THUGHES SHOULD BE MOVED OUT OF JAIL CELLS

Is Provincial Inspector's Opinion of Prisoner Suffering From Tuberculosis.

INVESTIGATED ESCAPE

Details of Marello's Exit From Confinement Are Looked Into.

An investigation into the circumstances surrounding the escape of George Marello from the county jail on December 28 last was made Thursday afternoon by Kenneth Wright of the provincial secretary's office.

As acting prison inspector, he went thoroughly into all the details and secured the evidence of former Turnkey William McLeod, Turnkey Archie Graham and Michael Hogan, until recently a prisoner. ham and Michael Hogan, until recently a prisoner.

The acting inspector was conducted over the ground, shown the location of Marello's cell to the outside kitchen door, from which the latter pried a lock, and all other details that would throw light upon the affair and place the responsibility.

Marello, a prisoner hearing a criminal Marello, a prisoner bearing a criminal ecord, was confined in a cell on the irst ward, awaiting sentence on eight harges of burglary, to which he had leaded guilly.

*25 BLAZE—Fire of u...known origin was discovered in a bedroom last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Elliott, 370 Piccadilly street. The charges of burglary, to which he had pleaded guilty.

He escaped by knocking Turnkey McLeod down with a heavy iron poker while the later was making some changes in his cell.

Marello has never been seen, as far as the authorities know, from the time he escaped up until the present.

At the same time, Deputy Sheriff B. F. Watterworth called the attention of the acting inspector to the sluation concerning Higgins Hughes, the colored consumptive patient. It was the opinion of the official that, under no consideration, should prisoners suffering

from tuberculosis be commed in the same jail with other prisoners. Representations to that effect, he said, would be made to the department with the end in view of seeing that Hughes was immediately removed to some place where adequate facilities are available for the treatment of his case. APPEAL IS ENTERED AGAINST CONVICTION OF GRAND MANAGER

Motion Will Be Heard in the Weekly High Court.

A motion will be made by E. W. M. ting of the weekly high court here on Saturday to quash the conviction made by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in the case of Manager Minhinnick of the Grand Opera House, charged with a violation of the theatres and cinematograph act. Manager Minhinnick was summoned to court on a charge of permitting an advertising "streamer" in front of his theatre contrary to the act.

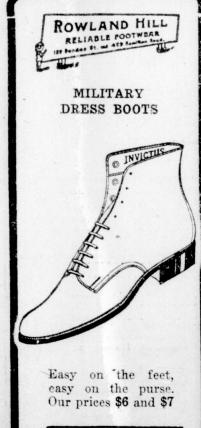
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Flock showed that the advertising referred to was not in the form of a "streamer," but canvas tacked tightly on a frame, which was in turn nailed lat against the wall. of Chief Williams, permitted the in-formation to be amended, so that it read advertising "matter" instead of motion to quash the conviction based upon the grounds that ent evidence was adduced to

Watch Your Nerves! Danger Ahead

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by the Grigg House is much im-roved, his doctor says, and his complete ecovery is anticipated. Mr. Evans was emoved to St. Joseph's Hospital on sunday, suffering from a stroke. CHOIR HAD SLEIGHRIDE .- About hirty members of St. Matthew's Angli-an choir enjoyed a sleighride Thursday vening. They caffed at the home of England and spent a few social lours, and enjoyed refreshments, which

were provided by the ladies. PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN .- Lieut. rge Drew, acting officer commanding 64th Depot Battery of Canadian

field Artiflery at Gueoph, has been pro-noted to the rank of captain, district leadquarters announced today. MAY FOLLOW LONDON'S LEAD .-There is a move on an Toronta to fol-low the lead of London and abolish tax exemptions. The board of control yes-terday considered the matter. They do not propose, however, to tax Provincial

or Dominion property.

deration, should prisoners suffering rom tuberculosis be confined in the NO TUEL ON HAND

Twenty Tons Delivered by the

dealer, which was distributed among the most urgent cases in five hundred and, in some instances, two hundred pound quantities. A coal wagon, hired by the G. W. V. A. is kept going overtime. Secretary Cunliff, who is in charge of the distribution of fuel, states the each case is investigated, and only those totally without coal are supplied.

The association is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. W. E. McKellar of Muirkirk, which contains an offer to assist

OPPOSE IMPORTATION OF ALIEN WORKMEN

Would Make Farmers of Those Non-Essential to Industries.

