for one year at least 25 cents per 1,000 feet additional for gas supply. All morning the private bills committee of the Legislature thrashed the issue out and failed to come to an agreement. Finally, in despair, it handed the problem over to a sub-committee.

The decision of the sub-committee, of which K. K. Hornum (Veterinarian) was chairman, was that for one year the City Gas Company of London shall be empowered to charge \$1.25 per 1,000 feet of gas, as compared with the present rate of 90 cents. Ten cents of the \$1.25 charge, however, must go into a reserve account, to be held for return to the consumers if at the end of the year the increase in price proves to have been not justified.

R. L. Brackin, Liberal member for West Kent, made the first proposal for a temporary arrangement, and his suggestion was followed by that of J. W. Curry, K. C., that the company be allowed for one year a \$1.25 rate and 25 cents to be returned to the consumers if the auditors found that it was not justified by production cost.

J. E. Thompson, representative of the high cost of living committee, of London, urged that the temporary price be \$1.15, with the whole 25-cent increase placed in a special fund. However, after the committee had listened to a vigorous declaration from the company's legal representative that it could not go on and produce gas at such a price, the plan as outlined was adopted.

According to the committee decision today the inquiry to be made at the end of the year will be an exhaustive one, embracing not only an examination of the company accounts, but will include a valuation of the plant as well.

Will Audit Books.
An audit of the company's books is to be carried out at the end of the year by an auditor appointed by the Ontario railway and municipal board. The bill incorporating this agreement is to be drafted by agreement between the private bills committee, the city solicitor of London, and the solicitor for the gas company.

London city officials present at the sub-committee meeting this afternoon agreed to the temporary arrangement, which also had the support of Sir Adam Beck. The main committee will meet again to pass upon the recommendation of the sub-committee, after which the legislation will be presented to the Legislature for approval.

Special.
The Ontario Legislature was this afternoon without its speaker, Nelson Macpherson, being ill in bed. It was reported that his temperature was high. The unusual position created was responsible for the proceedings being delayed a little, but it was fortunate that an ex-speaker was on hand in the person of Hon. Thomas Crawford, the Conservative member for Northwest Toronto.

R. L. Brackin, West Kent, introduced a bill enabling real estate agents to collect commissions where no written contract was made, provided that the agent is a member of the Real Estate Association of Ontario.

Mr. Brackin also introduced a bill to amend the Liquor License Act, providing that a license holder who has been convicted of a crime involving dishonesty or immorality shall be disqualified from holding a license for a period of five years.

Mr. Brackin also introduced a bill to amend the Public Health Act, providing that a person who is found to be suffering from a contagious disease shall be liable to be detained in a hospital for a period of not less than 14 days.

Mr. Brackin also introduced a bill to amend the Education Act, providing that a school board which fails to provide for the education of a child shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$100.

Mr. Brackin also introduced a bill to amend the Municipalities Act, providing that a municipality which fails to provide for the maintenance of its streets shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$500.

IMMIGRATION OFFICER IS APPOINTED HERE

John Farrel of Forest Takes Up Duties in Connection With Department of Agriculture.

It is announced that John Farrel of Forest, has been appointed immigration officer in London for the Province of Ontario.

The news of Mr. Farrel's appointment is received with much satisfaction by local farmers, and will also be gratifying to the United Boards of Trade of Western Ontario and other organizations who had requested that an immigration office be established in this city.

It will be recalled that a month or two ago the Hon. Manning Doherty while in London agreed to station an officer here in connection with the local office of the department of agriculture.

Mr. Farrel is eminently qualified for the position, having been in touch for many years with immigration work, and having visited Great Britain on several occasions.

He is well known to the farmers all over the area which will be covered by his activities, and is familiar with their requirements in regard to seasonal help.

The newly-appointed officer was in the city today, having conducted a tour of inspection of the farm servants from Toronto, where, it is understood, about 600 recently arrived with the intention of going on the land either as farm laborers or farmers on their own account.

It will be part of Mr. Farrel's duties to meet such immigrants at the point of landing, or at other convenient points, and direct them as to where they can be advantageously placed. Hitherto a large number of good men, who landed at Montreal or some other port, drifted in directions altogether unsuited to their particular qualifications, and the result was a waste of time and money.

So far as Western Ontario is concerned, this work will now be centralized in London, and should go a long way towards solving the farm labor problem.

It is understood that Mr. Farrel will devote his whole time to his duties.

