ENJOY OUTING

Employes of L. & P. S. With Their Families Spend Joyous Time.

SPORTS A FEATURE

Special to The Advertiser. Port Stanley, July 30.-What can be eager and working in harmony, was interests, and Mr. Horner join the feet of t & P. S. Railway employees and Evans would be in the park beside families. Such a picnie in midsum-mer seems almost an impossibility but not so with London's rathroad.

The company chose a quiet day, and arranged duties so that every man arranged duties so that every man could have at least a few hours at the lake, while all the employees families turned out en masse.
Sir Adam Beck and all officials of the line were present, assisting make the outing the great success

In the sports events contestants entered for sheer fun, especially in the pillow fighting, when some of the heaviest men struggled up to the pole to fight others of frailer stature, yet in almost every case, one blow from "Jeff" sent "Mutt" rolling over the

Results of Sports. Below are the results of the races

and other events: Children's race, 6 years and under -Grace Jordan, Lorene Cowley, Al-

Boys, 6 years and under—Jack Jordan, Maitland Ball, Cyril Wyatt.
Boys' 25 yards dash, 6 to 10—Harry Ball, Fred Rossiter, Bill Ham-Girls' 25 yards dash, 6 to 10-Roma

Johnston, Verla Cowley, Alma Walk-Boys' 50 yards dash, 10 to 15-Allan Johnston, Gerald Cowley, Gordon

Girls' 50 yards dash, 10 to 15-Phyl- Association. lis Cowley, Margaret Pearce, Nan Kelman. Boys' 75 yards dash, 15 to 20—Rus-sell Langford, Allan Tucker, Allan

Brown.
Girls' 75 yards dash, 15 to 20—Wince
Hilton, Genevieve Bishop, Emma

George Langford, J. McLaughlin. Married men (married over 10 years) — George Cole, J. Cornwall, Edward Laskey, A. Rossiter.

Married ladies (married over 10 years)—Mrs. Maidment, Mrs. Pearce,

DR. ANDREW RIDDELL.

Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Rossiter. Fat men's race, 50 yards—John Jordan, Jack Taylor, William Ham-

Wheelbarrow race, lady and man-Mrs. and R. Langford, Mrs. Maid-ment and William Renther, Kenneth March and E. Hughes. Mrs. Fiske.

Elderly men's race—John McIntosh, Art Ridley, E. Burke. Ladies' mystery race-Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Langford.

Tug-of-war, linemen vs. trainmen. Wen by linemen.

Committees—President, J. E. Richards; vice-president, C. S. Way; chairman, A. R. Ridley; secretary, J. W. Ringsdorf; treasurer, A. Rossiter. Sports Committee-S. Maidment, L. Hartsell, L. Dougherty, F. Fiske, J. Vodden, N. Kirk, G. Langford.

Refreshments—C. Thompson, Coristine, F. Feel, J. Bartholomew, Rose, J. Brumpton, R. Linder, J. Smith, W. Disher, W. Colley. Program-W. Parkinson, C. C. Copeman.
Transportation—E. Walsh.

General Committee-trainmen, A Pearce; shopmen, C. Ball; bridge and buildings, R. Johnson; car inspectors, his home to the Anglican Cemetery

SAY FARM CONDITIONS

Four American Senators Want couver. Congress To Consider Agricultural Problems.

Canadian Press Despatch. Minneapolis, July 30.—Declaring that the condition of agriculture threatens a national calamity, Prestdent Harding was urged to call an extra session of Congress without delay to deal with agricultural problems affecting the nation at a conference of four United States senators of the northwest here today.

A telegram was sent to the presi-

at San Francisco with the request that it be delivered when the

KNOCKS DOWN FOUR PEOPLE WHEN DRIVING MOTOR CAR

Special to The Advertiser. Galt, July 30.—While walking along the Preston highway Sunday night, about 10:30, Mr. and Mrs. William Viges, 1324 King street, Preston, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bass, Samuelson street, Galt, were knocked down by an auto driven by A. Skoyles, Jun., Bruce street, Galt, and while all received a shaking up Mr. Viges was the only one injured, receiving a bad His death, which was due to heartgash in the arm, but no broken bones. He was removed to the Galt

GRAND BEND RESIDENTS HEAR SUNDAY CONCERT

Special to The Advertiser.

