



# ALL ABOARD, SCHOOL PICNIC

## At SPRINGBANK, FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 1925



### LONDON PRESBYTERY DIVIDED NEARLY EQUALLY OVER UNION

22 Congregations Have Voted  
To Enter New Church—  
28 To Stay Out.

ONE CENTER YET

Latest Toronto Reports Show  
1,673 Concurring and 667  
Non-Concurring Churches.

With the date of union scarcely  
one week away and one center yet  
to report, the presbytery of London  
seems to have divided about evenly  
as to the number of congregations  
which will enter the United church  
of Canada and the number which  
will become units of the continuing  
Presbyterian church.

The most accurate figures avail-  
able show that 22 congregations have  
voted to enter the United church,  
eight will automatically enter the  
United church by reason of their  
unanimous decision not to take a  
formal vote, while 28 congregations  
have voted against becoming units  
of the United church.

The congregations which have  
voted unanimously to enter the  
United church have a total member-



REV. JOHN PRINGLE, D.D.,  
of Sydney, N. S., ex-moderator of the  
Presbyterian assembly, who will take  
a leading part in this week's historic  
conclave in Toronto.

ship of 702 persons, as follows:  
Aylmer, 87; Springfield, 79; Payne's  
Mills, 100; McBride's, Dunwich, 77;  
Chalmers, Dunwich, 79; Kintore, 180;  
Chelsea Green, 35; St. Paul's, Lon-

don, 95.  
The 22 congregations which voted  
concurrent or approval of the  
whole union proposal have a total  
membership of 5,029. Of this num-  
ber, 2,807 votes were cast for union  
and 1,025 against union.

The 28 congregations which voted  
non-concurrence or disapproval of  
the whole union proposal have a total  
membership of 5,607. Of this num-  
ber, 3,178 votes were cast against  
union and 1,273 for union.

Thus in the 50 congregations in  
which formal congregational votes  
were taken a non-concurrent major-  
ity of 123 votes is shown, the total  
standing 4,208 votes against union  
and 4,080 for union.

The vote by congregations, accord-  
ing to figures supplied by Rev. Wil-  
liam Seattle, D.D., C.M.G., First  
Presbyterian church, London, and  
chairman of the presbytery's com-  
mittee on church union, was as fol-  
lows:

Churches	Members	For	Agst.
Carlisle	94	53	16
West Lorne	180	96	78
Iliderton	69	37	28
Cooke's, Delaware	135	45	5
South Caradoc	49	34	15
Dorchester	200	72	26
Cumlin	102	44	32
Tait's Corners	119	55	51
Vanneck	151	59	0
Ivan	138	77	49
Hyde Park	63	44	13
Bethel	70	56	16
Riverside	45	13	2
Rodney	253	123	121
Thamesford	287	103	63
Wardville	66	35	12
Newbury	110	70	11
St. Andrew's	127	50	19
Westminster	497	366	58
First church	598	253	73
King street	600	325	103
Knox	800	325	103
St. Andrew's	1073	790	116
Totals	5029	2807	1025

Churches	Members	For	Agst.
Ailsa Craig	169	41	110
Appin	114	25	61
North Elmdale	15	24	15
Argyle	126	38	74
Belmont	198	24	112
Yarmouth	143	10	70
Bethel	100	10	20
Bryanston	52	9	22
Duff's, Dunwich	129	18	74
Dutton	192	39	103
Finlay	207	28	81
Glencoe	414	158	211
Kintyre	175	44	73
Mosa	210	28	122
Monkton	53	3	35
North Caradoc	40	6	31
Komoka	50	15	27
New Glasgow	74	26	38
Port Stanley	89	32	48
Wallacetown	135	49	70
North street	38	11	24
Alma, St. Thomas	281	37	120
Knox, St. Thomas	881	181	585
Knollwood Park	89	1	79
Chalmers, London	150	60	87
Hamilton road	350	105	240
St. George's	150	13	107
New St. James	857	230	526
Totals	5607	1273	3178

Latest reports of the Presbyterian  
church union situation issued from  
Toronto show that 1,673 churches  
have voted concurrence and 667 non-  
concurrence. The Presbyterian  
Church Association claims that 706  
churches have voted non-concur-

rence.  
MISS ROSS IMPROVED.  
Miss Helen Ross, St. Marys, niece  
of Rev. William Ross of East Wil-  
liams, who has been seriously ill with  
sleeping sickness, is somewhat im-  
proved, doctors stated last night.  
Miss Ross is at the home of her sis-  
ter, Mrs. Longhurst, St. Marys.

### Broadcasting

## LONDON PUBLIC SCHOOL COLORS

ABERDEEN  
Red, Orange, Black.

ALEXANDRA  
Purple and Green.

BOYLE MEMORIAL  
Dark Blue and Red.

CHELSEA GREEN  
Black, Paddy Green  
and Pale Green.

CHESLEY AVENUE  
Pale Blue and White.

