CRIME DECREASES AS SNOW COMES

Auto Stealing and Resultan Banditry Foiled by Drifted Highways.

entative in Middlesex county durng the winter months?

portation for criminals," declared one

"When the roads are plugged up with snow, these automobile bandits imply cannot work. Horses and In his sermon, Mr

HURON AND ERIE MEN MEET THIS AFTERNOON

Branch Managers Gather to Discuss Plans For the

Year.

Branch managers of the Huron and Erie Mortgage Corporation are meeting this afternoon at the head office here to discuss plans for the coming year and exceed, if possible, the splendid results obtained in 1924.

At the conclusion of the afternoon session, the branch officers and the heads of the various departments will be guests of the Huron and Erie at a dinner in the Blue Dragon teatoms, after which they will attend a theatre party at the Grand opera house.

Branch managers of the Huron and Erica at dead thing in the lives of most people."

"Do your duty today and the duties of tomorrow will seem easier. Let not you heart be troubled, ye believe in God, believe also in me. Worry is a murderer and is contrary to God's will." He further stated: "As far as I can learn, it has never helped any-one. We believe our one great enemy is death, then why worry over the trifling things of life?"

WETS PLAN CAMPAGN

TO FORDER DEGOCULTION.

house.

The gathering will be presided over by Morley Aylsworth, assistant general manager of the Huron and Erie and the Canada Trust Company. and the Canada Trust Company.

Managers from out of town include: R. P. Baker, Toronto; Austin
A. McLeish, Windsor; Everett W.
Wright, Chatham; A. V. Ball, St.
Thomas, and Sinclair Slater, Toronto

The meeting will consider the envisble record made during the past year, when every branch exceeded the amount of business expected. Objectives for 1925 will be discussed provincial executive, ways and means been a success in the past will also be considered in this year's program. R. M. Winslow will give an address on the trusts department, while George Metcalfe, head office accountant, will talk on bookkeeping. Harold Nugent, assistant manager of the main branch, will give some interesting information on the new debenture bookkeeping system that will soon be in force in all the branches.

provincial executive, ways and means of impressing the Ontario government that cities and towns voting wet' last October should be given government consideration.

Col. W. T. Lawless, D.S.O., chairman of the London executive, states that the provincial body have already formed some plans in the matter and that Mr. Fletcher will discuss them with members of the local committee. "We want to induce the govern-

BENZINE AND ALCOHOL

A potent "mixture of benzine and rubbing alcohol proved John Murphy appeared in police court this morning and faced two O. T. A charges. He had liquor in his possession and he was intoxicated. The benzine and rubbing alcohol were bought for lightling purposes, Murphy declared, but he admitted he was drived.

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**No excuses will be accepted in future by Magistrate Graydon from garagemen and taxi drivers who



from "He Who Gets Slapped,"

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CallesEconomies Balances Budget

Mexico City, Jan. 12. - The conomies instituted by the fedeconomies instituted by the ted-eral administration since the in-auguration of President Calles will permit the balancing of the Mexican budget, according to the first official statement issued this administration by Al-Pani, secretary of the

The expenditures for 1925 have been reduced to \$143,199,686, against an estimated income of \$145,000,000.

ALL WORRY REVEALS

elp in a quick exit."
"If we had snow all the year round God. "There are two kinds of worry," we'd have mighty little crime in the trural districts," concluded the con-

Meeting Here.

Moderation League will meet to-

LEAD TO JAIL TERM plained Col. Lawless. "Plans have been talked and we want to hear what they are before we send repre-

phy declared, but he admitted he was drunk.

"You have been in police court several times recently." Magistrate Graydon declared. "If you insist on doing these foolish things you must pay the penalty. Two hundred dellars and costs or three ments in pay the penalty. Two hundred dol-lars and costs, or three months in lail."

were unanimous in the hope that the city would soon be tied up in about six feet of snow, and "the sooner the better."