Grand Bend, July 30.—Paul Wilson's orchestra gave a musical concert Sunday afternoon, assisted by pists. After two selections by the soloists. After two selections by the orchestra, Margaret Laing of London, recent gold medalist at Toronto, delighted the audience with "The Holy City."

August 15, 1844, at Galt. He came to Guelph with his parents in the year 1850, and with the exception of about 10 years, which were spent in Toronto, had lived in Guelph ever

Meeting of Old Friends Bridges Half Century Gap

Samuel Horner and James Evans of Stratford Greet One Another After Parting in West in 1871.

Special to The Advertiser. Stratford, July 30.—Fifty-two years ago two Stratford men separated in the west, one to join the Canadian Mounted Police, the other to take up railway construction work. Yesterday they met for the first time since their parting. They are Samuel Horner of this city and James Evans, They left Stratford with Major James back in 1871 to carry on construction work for the Canadian Pacific Rail-Port Stanley, July 30.—What can be way beyond Rat Portage, or Kenora as the district became known later. Mr. Evans branched out for other

the lake yesterday, and having a de-scription of his old friend as he now looks, Mr. Horner went down to the lake and picked out "his man" from a large number present, finding him eated on one of the park benches. Both men are about five years over the allotted three score and ten and are in good health for their age. They both had a rich store of experiences to draw from in their long conversation. Mr. Horner entered the service of the famous police body in 1875 and wore the uniform for 15 years. Mr. Evans has many interests, farming and otherwise, between here and the Pacific Coast, and is going back west shortly.

Sent to Jail For Jam Thefts

Several Bullets Found In Body -Slayers Still At Large. Canadian Press Deratch.

New Carlisle, Que., July 30 .- William Blaquiere, aged 33, a fishery guardian on the Matapedia river, was shot dead by poachers on Saturday night, several bullets entering his body and one penetrating his heart, causing instant death.

The murderers, who are still at large, are said to belong to a well-known class of poachers on the river.

The provincial authorities have been notified and public opinion which is greatly aroused in this district is demanding that the murderers be brought to justice.

The victim, who was married and the father of five children, was in the employ of the Restigouche Riparian

Obituaries

MRS. HENRIETTA MODELAND. Seaforth, July 30.—The funeral of Single men's 100 yards dash, over 20—Russell Langford, Allan Tucker, Frank Freel.

Single ladies' 100 yards dash, over away at the Seaforth Hospital, Friends away at the Seaf 20—Eva Fiske, Miss Black, Ethel Hughes.
Young married ladies' race, 75 yards—Mrs. Fiske, Mrs. Langford, Mrs. Thompson.

away at the Seaforth Hospital, Friday, was held Sunday afternoon from the Egmondville Presbyterian Church, of which she was one of the oldest members, to the Egmondville Cemetery. The service was conducted by

Young married men's race, 75 yards

Frank Fiske William Renther

Renther Frank Fiske, William Renther,
George Langford, J. McLaughlin.

Married men (married over 10 pallbearers were Thomas Steel, Meaford: W. Steel Picton: W. Finleyson

Special to The Advertiser.

Aylmer, July 30.—Andrew Barris-

dale Riddell, M.D., a well-known and beloved physician, passed away at his home at Bayham Monday. Some his home at Bayham Monday. Some sixteen months ago he was forced to give up active practice on account of continued ill-health. Dr. Riddell Ladies' keg race-Mrs. Dougherty, was in his 64th year, and for 37 years had practiced in Bayham Township. Besides his widow, who is a daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ford of Aylmer, Dr. Riddell is survived by one son, Fenton, and two young and J. McLaughlin; Tom Hindley of Toronto, and three sisters, Mrs. Canon R. J. M. Perkins of Christ Pillow fight on pole—Geo. Langford, Wm. Renther, Geo. Cole, Frank

The funeral will be held Wednesday

The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2:30 with interment in the Rich mond Cemetery.

