

MUSHROOM SEASON IS HERE AGAIN

Hunters of the Delectable Root Find Many in Vicinity of London.

Many Inquiries at the Public Library For Books on the Subject.

"Why don't you publish a mushroom story?" asked Public Librarian W. O. Carson this morning when a reporter inquired what was doing. "We get inquiries every day for books on mushrooms, now that the mushroom season is here again. We have some very good books on the subject, too, and they are being used to good advantage. One man who had gathered several baskets the other morning out at Pond Mills came in to look up a variety he had found, but was not sure whether it was edible. When he found out it was good to eat he jumped on his bicycle and went back to gather those he had left growing."

Mushroom Types.
It so happened that Prof. James H. Bowman, of the Western University, who is well known as a botanical authority, was in the library. "Mushrooms," said Prof. Bowman, "are divided into four main classes: black spored, white spored, brown spored and purple spored. Nearly all the poisonous varieties are white spored and care should be taken in gathering any of these. But among the white-spored mushrooms are the Lepiota, a family of four or five varieties, all edible. The color of the spores is shown under the gills."

Some Are Poisonous.
"Of the white-spored mushrooms the Amanitas are the most poisonous. One good-sized Amanita will kill four men. There are three or four species growing here, some in the fields and some in the woods. Outside of the Amanitas all poisonous mushrooms are tough and would suggest indigestibility."

"The best mushrooms for the table are probably the common field mushroom and the horse-mushroom. Both are pink-gilled and have rosy or brown spores. There are no poisonous mushrooms like these, but care must be taken that they are fresh, for mushrooms, like fish and some other articles of food, in decaying produce ptomaines, which are very poisonous. Of these, the field mushroom has the more delicate flavor. The horse-mushroom has a strong mushroom flavor. It is much larger than the field mushroom, and is usually found near stables."

Puffballs Are Edible.
"Besides the edible mushrooms which grow in this vicinity, after a good rain plenty of puffballs will be found growing in the fields. All puffballs are edible and are very fine food."

Puffballs should only be eaten while they are white when broken. The large field puff ball is common these fine days. Cut into slices, it is fried like pancakes, and is delectable. There is no more enjoyable autumn pastime than mushroom hunting or puff-ball hunting. Puffballs vary in size from eight to ten inches in diameter to the size of a small walnut.

"Some of the best mushrooms belong to the black-spored families. The shaggy-maned mushroom grows in troops along the country roads. It is six to eight inches in height. It is tall, white and conical in shape. At first the gills are white, then turn to pink, and then to black. The old mushroom, become moist and lanky on the ends of the gills and drop away. This will indicate their identity. At Delmonico's and other fashionable New York restaurants, they are a favorite and expensive dish."

Fine For Catnip.

"The lily catnip, also found here, grows in bunches, and is five or six inches high. In England, mushroom catnip is made from this variety. It may be found growing here at Meadow Lily Mills, along the banks of the river. The micaceous coprinus grows at the base of stumps and is used to flavor soups. The most common of the ring mushroom grows in rings, varying in diameter from three or four to thirty feet. They were supposed to spring up out of the footprints of fairies who danced in the moonlight. They are yellowish white with white gills. They are among the best edible mushrooms, and are highly thought of in Europe. They can be dried, and are strung on strings and kept until wanted for use. Soaked in water, they become quite fresh again. They are dried and grated in France, and used for soups."

"The coral mushroom grows in swamps. There are three species of it. It has long coral-like, twining stems, and is furnished with little white teeth which give it the appearance of carved coral."

The coral is not so common as some other varieties of mushroom, but Prof. Bowman added that the coral is in company with Prof. John Dearness, he had found a rare species of the coral mushroom. It is an interesting mushroom that is worth looking for.

Had a Stroke Of Paralysis

And Found a Cure in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

It is always better to prevent serious diseases of the nerves. There are many warnings, such as sleeplessness, irritability, headaches and nervous indigestion.

Prostration, paralysis and locomotor ataxia only come when the nervous system is greatly exhausted. Even though your ailment may not yet be very serious, there is a great satisfaction in knowing that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food will cure paralysis in its earlier stages.

Mrs. R. Bright, 215 Booth avenue, Toronto, writes: "Two years ago my husband had a stroke which left him in a weak, nervous condition. He started taking Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and Kidney-Liver Pills, and we saw the good results almost immediately. They have made a new man of my husband and we cannot speak too highly of them."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 8 for \$4.00, all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

COMMENCE AT ONCE ON THE NEW THEATRE PLANS

Representative of Magnate Has Interview With Building Inspector.

Building Inspector Piper was interviewed this week by the son of John Griffin, the theatrical magnate, who will erect the new theatre on Wellington street, and by an architect who accompanied Mr. Griffin.