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MANY BALL CLUBS APPLY FOR USE OF CITY DIAMONDS

P. U. C. Swamped With Applications, Says E. V. Buchanan.

Applications from an uncommonly large number of small baseball clubs for the use of the city diamonds in the city parks and playgrounds have already begun to pour into the public utilities office, and this morning General Manager E. V. Buchanan stated that he had received a number of these diamonds on regular scheduled days during the summer months which have not already made application, should do so at once.

While not knowing what plans Mel Brock, director of the public playgrounds, may have in hand, Mr. Buchanan, in answer to a question, said he thought it quite likely that Mr. Brock would take an active interest in the promotion of a public school baseball league this year, and expressed the opinion that with the facilities provided for the school teams to use the public diamonds under proper supervision, London will develop a high standard of amateur baseball players, possibly such that in the course of a few years will eliminate the necessity of getting players for its major team from all over the continent.

STAKES OUT SITE FOR THAMES PARK POOL
Youngsters Will Have Fine Time This Summer.

As a tentative step toward the consummation of the suggestion to construct a wading pool at Thames Park which would be used during the winter months as a permanent open-air hockey rink, General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the public utilities commission visited the park yesterday with an assistant and staked out a favorable site for the proposed pool.

The site which met with most favor is a low spot, which will reduce the amount of excavating to be done, and so lessen the cost of constructing the pool. Mr. Buchanan's latest suggestion on the matter is that instead of the usual round or oval wading pool an oblong basin of concrete be constructed to permit the playing of hockey matches be constructed.

The suggestion was favorably received by the parks committee of the public utilities commission, and Mr. Buchanan was instructed to prepare plans and estimates for consideration by the committee.

It was on May 5, 1821, that Napoleon died at St. Helena. On the centenary of his death the French cannot along the Seine here will fire the imperial salute of 101 guns, while at the same hour, with the permission of the British Government, a French battery at St. Helena will provide the same tribute to the man of destiny.

As a matter of fact the Napoleonic celebrations started this week when exhibitions of the emperor's documents and historical souvenirs opened at Fontainebleau, Malmaison, Compiègne and Sevres, which will be continued throughout the summer until the end of September to enable American tourists to perceive that time is capable of erasing political hatreds.

On the eve of the centenary a special mass is to be sung in the Cathedral of Notre Dame de Paris, attended by Archbishop Dubois, but the chief address will be delivered by the Abbe Henneque, whose priestly garb did not prevent him from emulating Napoleon's bravery by winning eleven citations in the great war. The climax of the celebrations will be provided by a great parade through the Arc de Triomphe on the following day, when Marshal Foch's blue-clad veterans and other soldiers in the picturesque uniforms of Napoleon's day will march side by side to the strains of the "Marseillaise." Marshal Foch himself has promised to deliver a eulogy.

WOULD ABOLISH STATUTE LABOR
Provincial Engineer Discusses Good Roads With Oxford Officials.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WOODSTOCK, March 22.—At the invitation of the county council the fifteen municipalities of the county today sent along their entire township councils or a delegation to hear J. A. P. Marshall, consulting engineer for the Ontario Department of Highways, explain the Government's system of helping townships in the matter of building and repairing their roads.

In his address Mr. Marshall pointed out that last year the Government felt that outside of the financial aid given counties in constructing and maintaining good roads the townships and villages should also receive attention. It was then decided, he pointed out, that municipalities wanting to participate in the Government's offer would receive a bonus of 20 per cent of the cost of building and maintaining permanent roads, including bridges and culverts. The Government recommended the appointing of an inspector and towards his salary gives 40 per cent.

Mr. Marshall impressed on his hearers the advisability of municipalities abolishing statute labor entirely. He pointed out that already 85 or 90 per cent of the townships of the province had decided to take advantage of the inducements offered. Incidentally five of six of Oxford's municipalities have applied for aid.

Referring to county roads, Mr. Marshall advised that Oxford do not ask for any more new roads this year. The speaker also found fault with the system at present in vogue here of awarding the different municipalities to work individually in constructing county roads. The county as a whole should expend the money wherever necessity arose, he said, and this would do away with the practice now in use of the township with the good gravel pits having the best roads.

SENT TO PENITENTIARY.
WOODSTOCK, March 22.—George Orme of Hamilton was sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary today. Orme arrived here on Sunday evening and immediately went in quest of a job, to which he is addicted, and for the theft of which he was only two weeks ago released from Burwash after serving his sentence. He visited Dr. Jupp's office, and after entering, helped himself to morphine tablets, also a quantity of stamps.