LEWIS PULFER. Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, July 30 .- Lewis Pulfer, 92 years old, former employee of Hiram Walker Sons, as head of the cooperage departmen, is dead in Los Angeles, according to word received here today. He leaves his widow, one daughter, Miss Nellie Pulfer, and four sons, L. E. of Los Angeles; R. A. of Detroit; and G. B. and C. F. of Kalamazoo.

SPEARMAN CORBETT.

Clandeboye, July 30.—The funeral f Spearman Corbett was held from W. Colley; linemen, J. Vodden; beach department, O. Eakins.

CAV FADIA COMPITIONIC Bend, but spent a large part of his life at Brinsley. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Hannah, and PRESAGE CALAMITY two sons, William and Lorne, all of Brinsley, and two sisters, Mrs. Sutton and Mrs. Heamen of Exeter and ton and Mrs. Heamen of Exeter, and three brothers, Nathaniel and George of Brinsley, and Sylvester of Van-

PATRICK RYAN. Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, July 30.—Patrick Ryan, aged 77 years, died late Sunday evening at the family residence, 61 Hughes street, after a long illness. Born in Tipperary, Ireland, Mr. Ryan came to Canada as a young man, settling in Brantford, and afterwards moving to London. He came to St. Thomas 45 years ago, and had resided

here ever since.

Besides his widow he leaves three daughters, Miss Gertrude at home; Mrs. Thomas Haywood, 46 Fifth avenue; Mrs. Bert Dyas, Oakland, of Chicago.

The funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 8:30 and proceed to Holy Angels' Church for requiem high mass.

EDMOND HARVEY. Special to The Advertiser.

Guelph, July 30.-Guelph citizens were shocked when they heard of the passing of Edmond Harvey, one of Guelph's oldest citizens, which took place on Sunday afternoon at his late residence, 328 Woolwich street. failure, came in a very unexpected manner. He was at home as usual on Sunday, and after dinner joined Mrs. Harvey on the veranda at the side of the house, and was reading a newspaper, when suddenly his head fell forward, and before medical aid could be summoned be had passed aid could be summoned he had passed

Deceased, who was in his 79th year, was the son of the late John and Harietta Harvey, and was born August 13, 1844, at Galt. He came Following was Mr. Swanson of Knox Church, Stratford, who gave two beautiful solos. Sam Carriere of Toronto, sang Tosti's "Good Bye," and "Sunrise and You."

Toronto, had lived in Guerrie of pour since. He served his apprenticeship in the drug business, and went into business for himself at the corner of Wyndham and MacDonnel streets. Some years later be sold out to thea business.

Special to The Advertiser. Sarnia, July 30. — Gustave Pethke and Bernard Morley, local men, were sent to jail for a month, after they pleaded guilty in the police court today to steal-ing sugar and jam from Stuarts, Ltd., the thefts extending over a period of a month. Both were employees of the company, and the magistrate said he intended to make an example for the benefit of any other employees who might be tempted to betray

late Col. Higginbotham and went to Toronto. He returned to Guelph in

For a number of years past Mr. Harvey had been engaged in the manufacture of lime, and at the time of his death was president of the firm of E. Harvey, Limited, of Rockwood but for the past year had taken no active part in the management of the business. He was married in 1881 to Joanna Laura Campbell of Toronto, who with one son, John S., survive.
The late Mr. Harvey was a member
and one of the founders of St. James' Anglican Church, this city. The funeral will take place privately on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence to the Guelph

WILLIAM H. MOORE. Special to The Advertiser.

Cemetery.

Guelph, July 30.-William Moore, who died at Hamilton last night as a result of fatal injuries received when an auto he was driving collided with a truck on the Hamilton-Niagara highway Sunday, was an employee of the postoffice depart-ment here, being a rural mail carrier in charge of route No. 4, since January last. He lived with his wife and two children, two miles out the Eramosa road. His home was destroyed in the June cyclone, when he lost practically everything he pos-Mr. Moore was born in Stafford-

married in 1917 to Minnie Wilson, who with two little girls, Ivy, aged four, and Minnie, aged two, survive. THOMAS CHAMBERLAIN.

shire, England, 32 years ago, and came out to Canada in 1911. He was

Chatham, July 30 .- The funeral of Thomas Chamberlain, who was drowned in the Thames Thursday, was held from his late residence, Taylor avenue, to Maple Leaf Ceme-Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Langford.