The blue print has been taken to Buffalo, and the work upon the architect's plans will commence at once. Although no figures in regard to the lease from Mr. William Bernard of the property have been given out, it is stated that the sum of \$3,600 a year is to be received yearly for the property, Mr. Griffin to erect the buildings.

In some quarters it has been stated that the theatre will not be erected, but so far as Mr. Bernard is concerned it must go through, as he has the papers signed, sealed and delivered.

CAPT. COLLINS EXPLAINS FIRST AID TO INJURED

Demonstrations of St. John's Ambulance Corps Made at Hyman Hall.

Captain Collins, inspector of St. John's Ambulance Corps for Canada, lectured on the work of the corps before a large audience at Hyman Hall Thursday evening.

The lecture was preceded by an inspection of four ambulance teams chosen from the two corps existing in this city. They put on a most interesting exhibition of first-aid work. Four "patients" suffering from numerous fractures and other injuries were taken in charge by the teams. Deftly and quickly they applied splints and bandages, stopped the flow of blood from supposedly dangerous wounds, and in a few moments carried their subjects off on stretchers.

Exhibitions of bandaging and of carrying wounded when no stretchers were available were also given, as well as demonstrations in the art of artificial respiration. The work was watched with the keenest interest by the spectators.

Work Is Eulogized.
Following the practical demonstrations, Captain Collins proceeded with his lecture, being introduced by the Right Rev. Dean Davis, who eulogized the work being done by St. John's Ambulance Corps as being calculated to do a great amount of good in relieving human suffering.

Captain Collins' lecture contained much of interest, and was illustrated by a splendid series of lantern slides. He traced the history of the St. John's Ambulance Corps from its inception in 1918, and although it had passed through many vicissitudes, its aims and objects were still the same.

The speaker gave many instances in which the work of the corps had been of great value, and urged the better equipment of the corps existing in this city, which was the first to be formed in Canada. The Duke and Duchess of Connaught were keenly interested in first-aid work, he said, both holding first certificates in first aid, as well as a medalion. Princess Patricia was also preparing herself for the examination necessary to receive a medalion.

At the close of the lecture, Captain Collins imparted to the teams some useful information in regard to the coming competition for the championship of Canada in Ottawa. It is probable that London will send a team to try for the medalion.

APPEALING ADDRESS BY MR. COLEGROVE
Evangelist Presents Gospel to Another Record Crowd at City Mission.

A record crowd assembled in the City Mission on Thursday night to hear Evangelist Colegrove on the subject, "Second Coming." Large crowds have gathered during the past week to hear the speaker, but this particular subject is of special interest, and consequently the audience were disappointed when the evangelist announced that he had been postponed until Friday evening.

Paul's Letter.
The theme of Mr. Colegrove's address for the evening was taken from Hebrews, II, 3: "How shall we escape?" The conditions and circumstances connected with the writing of the letter by Paul were discussed by the speaker. It was written at a time when the Jews were in doubt as to Christianity, and its purpose was to stimulate the religious spirit and to dispel all doubts and misgivings. Christianity is the only religion which has a salvation, the speaker declared, better further demonstrated the fallacy of other beliefs.

Limitations of Science.
That science with all its cunning and mastery over many things is unable to fashion and give life to even a fly, was discussed at some length by the evangelist. We can accomplish triumphs of engineering and seemingly impossible feats, but all of man's powers are of no avail when the creating of life is attempted. It is impossible to comprehend the infinite greatness of God's great universe, the speaker asserted. We gaze into the sky and view the myriads of stars, we can discern with the naked eye worlds in the process of evolution, and with the aid of a powerful telescope, the entire solar system can be outlined. But beyond the power of eyes and glass alike, countless worlds are revolving through space, fiery meteors are moving in obedience to some fixed law of the Creator, which marks out their courses and times their movements to the smallest fraction of a degree.

God's Sacrifice.
"It is only when we consider these wonders of God that we gain some idea of the infinite greatness of his power," said the speaker. "How many men realize the sacrifice of God to the world when he gave his only Son to suffer for our sins? He who had everything to give, sacrificed the best he had, for our transgressions."

That few people realize the danger of drifting into sin was exemplified by the speaker in some apt comparisons. "The average person has no conception of the gripping power of sin. Unaware it creeps upon a man little by little, until it holds him as in a vise. It is, then, if a realization comes, that the desperate fight for freedom begins, and without the help of Christ there is no hope of relief. Only under his able guidance can the sinner successfully win out for God."

During the services excellent musical numbers were rendered by the quartet of Tabbot Street Baptist Church, Mrs. (Dr.) Brown and Mr. Charles Maynard.

HARRY PELISSIER DEAD.
[Canadian Press.]
London, Sept. 26.—The death occurred today of Harry Gabriel Pelissier, the well-known comedian and entertainer and founder of "The Folies" troupe. He was born in London in 1874.

