FLAMES PERIL THIRTY AT BROCKVILLE HOSPITAL

Patients Removed From Building Razed by $100,000 Blaze.

BROCKVILLE, Oct. 2.—The three-story brick residence at the Ontario Hospital farm, just ontside the town limits, has been totally destroyed by fire.

When discovered the fire was in a woodpile in the cellar, from which, on account of lack of water supply, it spread rapidly. The loss will be between $75,000 and $100,000, with no insurance carried.

All the 30 patients who are housed in the building while engaged in farm operation were safely removed, and will be given accommodation in the main instutution, located a mile away.

BISPHAM, FAMOUS SINGER, DIES FROM OPERATION

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—David S. Bispham, baritone, and one of the best-known American lyric artists, died of intestinal trouble today after an illness of six weeks. He was 64 years old. A wife and two daughters survive him.

Mr. Bispham, a native of Philadelphia, made his operatic debut in London in 1891.

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TOBACCO MEN MAY ASK LOAN OF GOVERNMENT

President Coghill Tells Large Meeting of Aid Given U. S. Growers.

DUMP GOODS IN CANADA

Canadian Growers' Co-operative Society Has Sold Burley in England.

BLENHEIM, Oct. 2. — Addressing a large gathering of tobacco growers of this district in Harwich town hall Friday evening, President Coghill of the Canadian Tobacco Growers' Co-Operative Company, stated that since the formation of the co-operative company about a year ago 7,500,000 pounds of tobacco had been handled by the company. This large amount was far beyond their most sanguine expectations. This required a tremendous amount of work and a great deal of time and energy to get a market.

He gave the growers a most encouraging outlook into the future for their industry, if they will only stick together. The company had done what was said to be the impossible, in that they had shipped Burley to the English market and there secured better than 25 cents per pound for it.

After giving a history of the great work done during the year by the company, and showing that they had been able to handle all the tobacco intrusted to them, and stating that in a day or so every pound of tobacco will have been cared for, he proceeded to deal with various matters of deep interest to the growers. He showed how that the American Government has assisted the tobacco growers over the line with a loan to help them to get a market, and how well the system has worked out, and suggested that the Canadian Government might well follow the example. He pointed out how tobacco over the line is sold at public auction, and that this year tobacco had been speculated in by brokers and others on money loans by banks, and afterwards, when the banks tightened up on them, some of this tobacco was dumped on the Canadian market at 8 and 10 cents, which had originally been bought at 32 cents. The co-operative company had to meet such conditions.

The speaker strongly advised co-operation in the sale of all farm produce, and suggested that it would be good policy if the company could pay, say, 25 per cent to the grower when the tobacco is delivered. This would be a great incentive to the grower.

Archie McCoig, M.P., in opening his address declared he had not come to make a political speech, but to hear and learn and give what little assistance he could. He had taken a deep interest in the interests of the growers and had urged upon the Dominion Government to do away with the present bonding system by which American tobacco is allowed to come into Canada in bond and no duty paid until sold. He would advocate a better preferential tariff with the British Government. He assured his audience that he was always willing to assist in every way to get for them what they should have in the way of assistance for their industry.

Garnet Muckle, secretary-treasurer of the company, gave a brief address in which he pointed out that despite what some had said to the contrary the company had placed Burley tobacco on the English market and had received a real good price for it. He pointed out why shippers should be careful in properly tagging their bales of tobacco when shipping to save confusion. The company processed more than twice as much Burley than was expected. Payments will be made to Burley growers shortly according to grade, not according to pounds delivered. He was well satisfied with the way the tobacco business was progressing, and assured the growers that with a little patience they would be greatly pleased with the results of sales.

John Wardle acted as chairman.

Tenants in Gotham Draw Blanks in Moving Shuffle

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—All packed up and no place to go—that was the plight yesterday of hundreds of New York families who attempted to participate with some 100,000 of their fellows in the annual game of swapping apartments.

Many of them gave up their old homes and got as far as the front doors of apartments they expected to occupy before they found the prior occupants refused to get out. Others learned of their misfortune in time to avoid having their belongings piled on the sidewalk or carted to storage—and promptly elected to "stick" there by passing woe on to those who had counted on succeeding them.

But this was only one feature of an October 1 described by seasoned movers as the most chaotic in the history of the city. Other features, according to city officials, were:

There were 69,797 families for whom there weren't any homes at all.