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 31.—At a meeting are few. f the executive of the local branch of the G. W. V. A., at which the local labor situation was discussed, a resoution was passed protesting against the suggested importation of alien labor. This action was taken on account of the unsuccessful efforts of a number of local returned soldiers to secure em ployment. The executive is of the opinion that a large number of men a present employed in non-essential stries, while being physically unfit for fighting purposes, are capable of doing rm work, and should be used for doing A. B. Welford, a prominent local Dr. A. B. Welford, a prominent local physician, appeared in police court to-day on a charge of issuring a certificate to Thomas Machelson of Brooksdate, with which to procure alcohol for the purpose of evading the Ontario temperance act. Machelson stated that when he applied for the certificate Dr. Welford asked him if he wanted it "for bathing purposes," and he answered that he did. Two local druggists produced their books in court, showing that Dr. Welford had issued certificates for liquor or alcohol in some eighty cases between December 21 and January 1. On request of counsel for the accused, further hearing of the case was adjourned until February 11.

YOUTH ARRESTED ON FARM CHARGED WITH WATCH AND RING THEFT

ad Been Working With New Employer For Some Time.

Harold Brooks, 16 years of age, wantif for the last six weeks on a charge
if theft, was arrested Thursday afterif theft, was arrested Thursday afterif the country of at the home of George Kettlewell, Caradoc Township where the youth has been working.

The information on which the warrant was issued for Brooks' arrest alleges that the youth stole a gold watch and diamond ring valued at \$100, the property of A, B, Carrothers, Caradoc Township, while he was employed by the latter in December last. Young Brooks sought work at Kettlewell's farm a short time after he left his former employer, and has been working home of George Kettlewell, Car employer, and has been working arrested the boy had a watch his possession from which certain tials had evidently been effaced. cording to Constable Shaver the boy ims he lost the ring. nanded him to tail

week for a hearing. U. S. AMBASSADOR IN PETROGRAD RECEIVES THIRD DIRE THREAT

PETROGRAD, Jan. 31.—The ministry of foreign affairs today transmitted to David R. Francis, the American ambassador, a letter addressed to Leon Trotzky the Bolshevik foreign minister, by the Petrograd group of anarchists, insisting that Trotzky bring pressure to bear on the American embassy for the release of Alexander Berkman, Emma Goldman and Thomas J. Mooney. The ministry also inclosed a resolution adopted by the anarchists threatening demonstrations against the embassy. PETROGRAD, Jan. 31 .- The minis-

Lieut. Freeman Won His Commission, the D. C. M. and David Williams Asks Court for M. C. Fighting in France With the Kent Fusiliers-Was Badly Wounded— Twenty-Five Attested.

An act of patriotism hard to equal occurred at the mobilization centre at the Armorles on Thursday, when Lieut. Free-tof the 6th Royal Fusiliers of Kent. England, signed up with C. E. F. for further service in France. Lieut. Free-man, who is an Irishman by birth, joined the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the famous Kent the famous Kent Regiment at the outbreak of the war. He saw many months' service in France as a private, during which he was awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal for meritorious work on the field. Later he was given a commission for devotion to duty and bravery, and again honored with one of the most-coveted decorations of the British army, the Military Medal.

Mr. Freeman was seriously wounded some months ago. He came to Canada to rest and to regain his health. Recovering from his wounds, the call of the Empire again attracted him, and he signed up with 25 other recruits at the Armories.

Lieut. Freeman will be attached to headquarters as a lieutenant until a draft leaves this city for overseas.

C. Davis, a Russian, was one of the volunteers who donned khalk yesterday. He informed the examining of

OF ST. MATTHEW'S

a Year.

CITIZENS MUST GET PERMIT TO REMOVE

Secure Fuel Supply.

It has been reported to General-Manager E. V. Buchanan that citizens Bishop of Huron of the appointment of are chopping down trees on boulevards Rev. G. W. Latimer to the rectorate of without the consent or sanction of the St. Matthew's Church. Mr. Latimer is are chopping down trees on boulevards without the consent or sanction of the utilities commission.

Three trees were cut down on Grosport that they are absolutely without fuel to warm their houses.

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FULL PAYMENTS OF

FULL PAYMENTS OF TALE OF PROSPERITY

Banks Are Kept Busy Today Get Auto Licenses Handling Deposits.

bank officials are of the opinion that a pay their installment was practically

WILL TOUR THE STATES

Major William B. Gidley, M. C., the border in lecture work, and he will visit Richmond, Decatur and other places in Indiana.

Major Gidley, who is to speak under the auspices of the Wayne County Council of Defence of Indiana, is a member of the 21st Regiment, and saw service at the front with the 14th Rat-

THRIFT CONTEST BRISK McClary's Employees Are Piling Up

their savings, and many others make payments on their homes with it. Inter-

County Constable Alex. Shaver \$2,000 was paid in interest. BE TRIED BY JUDGE

Sentence Deferred on William Austin

George Lee and William (Bunny) Austin, both returned soldiers, appearfor a preliminary hearing on a charge

CLAIM FOR ERECTING RAMPAGE E. WILLIAMS BRIDGE

\$2,500 Due.

