PUSHMOBILE DERBY IS REAL THRILLER

Great Crowd Watches Exciting Event—Speed Laws Forgotten.

The Pushmobile Derby held Saturday afternoon in connection with the Hobby Fair was a wonderful success. The youngsters had a great time, and so did hundreds of adults who gathered in front of the Arena to watch the speed events. Most of the cars were things of beauty and joys forever, and ranged from a snappy roadster labelled "Willie's Night" to a red creation named "Vimy Ridge."

Ample police protection was given by Chief Birrell and his men, the chief attending in person and acting as a judge. If he had kept track of the time made by the boys in the races some of them would have been arrested for speeding. However, the chief left his stop-watch at home, so that no arrests followed.

In the winners of the pushmobile events the names of the drivers are given first and the "pushers" second. The prize money was equally divided between the winners.

Junior pushmobile, boys 12 and under—1, George Hunt, 862 Van St., Joe Holmes, 854 Van St.; 2, F. Keenleyside, 514 Maitland St., and R. Macbeth, 508 Maitland St.; 3, Ray Allington, 140 Rectory St., and Robert Holmes, 851 Van St. First prize $10, second $6, and third $3.

Senior pushmobile, boys over 12 and under 16: 1, Michael Noxell, 200 St. Julien St., and Albert Jolly, 168 St. Julien St.; 2, Pinie Matthews, 439 Ottawa Ave., and Hugh Goldstein, 465 Hill St.; 3, Ivan and Douglass Switzer, 330 Central Ave. Prizes—1st $12, 2nd $8, and 3rd $4.

Senior brakemobile—Harold Thorne and Pinie Matthews. Prizes $6 and $3.

Junior brakemobile, John Atkin, 774 Hill street, and Donald L. Oatman. Prizes $4 and $2.

Harry Link was the efficient starter of all events and presented the prize money. The judges were R. D. McDonald, Chief Birrell, Mayor Wenige, Capt. Symes, Fred Walker, Bert Biggs, Morley Alysworth, Ald. McCormick, Wm. Forbes and Jack Watt.

FOG TAKES THE BLAME.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, April 19.—Mary Cope has played the organ at Holy Trinity church in London for sixty years. During all the time she has missed only two Sundays, once on account of illness, and once because a London fog was so dense she could not find the church edifice.

A BAD COLD DEVELOPED INTO BRONCHITIS

Mrs. Levi Ogden, Amherst Shore, N.S., writes: "My baby girl had a very bad cold which turned to bronchitis, and she could not sleep at night for the coughing. I gave her everything I could think of to relieve her, but nothing seemed to do her any good, and she was not getting any better. I was advised by a friend to try

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

I did so, and after giving her a few doses I saw good effects, so I kept on with it. I gave her two bottles, and her cough soon left her, and now she is as well as can be. I cannot praise 'Dr. Wood's' enough; it is certainly a wonderful medicine."

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PASTOR WOULD SIFT RECORDS OF TEACHERS EVERY YEAR

Rev. J. A. Agnew Refers To Reports of Woman Instructors Smoking.

SPIRITUAL FORCE

Should Expect Them To Exemplify Religious Life To Pupil.

No school teacher should be allowed to train boys and girls in the schools unless she is religious. Her habits in life should be exemplary. Preaching on the subject of the "Church, the Family and the Public School," the Rev. J. A. Agnew, pastor of Ridout Street Methodist church, last night commented on the recent reports that school teachers smoked cigarettes.

"My observations and experiences have led me to believe that school teachers in London are of a very high order," said the minister. "That is as it should be. Children are by nature hero worshippers. The teacher is the example, and observant children will not only practice what the teacher says, but what she does."

The children should be under the leadership of only the highest type of man and woman. The taxpayers spend a lot of money yearly on the education of their young, and they have a right to expect that the teacher is a spiritual force.

Every Methodist minister's character is reviewed annually, said the speaker. Once a year the board go over his past performance. It should be the same with the teachers.