Even if there had been homes for all, there were but 2,500 moving vans available for the joint use of more than 100,000 would-be movers.

TORIES ANXIOUS TO DEFEAT ALL FARMERS

Only Reason For Their Candidacy in South Bruce.

WALKERTON, Oct. 2.—The convention of the South Bruce Liberal-Conservatives will be held in the town hall, Walkerton, on Thursday afternoon, October 11. The Conservatives have not yet definitely decided whether to place a candidate in the field or not, and the convention has been called to discuss the question. Some prominent Tories, who are against the U. F. O. movement and are out to defeat the farmer candidate, are against nominating a man, while others cannot see the campaign go by without entering the fray.

It is generally conceded that the Conservative nominee, should one be entered, has no chance of carrying the riding, but a three-cornered contest would make a close race between the U. F. O. and Liberal candidates. Should the Conservatives decide to enter the field, the possible candidates are: John Purvis, of Kinloss; William Brown, of Chesley; George McCallum, of Walkerton, and John Rowland of Walkerton.

R. E. Truax, M.P., the Liberal nominee, is the strongest man politically in South Bruce, and it is reckoned that in a straight fight with the U. F. O. he would be returned with a large majority. The entering of a Conservative in the campaign would mean the splitting of the vote in the towns and villages, and would greatly favor the farmer. However, even with three in the field, as Findley, the U. F. O. candidate is not the strongest man in the farmer ranks. Truax, the Liberal is being boosted with big odds as the man who will carry the riding, and again represent South Bruce at Ottawa.

LABOR AND FARMERS UNITE THEIR FORCES

WATERLOO, Oct. 2.—The U. F. O. and I. L. P. got together in the town hall here yesterday evening to select a candidate to report the united bodies in the forthcoming federal election. About two weeks ago committees from the two organizations met and decided that to join forces was the only way to successfully contest the election. At the convention on Saturday fully 300 delegates were in attendance the parties being equally represented.

Several candidates were nominated, namely: Dr. C. E. Hett, George Zimmerman, Ald. Chas. Massel and Arthur Exton, of Kitchener, Mayor Bohlender, Waterloo; Gavin Barber, defeated U. F. O. candidate in the provincial election, and J. G. Hurst of Elmira. All the candidates withdrew from the contest but Dr. J. E. Hett, who received the nomination by acclamation.

Following the convention the following committees were appointed: Organization committee—Wellesley Township, J. Heimback, J. Stener, Waterloo Township, C. Hilliard, Chas. Bierman, Woolwich Township, N. Snider, S. Bird, Elmira, A. Morris, O. Schwartz, Waterloo, Mayor Bohlender, J. H. Ziegler, Geo. Haehnel, P. Hahnpflug, S. Keiswetter, Kitchener, J. Kaiser, P. H. Saugel, Norman Krop, G. Davis, O. Boll, P. Plummer. The chairman of the convention was J. C. McKay of Wellesley.

SOUTH GREY TORIES MAY HAVE A TRIPLE CHOICE

Rain Spoiled Annual Fall Fair—Excellent Exhibits.

DURHAM, Oct. 2.—South Grey National Liberal-Conservative Association meets on Tuesday October 4, in Durham town hall. There is every reason to believe that a candidate will be nominated for the Dominion House. The names of W. H. Breese, Chatsworth; Dr. D. Jamieson, Durham, and Perdue, Holland Township, are suggested as possible candidates. Hon. H. Guthrie, minister of militia and defence, will address the gathering.

South Grey Fall Fair Agricultural Society was unfortunate in the choice of a day for the fall fair here. The day was so wet that only a small handful braved the element for the grounds, but those that did pronounce the exhibits to be very creditable. The races have been postponed until October 14.

Dresden

DRESDEN, Oct. 2.—Despite the unfavorable weather conditions of the morning the weatherman was kind, and Dresden's fair was a huge success in every way. The exhibits in nearly every line were the best in years.

Potatoes, strange to say, when one considers that generally speaking the crop is always below the average, this year were unusual in quality. Vegetables were good, corn very fine, and the wheat never so good, which made judging the grain unusually difficult this year. There was a large exhibit of fine apples, and the showing in other fruits good, the canned goods being worthy of particular mention.

Two fine games of baseball interested many, the first between Tupperville and Wabash, which resulted in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of Tupperville, and another warmly-contested game between Oil Springs and Dresden gave the laurels to Dresden by 4 to 2.