EALING  
Light Blue, Dark Blue  
and White.

EMPRESS  
Gold and Purple.

KNOLLWOOD  
Orange and Black.

LORD ROBERTS  
Red and Black.

LORNE AVENUE  
Yellow and Black.

School Girls, School Boys and Teachers, Cut  
This List Out and Save It for Future Use.

### City Churches

#### CRONVY MEMORIAL A. Y. P. A.

The members of the A. Y. P. A. of  
the Cronvy Memorial church held an  
enjoyable banquet recently at the Do  
Luxe Cafe, with over 40 members  
present. Mr. and Mrs. George Hay-  
man and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Robin-  
son were special guests of the even-  
ing. Kenneth Smith acted as chair-  
man. Kenneth Hodgins proposed the  
toast to the church, to which Mr.  
Hayman responded. Mr. Robin-  
son toasted the A. Y. P. A. and Mr.  
Smith responded.

Reports that were gratifying were  
received from the secretary-treasurer,  
the social service committee and the  
social committee. The tables were  
decorated with carnations.

#### EMPRESS AVENUE LEAGUE.

The regular meeting of the Empress  
avenue league, held last night, was  
under the direction of the devotional  
committee, with Mrs. A. J. McLean  
presiding. The Bible reading was  
given by Miss Viola Smeltzer. A very in-  
teresting talk on the summer school  
at Alma College, St. Thomas. The  
roll call was responded to with a  
verse from Proverbs. Mrs. Tuttle  
and Miss Ione Guymer contributed a  
pleasing vocal duet. Plans were made  
for the annual picnic to be held on  
June 22, at Springbank. Miss Verda  
Goodland is the general convener.

#### LILLIAN McVICAR AUXILIARY.

The Lillian McVicar auxiliary of  
the London Presbyterian met last  
night at the home of Miss Jean Gor-  
will, Wellington street. The meet-  
ing was especially interesting, due  
to the fact that the members had  
special guests Miss McVicar, who is  
home on furlough from India, and  
for whom the society was named, and  
Miss Queenie Walker, who has served  
four years at Pine River, Man., and  
who has just been appointed to the  
Rosedale war memorial hospital at  
Matheson, New Ontario.

The president, Miss Jean Steven-  
son, was in the chair. Miss Florence  
Murray read the Scripture lesson  
and the Missionary Messenger. Re-  
view was taken by Miss Ruth Pan-  
view. Delightful informal addresses  
were given by the guests of honor  
and they were greatly appreciated by  
the members. Miss Motishaw, ac-  
companied by Miss Gorwill, sang de-  
lightfully. The evening was con-  
cluded with a much enjoyed social  
half hour, during which dainty re-  
freshments were served.

#### ROBINSON MEMORIAL LEAGUE.

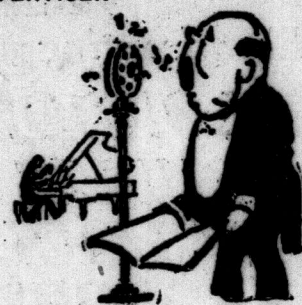
The members of the league of the  
Robinson Memorial Methodist church  
held their regular meeting at Spring-  
bank last night in honor of their pas-  
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who are leaving shortly for a new  
field of work. The evening was fea-  
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books, Modern English Essays. The  
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and Miss Jeffries. A delicious picnic  
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#### SOUTHERN M. B.

At the regular meeting of the mis-  
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tional church, held yesterday after-  
noon plans were made for a social  
meeting to be held next Monday,  
which will be the closing session of  
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be held in the near future.

#### INTERMEDIATE ENDEAVOR.

The regular meeting of the Inter-  
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the Southern Congregational church  
was held last night, and in the ab-  
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superintendent, Mrs. W. Powell, pre-  
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POTTERSBURG  
Navy Blue and White.

RECTORY  
Yellow and Pale Blue.

RIVERVIEW  
Old Rose and Violet.

RYERSON  
Red, Purple, Green.

SIMCOE  
Pink and Black.

ST. GEORGE'S  
Red and White.

FALBOT  
Purple, Gold, White.

TECUMSEH  
Gold and Brown.

TRAFALGAR  
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### HITS COMPULSORY AUTO INSURANCE

Editor of Canadian Motorist  
Declares Legislature Would  
Increase Accidents.

Warren B. Hastings, editor of the  
Canadian Motorist, is not in favor of  
compulsory insurance for motor car  
owners, as advocated by many of the  
states in the republic to the south.  
In the current number of the Cana-  
dian Motorist Mr. Hastings has the  
following to say:

"The 'to be or not to be' of com-  
pulsory motor vehicle liability insur-  
ance is a problem agitating motorists  
and law-makers the country over. In  
the legislatures there are bills to  
make the motor vehicle insurance as  
statutory prerequisite of licensing.