The minister took his text from Proverbs 22-6. "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it." He reviewed the home life in times of Christ, saying that in those days the father was not only head of his house, he was priest and teacher. In that way the children received a good start in life.

Christ had been the model son. He had lived a good life. He had respected the wishes of his parents, putting before them only the desires of his heavenly Father.

The present day household came in for comment. Rev. Agnew wondered if the parents had not too many outside interests to give the children the best attention. The fathers had taken on outside social responsibilities in the evenings. The mothers allied themselves to kindred callings outside the family circle. These tended to lessen their good influences at home.

BISHOP OF NIAGARA CALLED BY DEATH

Rt. Rev. Wm. R. Clark Celebrated 50th Anniversary of Ordination Last October.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Hamilton, April 19.—Right Rev. William Reid Clark, bishop of the Anglican diocese of Niagara, died shortly before midnight Saturday night at his home here, aged 77 years. Death was not unexpected. His lordship had been in failing health for some time, but was able to attend to his duties until about two weeks ago. Three days ago his condition became critical. Friday night he lapsed into unconsciousness.

Announcement of his death was made today throughout the Anglican churches of the city. Funeral arrangements will not be completed until tomorrow morning. The remains will lie in state in Christ church cathedral, it was announced this afternoon. The death of Bishop Clark came one month before the celebration of his jubilee of the Niagara diocese. Elaborate preparations were under way to mark the important event, and his lordship was looking forward with interest to the ceremonies. On October 28, 1924, he celebrated the 50th anniversary of his ordination for the ministry, and he was honored by members of congregations from practically every church in the parish.

CHATHAM DRIVER HURT AS CAR WRECKS WAGON

Reginald Glover in Critical Condition—Police Hold James Rutherford.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 19.—Reginald Glover, an employee of Glover's Dairy, is in the public general hospital in a critical condition as a result of injuries sustained when his milk wagon was totally wrecked by a motor car driven by James Rutherford, who is being held, pending an investigation.

The accident occurred on Queen street at 3:30 a.m. today. Glover was proceeding north along Queen street, when the auto struck the wagon in the rear. The force of the impact pushed the wrecked wagon, its occupant and the horse some 50 feet over the pavement. The crash aroused neighbors within a radius of several blocks.

Police Officer Earl Glover, brother of the victim, chanced to be on Gray street at the time. He was the first to go his brother's assistance. Glover was buried under the wreckage, and great difficulty was experienced in extricating him.

Dr. J. W. Rutherford was summoned, and found Glover to be suffering from a compound fracture of his left leg, fractured ribs and badly bruised.

The horse was injured and may have to be destroyed.

JOHN McGUGAN,

of Caradoc, new president of West Middlesex Liberal association. He was elected at the convention held recently at Strathroy.

BAPTISTS REPORT PROSPEROUS YEAR

Wortley Road Church Elects Officers—Pastor Given Additional $200.

Wortley road Baptist church is better off financially and spiritually than this time last year, according to a statement issued by the pastor, the Rev. R. J. Murphy last night, who referred to the annual statement.

In addition to a number of new members, the church has more money than a year ago. The total receipts for the year were $11,642.38. The amount includes money received for the sale of the parsonage as well as money received from the choir, ladies' aid and kindred sources.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: A. W. Chalcraft was re-elected clerk of the church, with Thomas May re-elected assistant. D. J. Watson was made treasurer. F. Johannes was elected assistant. The following are the new deacons: James MacMillan, George Post, D. J. Watson. In addition to these there are six others in office.

The trustees elected were: W. F. Deacon, Thomas May, D. J. Watson, Finances—D. J. Johannes, Thomas Janes, C. A. Salmon, L. Barton, W. J. Dalgleish, W. H. Pink, H. J. Monk, Thomas Hey.

The music committee is made up of Thomas Janes, George Grose, H. A. Monk. The ushers for the coming year will be: C. A. Salmon, L. Barton, Thomas May, Thomas Hey, Robert McTavish, Walter Yoe, Lyle Ferguson, L. Newans, W. Taylor.

