COUNTY GETS BIG PRICE FOR BONDS

Debenture Issue of Five Per Cent. Brings 100.18.

BEST PRICE EVER PAID

Highest Received By Any Municipality For Issue.

The highest price ever paid in Canada for municipal bonds was received by the County of Middlesex for their debenture issue of $55,000 15-year five per cent. bonds when the tender of the Matthews bond firm, of Toronto, was accepted at a price of $100.18. This is 18 points above par and the highest price ever received by the county or ever offered in Canada.

From 19 tenders received after the county had sent out advertising offering them for sale, a surprising number of American bond houses replied. The offer of the Matthews Company has completely surprised county officials and this morning, Warden C. C. Henry and County Clerk John Sturat were preparing to close the deal in a jubilant mood.

Among some of the leading bond houses who tendered were: Ames, at 99.63; Cochran Hay, at 99.7, and others.

Such an offer as this may be taken as to how the County of Middlesex bonds in regard to other municipalities and according to one official, it is an indication that this riding is a good place to live.

The debentures were ordered issued at the last meeting of the County Council for the purpose of carrying on the road construction work in the county.

A Spendthrift Is Marked By What He Hasn't Got

Smart folks make dollars of saving show something—a diamond on your finger—or "hers"—tell your friends you're not looking at "stop" signals.

Money talks—but a diamond isn't tongue-tied! Safety first idea—buy Perfect Blue White Diamonds from John A. Nash, My Jeweler, London and Windsor, "where you will eventually buy."—Advt.

ACACIA LODGE WILL HOLD DIVINE SERVICE

A Masonic church service will be held at the Church of the Redeemer next Sunday, at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of Acacia Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 580. Rt. Ex-Comp. Rev. A. S. H. Cree will conduct the services. Bro. Harry T. Dickinson will be in charge of a special musical program.

Blue Lodge and G. R. C. regalia will be worn.

Among the grand lodge officers who are expected to attend are Rt. Wor. Bro. J. B. Smith, D. D. G. M.; Rt. Wor. Bro. Nelson P. Walsh, S. J. W.; Rt. Ex-Comp. Edwin Smith and Rt. Ex-Comp. Harry Ives.

DEATH OF WILLIAM GORDON.

The death of a well-known resident of Western Ontario occurred in Toronto on Monday evening, when William A. Gordon passed away at the residence of his son-in-law, Rev. Dr. W. T. Graham. The late Mr. Gordon was born in Stamford, Ont., on August 6, 1839. He was married at Cayuga to Mary A. Anderson, who predeceased him three years ago, a few months after the celebration of their diamond wedding anniversary. Mr. Gordon was a successful business man at Florence for over 50 years, identified himself with the temperance cause as a speaker and worker, was a Liberal in politics and an adherent of the Christian church. Deceased is survived by two daughters, Lillian, wife of Rev. Dr. Graham, of Toronto, and Penelope, wife of the late J. E. Gage, also of Toronto. Four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren survive. The funeral will be held on Thursday in Florence. J. H. Castle Graham, of this city, is a grandson.

EASTER LILY IN BLOOM.

The schedule of the plant world has apparently been somewhat disrupted by the comparatively warm weather and springlike rains of the past three weeks. Mrs. Charles Garnett, 715 Maitland street, has an Easter lily plant which is in full bloom. This is the second appearance of blooms on the plant this year. According to florists and agriculturists it is very unusual for an Easter lily to bloom at this time of the year.

Long Distance Ambulance Service.

The tediousness and discomfort of a long ambulance trip is reduced to a minimum by our modern Invalid Sedan. A. L. Oatman, Reliable Ambulance Service. Phone 586.—Advt.

REMAIN IN LONDON.

Contrary to a rumor some time ago that Dan McCauley's orchestra would leave for England this fall, Mr. McCauley, the leader, announced several days ago that his band of musicians would remain permanently in London for the winter.

NOT ON TOUR.

Mrs. Guy Lombardo, who received word yesterday that her son, Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians who broadcast from WJAX, Cleveland, last evening, said yesterday that her son is now not on a vaudeville tour as mentioned. He and his troupe of musicians are at present fulfilling an engagement in Cleveland.

EUREKA SILVER SOAP

For all metals, cake 35c

3 for $1.00.