The Comfort of Knowing the Quality and Knowing It By Name

Attention! Boys!
LOOK UP YOUR NUMBERS ON DOWLER BUTTONS. Here are the prize-winners: 1604, 21, 241, 1242, 464, 1126, 2458, 1567, 123, 1905, 966, 1356, 834, 781, 1477.
Any boys matching the above numbers, all of which have been given out, will receive a \$5.00 SUIT EACH, free of charge.

Consolation Prizes
All boys having a Dowler Button will be allowed 25c by presenting same on any \$5 or over Suit or Overcoat in our store. This is to introduce the greatest selection of Boys' Clothing we have ever carried.



The "Dowler 3" Overcoats
These Coats are drawn from life. Three styles, designed specially for our young men's trade—the smartest garments ever shown in London. The public is fast waking up to the fact that there are distinct standards of tailoring in ready-to-wear clothing. "I have heard so much praise of 20th Century Clothing from my friends," said a new customer this week, "that I HAVE DECIDED I WANT TO WEAR IT." Twenty distinct styles by this make is shown only by
R. H. & J. DOWLER
LONDON. Limited. ST. THOMAS.

Ready-to-Measure Suits and Overcoats
Our Made-to-Measure Department is turning out the smartest tailoring in Canada. We personally guarantee every Suit to retain its shape in any strain of wear or weather. We have a selection of over 600 cloths.
Evening Dress Suits by Experts
Our Evening Dress Suits are distinctly in a class by themselves. We invite comparison by any made or shown elsewhere. Come in and try them on. Bring your friends along.
SUITS \$28, \$32, \$35

When you buy DOWLER CLOTHES you do not have to "guess" what kind of cloths you are getting; you SEE the style and you KNOW the satisfaction is guaranteed.

The Great Advantage of Buying at Dowlers'

Our buying facilities are greater than any other Clothing Store in Western Ontario. We buy in larger quantities, and we buy every dollar's worth for spot cash, taking our discounts as well as special price advantages. TWELVE LARGE FACTORIES, MAKING FOR OVER 350 STORES, and who control, in many cases, the whole output of mills, is the source of our supply, and enables us to sell you Clothes at 10 to 20 per cent less, quality for quality, than small makers manufacturing for a few stores. As well might the farmer of a few acres try to compare with the man of several hundred acres—his house (or factory) expenses would be too much for his production; besides, we have THE GREAT ADVANTAGE of the open market with every good maker competing for a slice of our business. ALL THESE ADVANTAGES STAND OUT PROMINENTLY in the class and quality of our Clothing.

A Whole Army of Overcoats

We have specialized in Young Men's Swagger Overcoats this season.

A young New York actor when purchasing one of our \$30.00 Chinchilla 20th Century Coats last Saturday, remarked: "This Coat would cost \$65.00 in a high-class store in New York." He was delighted with the graceful fit and hang, so different from what he had tried on elsewhere.

22 Distinct Styles

The Stafford, the Saxon, the Varsity and the Three Dowler Specials, as shown in the cut, all Young Men's Coats, shown only by this store; shawl collar and belted, short, medium and long lengths.

The Chesterfield, the Churchill, the Renick, the Speedway, for the men of more conservative taste.

A WHOLE CATALOGUE OF COLORINGS AND CLOTHS—Chinchillas, Brushes, Whitneys, Cheviots, Friezes and Meltons, blues, browns, grays, black and fancies.

OVERCOATS—\$6.80 up to \$20.00, and then on to \$28.00.

The Fur-Lined Overcoat is tabooed for Style—The cloth maker has far outstripped it for comfort and style combined in our Coats at \$30, \$35, \$45 and \$50, in English and Canadian tailoring.

London's Best Hose House

100 doz. best 50c Cashmere Hose 3 pairs \$1
150 doz. Silk Spliced Cashmere Hose, per pair 25c
50 doz. Pure Wool Rib Worsted Hose, per pair 25c
150 doz. Penman's 20c Socks 2 pairs 25c

Hats! Hats!

We have specialized in hats this season, and we are showing the nicest styles in this city. The new "Brushed" and "Chinchillas," in greens, browns, Oxfords, grays and navy, \$1.50, \$1.80, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.

Caps, Too

In all the autumn styles and cloths, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.

R. H. & J. DOWLER, Limited
176-178 DUNDAS STREET, LONDON—ST. THOMAS

Strathroy Man Died in Alberta

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Strathroy, Sept. 26.—The death of Robert H. Coutts occurred last Tuesday at Strathcona, Alta. Mr. Coutts had been ill for some time, and his death was not unexpected, although it was rumored that his condition was improving. Mr. Coutts resided in Strathroy for many years, being at one time a member of the firm of Hamblin & Coutts, marble dealers. The remains will arrive here on Saturday morning and will be interred in the Strathroy Cemetery.

