### 160 LONDON SOLDIERS ON STRIKE DUTY IN N.S.

## **WARD TWO SHOWS** SLIGHT DECLINE

Assessment Commissioner's Report Shows Decrease of 132 Persons.

#### ASSESSMENT GROWS

While the city proper will show a substantial increase in population, when the assessment commissioner's department has completed its annual survey, ward two is standing a loss of 132 persons, as revealed by the statement for that district sub-mitted today.

Commissioner Bennett attributes this minor decrease to the fact that there are fewer "boarders" and "roomers" in the downtown section of the ward. A number of the boarding establishments have also closed up shop, while many of the roomers in other houses have either left the city or moved to lodgings in other sections.

A business assessment decrease of \$14,000 is noted, but the commis-sioner reminds that a similar amount was slashed from the Grand Opera House assessment a year ago. The record is by no means discouraging in any event, he asserts, as certain vacant business establishments will vet be cared for, while other firms The commissioner's report follows.

the year 1922:	
Land-	
1922	\$4 \$40 599
1923	4 940 056
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Decrease	532
Buildings-	
	\$7,343,395
1923	7 609 760
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Increase	. 200,300
Total land and building	
1922	.\$12,183,983
1923	. 12,449,816
24.0	
Increase	265 833
Business assessment-	200,000
1999	91 01 4 01 1
1922	\$1,914,357
1923	1,900,027
P. S. Free.	
BAM Decrease	14.330
income-	
1922	\$1 555 194
1923	1 650 105
	1,058,125
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Increase	102,941
Grand total-	
1922	\$15,653,524
1923	16.007.968
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#### KILLED BY TRUCK

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, July 5.—Robert Hartford, aged & years, was run over and killed today by a truck driven by Clarence McCarty. The lad became confused when crossing the street, and ran in front of the machine.



IMPRISONED BY BOLSHEVISTS Princess Tatiana Kourakine, by birth and marriage a member of two of Russia's oldest noble families, who was sentenced to a year's imprisonment by the Soviet authorities because of a letter she sent to her cousin. I submit herewith a report on the Baron Wrangel, leader of the White Armies. Securing her release with assessment of Ward 2, which has just been returned to the city clerk.
This report is compared with that of the report is compared with that of the report is compared with the report is compared with that of the report is compared with the report and burned. Princess Kourakine has written a series of articles telling of

## MAKES PROGRESS

FOR WESTERN FAIR Board Arranges Buildings To Allow More Space For

Midway. IMPROVE GROUNDS

large straight piece of ground run-ning east and west along the south aim. side of the grounds, and in all probmidway this year.

## INCREASE PENALTIES

French Place Heavier Fine On Duisberg City in Retali-

Associated Press Despatch. Duisberg, July 5 .- The wounding of a Belgian sentry near the bridge where last Saturday's disastrous explosion occurred has increased the benalties imposed upon this city.

With the exception of horse-drawn vehicles carrying merchandise and

Space in the new building has all ently, ability this will be the location of the been let, and the old Crystal Palace though they could detect no odor of will also be filled. The north end of the dog show building and of the Giving evidence in his own behalf, The new manufacturers' building is the dog show building and of the

Champion's Blows Appeared Not To Damage Gibbons

WAS OUT-TRICKED

# driven almost entirely back to the defensive. Jack must have been in fine condition for he was high on his toes all the way, and showed no signs of weariness or of feeling the occasional hard smashes that Tom 500 troops in Sydney for the purpose landed fairly on his chin. But there is no denying that he was out-tricked and outboxed, at times matched in protecting the property of the British Empire Steel Corporation, the

PECULIAR CASE

language," declared Ald. Judd, when a citizen of repute whom he was defending, was sentenced to seven days bows as Gibbons turned, the blow in the common jail at police court did not crumple the smaller man up this morning.

duty at the station, and the man him-

#### Peculiar Statement.

According to the officer making the

Officers at the station said that he gave his personal particulars coher-ently, but was "very drunk," al-

The new manufacturers' building is well on the way to completion, and the ground is being levelled off so that this year will see the Western Fair grounds at their best. The proand nad received news of an automobile accident in which his brother figured, and therefore was excited. He suffered from asthma and insomnia, and was in a nervous condition. While he may have touched south curb, he took his oath that he did not cross to the north. He struck the parked car when he was blinded by the lights of an approaching motor. He stopped his car mediately and went to see what could be done. He was not drunk. south curb, he took his oath that He was not drunk, and had not had a drink during the

#### Physician Testifies.

A local medical man, called to attend the arrested man while in jail, testified that he was not drunk, but that he was very nervous, owing to his condition of health. He might have taken some drug to settle him-self, but he did not think he was incapable of driving a motor.