STRONG'S DRUG STORE

184 DUNDAS ST.

TAKE YOUR EYE GRIEVANCES TO

F. STEELE

OPTOMETRIST

Phone 2522-J. Opposite Loew's Theater

BIG SALE PEEL'S

REMOVING TO

10 MARKET LANE

In a few days. Show Cases Wall Cases and Counters for sale.

REDUCE FARES ON STREET RAILWAY

Manager Johns Recommends 5-Cent Fare To Committee

SIX TICKETS FOR QUARTER

Question Will Come Before Council At Next Meeting

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 30. — Manager Johns, of the municipal railway, at the meeting of the committee this evening recommended that the fares be reduced from seven cents to five cents and six tickets for a quarter. He stated that the seven-cent fare was obsolete and that the railway would gain more patronage by the reduced fare. The committee favored the move and recommended it to the Council at their next session. The matter of issuing weekly tickets was left for further consideration. It was planned to issue these tickets each Monday, the tickets being good for any member of the family.

Manager Johns reported two minor accidents, but as the car drivers were in the wrong each time no action will be taken against the city for damages.

A communication from the M. C. R. asking the street railway commission if they had any objection to cancelling the contract calling for maintenance of the spur from the M. C. R. to the building now occupied by the Metal Signs Company. The contract dates back to the days of the London & Lake Erie Railroad, and the communication was referred to City Solicitor W. B. Doherty.

ARCHDEACONS HOLD TRIENNIAL MEETING

Association Elected Archdeacon Timms, of Sarcee Reserve, to Presidency.

Twenty-six archdeacons lunched together yesterday at Smallman & Ingram's on the occasion of the triennial meeting of the Archdeacons' Association, Ven. J. Paterson Smyth presiding.

After the president had delivered his address the meeting proceeded to elect officers for the ensuing triennium. Archdeacon Timms, of the Sarcee Reserve, was elected president; Ven. W. J. Doherty, of London, vice-president, and Ven. A. F. Crowfoot, of St. John, N. B., secretary.

Archdeacon Armitage, of Halifax, proposed and Archdeacon Warren, of Toronto, seconded a vote of sympathy with Archdeacon Ingles on his enforced absence, through illness, from the synod.

After discussing various other matters of interest to the association the meeting adjourned.

LESS RAIN DURING SEPTEMBER THAN FOR SAME MONTH OF 1923

Official weather statistics issued last night show that 4.30 inches of rain fell in London in September, compared with 5.08 inches of rain for the corresponding month of a year ago.

The highest temperature for the past month was 83 degrees above, on the first; while 32 degrees above, on the 24th, was the lowest. The highest temperature for the month of September, 1923, was 88 degrees above, on the 26th, and the lowest was 31 above, on the 16th.

REV. R. J. MURPHY HOME; GAINED HEALTH OVERSEAS

Rev. R. J. Murphy, of Wortley Road Baptist Church, who last April was granted six months' leave of absence on account of ill-health, and went with his family to visit his old home in Ireland, returned to London last evening. He has gained weight to the extent of a "stone" which, being translated from the Irish, means 14 pounds, and is much improved in health generally. It is expected he will resume at once his pastoral duties in connection with the South London church, the pulpit having been supplied during the summer by Rev. Dr. A. T. Sowerby and other ministers.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy and children are at the home of A. C. Mills, 62 Bruce street. They had a pleasant voyage of less than seven days returning.

PHEASANT CAUGHT IN GARAGE SENT TO ZOO

A handsome pheasant, which took up its fall abode in the garage of William J. Kilpatrick, 490 Grosvenor street, was captured Monday and is now a member of the bird family at the Springbank zoo.

Mr. Kilpatrick had just backed his machine into the garage and is unable to acount for the presence of the pheasant except that it flew in just before he himself entered.

COUPE AND STREET CAR FIGURE IN COLLISION

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 30.—Some excitement was caused at noon to-day when a coupe driven by Richard C. Cochrill, manager of the Wendell Holmes, Limited, and a street car came together at the corner of Stanley and William streets.

The accident happened at 12.30 o'clock. Mr. Cochrill, coming south on William street, was looking east on the M. C. R. track for a train, and as he had the windows of the car up to protect himself from the rain he did not hear the approaching car, coming west on Centre street, until the collision occurred.