FEATURED THE ELECTIONS

hould be taken into court for adjust. nent.

DR. GRENFELL CANNOT

COME TO LONDON AT THE PRESENT TIME University and Wycilfie College, Torollto, but before coming to London was for
five or six years engaged in work in this
diocese. He was first curate at St.
Jude's, Brantford, and later rector of
Trinity Church in the same city. Immediately prior to coming to St. Matthew's he was engaged in special work
in Pidley College St. Catharines.

Is Laid Up With Bronchitis, Wires His Wife.

Dr. W. T. Grenfell, the famous Labrador missionary, who was to address the Canadian Club and the Women's Canadian Club here on Saturday at noon, has been compelled to cancel his engagements. A telegram was received by Mayor Somerville this morning from Mrs. Grenfell stating that he was laid up with an attack of bronchitis, and would not be able to come to London on Saturday.

President J. H. Fowler of the Canadian Club called off the luncheon, An effort will be made to secure Dr. Gren-

Trouble For Future Altogether 435 Owners Had effort will be made to secure Dr. Grenfell for a later engagement.

IS SEEKING INFORMATION ABOUT WOUNDED HUSBAND

at Ottawa.

CONTRACTOR MAKING MEASLES ARE ON

Seventy-Seven New Cases Reported During the Past Week.

At the opening of the assize court today the case of Witherspoon vs. East Williams Township was caffed.

The action is brought by David Witherspoon, a building contractor, who sues the township for \$2.500, which he claims due on a contract for the erection of a bridge over the Sauble River in East Williams in 1915.

The claim advanced by Witherspoon is that he built the bridge according to a verhal agreement made with the council he claims, refused to pay the balance of \$2.500, maintaining that the bridge was not a 15-ton bridge.

Contractor Witherspoon was the only witness heard before the adjournment of court at 1 o'clock

Had Verbal Agreement.

He gave evidence to the effect that, in erecting the bridge, he had a verbal agreement with the councillors to construct a bridge of the same tensile strength as others previously constructed in the township. The bridge in dispute, he claims, was built as strongs as the previously built bridges.

The township very sevented by John Stewart, reeve, John McIntosh and Dan McIntyre, ex-reeve, swill endeavor to prove that the bridge agreed upon was to, have been a 15-ton bridge.

Bridge experts for both sides will be called to testify as to the tensile strength of the structure.

The question has been one of much discussion in East Williams during the past three years. In fact, the last two municipal elections have been fought out along the lines whether the township shoular pay the contractor's bill and avoid litigation or whether the case should be taken into court for adjustment.

Principle at Stake.

The condidates who favored going to he courts with the case won in each election, basing their arguments upon the fact that the principle at stake was of greater importance than the actual innancial consideration.

The dispute over the school taxes in the annexed district will shortly be brought to a head, and some determination made as to the rights of the municipality to collect school rates on the assessment of Assessment Commissioner Grant, rather than the assessment was some made when the agreement was The case will likely continue all day ment made when the agreement was biday, and possibly part of Saturday, signed on the figures of the 1911 sthere are a number of witnesses to e heard by each side.

Mr. Grant has served district above.

Mr. Grant has served notices on the residents of the annexed district, showing the amount to be assessed for school purposes is \$2,159,845. The ordinary assessment is \$1,410,818, nearly \$700,000 less than the school assessment. If this can be collected it would give the board of education an increase of revenue amounting to \$7,000. Ald. H. B. Ashplant contends that it is perfectly clear that the city can

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GERMANS ORDER THE PRISONERS TORTURED TO GET INFORMATION

Kept in Cages For Four Days and Compelled to Stand.

With the American Army in France, Thursday, January 31.—American of-ficers at the front have come into pos-session of documents said to have been taken from Germans in this sector and which deal with the treatment to be ccorded prisoners.
The documents say that all prisoners including commissioned and non-cor missioned officers, after being captur are to be kept in cages for four da

ashplants

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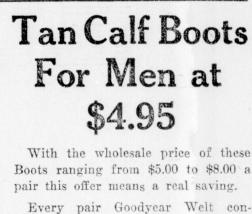
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Blue, lined with white ...44c to \$1.99

LIPPED SAUCEPANS

Grey or blue39c to 79c

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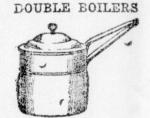
TEA AND COFFEE POTS 59c to \$1.64.

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> > 84c to \$2.99.