The pastor's salary was increased an additional $200 per annum at the meeting.

FIRE DESTROYS BARN IN LONDON TOWNSHIP

William Brown, R. R. 8, Loses Building in Blaze of Unknown Origin.

A barn belonging to William Brown, R.R. 8, London, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin early Saturday morning. A large number of implements, a motor truck and an automobile were destroyed.

No livestock was in the building. The loss has not been estimated as yet, although it is placed in the neighborhood of $5,000. The amount of insurance carried on the building and contents was $2,000.

INGERSOLL SOFTBALLERS TO ORGANIZE TUESDAY

Special to The Advertiser.

Ingersoll, April 19.—The fine days of spring have stimulated interest in the local softball league. The announcement has been made that the annual meeting of the league will be held next Tuesday evening in the council chambers. For the past two seasons softball has had a firm grip on this town, and it is expected the usual number of teams, probably more, will be included in the league for the season.

AMUNSDEN SPURS WORK ON PLANES

Declares Rival Expeditions Lends Zest To Polar Dash.

By JAMES WHARTON.
Special to The Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent.

By Radio from S. S. Farm, Kings Bay, via Spitzbergen, April 19.—It looks like a race between the planes of the Norwegian aero clubs' polar expedition and Algarssen's blimp, representing Great Britain. Therefore Roald Amundsen, Ellsworth and others of the party are rushing the assembly of their two aeroplanes.

Tuesday the Farm and the Hobby broke through three miles of pack ice to the landing here. One plane, the 25, has landed already, and the mechanics are at work installing the motor. The other, the 24, is lying on the ice alongside the Hobby.

Until the news of Algarssen reached Kings Bay it had been planned to have the first plane ready April 22 and the second May 2. Now as soon as one is in shape it will try flights. Then, when the second plane is assembled the party will be ready to move northward to Danes Island or beyond if the water is open. The first fine day the fliers will hop off, possibly before the middle of May.

When Amundsen learned that Algarssen was preparing to sail from Liverpool for Spitzbergen at the end of April, he grinned and said that he was pleased, as it would give zest to the polar dash. Amundsen does not fear Algarssen's plans, nevertheless he is resolved not to be caught napping.

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DENTAL, MEDICAL SURVEY PLANNED

Provincial Grant of $500 For Nurse Conditional Upon Such Inspection.

Special to The Advertiser.

Ingersoll, April 19.—In connection with the grant of $500 which Ingersoll will receive from the government towards the maintenance of a public health nurse, it is necessary that there be a dental and medical inspection. Miss McNaughton, who was recently appointed public health nurse, will begin her duties immediately. Word also has been received that in addition to the grant the town will have the services of Dr. Kitely of the department of education, who will be assisted by Dr. MacDonald, medical officer of health, who is giving his services for the inspection.

Thomas Ryan of London, a former driver for the Red Line Express Company, appeared in police court on Saturday charged with having obtained money under false pretences. Leslie Newell, a local grocer, said Ryan recently had him cash a $10 check which was returned by the bank. Ryan stated that he did not know his account was overdrawn. Assurance was given the court that restitution would be made and sentence was suspended.

Services in the Methodist church today were under the auspices of the men's club, and despite disagreeable weather wre largely attended. Impressive sermons were preached by the Rev. Wilfred Gaetz of St. Thomas. Music was rendered by a men's choir at both services.

At St. Paul's Presbyterian church today the services were conducted by the Rev. W. M. MacKay, M. A., of Toronto. This was a rally of the Presbyterians of Ingersoll and district, and tomorrow evening a congregational supper will be held under the auspices of the ladies' aid.

EVELYN COMMUNITY CLUB HAS MUSICAL PROGRAM

Special to The Advertiser.