The coupe was thrown to one side by the impact and pushed into a telephone pole, resulting in a broken back wheel and a dent in one of the side frames. The street car, which was in charge of William Knight, suffered a bent retriever and a broken trolley pole, and a delay of a few minutes was occasioned while the necessary repairs were made. Mr. Cochrill escaped with a shaking up and a slight cut on one hand.

MR. FETTERLY IMPROVES.

Word has been received by relatives in the city stating that the condition of P. D. Fetterly, valuator of the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation, who was operated on for appendicitis recently in Philadelphia, is far better than his physicians even anticipated at this time.

FORMER PARIS RESIDENT.

PARIS, Sept. 30. — Friends in town regretted to learn of the death of A. T. Freed, who passed away in Hamilton on Saturday in his 89th year. The late Mr. Freed was associated with The Paris Star-Transcript when the late W. C. Jones was proprietor.

WIFE DIES LESS THAN WEEK AFTER HUSBAND

PORT STANLEY, Sept. 30.—The death took place this afternoon of Mrs. Martha Hutchings, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Brock, Colborne street, after a five week's illness. The death is particularly sad as the deceased's husband died last Thursday, the funeral being held on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Hutchings was born in Devonshire, England, 65 years ago and came to this country ten years ago, settling near Port Stanley and associating herself with the Methodist church in the village. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Brock and Mrs. John Cook, River road, also a son, Ernest Hutchings, Southwold Station. She also leaves two sisters and one brother in England. The remains will be laid to rest this afternoon, at two o'clock, to the Union Cemetery, Rev. Mr. Gould officiating.

DEATH OF WINDSOR WOMAN.

WINDSOR, Sept. 30.—Mrs. Edith Hollingsworth, 75, died to-night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Newell, 567 Windermere road, Walkerville. Her husband died several months ago.

BATTLE WITH WEASEL

GUELPH, Sept. 30.—Noticing a chicken hawk fluttering in the ditch bordering the right-of-way of the Toronto Suburban Railway, east of Victoria road yesterday afternoon, John Armstrong, upon bringing it down found the hawk was so badly throes.

Clinging to the hawk's body with its teeth sunken deep in the flesh under the wing, was a weasel, which refused to let go its hold on the dying bird until killed by a blow with a stick. It is surmised that the hawk dropped on the weasel and attempted to carry it off, and that the little animal, retaliated to death.

MOTHERS' ALLOWANCE

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 30.—The mothers' allowance held this afternoon in the when two requests for relief sidered.

STANDARD DRUG STORES

PRESENT THEIR SEMI-ANNUAL

ONE-CENT SALE

1¢ Sale

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 2nd, 3rd and 4th

AVOID THE CROWDS.

Do as much of your shopping as possible on Thursday and Friday.

Previous to this year we have been offering you three One-Cent Sales each year, but we have found that in order to do a sale of this i ance adequate justice it needed considerable time and careful preparation. Consequently, we decided to present only two sales each and to make them proportionately bigger and better in every way. Ample proof of this is to be found by carefully perusing this list fashioned price slashing One-Cent Sale

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURD

ONE-CENT SALE
M. S. C. Emulsified Cocoanut Oil Shampoo
One of our best sellers
Marked 50c a bottle
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 51c

ONE-CENT SALE
Shell Brand Castile Soap
From France, long bar. Reg. 40c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 41c

ONE-CENT SALE
Hydrogen Peroxide
Fresh and full strength
Reg. 25c size .....2 for 26c
Reg. 40c size .....2 for 41c
Reg. 60c size .....2 for 61c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ONE-CENT SALE
Hair Nets
Finest quality, made from human hair
Single mesh, cap shape. Reg. 10c each .....2 for 11c
Double mesh, cap shape. Reg. 15c each .....2 for 16c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ONE-CENT SALE
ZONOX Tooth Paste
A splendid dentifrice. You will like it.
Reg. 25c a tube
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 26c

ONE-CENT SA
Bull Dog Ha Hard Rubb Dressing Co
A splendid school g
Reg. 25c ea
Thursday, Friday Saturday
2 for 26c