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REV. G. W. LATIMER APPOINTED RECTOR TREES IN LONDON Some Are Cutting Them to Has Been in Charge for Over

VICTORY BONDS TELL

Payments on Victory Loan bonds kept the banks of the city going full speed today. Each bank reported a big rush. Ine prosperity of the city was never better demonstrated than by the num-ber of full payments made by subscrib-ers to the loan this morning. On Janu-ary 2 full payments were numerous, but comparison would show that more whole payments were made today than on

negligible. Previously several days of grace were allowed subscribers to make ments, but this time bank authori ties have received no instructions relative to this. However, the delinquents

Veteran to Deliver Series of Lectures. Leamington, is leaving this district shortly to undertake a speaking tour in the United States. Permission was received at militia district headquarters today for him to spend some time across the bedge in leature was a speaking to the contraction of the contr

service at the front with the 19th Bat-

Savings. Thrift is receiving a tremendous boost this year by the McClary savings bank, which is being well patronized by the employees. There is a contest on be-Thrift is receiving a tremendous boost this year by the McClary savings bank, which is being well patronized by the employees. There is a contest on between the foundry and tin shop and the employees are entering into the contest hearthly. The bank has about 110 contributors at the foundry, and this list is being increased every week. Deposits are made weekly, or rather, deducted from the pay envelope with the depositor's consent, the sums ranging from 25 cents up to \$5. Several of the employees hought their send fact wear middle to the fact he is suffering from bronchial trouble. Mrs. McLean immediately set about securing a substitute. tributors at the foundry, and this list is being increased every week. Deposits are made weekly, or rather, deducted from the pay envelope with the depositor's consent, the sums ranging from 25 cents up to \$5. Several of the employees bought their coal last year with

tin until after Lee had been tried. Lee elected trial by judge, and will be brought before one of the county judges some day next week.

Both men pleaded not guilty to the charge of breaking and entering a bonded C. P. R. car and stealing two pairs of shoes from a shipment.

Arthur Borland, a C. P. R. officer, testified that he discovered two men near a freight car on the evening of January 24th. He arrested both One broke away, the other, Austin, was

anarchists threatening demonstrations against the embassy.

The documents were forwarded to Mr. Francis with the remark that "the ministry considered it its duty to transmit them."

This is the third threat by anarchists that Ambassador Francis has received within a month.

The fire department during the month of January responded to 27 alarms. Of these 21 were for fires, 4 for chimney fires, and 2 false alarms. There were alarms over the telephone, 2 box alarms over the telephone, 2 box alarms, and 3 verbal alarms. There were no serious fires.

Paid Fees Before Noon.

Today and Save Any

and to welcome him as rector.

Mr. Latimer is a graduate of Toronto
University and Wycliffe College, Toron-

to \$30, plus a trip to the magistrate for the owner to explain why he has been driving his car in February, 1918, with a 1917 license. Up to noon today 335 auto licenses and 100 truck licenses have been taken out, according to the report of Secretary A. Keene. Last year the licenses did not come in until the last of February, and as there were more cars operating at that time the licenses were taken up more full clicenses were taken out last year. Owners of cars who are not using them now, of course, are not required to take out a license until they want to drive the car, but ail cars in use must now have the 1918 license.

DR. MONTAGUE WILL ADDRESS MEETING IN

PLACE OF DR. GRENFELL Women's Canadlan Club Secures Britliant Speaker for Saturday.

Dr. Montague, the distinguished lec turer from Columbia University, who has been delighting audiences with his series of lectures on "Futurism in Philosophy" this week, has been prevailed diately set about securing a substitute A brimant speaker was in the city, who had already created a profound impression, and she undertook the task of obtaining his consent to stay over. Owing to the fact that she achieved her cities the city and choose are assured. object, the club and others are assured

of a treat tomorrow. Dr. Grenfell will come at a later date. TWO EVADERS TAKEN

W. O. R. Enriched by Men Apprehended on Thursday.

The number of men who are success fully dodging the insistent beckonings of ed in police court today, the former the military service act in Western of theft from a bonded C. P. R. freight Thursday the number still at large was car, the latter for sentence on the same charge, on which he was convicted at his trial a week ago.

On the request of Crown Attorney McKillop the magistrate deferred the passing of centence in the case of Aug. passing of sentence in the case of Austria serious cases of evasion, and followed tin until after Lee had been tried. Lee the usual course mapped out for delin-

Mrs. Eliza Gray, wife of William Gray, 875 Trafalgar street, died at her residence on Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Gray was a daughter of the late John Robson of Lobo Township. She came to this city 30 years ago.

Besides her husband she is survived the state of the s

by one daughter, Mrs. Charles Roberts of Vancouver, and one son, William R. Gray of Detroit. Mrs. John McLeod of Lobo and Mrs. Manes of this city, are

WASH BASINS, DISH PANS, PUDDING PANS, CUPS, MIXING BOWLS, ETC.