Thorndale, April 19.—The Evelyn community club met in the school house on the 4th concession, West Nissouri, Thursday evening. The president, Mr. W. J. Murphy, acted as chairman. The program consisted of a quartet by Max Smith, I Parkinson, W. Maddock and L. Gee, solos by Miss Bell and Mr. Gee, piano duets by the Misses Logan and Miss Cation, trio by Mrs. and Miss Yake, piano, mouthorgan and guitar selections by the minstrels with Mrs. Fred Gee at the piano, M. Rogers, M. Smith, I. Parkinson, W. Maddock, L. Gee, Miss Smith and Miss Parkinson; a paper by Mrs. Judd, "Good Citizenship in the Community," and a paper by Mrs. Wilson, "Home-making."

Vivid Medieval Splendor Greets Prince of Wales On His Arrival At Kano

Special to The Advertiser

Kano, West Africa, April 18.—Hollywood never imagined anything so medieval as the Kano which greeted the Prince of Wales. The barbaric splendor of a primitive civilization still flourishes here. Under a clump of lofty cotton trees, standing lonely outside the rudely battlemented gateway in the high walls of brickred-mud that guard the town, the gray-haired Emir of Kano, richly-robed and with a white turban woven around his head and jaws, awaited the prince. He was surrounded by a brightly-arrayed retinue.

To the rear, mounted on graceful ponies, sat mighty hordes of just such warriors as Richard the Lion-Hearted, faced on the plains of Palestine. Over suits of chain mail they wore flowing mantles of the richest colors, blood-red scarlet, vivid yellow, shining green and glittering gold. Their cross-hilted broadswords heavy enough to hack through armor, their lances and shields would have made a good show at Crecy. The emir, in enormous ostrich feather sandals, crouched at the prince's feet.

To the unceasing throb of tom-toms and the weird strains of native orchestras, more than 20,000 African troops, costumed in brilliant colors and with fantastic trappings, manoeuvred with amazing skill before the prince's reviewing stand for several hours.

A vast native crowd of spectators cheered constantly as the drums rolled and the multitude of horsemen dashed magnificently across the great field. The emirs from all the surrounding districts appeared in the most costly and colorful costumes. The leader of them all was the Emir of Kano, who rules more than 2,000,000 people.

After having danced until midnight last night, the Prince of Wales left here this morning on the way to Lagos. He spent a comparatively quiet Sunday. The prince evidently received much benefit from the polo game in which he played yesterday. This was his first ride since March 28.

The heat of Kano slightly affected the prince and some members of his staff, but not seriously.

SPECIAL OFFER OF BOUDOIR LAMPS AND BED LAMPS, TUESDAY

SEE DUNDAS STREET WINDOW

Special allotments from a large manufacturer supplying the largest stores on this continent have made these special offers possible. Surprising values to offer in such quantity. On Tuesday you can add two attractive lighting units to your home for less than the usual price of one.

BOUDOIR LAMPS AND SHADES TUESDAY, $2.39 EACH

100 only Boudoir Lamps, in deep blue pottery, of rich finish; fitted with light socket, cord and two-piece plug; stands twelve inches high together with eight-inch shade in rose, blue or gold; a very attractive lamp and shade for bedroom, corner table or desk. Special offer Tuesday, for lamp with shade $2.39

BED LIGHT SHADES, SPECIAL OFFER, TUESDAY, $1.69 EACH

100 only Bed Light Shades, in excellent shades of rose, blue, gold or pink, with center floral decoration, made on stout fancy frame, all fitted with socket, cord and two-piece plug; ready to have bulb screwed in place and hung on top of your bed or dressing table, for your service. Be here early Tuesday..... $1.69 each

BRIDGE LAMPS COMPLETE WITH SHADE, TUESDAY, $10.89 EACH

A limited quantity of Bridge Lamps in polychrome finish of gold with black, also copper with gold; fitted with adjustable arm, cord and two-piece plug, and attractive 12-inch shade of rose with fringe to match and lined with rose. You can purchase the complete bridge lamp and shade Tuesday for $10.89

Fourth Floor.