Men's ice-cream cone race, R. daughters, Gwendolyn and Margaret,
Langford and A. Rossiter; J. Jordan all at home, and one brother, Robert,
Langford and McLaughlin; Tom Hindley of Toronto, and three sisters, Mrs.

Canon R. J. M. Perkins of Christ

FALLS FROM WAGON

Leroy McKay of West Oxford Meets With Peculiar Accident.

Special to The Advertiser. Ingersoll, July 30.-When a horse stepped on him after he had fallen from a milk wagon on which he was seated in his father's yard, Leroy McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McKay, West Oxford, had a leg broken. The youngster was thrown

from the wagon when the horse sud-denly moved.

While at work in the plant of the Morrow Company, Ingersoll, Avery when the hand was caught and Shapley had one of his hands severely injured. He was cleaning a machine everely lacerated.

The recent dry weather has

hastened the maturity of the oat crop in this district, and the judging of the yields in standing crop competition, conducted by the Ingersoll North and West Oxford Agricultural Society, takes place this week. In the majority of cases good crops are recorded. There are fifteen fields entered in the competition.

WILL AWARD CONTRACTS FOR BRIDGE OVER THAMES

Special to The Advertiser. Chatham, July 30,-The contract for the construction of the new bridge to be built over the Thames California; and two sons, Frank at home, and David, 16 Horton street; also two brothers, Frank and Michael ed on August 10, stated County Engineer W. G. McGeorge this morning gineer W. G. McGeorge this morning The preliminary work in connec-tion with the completion of the bridge details was completed some time ago, and is now in the hands of several amined on August 10.

WIND UPROOTS TREES AT SAULT STE. MARIE

Canadian Press Despatch Sault Ste. Marie, July 30.-In a violent win and thunder storm which hit this district at noon today dozens of trees were uprooted, crops damaged and other havoc created. Seven-tenths of an inch of rain fell in half an hour, and streets and basements were flooded. Electric light and Electric light and power services were affected, but the large industries escaped without loss.

FINE WHEAT SAMPLES. Special to The Advertiser.

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Sarnia, July 30.—Samples of the unusually fine wheat crop which is being reaped in Sarnia township at the present time were brought to the city today. Roy Miller had a load of new, wheat weighing nearly 63 pounds to the bushel, and Stuart Menzle brought in a load of 205 bushels which weighed about six tons. All the wheat sold for 90 to 91c at Brockville, assuming his new duties on Aug. 1.

Canadian Press Despatch.

North Sydney, N. S., July 30 .- The

federal by-election campaign closed

tonight with all three candidates

making appeals for support from

minister of defence, and Hon. A. K. MacLean, M.P. for Halifax.

The Conservative candidate, R. H. Butts, addressed meetings in both towns, at which he was assisted by John C. Douglas and A. D. Gunn, K.C., of Sydney. D. D. McDonald,

Labor candidate, spoke to two well-attended open-air meetings.

It is conceded tonight that the gov

ernment candidate, although he may come out with a good round majority, will have a stiff fight at the polls to-

morrow, and none of the three parties, when their preliminary work

closed tonight, would forecast a definite count. Both Liberals and Conservatives express themselves

STATES LIFE UNBEARABLE

Canadian Press Despatch

Toronto, July 30.—Leaving a note to the effect that life had become unbearable to him, and that he was

about to take some drastic action to change that condition, Isaac H.

Sanderson, aged 60, of Toronto, left

his home last Thursday and has not

Sanderson is the publisher of the abor Director.

THRESHING OPERATIONS BEGIN. Special to The Advertiser.

Petrolia, July 30.-Threshing oper-

ations have begun in this district. A number of farmers on the 10th line had their threshing last week and

all report a fine yield. The weather has been ideal, and this week will be

busy one for all outfits.

been seen since.

TORONTO MAN DISAPPEARS

infident of victory, however.

Notes of Foreign Powers Of- Concede Liberal Candidate ficially Presented To Will Get Majority In By-Election.

PREDICT STIFF FIGHT ARE NOT OPTIMISTIC

Premier Baldwin Evidently Discouraged At Two Answers Received.