ONE-CENT SALE
Hot Water Bottles
A wonderful opportunity to secure what Hot Water Bottles you may need this winter.
K. and S. Bottle, No. 21 (guaranteed for one year). Regular $1.50 .....2 for $1.51
The Royale Bottle, a 2½-quart bottle (guaranteed for two years). Regular $3.50 .....2 for $3.51
The Zonox Bottle (also guaranteed for two years). It is our best bottle. Regular $4.00 .....2 for $4.01
All-Metal Bottles, they hold the heat and last many years. Regular $2.50 .....2 for $2.51
N. B.—You may buy any one bottle of above list for half the price of the two, plus 10c.
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ONE-CENT SALE
Dominion Bed Sheeting
(rubberized)
Double-coated, medium weight sheeting
Regular $1.50 a square yard
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 yards $1.51

ONE-CENT SALE
Toothbrushes
Child's Clear - Handled Brushes, splendid quality. Regular 25c, ... 2 for 26c
Clear Handled Brushes, splendid 25c values .. 2 for 26c
Dupont Brushes—
35c Hutax style brushes .....2 for 36c
50c Porous Back, splendid bristle brushes..2 for 51c
All other assorted styles of 35c Toothbrushes, 2 for 36c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

M. S. C. Lemon Soap Reg. 15c 2 for 16c

Nail Files (non-rustable) Reg. 25c 2 for 26c

Toilet Paper Reg. 15c roll ... **2 for 16c**

Bisurated Magnesia Regular 75c .. **2 for 76c**

Blaud's Laxative Iron Pills. Reg. 25c a 100, 200 for . **26c**

Mecca Ointment Reg. 25c 2 for 26c

Mecca Ointment Reg. 50c 2 for 51c

Camphorated Chalk Reg. 15c bottles 2 for 16c

Rit Soap Dyes Reg. 15c a pkg. 2 pkgs. 16c

ONE-CENT SALE
Pure Drugs
Asophen Tablets (for colds, headaches, etc.), reg. 15c a dozen .....2 dozen 16c
Cod Liver Oil, pure Norwegian. Regular 40c bottles.....2 for 41c
Witch Hazel (Dickinson's), 6-oz. bottle .....2 for 36c
Glycerine and Rose Water, 4-oz. bottle ...2 bottles 26c
Parrish's Chemical Food, reg. 60c size .....2 for 61c
Zinc Ointment, Boracic Ointment, Sulphur Ointment and Carbolic Ointment, in reg. 25c jars .....2 for 26c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Diamond Dyes (all shades. Reg. 15c Pkg., 2 for.... **16c**

Smith Bros.' Cough Drops Reg. 10c pkg., 2 for... **11c**

Duncan Mineral Water Reg. 40c a bot. 2 for 41c

Pep Cleaning Fluid Reg. 35c 2 for 36c

Salts of Lemon Reg. 10c 2 for 11c

ONE-CENT SALE
Sundries
Combination Syringe Attachments (for converting a hot water bottle into a fountain syringe), reg. $1.00 a set.....2 sets $1.01
5-ft. Tubing Lengths, reg. 35c .....2 for 36c
Simm's Twisted Wire Bottle Brushes, reg. 15c..2 for 16c
Styptic Pencils (stops bleeding), reg. 10c.....2 for 11c
Velour Powder Pads, flesh or white. Reg. 25c ..2 for 26c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

B. & B. Absorbent Cotton Reg. 10c pkg., 2 for... **11c**

Dutch Drops (Genuine) Reg. 10c bottle, 2 for.. **11c**

A. B. S. & C. Tablets Reg. 25c a 100, 200 for. **26c**

ONE-CENT SALE
Beaumartin Brand Olive Oil
A pure palatable oil, for medicinal and salad uses
Sealed bottles—
Reg. 50c size .....2 for 51c
Reg. $1.00 size ..2 for $1.01
So-called quart tins—
Reg. $2.00 .....2 for $2.01
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ONE-CENT SALE
ZONOX Stationery
Zonox Linen Writing Pads, Note size. Reg. 15c .....2 for 16c
Foldover size, reg. 30c .....2 for 31c
Letter size, reg. 35c..2 for 36c
Zonox Linen Envelopes, reg. 15c a pkg. .....2 pkgs. 16c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ONE-CENT SALE
Stanol
A pure, heavy, medium paraffin oil
Reg. $1.00 size....2 for $1.01
Reg. $2.00 size ....2 for $2.01
Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

ONE-CENT SALE
FORMINOL
A harmless and efficient antiseptic for sore throat, mouth cancers, etc.
Reg. 25c a bottle
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 26c