The president, E. L. Sharpe, who has just completed his first year in office, is to be congratulated on the success of his efforts. Gate receipts were $582.15.

The horse races, on account of the bad weather conditions of the previous night and forenoon, did not amount to much. Only one race was put on for local horses, which resulted as follows: John Gibson's Lady Alexandra, 1; Elmer Carr's Nell, 2; Clarence Leaper's Girl, 3; Clifford McFadden's Baldy Mac, 4.

FARMER KILLED BY AUTO AT ST. THOMAS

Edward Axford Jumps To Death To Halt Dog Fight.

ST. THOMAS, Oct. 2.—Edward Axford, a South Yarmouth farmer, was fatally injured in an auto accident a couple of miles south of the city, and died later at the Amasa Wood Hospital. Mr. Axford, accompanied by Leslie Taylor, St. Thomas, was driving in a buggy on the road near Dadson's Mills when he was overtaken by an auto in charge of William Thomas, a visitor in the city.

Following the outfit of Mr. Axford at a moderate speed, Mr. Thomas turned out to pass Mr. Axford when the latter suddenly jumped from his buggy to separate his dog from another which had started to fight on the roadside.

Before Mr. Thomas could pull up, his auto was on top of Mr. Axford, and it was stopped just as the fore wheels passed over Mr. Axford. When Mr. Axford was picked up it was found that his neck had been broken and the upper part of his body badly bruised. He was rushed to the hospital and passed away soon after.

An inquest will be held.

W. ELGIN FARMERS WILL SUPPORT LABOR

Pledge Made At I. L. P. Convention—Six Nominees.

ST. THOMAS, Oct. 2.—The Independent Labor Party will put up five candidates for nomination at the convention of the labormen in St. Thomas a week from next Saturday. The nominees are John Lane, A. E. Hookway, Albert Roberts, W. Stokes and W. K. Sanderson. This decision was reached at a largely-attended meeting of the members Saturday night, and was supplemented by a dozen representatives of the U. F. O. from the west riding.

The proceedings were enlivened by an encouraging and optimistic address given by Peter Cameron, M.P.P., who pledged his word as well as brought the assurance of the farmers in West Elgin that they would to a man stand by the nominee of the labor party.

Mr. Cameron insisted that they were only keeping the promise made the I. L. P. at his own nomination to stick together in their fight for the principles of the united parties.

John Lane and the other nominees expressed their willingness to stand for a choice at the convention. But Mr. Lane, who was chosen as the I. L. P. standard-bearer at its joint meeting with the U. F. O., declared his intention of going to the people in any event. Mr. Lane deprecated the tactics used to oust him from first place in the list of nominees.

Miss Mary McNab, the talented and versatile vice-president of the Ontario I. L. P., gave an enthusing address, and later instituted a women's branch of the I. L. P.

Norman—Brandow.

Miss Vera Irene Brandow, daughter of Mrs. C. Brandow, 337 Talbot street, was married to Gordon Norman of the Gravel road Saturday at St. John's rectory, Rev. P. N. Harding officiating. The attendants were Miss Mabel Leitch and Mr. Max Norman. Mr. and Mrs. Norman will reside at 337 Talbot street.

Had Intoxicating Tendencies.

A. Macdonald, who was unaware that he had a bottle of beer among the bench of brother bottles with intoxicating tendencies, was fined $200 and costs Saturday morning.

Technical Point Involved.

Bail was renewed Saturday afternoon by the county magistrate in the charge against R. Hoshal and E. Hoshal, Port Stanley, of selling liquor at the port on July 13. A technical point is being considered by the attorney-general. The amount was placed at $500.

Building Permits.

Twenty-one building permits were issued for September, amounting to $5,915. Eleven were for garages.

Nearly all the merchants have signified their willingness to close early on Saturday nights.

Gordon Mason and Stanley Hanley, two youths of this city, were taken to the county jail today on a complaint laid by Folland Beal of Talbot road east of trespass on his premises. A couple of other lads are being sought for having shot a next-door farmer's chickens taking the birds home with them.

Death of Fred Lewis.

Fred Lewis, manager of the local hydro shop, died this morning after an illness of some months. He was formerly in the insurance business, and had been a resident of the city for some years. His wife and two daughters, Mrs. Jane Conley and Miss Lewis at home, survive. Mr. Lewis was a native of London, England.