STANDARD DRUG STORES EASTER TIME SALE

For Easter we are featuring many dainty toilet requisites, particularly Toilet Waters, Toilet Powders, Perfumes, etc. Tasty packages of Stationery, as well as the indispensable box of Chocolates, will also be on display. On these Easter time items we are endeavoring to save you money, as well as on your regular drug store needs, many of which you will find offered below in this big list of bargains for

THURSDAY AND SATURDAY

PLEASE NOTE.—For the convenience of the public, our stores will be open on Good Friday, but these prices are in vogue only on Thursday and Saturday.

No. 252	10 dozen	8 gross	12 cases	Hydrogen Peroxide
Hot Water Bottles Guaranteed to last one full year. Reg. \$2.25 each. Thursday and Saturday \$1.39 (This is a genuine bargain.)	Neilson's Italian Creams 1-lb. boxes. A delicious creamy center chocolate in assorted flavors. Price, per lb., 80c	Pebeco Tooth Paste The original Pebeco. Reg. 50c tube. Thursday and Saturday 31c	Beaumont Brand Olive Oil Sealed bottles, large size. Reg. \$2.00. Thursday and Saturday \$1.19	Three sizes. 4-ounce size12c 8-ounce size22c 16-ounce size39c Thursday and Saturday.

Colgate's Toilet Articles	Ingram's Milkweed Cream	Woodbury's Toilet Articles
Coleo Soap2 for 25c Allround Bath Soap 2 for 25c Cashmere Bouquet Soap, special size30c Natural Soap, per cake20c Shaving Soap, per cake15c Handy Grip Shaving Stick45c Refill for Shaving Stick35c Shaving Powder or Cream45c Perfume, assorted odors, in 3-dram vials25c Toilet Waters, assorted odors, small size50c Large size1.00 Bandoline40c Brilliantine50c Cold Cream Tubes35c Cold Cream, jars50c Tooth Powder22c Tooth Paste25c Talcum Powders, assorted odors, regular size, per tin22c Special size, per tin35c Cha-Ming, a new odor, in a new style tin35c Thursday and Saturday	Ingram's Milkweed Cream, Regular 50c33c Ingram's Milkweed Cream, Regular \$1.0069c Velveola Face Powder22c Velveola Souveraine Face Powder43c Calla Cream (liquid face powder)37c Rouge, all shades, Regular 50c34c Zodenta Tooth Powder or Paste18c Thursday and Saturday.	Facial Soap, per cake25c Facial Cream, tubes25c Facial Cream, jars50c Facial Powder35c Facial Cold Cream, jars50c Dental Powders25c Dental Cream25c Shaving Stick25c Shaving Stick Refill25c

Safetee Shaving Cream, Reg. 40c.	Pepsodent Tooth Paste, Reg. 50c.	Bovril, 1 oz.22c, 2 oz.39c, 16 oz.\$2.29	Glover's Mange Remedy, Reg. \$1.15.
29c	32c		89c
Outicura Talcum, Reg. 35c.	Oriex Compound, Reg. 50c.	Odorono, Small22c, Medium 44c, Large79c	Pamo Hat Cleaner
24c	37c		25c
Bidwell's Hand-Drawn Tooth Brushes, Reg. \$1.00.	Canadian Hair Dye, Reg. 50c.	Allenbury's Food, No. 2, large,\$1.39, No. 3, large,99c	National Shaving Lotion, Reg. 35c.
69c	37c		22c

Waterglass (Egg Preserver), 1-lb. tins, 2 for 29c.	C. B. Q. Cascara Bromide of Quinine, 17c.	Mecca, Reg. 25c. 16c.	Nujol, Reg. 1.50.
2 for 29c	17c	Reg. 50c. 33c.	\$1.17
Miller's Iron Pills, Reg. 25c.	Saniflush, Reg. 35c.	Kins-Haw for Eczema, Reg. 35c. 22c.	Electric Oil, Reg. 35c.
19c	27c	Reg. \$1.77c.	19c
Pluto Water, Reg. 25c.	Bromo Seltzer, Reg. 10c.	Snap Hand Cleaner, Reg. 25c.	Wampole's Cod Liver Oil Extract
17c	3 for 22c	17c	\$1.00

