

WORK IS CHECKED ON ONTARIO FARMS

Chilly Air and Absence of Moisture Have Been Great Handicaps.

Another week of untoward weather conditions practically all over Ontario, absence of moisture and chilly nights sometimes registering hard ice, have not given a very cheering impetus to farm work...

Despatches from the winter wheat sections of the United States indicate a tremendous surplus...

It will be a fortnight yet before there will be pasture, and among live stock men a great deal of anxiety prevails...

CALLS ON NEW UNIONS TO STAND BY STRIKE

Paris, May 9.—The Labor Federation, in a statement tonight, declares all indications show that the new unions called into existence with as strong a determination as those already on strike...

WILL TREAT WITH ITALY ON ADRIATIC QUESTION

London, May 9.—Authorization for the continuation of direct negotiations with Italy on the Adriatic question has been given by the Jugo-Slav government...

OTTAWA CEREMONY MARRED BY ACCIDENT

Wife of Mayor Fisher and Wife of Commissioner Richards, Hurt When Platform Falls.

Ottawa, May 9.—During the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the Salvation Army's new maternity hospital here on Saturday afternoon, the platform on which those officiating and several guests were assembled, gave way and they fell into the excavation.

There were a number of slightly injured, including Mrs. Fisher, wife of Mayor Fisher, Mrs. (Adelaide) Smith, Mrs. Richards, wife of Commissioner Richards, and Major Holman.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING CHEAPER.

The Electric Wiring and Fixture Co., through its purchasing materials in advance in a position to quote lower prices for both wiring and fixtures.

Come to Toronto to Explain West's New Colonization Plan

Winnipeg, May 9.—A delegation representing the Western Canada Colonization Association with representatives from Medicine Hat, Fort Qu'Appelle, Regina and Winnipeg, left for Toronto and Montreal last night.

DREW RED HERRING ACROSS THE SCENT

Complained of Robbery to Cover Her Own Guilt, Say Police.

On May 5 Mrs. Annie Gibson, who lives on the top floor at 17 Seymour avenue, complained to the police that her apartment had been broken into and a gold wrist watch stolen...

Mrs. Gibson is said to have admitted to the police that it was she who broke into Mrs. Perkins' room, and that she had concocted the report previously given to the police to throw suspicion off the trail.

STREET CAR MEN WANT 85 CENTS

Conductors, Motormen, Track Repairmen, Shedmen—All Are Unanimous.

Will there be a strike of Toronto Street Railwaymen this year? A very difficult question to answer.

JOURNEMEN BAKERS DECIDE NOT TO STRIKE

Journemen bakers who met at Occident Hall on Saturday night decided to remain at work.

FORTY YEARS AFTER

The Very Fourth Decennial Dinner.

The class in arts of 1880, University of Toronto, held their forty-first annual dinner at the Queen's on Saturday night.

The class of that year numbers 34; forty years after, 25 have died; of the former twenty-three turned up at the dinner Saturday night.

WOMAN BADLY BURNED IN WEST QUEEN ST. FIRE

Mrs. Elizabeth Hall, 81 West Queen street, was badly burned about the hands, arms and face on Saturday night in a fire of unknown origin at 81 West Queen street, which did damage to the extent of \$500 to the building and contents.

BODY OF SOLDIER FOUND IN CHANNEL

Pair of Glasses on Quay Side Leads to Discovery of Corpse.

The body of George Wise, a returned soldier, who has been missing from his rooming house at 138 Mutual street, since Friday, was recovered yesterday by the Illinois crew in the ship channel at the foot of Cherry street.

J. Kennedy, 270 East King street, and C. Everett, 67 Ontario street, while at the ship channel yesterday morning found an overcoat and pair of gloves lying on the quay side.

HAMILTON

Hamilton, May 9.—Five passengers were thrown into the ditch and a baby about a year old was injured about the head, and a young girl also sustained injuries.

MANITOBA ENTERS BANKING BUSINESS

Finances for Rural Credits Movement to Be Provided.