"The protagonists of compulsory  
automobile insurance contend that  
the public should be insured of in-  
demnification in case of personal and  
property damage, or damages re-  
sulting from an accident caused by  
a motor vehicle in which the driver  
is at fault.

Neutral Position.  
"They point out that in many in-  
stances compensation for loss or in-  
jury to a person or possession has  
been impossible, due to the financial  
irresponsibility of some motor own-  
ers. At first it may appear para-  
doxical that the casualty companies  
are a unit in opposing the proposed  
laws. This seeming anomaly is ex-  
plained by the fact that they are  
convinced that compulsory motor  
insurance would very soon result in  
state insurance, and so instead of  
greatly increasing their premium in-  
come, it would considerably decrease  
it."

"Some of the organizations of mo-  
torists have taken a neutral position  
in the controversy. Others are  
strongly opposed to the proposal.  
They contend that the proposed act  
is 'Class' and 'paternal' legislation.  
That in effect it would be adversely  
discriminating and subversive to the  
public weal."

#### Increase Accidents.

"It would be unsatisfactory because  
it would tend to increase, rather than  
decrease, accidents by virtue of the  
fact that a driver would know that  
the financial responsibility in case of  
accident would not be his, and be-  
cause the general public would know  
that in face of injury, indemnifica-  
tion would be forthcoming.

"Thus the moral hazard—the most  
costly feature of liability insurance  
today—would be greatly increased.  
Obviously this would not conduce to  
the public weal, and would very con-  
siderably augment the cost of per-  
sonal liability and property damage  
insurance. In addition it would  
greatly increase litigation, and would  
impose a tax on motorists that would  
mount many times that of the sum  
of uncompensated injuries. It would  
burden many of one class for the  
benefit of a very few."

#### In Canada's Parliament

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Ottawa, June 3.—Commons and  
senate stand adjourned.

#### YESTERDAY.

The senate adjourned after some  
debate respecting the post of gentle-  
man usher of the black rod.  
In the commons the protectionist  
resolution of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen  
was defeated after an all-day debate,  
by 87 to 147. Estimates totalling  
\$25,474, providing for the depart-  
ment of external affairs, the high  
commissioner's office in London,  
Canadian representation in Paris and  
Washington, and salaries of the  
privy council staff, were passed.

#### TWO KILLED, MANY HURT

Associated Press Despatch.  
Minneapolis, June 3.—Two are  
known to have been killed, eight  
more were reported near death in  
hospitals, and at least a score of  
other persons were injured as the  
result of a terrific wind and electrical  
storm which struck Minneapolis and  
vicinity last night.

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Same style in high laced, \$1.65.

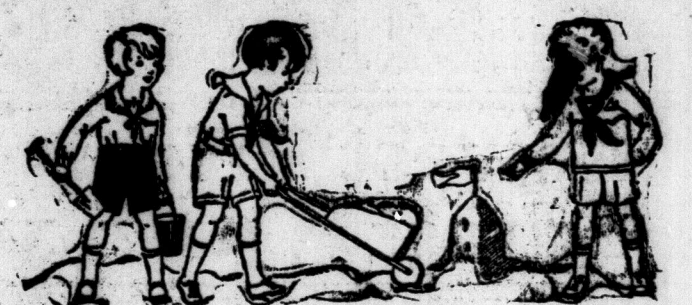
BOYS' BLACK FLEET FOOT  
OXFORDS ..... \$1.25  
HIGH-LACED STYLE, sizes  
1 to 5 ..... \$1.35

BOYS' DUPLEX BALMORALS, white canvas with brown rubber  
trimmings, heavy brown rubber soles, with suction cups;  
a real winner with boys; sizes 1 to 5, at ..... \$1.85

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in the Children's Department, Balcony.

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Boys' Baseball

Wash Suits

\$1.50

"Play ball," says Billy, and  
you can believe he'll play a  
much better game in this smart  
little suit with contrasting  
piping and baseball emblem on  
the pocket. A feature value at  
..... \$1.50

Just about the smartest thing  
Billy can wear on warm days,  
for either dress or play. Very  
attractive materials in middy  
and sailor styles. They affect a  
wonderfully smart color con-  
trast on the collars and cuffs  
or contrasting knickers and  
blouse. Pretty hard to beat  
them at ..... \$2.95

Wash Suits

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For Small Boys

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COOKED HAM 65c  
MARTIN'S 177 DUNDAS ST. PHONE 48  
ROAST PORK 65c

OLIVES 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c  
and 45c per bottle.  
Ham Bologna... 25¢  
Beef Bologna... 23¢  
Lunch Tongue... 48¢  
SARDINES 6c, 10c, 15c, 18c and 20c  
Macaroni Leaf... 32¢  
Veal Leaf... 32¢  
CANNED SALMON Red Coho, 15¢  
Maple Leaf 23¢ and 45¢  
Horse Shoe... 22¢  
Pink Salmon, large tin 18¢ 2 for 35¢