ONE-CENT SALE
Confectionery
Mintees, Cintees, Cloves or Wintees. Reg. 5c a pkg.....2 pkgs. 6c
Wrigley's Chewing Gums (4 kinds) and Adams' Chewing Gums (7 kinds), reg. 5c pkg. 2for 6c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Pick's Scalp Tonic Reg. 75c bottle . **2 for 76c**

Hospital Cotton 1-lb. rolls .. **2 for $1.01**

Carter's Little Liver Pills Reg. 25c bottle, 2 for... **26c**

ONE-CENT SALE
Vogue Royale Toilet Articles
Talcum Powder, flesh or white. Reg. 35c a tin .....2 tins 36c
Night Cream (cold cream), Reg. 50c a jar ....2 for 51c
Day Cream (vanishing), reg. 50c a jar .....2 for 51c
Skin Food (a flesh colored vanishing cream), reg. 50c a jar .....2 for 51c
Complexion Powder, flesh, white and brunette. Reg. 75c a pkg. .....2 pkgs. 76c
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Cascara Tablets (3-grain) Reg. 35c a 100 200 for 36c

Ingram's Therapeutic Shaving Cream 2 for 51c

Palm Beach Hard Water Soap 2 cakes 11c

Fullers Earth Shaker Top Packages Reg. 15c 2 for 16c.

Zonox Shaving Lotion Reg. 50c ..... **2 for 51c**

Zonox Cocoanut Oil Shampoo .. **2 for 51c**

ONE-CENT SALE
CIGARS
Sir Haig, reg. 5 for 25c .....6 for 26c
Strathcona, reg. 5c..6 for 26c
Mona or Ola, reg. 4 for 25c.....5 for 26c
Cosmo Panetelas or Epicures, reg. 4 for 40c ....5 for 41c
David Harum, Jap or Bachelor, reg. 4 for 40c, 5 for 41c
Note—For 1c you receive an extra cigar on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Nature's Remedy Reg. 25c pkg. 2 for 26c

Nature's Remedy Reg. 50c pkg. 2 for 51c

Nature's Remedy Reg. $1 pkg. 2 for $1.01

Lyman's Health Salts ..... **2 tins 16c**

P. K. Hops Reg. 15c pkg.. **2 for 16c**

Anti-Acid Tooth Paste Reg. 50c ..... **2 for 51c**

ONE-CENT SA
ZONOX Family Reme
White Liniment—
Reg. 35c size 2
Reg. 65c size 2
Syrup of White Pine, lyptol and Honey. Re 2
Stomach and Liver Pi 25c 2
Syrup of Tar and Co Oil, reg. 50c 2
Analgesic Balm, reg. 35 .....2 fo
Baby's Own Cough reg. 35c ....
Pile Ointment, r .....2 for 5
Digestone (for indigestio etc.), reg. 50c ....2 for 5
Catarrh Balm, reg. 50c .....2 for
Fix-a-Kold Tablets, reg 2
Plant-Lax (for constipati reg. 35c .....2 fo
Blood Purifier, reg. $1.00 .....2 for $1
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ONE-CENT SA
WASHCLO
Turkish style, assorted An exceptional valu Washcloth for 25c. Don this bargain.
Thursday, Friday an Saturday
2 for 26c.

ONE-CENT SALE
Dominion Household Rubb Gloves
Splendid quality gloves sizes from 7 to 10
Reg. $1.00 a pair
Thursday, Friday ad Saturday
2 pairs $1.01

ONE-CENT SALE
B. & B. Belladonna and Capsicum Plasters
A splendid plaster for many purposes
Reg. 25c each
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 26c

Secure your share of these
Rare Bargains
It will be nearly six months before we offer another 1c sale.

ONE-CENT SALE
Nailbrushes
An excellent kitchen nail scrub
Reg. 10c each
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 11c

ONE-CENT SALE
Gum Rubber Baby Pants
Natural color, assorted sizes, splendid quality
Reg. 50c pair
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 51c

ONE-CENT SALE
Simms' Set-in-Rubber Shaving Brushes
A very compact, handy brush for traveling, etc.
Reg. 75c each
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for 76c.

ONE-CENT SALE
Clarke's Tonic Laxative Iron Capsules
Each box contains a month's treatment
Reg $1.50 a box
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
2 for $1.51

ONE-CENT SAL
Velvet Skin Fo
For chapped hands, also lightful after-shave
Reg. 35c a bottle
Thursday, Friday a Saturday
2 for 36c

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