MONA, 4 for 25c.	DAVID HARUM, 5 for 39c.	EL PREMIO, 5 for 39c.	OLD ABE, 4 for 29c.
Box of 25 Cigars.	Box of 25 Cigars.	Box of 25 Cigars.	Box of 25 Cigars.
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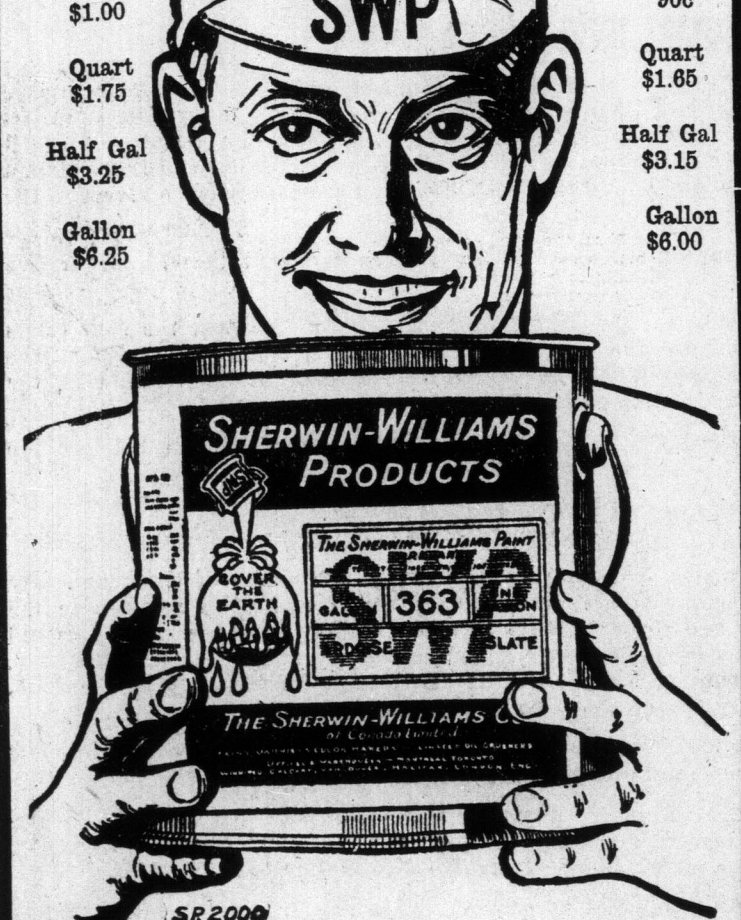
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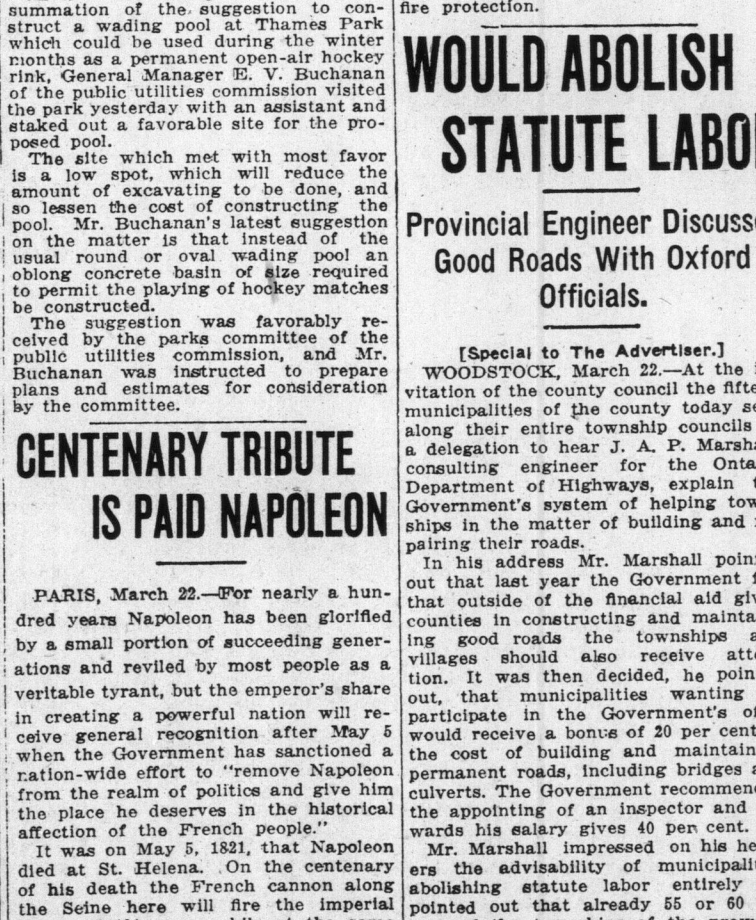
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