HEALTH OF ALEXANDER SHROUDED IN SECRECY

French Newspaper Reports King of Jugo-Slavia in Motor Crash.

PARIS, Oct. 2.—Mystery continues to surround the condition of the health of King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia. He was recently reported to have suffered a relapse following an operation, and it was said he was unable to return to Belgrade for his coronation. It was officially announced at the Jugo-Slav legation that he had "merely taken a cold."

On Friday night, it is declared by the Journal, King Alexander was riding along the Champs Elysee in his automobile, when the machine collided with a car owned by Count Bonin-Longare, Italian ambassador to France.

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TORIES VS. FARMERS

TILLSONBURG, Oct. 2.—Since the Liberal convention held in Mount Elgin on Friday afternoon, at which Mayor M. C. Dean accepted the nomination subject to further consideration, the political situation in South Oxford has developed into a boiling turmoil. The U. F. O. forces have suffered a severe setback, in the fact that their most cherished aspirant has now declined to allow his name to go before the convention on October 25 at Mount Elgin.

The Liberal-Conservative convention has been called for October 11 in Mount Elgin, and here again disorder seems to be apparent. Donald Sutherland, M.P. for South Oxford, no longer resides in the riding, but makes his home in Toronto much to the disapproval of many supporters.

All day Saturday the Liberals and Conservatives held conference, and it is believed that both party candidates may be dropped and an independent candidate selected to contest the ridding against the U. F. O., and if such a union can be consummated it is claimed there is no chance for the U. F. O.

The present indications are that the names of M. Haley of Springford and J. Lambden of Delmar are the only two names that will go before the U. F. O. convention.

ENGINE KILLS BRANTFORD MAN.

BRANTFORD, Ont., Oct. 2.—Theodore McCann of Brantford, when crossing a track in the railway yards here on Saturday, was struck by a shunting engine and both legs were cut off, resulting in his death in the hospital.

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AWAIT VERDICT ON RAIL STRIKE

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Counting of the strike ballots of 259,000 members of the four railroad unions will begin tomorrow, with the possibility of a general strike by more than 800,000 railway men in protest against the 12 per cent wage reduction recently ordered by the railroad labor board, depending somewhat on the tabulation of these votes.

Labor union leaders began arriving tonight in preparation for the count of the ballots cast by the active members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Switchmen's Union of North America.

MILK PRICES GO UP.

SIMCOE, Oct. 2.—Milk went up from ten to eleven cents a quart this morning. The Simcoe Dairy give as the reason the scarcity of milk. The Sabbath day slumbers of many Simconians were rudely broken when the milk men pounded on the door for an extra penny.

FINDING OF TWO STILLS COSTS FARMER $700

Jack McGillivray Convicted on Two Separate Charges.

WALKERTON, Oct. 2.—Jack McGillivray, young farmer of Bruce Township near Glammis, on whose premises License Inspector White found two stills on Thursday, came to Walkerton yesterday and pleaded guilty to the charges filed by the inspector. For the infraction of the inland revenue act $500 and costs and $200 for the infraction of the O. T. A.

IS FOUND GUILTY OF KILLING ELDERLY WIFE

SEATTLE, Oct. 2.—James E. Mahoney, charged with killing his elderly bride for her money, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to death by a jury in the superior court here last night.

SEVEN MOSLEMS HELD AS BEING ANTI-BRITI

KARACHI, British India, Oct. 2.—M hammed Ali and Shaukat Ali, brother with five other supporters of the mov ment for non-co-operation with the Bri ish, were committed for trial here toda for supporting a resolution at the Al India Moslem conference, declaring tha it was unlawful for Mussulmans to r main in the British army.

ANNA LITTLE DIES.

MOORETOWN, Oct. 2.—The death occurred at her home in Courtright o Anna Little, aged 91 years. She ha lived in this vicinity practically all he life. Miss Little was one of the older residents of Courtright, and enjoyed splendid health up until a short time ago, when she fell and broke a bone in her hip. She is surveved by one sister Kate, with whom she resided.

The funeral services were held fro her late residence Saturday afternoo The services were conducted by Re Mr. Dymond, and interment was mad in Sutherland Cemetery.

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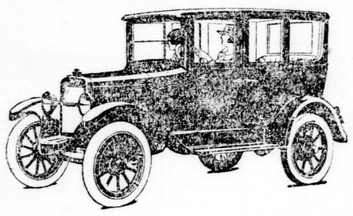

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