Forestalling the Spring Showers! 300 UMBRELLAS AT $1.95

A large new shipment. Arrived in direct opposition to the spring showers. General-use umbrellas, with coverings of silk and wool taffeta, close-rolling paragon frames. The handles are widely assorted, with silk cord loops, rings and leather straps. Special value $1.95

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Umbrellas for gift or presentation purposes, with the loveliest of new handles and best materials. Priced up to $18.00

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DURO BROADCLOTHS have just been opened up in a lovely range of the colors so many of our customers are waiting for. A special display of this beautiful cloth will be ready for your inspection tomorrow. Shades that are just new and the most wanted. Every piece is stamped "Duro" on the selvedge; that stamp is your guarantee, if Duro fabrics fade, we refund cost of material and making; 38 inches. Per yard 75c

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DURO CAMBRIC—Here's another new and charming material, and again the "ensemble is seen in beautiful square checks, with plain fabrics to match. The weave is very fine, indeed, and in charming shades of powder blue, orchid, canary yellow and sand. Even these, fashion's newest shades, carry the same absolute Duro guarantee of colors fast to everything; 40 inches 90c

DURO SHIRTINGS for men's shirts, boys' blouses and shirts, pretty zephyr and Madras weaves, new as well as staple stripes, the popular solid color with darker stripe of same color, is seen here; all guaranteed, of course, fast to sun or washing; 32 inches ..... 39c and 65c

Main Floor, West Aisle.

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WORLD'S WHEAT AREA LARGER THAN IN 1924

Official Data Shows Increase of Four Per Cent—Less Rye.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, April 19.—From the latest official data the world's acreage sown to winter wheat, including the United States, but not allowing for acreage abandonment there, is nearly four per cent larger than that of the previous year, according to a statement issued here this afternoon by T. K. Doherty, commissioner for the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome. There is, however, a decrease of 3.8 in winter rye estimates.

SUCCESSFUL BOX SOCIAL IN CLANDEBOYE CHURCH

Special to The Advertiser.

Clandeboye, April 19.—A successful box social, under the auspices of the young people's league, was held in the Methodist church, Clandeboye. The program included instrumental duets by Mrs. W. Gibson and R. Hodgins of Lucan, solos by Miss Florence McRann, and readings by Miss A. Hodgins of Clandeboye. The address by the pastor, the Rev. G. C. Gifford, on "Birds of a Feather," was a witty and humorous presentation of the philosophy of getting together, old and young. A satisfactory amount was realized.

Prick of Needle Cause of Death

Toronto Woman Contracts Blood Poisoning.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, April 18.—Mrs. A. W. Guest died in Wellesley hospital yesterday from the effects of a needle prick received in her finger five weeks ago. The point of the needle broke off and remained in her finger, blood-poisoning setting in.

MINISTER ENDORSES NEW FISHING RULES

Regulations On Closed Season and Size of Catch To Be Uniform.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, April 19.—Regulations respecting uniform closed seasons, maximum haul, size of net mesh, and other points are about to be passed, according to President Harry Dromgole, Vice-President George Van Order of Port Burwell and C. W. Barwell of Port Dover, chairman of the executive committee of the Lake Erie Fishermen's association.

Representatives of the North Shore fishermen met officers of the Fresh Water Fish Producers' association, and a schedule of uniform agreements affecting the whole of the lake was drawn up. The local committee was in Toronto on Friday where the endorsation of Hon. Charles McCrae, Ontario minister of fisheries, was secured.

Points agreed upon: A closed season for the entire lake from December 15 to March 15; a maximum catch of 6,000 pounds per day for each gillnet fishing tug, and for every five-pound nets that are fishing. Both sides of the lake must adhere to the 3 1-16-inch mesh.

The sorting board, an invention of W. D. Bates of Ridgetown and A. E. Crewe of Merlin, will likely be enforced on the lake.

TOKIO $100,000,000 SUBWAY NOW NEARER A REALITY

Associated Press Despatch.

Tokio, April 19. — Plans for the proposed Tokio municipal subways system have so far advanced that the committee in charge is ready to submit the scheme to the government. The system is to consist of about 50 miles of underground trackage and the estimated cost is $100,000,000. The project is to be completed within 15 years, and the greater part of the funds is expected to be raised by foreign loans.