TIGHT MONEY PINCHING MANY.
Thousands are being squeezed by acting corns which can be cured quickly with Putnam's Corn Extractor. Being free from caustics, Putnam's is painless. Used successfully for fifty years. Use no other, 25c, at all dealers.

Farmers Are Busy Filling Their Silos
Wyoming, Sept. 26.—Corn-cutting and silo-filling again is in order. The corn fields, although badly bleached with the frost, are not considered damaged for silage. With continued good weather for two or three weeks, a busy time is before the farmers.

Sugar-beet harvesting is on also. Although little acreage was sown to this

crop in the immediate vicinity, several fields of three and four acres are being shipped from Wainstead. One 10-acre field owned by Mr. W. Brecken, lying on the flats of Bear Creek, is being rapidly stripped, lest rain come, rendering the low ground wet and difficult to work on.

Some dissatisfaction is expressed at the style of cars supplied by the Grand Trunk being regular coal cars. This makes double labor in loading.

Strathroy At Home Greatly Enjoyed

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Strathroy, Sept. 26.—Capt. F. W. Chavasse and officers of G Company, Twenty-sixth Middlesex Light Infantry gave an "At Home" in the Armory last evening. The Strathroy Orchestra furnished the musical program. The patronesses were Mrs. F. W. Orr, Mrs. (Rev.) S. F. Robinson, Mrs. O. L. Berdan and Mrs. R. M. Pincombe.

TWO BETTER THAN ONE.

An amusing story is told of Dr. Chavasse, the bishop of Liverpool. Dr. Chavasse is the father of two sets of twins, and soon after Mrs.

ROYAL YEAST MAKES PERFECT BREAD

Young Men's College Suits

"You have shown me the handsomest tailored Young Men's Suits," was the remark of a young American as he was shown through our stock this week. He purchased his Suit and Overcoat for fall. If all the young men in London were to come and try on our new Fall and Winter College and Athletic Suits, we believe all the young men of London would be wearing "DOWLER" Clothing this winter. We are sending out over six thousand catalogues this season, the only clothing catalogue, we believe, sent out in Canada where the clothes are sketched from life. Young Men's Suits, \$6.80 to \$18, and "Bench-Tailored," up to \$28.

"Glengarry" Scotch Raincoats

Imported direct from the makers, and we save you, from what we saw sold elsewhere, \$2 to \$4 on every coat.

\$8.00 Double Texture Coats \$5.90
\$12.50 Double Texture Cashmere (wool) \$9.80

\$14 Double Texture (wool) \$10.80
\$18 and \$20 Coats for \$14 and \$15

Five More Cases of Trousers

For a big whirlwind of selling.

London's best \$1.25 Trousers 98c

London's best \$1.50 Trousers \$1.18

London's best \$2.00 Trousers \$1.48

London's best \$4.00 Trousers \$1.98

Extra special lines at \$3.50, \$4, \$5 to \$6.50

Workingmen's Wants Special

We are selling the best 75c Overall for 50c

Leather Label \$1.25 Overalls \$1.10

60c Black and White Drill Shirts 45c

90c heavy double back and front, drill 65c

Leather Mitts, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 85c and 95c. Worth 40c to \$1.25.

Boys' Suit Sale

Over a thousand Boys' Suits and Overcoats, all the way from \$15 down to \$2.40

Students' Big Bloomer Suits, up to size 36, at \$4.80 to \$12

Boys' Fancy Overcoats and Buster Suits, on which we save you at least 10 per cent.

Fall and Winter Underwear

In Penman's best makes. Also Watson's, Turnbull's, Stanfield's, in silk and wool, cashmere, merino, two-piece and combinations, at the keenest prices in the city.

"CASCARETS" IF CONSTIPATED, SICK, HEADACHY, BILIOUS--DIME A BOX

Turn the fountains out—the headache, biliousness, constipation, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out tonight with Cascarets.
Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets sweeten and regulate your stomach; remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and that misery-making gas; take the excess bile from your liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and constipation poison from the bowels. Then you feel great.
A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular and make you feel buoyant and cheerful for months. Don't forget the children.



CASCARETS WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Chavasse had had twins for the second time a curate from a neighboring parish was asked to preach the Sunday morning sermon in Dr. Chavasse's church. By an extraordinary coincidence he chose as his text the words, "Two are better than one." A quite audible giggle came from one or two members of the congregation, and the curate, ignorant of the cause of his hearers' amusement the curate gazed at them in shocked surprise. Then, fearing that there might be some thing amiss with his surplice he tried to examine himself. Finding nothing amiss he looked sternly at the congregation and repeated his text in a loud, clear voice, "Two are better than one." As he now seemed to be calling attention to his little joke, the entire congregation quivered with suppressed mirth.