Lord Curzon.

making appeals for support from platforms in North Sydney and Sydney Mines, and meetings in their interests were held at various sections throughout the rural district. Mayor Kelly of North Sydney, the Liberal candidate, spoke to workers and others at a smoker in North Sydney and Sydney Mines. He was supported by Hon. E. M. MacDonald, acting minister of defence and Hon. A. M. Associated Press Despatch. London, Eng., July 30 .- The French and Belgian ambassadors this evening handed to Lord Curzon, secretary of state for foreign affairs, the replies of their governments to the British note proposing negotiations with Germany to solve the problem of the Ruhr and the greater problem of German reparations. Thus commonplace enough, ended one chapter in the trying negotiations.

Yet, it is a question in the mind of the British public whether these notes do more than open another chapter in the wearisome process. If Premier Baldwin has brought about any change resembling finality or an allied agreement he will be acclaimed as a miracle worker. But there are no signs that a miracle has been

Premier Baldwin and Lord Curzon plainly cherish no such optimism. Both spoke briefly in parliament, the Commons and Lords respectively, today, on the position of the negotia-tions at that moment. Both were terse; neither voiced any hope that Great Britain and France had drawn closer together.

No Promise Given.

There will be an attempt to discuss the topic before parliament adjourns Thursday, as the members are eager to learn the exact aspect of affairs. No promise was given today that they would likely see the curtain raised. The premier, speaking only an hour or so before the foreign secretary received the ambassadors secretary received the ambassadors, told the Commons it was very doubtful whether anything would be received which could be published in Thursday's debate. The premier gave one gloomy hint. "I am afraid," he said, "It will only be a continuation of the negotiations."

Lord Curzon informed the Lords with an air of weary resignation he certainly would give them a statement Thursday if it were within his power to do so, but his manner clearly indicated he did not think it would.

No hints have come across the channel that Premier Poincare has abandoned or even modified the views which his government has previously held tenaciously, and on every opportunity he has reiterated the plainks in his platform that there will be no beginning of conversations with Germany until and unless Germany formally renounces passive resistance in the Ruhr, and that there will be no withdrawal from the Ruhr until Germany has paid France all she demands.

Deep Gulf.

That seems to be the deep gulf which no minor concessions that France makes to Great Britain can bridge.

tempted revelations of details of the British note, nor of the French and Belgian replies on any important points, except such as intelligent

Seldom have secrets known in foreign office and to the cabinets in half a dozen countries been so successfully secreted.

The German and Italian ambassadors also visited Lord Curzon this afternoon, but there is no reason to believe their visit was connected

with reparations. Have Sent Note.

It is not yet known whether the Italian ambassador presented any written answer to the British note, although the Associated Press correspondent in Rome says the Italian government has despatcheed one which takes the middle ground between the British and French. Brus-sels advices say that Belgium supports France on the main points but that the Belgian reply contains elements of a constructive plan, in which respect it is believed to go beyond the French answer.

After the British parliament adjourns Thursday, both the French and British cabinets will have charge of affairs during the long parliament-ary recess. Premier Baldwin tonight told J. Ramsay MacDonald, the opposition leader, that the British parliament can be summoned quickly in the event of emergency, but that if it adjourns without having assurances of progress in lifting the dark-est European cloud it will disperse in an atmosphere of deep gloom.

IS STABBED IN NECK

Bill Berto of Brantford Badly Wounded When Acting Peacemaker.

Special to The Advertiser. Brantford, July 30 .- Interfering between two men fighting near the corner of Buffalo and Main streets, Bill Berto, a Russian, employed at Pratt and Letchworth's iron works, was stabbed in the neck by one of the combatants, who used a pocket knife. After the assault, the assailant, whose

first name only is known to the po-lice, jumped into a car bearing a Hamilton license, with some friends and disappeared.

Berto was brought to the police station, where Dr. Fishette sewed up the wound, using three stitches. The gash was made just below the left

During the early Sunday morning hours thieves broke into Arthur Sheppard's garage, Echo place, and stole 15 automobile tubes and tires, valued at \$200. The thieves secured entrance by means of a side door, and the marks show that a jimmy was used. The county police are investi-

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