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stop and there is only one way to do

GOVERNOR OF KANSAS

FACES BRIBERY CHARGE

Associated Press Despatch.
Topeka, Kan., Jan. 12.—Jonathar M. Davis, governor of Kansas, and his son, Russeli, 28, were charged with soliciting and accepting a bribe of \$1,250 in payment for a pardon, in warrants sworn out here today by Tinkham Veale, county attorney.

six feet of snow, and "the sooner the better."

"It is the one good chance we all have of making a little money," explained one man to a listening replained one was doing it just come to soon so and was receiving no pay.

Most of us did pretty well when the last snowfall came along, and we are hoping and praying for a real snorter soon. It can't come too soon for any of us."

HEAVY IRON DOOR OPENED FOR WOMAN PRISONER

HOUSEWIVES APPRECIATE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

HUSBAND DRAWS HUDSON YIELDS MAGISTRATE'S IRE BUST OF CAESAR

Marble Head Picked Up by Mother Tells Court Pitiable Tale of Non-Support-Dredge Thought Work Family Near Starvation. of a Master.

Associated Press Despatch

A piteous state of destitution has New York, Jan. 12 .- Mystery still followed a London family for three currounds the marble head of years. Five children and a mother Augustus Caesar, which was drawn have been without food for days, and ugustus Caesar, which was a start of the Hudson river by a war had it not been for charity, they hepartment dredge and is on exhibition today in a Fifth avenue art gal-without coal to provide warmth. would have starved. They have been without coal to provide warmth, Many critics and sculptors are of clothing to protect against the cold, the opinion that the marble is the work of a master artist of the first

been able to secure a prescription.

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the penalty for breaking the law,"
Magistrate Graydon said after a plea
of guilty had been entered. "I have

(Signed) "RATEPAYER."

NEW GAZETTE EDITOR

When Robert Shaw-Wood

LIONS GO TO STRATFORD.

Resigns.

CECIL SNYDER NAMED

women's quarters at the county jail which has been closed for several weeks, opened this morning to admit Mrs. Florence Fulton, sentenced to three months in jail by Magistrate Graydon.

women's department of the government employment bureau, London housewives are using the service branch in increasing numbers. Last week we sent out more women tag the service based by the day than we have in some time. "reported Miss Friend this morning. "We have a number of women who are splendid workers and women are beginning to appreciate that fact." Extra Precautions Taken After Constable's Warning Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, Jan. 11.—A warning has been issued by Provincial Officer Breckenridge, located in this city, to all banks and financial To three months in Jail by Magnistrate Graydon. She is the first woman prisoner to be admitted to the county fail since last November. Journal of the Western "U" Gazette, the university paper, resigned Saturday by certified the county castle with a broad smile on county castle with a broad smile on county castle with a broad smile on the iron door clanged shut at the jail entrance. Robert Shaw-Wood, editor-in-chief of the Western "U" Gazette, the university paper, resigned Saturday by certified the county castle with a broad smile on county castle with a broad smile on the iron door clanged shut at the jail entrance. Mr. Shaw-Wood has been on the staff of the college paper for three thouseness of the most energetic sponsors of Western's own paper. During the last 18 months he has held the position of editor-in-chief. The fact that office calls for considerable time that should be devoted to study, coupled with a desire to see another that office calls for considerable time that should be devoted to study. Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, Jan. 11.—A warning has been issued by Provincial that the college paper for three thouseness of the county of the c

Woodstock, Jan. 11.—A warning has been issued by Provincial Officer Breckenridge, located in this city, to all banks and financial houses of the district against possible burglaries. Word has been received by the local officer that plans have been formulated by a gang of safe-breakers contemplating operations in the city and surrounding towns or villages. Extra precautions are being taken by the local institutions as a result of the constable's warning.

About a week ago, Woodstock had the first burglary in over a year, mmediately after a boast had been made of freedom from crime.



HYDRO TO MAKE ANOTHER RIVER RUN BACKWARD.