The man into whose house the accused went told the court that although he was ir. an excited condition he would not say he was drupted.

though he was it. an excited condi-tion, he would not say he was drunk. Recalled to the stand, the citizen stated that he had taken some medi-cine on the advice of his physician, but that he was not stupefied or in-

In summing up, Magistrate Graydon said that although the officers swore he was drunk, the information charged "intoxicated" and not "under the influence of liquor." He felt sure from the evidence that the man was incapable of driving a car, and therefore had no option but to send

### **Obituaries**

MRS. EMMA NEEDHAM. Mrs. Emma Needham, wife of Gordon Needham, a prominent farmer of London Township, passed away in Victoria Hospital lest night after

Victoria Hospital last night, after a short illness. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

AGNES DOROTHY BANN. Agnes Dorothy Bann, the 3-year-old daughten of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bann, Bryanston, London Township, succumbed last night at the home of

# **LONDON TROOPS**

Much.

Special to The Advertiser.
By ROBERT EDGREN.
Shelby, Mont., July 5.—Gibbons put up an amazing fight from the start, and it was only in the last three rounds when Jack was trying to get him before the time limit that he was driven almost entirely back to the defensive Look must have been in

ed, and the short arm battering with earliest train. shadow. Even when Dempsey got a punch through to Gibbons' body, or to his side under the protecting elhis morning.

"I base my judgment on the cirhard to hit with full power at Gibcumstances as they are presented to bons' ribs, for almost always his me," replied Magistrate Graydon. "In crossed elbows were there fit to break

me," replied Magistrate Graydon. "In every case the man gets the benefit crossed elbows were there fit to break every case the man gets the benefit of the Goubt."

"Damnedst injustice I ever saw," remarked the lawyer, in an aside, as he prepared to go on with another case. "I am going to make it hot for these policemen who get into the box and swear that a man is drunk without giving logical reasons." without giving logical reasons."

The case in question was one in which a citizen was arrested in a private house, after having hit a car, and where he had gone to make settlement or arrange for settlement of the damages incurred.

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Evidence of a medical nature was introduced as well as that of the officer making the arrest, those on that caught Jack square on the

#### Gibbons Best in Fourth.

Gibbons did his best work in the fourth and fifth rounds, the only rounds we won in the fight, although he held Jack even in the second,

and then, as Jack came dancing in on his toes, standing straight and wide open, leaped back with a hard left hook on the jaw that caught Jack off guard and jarred him back so that he rocked on his toes as he renewed the attack. Jack tried doggedly to force his way in and reach Tom's body, but was met time and again with jarring left and right hooks. Jack's right eyebrow, often cut in fights, was slightly cut in this round, and the crowd all around the ring yelled, "Tom's got his eye open; get him boy—go get him."

In the fifth Gibbons took the aggressive and went after the champion, grinning and talking to him, and landed hard left hooks on the jaw that threw Jack against the ropes. Jack ran at Gibbons and chased him around the ring, but could not catch him with a punch as Tom turned, twisted and wriggled out of danger.

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That fifth round looked tough for Jack. The St. Paul boy outguessed and outfought the champion in streaks. After Dempsey had been plastered to the ropes amidst an uproar of wild yells, Gibbons got him on the jaw again. Jack rushed and could not land a blow. He let go a hard right and grazed Tom's eye, and for a moment Tom held on. Letting go, he retreated. Jack, dodging and swaying and looking for an opening, shot over one hard right to the ear and dug into Tom's body. Tom gave way, stopped suddenly, and cracked Jack on the nose. Dempsey slowed up and seemed bewildered. Gibbons was in like a flash with another hard left and got away untouched. Looked Tough for Jack.

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At that moment it looked as if Tom had a real chance, and he was the picture of confidence. But in the next round Jack went after him with fresh determination, and drove him into and through the ropes, started a punch, held it back, and, catching Tom by the wrist, pulled him back into the raig, and went after him again, reaching in for his body time and again. Some of Jack's blows landed on Tom's belt line, but Tom had his fighting trunks so high that they were well above the waist, and the blows were fair enough. From this time on Tom was breathing hard, and showed signs of weakening under the battering in the clinches. Still he covered well, and held Jack's left arm in the old grip that made Jack powerless to inflict much punishment.

In the seventh he had one of his sudden rallies, and he caught the champion with a left and two crashing rights to the jaw. The last punch landed on Jack's upper lip and drove it between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's punches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth, just as one of Joe Choynski's runches drove Jeffries' lip between his teeth years ago, but they did not have to use a knife on Jack. He made faces, and after a moment managed to pull his lip free, but it was a peach of a sock. It roused Jack to fighting pitch. For the first time in the fight he seemed to be hitting with all

succumbed last night at the home of her parents to an attack of diphtheria. Agnes was the eldest child and besides her parents leaves two small sisters. Shirley Louise and Pnoebe Helen.

The funeral was held this afternoon from her parents' residence to Decker's Cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. W. Ballantyne.

DIG IN BOIS DE BOULOGNE

SEEKING STOLEN JEWELS

Special Cable to The Advertiser.

Paris, July 5.—Groups of police dug in the Bois De Boulogne today in a hunt for diamonds valued at \$115,000 stolen from Mrs. Mary Fielding prominent in Anglo-American society.

A girl is under arrest. Police said she confessed to stealing the diamonds and burying them in the park. The theft occurred in a theater.

The diamonds totalling 140 carats were in Mrs. Fielding's handbag. Little Rest for Either Man.

# NOW NUMBER 160

Detachment Sent Early Today Complainant Alleged Money
Numbered Five Officers Stolen by Companions On and 31 Men.