Winnipeg, Man., May 9.—(By Canadian Press)—Commencing in the immediate future the provincial government will actively enter the banking business in order to provide finances for the rural credits movement.

FOUND UNCONSCIOUS.

With the gas jet turned full on and the room full of the deadly fumes, Fred Jenner, aged 23, a roofer at 94 Peter street, was found lying on the bed in an unconscious condition.

Belt Line Suburban Services.

To Be Requested From the National Railways (G. T. R.) and the Canadian Pacific.

Now that the Grand Trunk is part of the National Railways a movement is afoot to ask the Board of Railway Commissioners to order these two systems to give a joint belt line service something like as follows:

The Grand Trunk to run from its Mimico station along the water front to the Hummer, by High Park, Sunnyside, Exhibition, Parkdale, Bathurst street, Union station, foot of Jarvis or Yonge, Don station, Riverside, Logan avenue, Woodbine avenue, East Toronto, York, Scarborough Junction, and then north to Agincourt.

The C. P. R. to be used from Mimico and New Toronto north to Dundas street, Islington, Lambton, Stock Yards, West Toronto, Lansdowne avenue, Bathurst street, Avenue road, North Toronto station, Government House, Pottery road, Leaside, Wexford, Agincourt.

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OTTAWA MUDDLE IN BUILDING TRADE

Three Thousand Workers to Be Idle Today—Agreements Involved.

Ottawa, May 9.—Labor disputes here in the building trades have reached a bad mood. On May 1 all the trades went out, but early the following week the unions, with the exception of the carpenters, electricians and painters, had come to satisfactory agreements with the contractors.

DUKE AND DUCHESS RETURN FROM ENGLAND

Quebec, May 9.—(Canadian Press)—His Excellency the Governor-General, accompanied by the duchess and family, returned from England this afternoon by the C.P.O.S. Empress of France, and were tendered a cordial welcome on their arrival.

Fourteen-Year-Old Widow Arrested by St. Thomas Police

St. Thomas, Ont., May 9.—Married, deserted by her husband and now charged by her brother with the theft of \$1000, a fourteen-year-old girl, who was locked up here Saturday night. The child widow stoutly denied the theft. She also states that since her husband left her she has learned that he was already married and has a family.

SEVENTEEN AERIAL TAXI FIRMS START

Already Licensed in Western Canada—Passenger Flying First Object.

Ottawa, May 9.—(By Canadian Press)—No less than seventeen aerial taxi companies have been formed in western Canada, and a number of these have been already licensed by the air-board.

CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY.

Montreal, May 9.—Arthur Erement, notary and ex-M.P. in the Canadian federal parliament, was arrested here in January, 1919, on a charge of conspiracy to rob, the charge being laid by Michael Connolly, in connection with racing frauds at pool rooms in Buffalo and other places.

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TWO MORE ATTACKS ON IRISH BARRACKS

Dublin, May 9.—The authorities are continuing the policy of shutting down the small police barracks in the rural districts and sending the men to the larger central stations.

HUNGER STRIKERS FREED

Cork, May 9.—The last remaining two hunger strikers in the Cork Prison were released yesterday.

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CARGOES ROBBED BY CLEVER THIEVES

Cases From Britain to Australian Port Opened and Rubbish Substituted.

London, May 9.—A despatch to the London Times from Sydney, N. S. W., says that recent experiences have indicated that a gang of men with world-wide ramifications are engaged in stealing from cargoes on their way to Australia from English and American ports.

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PRESIDENT ISSUES CALL TO DEMOCRATS

Declares Lodge Resolutions Are Utterly Inconsistent With Honor of Nation.

Washington, May 9.—A call to the Democratic party to go into the campaign standing four-square in favor of the treaty of Versailles and against the senate's reservations was issued tonight by President Wilson in a telegram to Oregon Democratic leaders.

Declaring that the party had the honor of the nation in its hands, the president said that the Lodge reservations were "utterly inconsistent" with that honor.

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