This map illustrates the plan of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commis

Mr. Boler.
Dear Sir.—I have been paying taxes all my life in Westminster township, and this last year's taxes were the highest I ever paid. I'm very much dissatisfied with the 1924 council.
"You are no better than children 10 or 12 years old. I thought you were more of a man, Mr. Boler than to allow yourself to be led by others and to countenance such extravasance.
"I voted for you last year, but if you had had any opponent this year I should certainly have voted against you. I don't think you had any right to make presents of \$150 Victrolas when times are so hard with the farmers.
"The graders which you bought were also an extravagance, as the others would have answered just as well, with a few repairs. I could mention other things, but you will understand without being told.
"Curtail expenses.

(Signed) "RATEPAYER."

Story of Ancient People.

Phore has long been a tradition in Brazil of a people called the 'Orizes broaders' in the far interior. During the earlier days of Portuguese settlement, river exploration produced constant reports of the 'white and clothed' Indians, when the papeared as mysteriously as they appeared as white earlier days of Portuguese settlement, river exploration produced constant reports of the 'white and clothed' Indians, when the papeared as mysteriously as they appeared as mysteriously as they appeared as the earlier days of Portuguese settlement, river exploration produced constant reports of the 'white and clothed' Indians, when the papeared as mysteriously as they appeared as mysteriously as

anas—'the women who live alone'—
were not mythical, and the region
which they inhabited is still unexplored. The Mariquitas were robust
people with women chiefs, whose women fought like the Amazons. The
Cambenanas were fair Indians, working in cotton and using rubber. The
fibirajavas, according to the Tapuya
tribes, ornamented themselves with
plates of gold. Amazons were known
with the same name and the same
habits, in Assyria and Greece.
'Woden,' or 'Odin' is still worshipped
by some Amazon tribes, identical with

Literary Editor Raised to Post by some Amazon tribes, identical with Scandinavian mythology.' It is expected that the expedition will require about twenty months to complete its investigations. Colonel Fawcett will attempt to relay des-patches by Indian runners, up to and from the last outpost of icities and patches by infinite in the control of civilization and later, if possible, from the for bidden city itself. By a special arrangement with Col. Fawcett, through the North American Newspaper All ce, the Advertiser has arranged fo publication of these despatches, and all news of the expedition will be published exclusively in this newsaper and other members of the Alli

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Twenty-five members of the London Lions club will journey to Stratford tomorrow night to take part in the ceremonies in connection with the opening of the Stratford club. The London tail twisters will be headed by Col. C. M. R. Graham, past district governor and Preesident Dr. Giffen of the London Lions.

ALL WORRY REVEALS

LACK OF FAITH IN COLUMN AND ADDRESS AND ADDRESS

"You know the law and you know the penalty for breaking the law."
Magistrate Graydon said after a plea of guilty had been entered. "I have no alternative but to fine you \$200 and costs and upon failure to pay the fine you must spend three months in jail."

MATERIAL FOR BOARD'S
YEAR BOOK PREPARED
The material for the 1925 year book of the board of education will be paided in the hands of the printer this afternoon, it was learned at the board offices this morning.

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send hi mher name, and he will de the rest. The deputy points out that it was the county, and not the township rate, that was higher last year. Following is the letter:

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January 3rd.

Mr. Boler.

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Sterv of Ancient People.

FACTORIES STAGE **BUCHANAN TELLS** TRUE AUDIT STORY

Denying Saturday Report, the Buyers Gather For Exhibits P.U.C. Manager Says Cost Has Been Borne for Years.

the Free Press on Saturday the public utilities commission does bear its share of the cost of the city auditing sembling for Stratford's furniture exdepartment, and has done so for hibition, which will be held in the

department, and has done so for many years.

The story stated that "Tor the first time in many years. If not the first time in many years. If not the first time in the history of the city, the public utilities commission will be charged this year with its proportion of the cost of the audit department."

"The story is as wrong as it possibly could be." emphatically deciared Manager E. V. Buchanan this morning. "because the commission has pald its share of the auditing expense for years. The commission insists upon paying its share for everything in connection with city operation, because it does not wish it said that the taxpayer is bearing part of the cost. The consumer pays all the cost in connection with the commission's affairs and the taxpayer pays nothing at all."

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