At 4:30 this morning five officers and 31 men, representing all departments of the local active militia, left London via C. N. R., to join 150 members of the Royal Canadian Regiment at Sydney, N. B. The order for

of quelling the miners' strike and Lawyer Expresses Much Dissatisfaction With Police

Lawyer Proceedings.

Is no denying that ne was out-thead in speed and up against a man he could not hit squarely with his best punches.

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"No man charged with driving a which he brought down Carpentier did not seem to hurt Gibbons, perchance of being dismissed when he appears before you, to put it in plain which he brought down Carpentier was received, practically all the men were on leave. Some were in Port Stanley and Springbank. N.-C. O.'s appears before you, to put it in plain in Gibbons he had a shifting, elusive but it was not until after midnight. At 6 o'clock, when the command but it was not until after midnight that a full complement was procured for the trip.

They departed on a special train stationed at the Adelaide street crossing, under the command of Lieut Col. W. G. Lawless, D.S.O. Other of ficers accompanying the troops were Major E. V. Corrigal, D.S.O., M. C.; Capt. E. V. Cooke, of the Ordinance Corps; Major P. de L. D. Passy, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, and Lieut.-Col. T. J. F. Murphy, senior medical officer. All departments of headquarters' staff were included. The men entrained in full marching

order.
As soon as the order was received runners were sent to all parts of the city in an effort to locate the men. Announcements were made in local theatres that any soldiers in the audiences were to leave for camp immediately. They marched to the train at 4 o'clock. At Niagara Falls the locals were joined by soldiers from Petawawa and adjoining dis-

Lieut.-Col. F. B. Ware said today the section from local headquarters would be away indefinitely. They will probably stay in Sydney until the big steel plant opens again and the

that Tom had only one thing in mind, that was to stick it out. He no longer let go at the referee's orders, but held on until Daugherty jammed in between them, caught Tom's two wrists and broke his hold. Nobody blamed Tom for holding—he was fighting for nothing and Jack already had over \$200,000.

The arena was nearly full as the end of the fight drew near. Gibbons made a great fight, and Jack did everything he could against a man who knew every trick of the game, and was there to stay, but Dempsey's showing was not anything to promise that Willard or Firpo, whoever wins the big fight in the east July 12, won't have a shot at the title. Jack proved that he can fight over a distance without losing speed, but the great punch that put Willard down seven times in a single round at Toledo never appeared.

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Too much attention to the money and too little action in the ring may bring him to his finish. This combination is almost as deadly as dissipation, that ended the careers of so many great champions who have gone through their paces and dropped into oblivion.

### **COURT DISMISSES** CHARGE OF THEF BY W. HENDERSON

Stolen by Companions On Fishing Trip.

#### TO STAY AT SYDNEY ASLEEP UNDER TREE

Arrested last night on a warrant charging theft and assault, Orville Smith, 80 Edward street, and Wilsmith, 80 Edward street, and William Meehan, 468 Ridout street, appeared in police court and pleaded not guilty to the charges. The information was laid by William Henderson, 485 Ridout street.

Money Had Disappeared.

According to Mr. Henderson, the three men had been fishing on July 2, Dominion Day, and about 2:30 p.m. went into a field and lay down under a tree for a rest. After dozing

under a tree for a rest. After dozing for a while he woke up and feeling for his money, some \$65, discovered clares Smith later returned to him two bills similar to those he had lost. He denied having taken the moneyand assaulted Henderson, who suf fered a broken nose, two black eyes and a bruised shoulder.

Smith, when called to the stand stated that he had hit Henderson in self defence, after the other had he had lost it first, then accusing

jumped on his back and held him on the ground for some 15 minutes. He denied having taken the money, stat-ing that Henderson had told them them of theft. The money he had returned to him had been a bet of \$10 from each of Henderson and Meehan relative to the prize fight yesterday and which Henderson wished cancelled. He denied the im-putation that they had had liquor jumped on his back and held him

putation that they had had liquor with them.

First Attacked Him.

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Meehan corroborated the evidence given by Smith, stating that Henderson had first attacked him. He also told of the bet but said that he had failed to have his half of the wager returned to him, it still being in possession of Henderson. He had nothing to do with the fight.

In summing up Magistrate Graydon said that there was no evidence of theft and the charge was dronned. of theft and the charge was dropped. Smith, however, was fined \$10 and costs for assaulting Henderson. Meehan was dismissed. Ald. Judd acted for the defence and Mr. Gil-anders for the crown.

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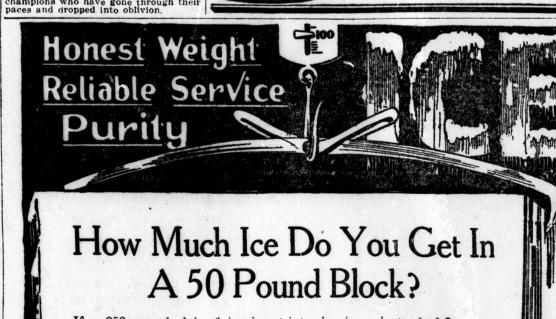
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